2017 LMYRA Fall Classic Regatta Notice of Race

Lake Murray Yacht Racing Association

Supported by Columbia Sailing Club, Lake Murray Sailing Club, Windward Point Yacht Club

October 14 – October 15, 2017 Hosted by:

Columbia Sailing Club and Windward Point Yacht Club

Proceeds from this event will go to the following charities: Family Connections, The Carolina Philharmonic Out-Reach Program and USC Student Activities

If your idea of a good time is sailboat racing with good food and fellowship thrown in for good measure, you need to join us for the 2017 LMYRA Fall Classic Regatta on Lake Murray.

Rules: The Regatta will be governed by The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2017 - 2020.

Eligibility and Entry: Regatta is open to all PHRF rated mono-hull yachts and Portsmouth rated multi-hulls. PHRF handicap ratings for mono-hull boats will be determined by the LMYRA rating committee.

Registration: Registration must be entered on-line via the Regatta Network website either directly – http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/15478 or via the LMYRA website www.lmyra.org.

All PHRF boats must have a valid 2017 LMYRA Rating. Those who have not been assigned a rating this year must apply for one no later than Wednesday, October 11. This deadline also applies to anyone wishing to modify his or her declared boat configuration. Web links to the Rating Request Form can be found on the Regatta Network Registration page as well as the LMYRA webpage.

Fees:

Registration through September 29th: \$100.00 Late Registration – Sept 30th until 9AM Oct 14: \$125.00

There will be very limited assistance for those choosing to register at the regatta. Debit/Credit cards only.

The entrance fee, purchase of extra dinner tickets, regatta T-shirts and hats will be payable by card only via the Regatta Network website. **Print out a copy** of the registration confirmation from the website, as this will be the dinner ticket and confirmation of purchase of extra dinner tickets, hats, T-shirts etc. Neither cash nor checks will be accepted.

The registration fee includes a 'goodie bag' with two free dinner tickets, a free T-shirt and hat and any extra items purchased in advance. The cut off date to pre-order hats and T-shirts will be September 29th. These will be made available prior to the skippers meeting at CSC. Additional T-shirts and some hats may be available for separate cash purchase on Friday evening and Saturday.

In the event of uncertain weather conditions, multihull competitors have requested the ability to delay registration until Saturday morning. Their registration, with payment, will be allowed for multihulls, but no dinner tickets or regatta regalia will be included.

The regatta dinner at CSC will be Lasagna catered by Fusco"s Market. A complimentary continental breakfast will be served on Saturday and Sunday mornings at CSC.

Schedule:

Friday, Oct 13	1800 to 2100	Late Registration at CSC (Sailing Instructions available)
•	1900	Welcome Party at CSC
Saturday, Oct. 14	0700 to 10:00	Complimentary Breakfast at CSC
•	1030	Skippers Meeting (all fleets) CSC
	1200	Warning Signal for Racing Fleets
	1230	Warning Signal for Cruising Fleet
	1830	Cruising Fleet Awards Presentation at CSC clubhouse
	1900	Regatta Dinner at CSC clubhouse
Sunday, Oct. 15	0800 to 10:00	Complimentary Breakfast at CSC clubhouse
	1000	Warning Signal for Racing and Multihull Fleets
		Hamburger lunch (at minimal cost) and Awards presentation at CSC

Classes & Divisions: Classes will include cruising yachts (up to three divisions), racing spinnaker yachts, racing non-spinnaker yachts and multihulls. The cruising yachts, racing yachts and multihulls will have separate courses. If there is sufficient interest from competitors, the organizing committee may elect to include a separate cruising novice division within the cruising fleet.

Sailing Instructions: These are available on the LMYRA website. A limited number of hardcopies will be available Friday evening at WPYC and Saturday morning at CSC.

PHRF Rating: All boats must have a valid 2017 LMYRA PHRF Rating. Anyone who has registered in a 2017 LMYRA event has been assigned a rating. The deadline for new Rating Request as well as declaring changes effecting currently assigned ratings is **October 11**. Any requests received after that date may be declined. The Rating Request Form is located at www.LMYRA.org or on the registration page of Regatta Networks at http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/15478

Scoring: The low point scoring system, Appendix A of the RRS, will apply, except that each racing yacht's total score will be the sum of her scores for all races (no throw outs). One race will constitute a series.

Launching and Facilities: Ramp launching is available. Docking will be available at CSC and WPYC. Racers are welcome to camp on the Columbia Sailing Club grounds and use the facilities. No Pets are allowed on CSC grounds.

Trophies: Results will be posted on the Regatta Network website and trophies will be awarded to the top three places in each division. A Perpetual Trophy will also be awarded to the winner of largest racing PHRF fleet.

For Additional Information: Go to the Regatta Network website, the LMYRA website or call Sherron Hopper at **803.622.7645** or e-mail Sherron at **shopper1963@hotmail.com**.

LMYRA reserves the right to modify this NOR at any time prior to <u>October 11, 2017</u>. Check Regatta Network web site for updates.

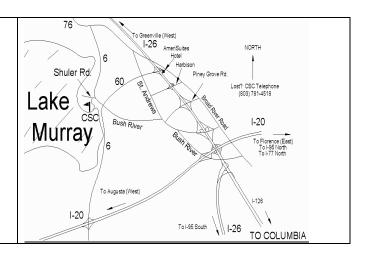
DIRECTIONS TO CSC:

From I-26

At exit 102 take Highway 60 (Lake Murray Blvd) and go west for 3.9 miles.

At the traffic light near the dam, take a right onto Highway 6 (towards Ballentine) for 0.5 miles, then a Left onto Shuler Road.

Follow two sharp lefts then a sharp right until Shuler Road terminates at club gates. 292 Shuler Road at N34 03.906, W81 13.723



DIRECTIONS TO WPYC

FROM I-26

At exit 102 take Highway 60 (Lake Murray Blvd) and go west for 3.9 miles.

At the traffic light near the dam, take a right onto Highway 6 (towards Ballentine) for 0.6 miles, and then bear left on to River Rd, bear left again onto Windward Point Rd.

Turn left into WPYC at 164 Mystic Court, Columbia, SC 29212.