



# Flying Scot® Wife-Husband Championship



**September 27-29, 2024**

**Hosted by: Atlanta Yacht Club**  
7120 Yacht Club Rd.  
Acworth, GA 30102

Organizing Authorities: Flying Scot® Sailing Association (FSSA) and Atlanta Yacht Club (AYC)

## 1. RULES:

- 1.1. This regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the current *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS).
- 1.2. Participants agree to abide by the RRS and all other rules that govern this event and those of the host club. Payment of the Entry Fee acknowledges agreement and consent to the rule requirement of this NOR.
- 1.3. US Sailing Prescriptions to RRS 63.2 will not apply.

## 2. ELIGIBILITY:

- 2.1. The helmsperson shall be a current Active, Life, Junior, Club or Family Member of the FSSA ([www.fssa.com](http://www.fssa.com)). The FSSA Class Rules define each membership category.
- 2.2. **Article B-VIII c – Dues, to be eligible to compete, FSSA dues shall have been paid before the event.**
- 2.3. The crew shall consist of the helmsperson and his or her spouse.
- 2.4. Active, Life, Junior and Family Members shall sail the boat they have registered with the FSSA, and Club Members shall sail their club's registered club boat.
- 2.5. Any helmsperson borrowing or chartering a boat shall submit the Chartering or Borrowing form (available at [www.fssa.com](http://www.fssa.com) under Documents) by August 28, 2024.
- 2.6. Any Co-owner, if sailing his/her boat, shall submit the Co-ownership Certification Form (available at [www.fssa.com](http://www.fssa.com) under Documents) by August 28, 2024. The other co-owner may not enter the same Championship as a helmsperson.
- 2.7. **Non-owners may request a one-time exemption to sail a borrowed or chartered boat.**
  - A. Eligibility is covered in the FSSA "**Constitution, By Laws, Specification**" pages 29 & 30.
  - B. Refer to FSSA document "**2020-03-17 FSSA Boat Chartering.docx**." Select "**Chartering or Borrowing Form**" Complete and Send this form to the FSSA Executive Secretary at [info@fssa.com](mailto:info@fssa.com) to be submitted 4 weeks before end of Regatta Registration. C. If approved, the non-owner must join FSSA as an "**Affiliate**" by the close of registration.
- 2.8. At least 5 boats must be registered for the Challenger Division by 1000 on September 28, 2024, to be raced.
- 2.9. The following shall be completed by 1000 on September 28, 2024, unless otherwise specified below, before a boat's entry will be accepted:  
***This is the last day of registration.***
  - 2.9.1. Club boat registration fees shall be paid in full to the FSSA.
  - 2.9.2. The registration form shall be completed in full.
  - 2.9.3. All event registration fees shall be paid in full.
  - 2.9.4. An approved Co-owner Certification Form shall be submitted, when applicable, to the host club.
  - 2.9.5. An approved Chartering and Borrowing form shall be submitted, when applicable, to the host club.

## 3. REGISTRATION:

- 3.1. Online registration may be completed at <https://www.atlantayachtclub.org/2024-Flying-Scot-Wife-Husband-Championship> no later than September 28, 2024, with late fees applicable after September 14. Late and/or on-site registration may be completed online or at the AYC Clubhouse Registration Desk no later than 1000 on September 28, 2024. **(Please note that meals for late registrants may be subject to availability.)**
- 3.2. Registration shall be completed by 1000 September 28, 2024.
- 3.3. During registration, entrants shall select the Championship or Challenger Division, subject to the approval of the FSSA National Championships Committee.
- 3.4. Check-in at the on-site registration desk is required, where Sailing Instructions (SI), the Notice of Race (NOR) and identifying streamers for the Challenger Division will be provided.

#### 4.FEES:

4.1.The registration fee (\$175) includes the Welcome Party and Dinner Friday evening, Continental breakfasts Saturday and Sunday, lunches Saturday and Sunday, snacks and beverages after racing Saturday, and catered dinner Saturday evening. The late registration fee (\$205) includes all the above but with meals subject to availability.

4.2.For extra meals for the weekend see the Registration form.

4.3.Event-specific regatta apparel can be purchased online through Coral Reef and delivered to you before the regatta. See Registration form.

#### 5.SCHEDULE:

5.1.A maximum of five races per division are planned.

5.2.The Regatta Schedule below provides a list of events, dates and times that are planned for the regatta.

##### REGATTA SCHEDULE

Date	Event	Time	Location
Friday, September 27	On-Site Registration and Check-In	1600-2000	Clubhouse
	Welcome Party and Dinner	1800	Clubhouse
Saturday, September 28	Continental Breakfast	0900 - 1030	Clubhouse
	Late Registration	0900 - 1000	Clubhouse
	Competitors Meeting	1130	Clubhouse
	Lunch	1145	Clubhouse
	First Warning Signal	1300	RC Barge
	Social Hour	1800	Clubhouse
	Dinner	1900	Clubhouse
Sunday, September 29	Continental Breakfast	0730 - 0900	Clubhouse
	First Warning Signal	1000	RC Barge
	No Warning Signal After	1300	RC Barge
	Lunch to follow racing (or. . .)	1200	Clubhouse
	Awards	After lunch	Clubhouse

#### 6.MEASUREMENT:

6.1.Boats and sails must conform to the Specifications in the Class Rules.

6.2.All sail numbers shall match the hull number except for chartered boats, and club boats must be identified as proscribed in Class Rule, Article B-IX.

6.3.Each boat must carry safety equipment required by the FSSA and the US Coast Guard which includes having an [inflated bow bag](#) and transom port.

#### 7.VENUE:

7.1 The race area will be on a course generally to the North of club docks.

#### 8.THE COURSES:

8.1 The courses sailed are generally windward-leeward to be described in the Sailing Instructions.

#### 9.PENALTY SYSTEM:

9.1 RRS Appendix V, Alternative Penalties, Rules V1 and V2 will be in effect.

#### 10.SCORING:

10.1.One completed race by each Division will constitute a series for that Division.

10.2 Each boat's score shall be the total of her race scores, and no score shall be excluded. This changes RRS A2.1.

#### 11.PRIZES:

11.1 Keeper trophies will be awarded as follows:

11.1.1.1st through 5th place, Championship Division, couple specific

11.1.2.1st through 3rd place, Challenger Division, couple specific.

11.2. The following perpetual trophies will also be awarded, except a registrant sailing under the non-owner exemption is eligible for keeper trophies, but not perpetual trophies:

Championship Division 1st Place: Ted and Florence Glass Trophy

Challenger Division 1st Place: Cal and Anita Hudson Trophy

Best finish by spouses whose combined ages are 100 or higher: Eric and Mary Ammann Trophy

Best finish by a first-time team **participating** in the Wife-Husband Championship: Bob Penticoff Memorial Trophy

## **12. BERTHING/PARKING/LAUNCHING:**

12.1. Boats and trailers shall be kept in the boat park area opposite the launch ramps. Spaces are unassigned. AYC has two wide ramps and no hoists. Boats may be left overnight in the water at the dock.

## **13. SUPPORT BOATS:**

13.1. A competitor shall not use support or spectator personnel or their equipment, including **towing** vessels, while away from the dock unless they have been pre-approved by the Judges or Race Committee, or made available to all competitors by an Organizing Authority.

## **14. RADIO COMMUNICATION:**

14.1. The race committee may use VHF radios to communicate with competitors while racing. See Class Rules, Article S-V - Racing Restrictions, Paragraph 7 for more information regarding electronic equipment. **The operating Channel will be in the S.I.**

## **15. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY:**

15.1. Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk (see RRS 3 Decision to Race). The Organizing Authorities will not accept any liability for material damage, personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during, or after the regatta and all events associated with it.

## **16. ATLANTA YACHT CLUB GUEST POLICIES**

16.1. GUESTS ARE NOT PERMITTED TO BRING MOTORCYCLES, FIREARMS OR PETS ONTO AYC PROPERTY.

## **17. WHERE TO STAY**

17.1. Several hotels are nearby, in proximity to one another. Flying Scot Fleet #211 has secured discounted accommodations at the Holiday Inn Express & Suites Acworth-Kennesaw Northwest, 200 Northpoint Way, Acworth, GA 30102. Information available on registration page of regatta website (see Item 19 below).

17.2. AYC has several tent campsites with water, electricity, and a pavilion nearby. Hot showers are available in the Clubhouse. There are two

RV spots available with 30-AMP service. All campsites and RV sites are first come, first served.

## **18. REGATTA APPAREL**

18.1 Regatta apparel can be ordered directly from Coral Reef Sailing Apparel. Information is available on Registration page.  
(see item 19 below)

## **19. FURTHER INFORMATION**

19.1 Regatta Website: <https://www.atlantayachtclub.org/2024-Flying-Scot-Wife-Husband-Championship>

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