# F.Y.I. Regatta Galveston Bay October 4th, 2008 Galveston Bay Cruising Association

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## **Notice Of Race**

#### **Rules:**

The Regatta will be governed by the *Rules* as defined in the 2005-2008 Racing Rules of Sailing, this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions. It is anticipated that the Sailing Instructions will modify rules concerning luffing and protests.

#### **Eligibility:**

This regatta is open to all boats with valid Galveston Bay PHRF certificates. Classes will be PHRF, PHRF non-spinnaker and SOS-Tex.

#### **Entries:**

Competitors may enter online at <u>http://www.regattanetwork.com/clubs/gbca.html</u> The entry fee is a donation of at least \$20.00 to the American Red Cross. Checks made out to the Red Cross may be mailed to GBCA prior to the event or dropped off at the post race party. Donations must be received for boats to be scored and to be eligible for awards.

#### Notices to Competitors:

Notices to Competitors will be posted online at http://www.regattanetwork.com/clubs/gbca.html

#### Sailing Instructions:

Sailing instructions will be available online at <u>http://www.regattanetwork.com/clubs/gbca.html</u> before October 4<sup>th</sup>, 2008. Any change to the sailing instructions will be posted before 0900 on the day it will take effect, except that any change to the schedule of races will be posted by 2000 on the day before it will take effect.

#### **Course:**

The course will be a distance triangle using fixed marks. Starts will be staggered based on PHRF handicaps.

### Schedule of Events:

No start time will be before 1200hrs.

Post race party and awards Saturday, October 4 after racing, at the GBCA office.