



NOVEMBER 8-9, 2022

PARASAIL OPERATORS SYMPOSIUM

SARASOTA, FLORIDA



Tuesday 11/8

7:30AM	Registration Opens	Arrive early and avoid the line!
8:00	Welcome Breakfast	sponsored by
9:00	Welcome and opening remarks	James Vaught, Paradise Watersports & James Krawczyk, WSIA
9:10	Brian Knapp, USCG	U.S. Coast Guard update & State of the Industry
9:25	Seth Wagner, FWC	Updates, Outcomes and Changes due to Recent Events
9:45	Mike Harlow, FAA	Waivers & Parasailing Safely
10:00	Dan Noah, NOAA	Weather Observation, Forecasting and Technology
10:30	Break	
10:40	Insurance Expert Panel	The Future of Insurance in the Parasail Industry
11:15	Katerina Koperna, ASTM International	Safety Standards & F24 committee update
11:40	Sponsor Presentations	Souvenir Pictures, Custom Chutes, Volvo Penta, Indexic, FareHarbor
12:00PM	Lunch	sponsored by
1:00	Rob Wittmer	Log book subcommittee updates
1:10	Maya Schilder	Liveries subcommittee updates
1:20	Lee Abbott & James Krawczyk	Parasail Captain training program
1:30	James Vaught	Other parasail committee updates & group discussion
2:00	DEMOS BEGIN and SPONSOR BOOTHS OPEN	
	Demos continue until safe light / Sponsor Booths open until 5:00PM	
6:00	Cocktail reception & networking time	sponsored by
7:30	Banquet Dinner & Industry Awards	sponsored by

Wednesday 11/9

10:00AM	Continental Breakfast/Brunch	
10:25	Opening / Welcome	James Vaught
10:30	Manufacturer Panel	New Innovations, Maintenance Best Practices, Product Roadmaps
11:00	Legal & Risk Management	Legal Discussion – Wiaver Enforceability, Liability Concerns, Q & A
11:30	Lee Abbott	Emergency Situations & Crew Preparedness
12:00PM	Lunch	sponsored by
1:00	DEMOS BEGIN & SPONSOR BOOTHS OPEN	
3:00	DEMOS END & SPONSOR BOOTHS CLOSE	
3:00	Cocktail reception & networking time	sponsored by
3:30	Parasail Olympics	sponsored by
5:30	Parasail Olympics Medal Ceremony	
6:00	End of event	(Dinner on your own)

