

2012 International Laser Class Association North American Region

2012 Gulf Coast Championship

Lasers, Radials and Laser 4.7 Classes
May 19 – 20, 2012
Texas Corinthian Yacht Club
Kemah, Texas

NOTICE OF RACE

1 ORGANIZING AUTHORITY

The Organizing Authority (OA) is Texas Corinthian Yacht Club (TCYC).

2 VENUE

- 2.1 The event will be held at Texas Corinthian Yacht Club (TCYC), 104 Park Ave, Kemah, TX 77565, 281-339-1566.
- 2.2 The racing venue will be on Galveston Bay, due east from the TCYC pier, approximately half a mile off shore.

3 RULES

- 2.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 2.2 RRS Appendix P, Special Procedures for rule 42, will apply.

4 ELIGIBILITY

This event is restricted to Laser, Radial and 4.7's. All must be members of the ILCA – North America or their national class association.

5 ENTRY and FEES

- 5.1 Competitors shall register in advance by completing the online entry form on the TCYC website at http://www.tcyc.org.
- 5.2 Entry fees received before **May 5**, **2012** will be \$80. Entries received on or after May 5 will be \$100.
- 5.3 Entry fees include 2 days of racing, 2 continental breakfasts, water and snacks while racing, a Saturday cook-out, and prizes.
- 5.4 A minimum of five entries is required to constitute a class.
- 5.5 A signed waiver of liability must be received no later than 0900 the first day of racing. Waivers can be executed online as part of the entry form or will be accepted at the competitor check-in desk located in the Junior Clubhouse.

6 ADVERTISING

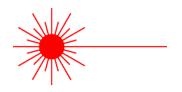
Advertising will be governed by ISAF Regulation 20.

7 SCHEDULE

7.1 Friday, May 18

1700 – 1900 Competitor Check-in & Registration





7.1 Saturday, May 19 0800 – 0900 Competitor Check & Registration

Continental Breakfast TCYC Dining Room 0900 Competitors' Meeting by the TCYC pool 1015 First warning, 1st race; more races to follow

Sunday, May 20 0800 - 0900 Continental Breakfast TCYC dining room

0930 First warning of the day

Prizes by the TCYC pool as soon as possible after racing

7.2 There will be no warning after 1430 on Sunday.

7.3 There are eight (8) races scheduled.

8 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing instructions will be available at Competitor Check-in.

9 COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be windward-leeward and trapezoids.

10 SCORING

- 10.1 The scoring system will be the Low Point Scoring in RRS Appendix A
- 10.2 Three (3) races are required to constitute a championship series.
- 10.3 When fewer than six (6) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 10.4 When six (6) or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

11 PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded to first through third place winners in the Laser, Radial and 4.7 divisions and to the top female in the Radial and 4.7 fleets.

12 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

12.1 Competitors participate in the regatta at their own risk. See 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.

12.2 All competitors must turn in a signed waiver before racing. Competitors under 18 years of age must have the waiver signed by a parent or guardian.

13 FURTHER INFORMATION

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