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USF St. Petersburg co-hosting College Sailing Spring National Championships

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USF St. Petersburg will co-host the 10-day 2013 [College Sailing Spring National Championships](#) starting Tuesday, May 21.

The [USF Women's Sailing Team](#), which is based at USF St. Petersburg, is among 27 teams from across the country that will compete May 21-24 for the national Gerald C. Miller Trophy.

Other races include team competitions for the Walter C. Wood Trophy, 25-27, and co-ed competitions May 28-30 for the Henry A. Morss Trophy.

USF St. Petersburg is honored to host the Inter-Collegiate Sailing Association spring nationals along with Eckerd College and the St. Petersburg Yacht Club, said Zac Oppenheim, USFSP assistant director of Student Life and Engagement.

“This is a big deal,” Oppenheim said. “In the college sailing community, it’s the biggest deal.”

All the events start about 9 a.m. and will take place in Tampa Bay [near the Magnuson Hotel Marina Cove](#) at the southern tip of Pinellas County. Spectators can watch from the beach at the cove.

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