# SISTERS WITH SAILS

# ALL-FEMALE SKIPPER REGATTA LAKE RAY HUBBARD MAY 4, 2024

# **NOTICE OF RACE**

# 1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the 2021-2024 Racing Rules of Sailing (referred to as "RRS") and the Sailing Instructions, and any amendments or supplements thereto.
- 1.2 There will be one or two classes of boats in the regatta which will be determined based on the boats registered in the regatta on or before April 20, 2024.

# 2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

2.1 The regatta is open to all PHRF and One Design keelboats, subject to the following restriction:

All PHRF boats must have a current or provisional Lake Ray Hubbard PHRF rating. If the boat has not been rated, submit pertinent information to the Lake Ray Hubbard PHRF committee to have a provisional rating assigned.

If you need assistance with your boat's current or provisional rating, please contact Shila Fletcher (<a href="mailto:shilafletcher@gmail.com">shilafletcher@gmail.com</a>) or Laura Garner (<a href="mailto:lm.garner@yahoo.com">lm.garner@yahoo.com</a>) when you register.

Deadline to submit pertinent information is April 23, 2024.

2.2 All boats must have a female at the helm during all races.

# 3 FEES

3.1 Required fees are as follows:

Standard Registration: \$60.00

Late Registration after April 20, 2024: \$70.00

Registration includes one tiara for the skipper of each boat.

#### 4 SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 4, 2024

9:00 -10:00 am. Registration

**No Skippers meeting.** Sailing instructions will emailed to each skipper using the email address submitted during registration. Sailing instructions will also be posted on Regatta Network. If you have any questions prior to May 4, 2024, please contact Laura Garner (<a href="mailto:lm.garner@yahoo.com">lm.garner@yahoo.com</a>) or Shila Fletcher (<a href="mailto:shilafletcher@gmail.com">shilafletcher@gmail.com</a>). On the day of the regatta, please contact Adriane Jevnick (214) 448-1839.

11:00 a.m. First Warning Signal, additional races to follow

2:30 p.m. No Warning Signal after this time

4:30 p.m. Trophy Presentation and Post-Race Party

#### 5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be emailed to each skipper using the email address submitted when registering for the regatta The sailing instructions will also be posted on Regatta Network. Any supplements or amendments to the sailing instructions will also be emailed to skippers and posted on Regatta Network.

#### 6 VENUE

Races will be sailed on Lake Ray Hubbard, south of I-30.

# 7 THE COURSES

Course diagrams will be provided in the Sailing Instructions. Races will be started in accordance with Rule 26 of the Racing Rules of Sailing.

# 8 SCORING

- 8.1 One race is required to be completed to constitute a regatta.
- 8.2 (a) A boat's score will be the total of her race scores.
  - (b) Refer to Sailing Instructions and RRS for more information about scoring.
  - (c) Finish places will be determined with adjustments for each boat's PHRF rating.

# 9 PRIZES

Trophies will be awarded for first, second, and third finishing places for each class with five or more boats entered. If the class has four or fewer boats entered, trophies will be awarded for first and second finishing places. The Sisters with Sails Regatta Trophy will also be awarded to the top finisher with female-majority crew in each class. Submit your crew list at registration on the day of race or to Shila Fletcher (shilafletcher@gmail.com) to be considered for the Sister With Sails Regatta Trophy.

# 10 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors and participants participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 3 Decision to Race and RRS 4 Acceptance of the Rules and the Sailing Instructions and any amendments or supplements thereto. The organizing authority, race committee, and regatta committee 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.

All skippers are required to inform their crew members and participants on her boat of the dangers of participating and the disclaimer of liability.

# 11 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact regatta committee members:

Laura Garner (<a href="mailto:lm.garner@yahoo.com">lm.garner@yahoo.com</a>) or Shila Fletcher (<a href="mailto:shilafletcher@gmail.com">shilafletcher@gmail.com</a>) prior to May 4, 2024.

On the day of the regatta, please contact Adriane Jevnick (214) 448-1839). Laura and Shila will be on their boats.

The regatta rules include the 2021-2024 Racing Rules of Sailing, Notice of Race, the Sailing Instructions, including any amendments or supplements thereto.