



NOTICE OF RACE
2019 FLEUR DE LIS REGATTA
March 9, 2019



The event is co-sponsored by Lake Pontchartrain Women's Sailing Association,
New Orleans Yacht Club, and Southern Yacht Club.

The Organizing Authority is the Lake Pontchartrain Women's Sailing Association.

The regatta is to be held on the South Shore of Lake Pontchartrain and hosted by New Orleans Yacht Club.

1. RULES

The Regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The 2017-2020 Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS). The US Sailing prescriptions will apply.

2. ELIGIBILITY

2.1 50% of crew members, including the skipper, must be female over the age 12 years prior to March 9, 2019. Participants do not need to belong to a yacht club, although membership in LPWSA is highly encouraged.

2.2 Fleets may be divided into classes based upon participation. Three boats will be needed to make a fleet or class. The regatta is open to all PHRF monohull and multihull boats which will compete under the PHRF (ToD) racing system. Each competing boat shall have a current, valid GYA PHRF Certificate. Boats without a current GYA PHRF Certificate may be assigned a PHRF rating at the discretion of the Race Committee. This assigned rating may not be protested.

3. FEES

The entry fee for each participating yacht is \$35.00. There is a \$5.00 deduction for LPWSA members.

4. REGISTRATION

Registration on Regatta Network or immediately prior to the skipper's meeting. Registration shall be completed prior to the skippers' meeting. All fees are to be paid by this time.

5. SCHEDULE (tentative)

Saturday, March 9, 2019	0900–1000	Registration open at New Orleans Yacht Club
	1000	Skippers meeting at New Orleans Yacht Club
	1100	First warning signal for all classes. Additional races to follow.
		Trophy presentation at NOYC one hour after RC docks.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing instructions will be available at registration. Three races are scheduled. One race will constitute a series. New Orleans Yacht Club General Sailing Instructions will be used.

7. SCORING

The Low Point System of RRS Appendix A will apply. There will be no throw-outs, this changes A2.

8. PRIZES

Awards will be given as follows: 1st, 2nd and 3rd for each division. The LPWSA Fleur de Lis Perpetual Trophy will be awarded to the boat finishing with the lowest score for the regatta.

9. HOUSING

Complementary housing is available for out of town competitors. Contact (lpwsa.admin@gmail.com).

10 FURTHER INFORMATION

Fleur de Lis Regatta Chairman: Louise Bienvenu (lbienvenu@bellsouth.net)

Host Yacht Club: New Orleans Yacht Club (NOYC), 403 N Roadway, New Orleans, LA 504-236-2581.