# **NOTICE OF RACE**

# Lake Ray Hubbard, Lakewide Series June 2, September 15, October 20, 2018 Three Race Series

## 1. RULES:

- **1.1** The regatta will be governed by the *rules* as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing, 2017-2020 U.S. Sailing Instructions, and the Lakewide Series Sailing Instructions.*
- **1.2** The rules for all classes are altered so that membership in a class organization is not required.
- 1.3 Certain rules may be changed, and these changes will appear in full on the Official Notice Board. Under the Newsroom and Results tab, go to the notices tab: http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/16033

## 2. ADVERTISING:

**2.1.1** Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

## 3. ELIGIBILITY:

- **3.1** The regatta is open to all keelboats with a Lakewide PHRF handicap. Contact Robert C. Williams (See 11. Further Information) about applying for a Lakewide PHRF Handicap rating.
- **3.1.1** Separate Fleet designations may be assigned. Expected Fleets are A, B, C, and D.
- **3.1.2** 1. The fleets designated for the series will be as follows:
  - "A" AUX boats with PHRF 121 and less
  - "B" AUX boats with PHRF between 122 and 222
  - "C" AUX boats with PHRF 222 and above
  - "D" AUX boats with Displacement over 6,500 pounds.
  - 2. A boat that classifies for the "D" AUX fleet may instead race a series with the fleet designated by their PHRF rating (A,B, or C).
    - 1. Displacement fleet Boats declaring that they wish to sail in the fleet designated by their PHRF rating (A, B, or C) shall register in that fleet, prior to the beginning of the series, and shall sail the entire series in that fleet.
  - 3. There WILL NOT BE a separate fleet designation for the "Main and Jib" boats. "Main and Jib" boats will sail in the fleet designated by their handicap, adjusted to the Main and Jib rating, per the Lakewide PHRF Handicap System.
- **4. ENTRY FEE**: The entry fee is \$50 for the series, for each boat. The late entry fee will be \$60, after May 25<sup>th</sup>. Entry fee includes Trophies and (See Hosting event schedules, after the races.)

#### 5. REGISTRATION AND CHECK IN:

- **5.1.1** Registration may be done online under the registration and info tab at: <a href="http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/16033">http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/16033</a>
- **5.1.2** Execution of a **Liability Release Agreement**, as set forth in the Registration Form, shall be required.

#### 6. SCHEDULE:

- **6.1.1** Subject to the decisions of the Race Committee, three long distance races, one per event are scheduled. One or more races will constitute a Series. No Throw Outs.
- **6.1.2** The schedule for the regatta is:

## Saturday, June 2, 2018 (Bayside Hosting)

- 1600 Skipper's Meeting at the Bayside Marina. (Attendance Optional)
- 1700 Warning Signal for the first race.
- 1930 Social Event, Complimentary Beer, and Hooters are providing dinner.

## Saturday, September 15, 2018 (Chandlers Hosting)

- 1300 Warning Signal for the first race.
- 1530 Social Event, Complimentary Beer and snacks.

# Saturday, October 20, 2018 (Rush Creek Hosting)

- 1300 Warning Signal for the first race of the day.
- 1530 Social Event, Complimentary Beer, and food available for purchase.
- **6.1.3** No warning signal for a race will be given after 17:45 on Saturday, 02 Jun 18, or after 13:45 on 15 Sept, and 20 Oct 2018.
- **7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** Sailing Instructions will be provided, under the Race Documents tab @ <a href="http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/16033">http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/16033</a>
- **8. VENUE:** Races will be conducted on the waters of Lake Ray Hubbard, South of I-30.
- 9. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY: Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS Rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.
- **10. TROPHY PRESENTATION:** Trophy presentations will be held on the last Saturday of the series, 20 October, 2018, approximately one hour after the race, or when protest hearing(s) are completed.
- 10.1.1 Trophies will be awarded depending on the number of boats in each fleet. i.e., a fleet with 4 boats or less will have 1st place only awarded: 5 to 8 boats in fleet, 1st and 2nd only; and 9 boats and more, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place awards will be awarded.
- **11. FURTHER INFORMATION:** For further information please contact Robert C Williams, at rwilliams4111@gmail.com or 214 478-4111.