

# 2026 OPEN and WOMEN'S HOBIE 14 NORTH AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIPS FORT WALTON YACHT CLUB, FORT WALTON, FL

JUNE 15 – 19, 2026

## NOTICE OF RACE

Organizing Authority: Hobie Class Association of North America, Hobie Division 15 and FWYC

Venue: Ft. Walton Yacht Club, 180 Ferry Road NE, Fort Walton Beach, FL 32548

Rules: The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the current Racing Rules of Sailing. –

Classes: The regatta is open to all class legal Hobie 14s. Minimum class size will be 5 boats.

Eligibility: All competitors shall be members of the Hobie Class Association at the time of the event.

Insurance: Each team must obtain a certificate from their insurance company/agent that reflects year, type and ID number of the boat insured with their liability limits which is to be a minimum of \$100,000 USD.

Entries: \$300 Registration fee. Register through Regatta Network at Regatta Network.

Early registration (before 4/1/2026) use discount coupon – 14-EARLY and save \$50.00

Late Registration \$350.00 after midnight May 17, 2026.

Trophies: Will be awarded at the Awards Dinner on Friday, June 19 at FWYC.

### Accommodations:

OA recommends VRBO and AirBNB

LaQuinta Inn and Suites by Wyndam, 3 Miracle Strip Parkway SW, Fort Walton Beach, FL (850) 244-1500

Additional accommodations will be posted on the official Facebook page.

Primitive RV parking and Tent Camping available for free on site \*\*No water, electric or sewer hookups\*\*

<p><b>Schedule:</b></p> <p><b>Sunday June 14:</b> Registration, Check in 1100 - 1800 Welcome Party – time <b>TBD</b></p> <p><b>Monday June 15:</b> 0930 Competitor's Meeting <b>TBD</b> 1<sup>st</sup> Warning Signal 1800 - Dinner</p> <p><b>Tuesday June 16:</b> Racing continues – 1st Warning <b>TBD</b></p>	<p><b>Wednesday June 17:</b> Off Day – No races today 1800 - Dinner</p> <p><b>Thursday June 18:</b> Racing continues – 1st Warning <b>TBD</b> 1800 Dinner</p> <p><b>Friday June 19:</b> Racing continues – 1st Warning <b>TBD</b> No initial warning signal after 1500 1800 Awards Dinner and Trophies</p>
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For more Information:

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