

NOTICE OF RACE GALLOWAY Regatta (*GYA Sunfish and Laser Championships) (*Gulf Coast Sunfish Championship) GULFPORT YACHT CLUB GULFPORT, MS 39501 August 18th-19th, 2018

1 RULES

The regatta will be governed by the current revision of the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), by the current prescriptions of the United States Sailing Association, by the rules of the United States Sunfish Class Association / International Laser Class Association / United States Optimist Dinghy Association / except as any of those that are changed by the sailing instructions.

2 CHANGES TO THE RULES

The sailing instructions will change some of the racing rules; however, competitors will be able to comply with the changes without advance notice of their nature.

3 ELIGIBILITY and ENTRY

3.1 The Galloway Regatta is open to boats of the **Sunfish (with Jr. Class), Laser Full, Laser Radial, & Optimist Classes (R,W,B,&G)**. Competitors sailing the Sunfish Class must be members of the U.S. Sunfish Class.

3.2 Eligible boats must enter by completing the Official Entry Form

http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/17290 found on GulfportYachtClub.org **3.3** All Classes entry fee is \$40 (August 17st & after \$50) Entry Fee includes: doughnuts in the mornings,

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4 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday - August 18	
Event	Time
Registration	0930 to 1045
Briefing	1100
Race One	1300
Other Races	Back to Back
Sunday - August 19	
First race of the day	1100
Other Races	Back to Back
Awards	ASAP after races

5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be made available at the registration desk at the Gulfport Yacht Club.

6 COURSES

Courses will be Windward/Leeward courses. Located to the South East of the Gulfport Small Craft Harbor.

7 SCORING

The Low-Point Scoring System, Appendix A4 of the racing rules, will apply, we will attempt to sail twelve (12) races, which one (1) shall be completed to constitute a series. For every six races completed there will be one (1) drop.

8 TROPHIES

The top three overall in each class will be awarded. Overall Perpetual Trophies will be awarded to the Sunfish, Sunfish Jr, & the Laser Full Classes.

9 FURTHER INFORMATION

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