

NOTICE OF RACE  
**LAKE PONTCHARTRAIN**  
**2015 GREAT LAKE RACE**

Saturday, September 26, 2015

**SPONSORS**

Corinthian Sailing Association (CSA)  
South Shore Yacht Club (SSYC)  
New Orleans Yacht Club (NOYC)

**1. RULES**

The 2015 Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) and the Corinthian Sailing Association Great Lake Race (GLR) Sailing Instructions will govern the Race. Corinthian Sailing Association will administer the Race.

**2. DIVISIONS**

PHRF – Spinnaker, Non-Spinnaker, and Multihull divisions. Divisions may be broken into classes. Divisions are defined in the Sailing Instructions.

**3. ELIGIBILITY**

Competitors: The race is open to all. Competitors need not be a member of a Yacht Club.  
Boat: Participating boats should have a current, signed GYA PHRF certificate. Boats without a PHRF certificate will be assigned a rating based upon similar boats. The assigned rating cannot be protested.

**4. ENTRY FEES**

Early entry -- registration on or before September 24 : \$40  
Late entry -- registration after September 24: \$50

Competitors are urged to register early so that the Race Committee can assign accurate class breaks.

**5. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

**Organizing Club:**

Corinthian Sailing Association (CSA)  
141 Robert E. Lee Blvd. #259  
New Orleans, LA. 70124  
<http://www.corinthians.org>

## **DATES**

### **Friday, September 25**

1900 to 2200 – Skipper's Meeting and Crew Party at NOYC. Race packets will be issued, race course will be declared & class breaks set.

### **Saturday, September 26**

0900 - First Start. 20 nm steeplechase using fixed marks. Starts will be staggered starts according to PHRF rating. The Sailing Instructions will list start times for each PHRF rating.

Awards presentation and Post-Race Party—following the race at NOYC (403 N. Roadway Dr.-West End Area). Awards to be given soon after Race Committee docks.

## **6. REGISTRATION**

Registration must be completed using the link provided at [www.corinthians.org](http://www.corinthians.org). Registrations will not be accepted after the conclusion of the Skippers' meeting.

## **7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

Sailing Instructions will be posted on the CSA web site in draft form at <http://www.corinthians.org/> and will be available in final form at the skippers meeting.

## **8. PENALTIES FOR BREAKING RULES OF PART 2**

RRS Rule 44-720 degrees turn penalties for breaking Rules of RRS Part 2 will apply.

## **9. PROTESTS**

Protests will be heard by the CSA Protest Committee according to the CSA Sailing Instructions at NOYC following the race.

## **10. PRIZES**

Prizes will be awarded to First, Second, and Third Place boats in each class provided sufficient boats register. The overall fleet winner will be awarded the Wendell Gauthier Perpetual trophy. CSA members will be eligible to win the Charles Erickson Perpetual trophy (1<sup>st</sup> in Spinnaker Division) & the Nathaniel Belloni perpetual trophy (1<sup>st</sup> in Non-spinnaker Division).

## **11. FURTHER INFORMATION      Contact the CSA Great Lake Race Chairman, Rob Grisoli at 504-491-0693 or [grisdvm@cox.net](mailto:grisdvm@cox.net).**