

NOTICE OF RACE CAROLINA YACHT CLUB 2014 WILD OYSTER REGATTA

October 24th-26th, 2014

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1. **Rules:** The regatta will be governed by the 2013-2016 Racing Rules of Sailing.
2. **Eligibility and Entry:**
 - 2.1. The regatta is open to all Lightnings with a valid measurement certificate issued by the ILCA.
 - 2.2. This is a Southeastern Lightning District (SELD) Circuit Qualifier event.
 - 2.3. Eligible boats may enter by paying the fees and completing the online Entry Form,
 - 2.4. Registration is online at Regatta Network
http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/9154#_home
3. **Fees:**

Entry Fee: **\$140** includes racing, 3 Saturday night oyster roast tickets and continental breakfast.
late fee of **\$35.00** if registration is received after October 15th,2014.

\$35 Extra party tickets

4. **Schedule:**

Oct 24th	2:00 pm	Lightning clinic - more details to follow
	5:00 – 7:00 pm	Registration, CYC Boathouse Welcome social
Oct 25th	8:30 – 10:00 am	Continental Breakfast, Registration CYC Boathouse
	10:00 am	Competitors meeting, CYC Boathouse Flagpole
	11:00 am	1st Warning signal race 1. Subsequent races to follow.
	6:30 pm	Oyster Roast and cocktail party
Oct 26th	10:30 am	Warning signal; subsequent races to follow (no start after 2:30 pm) Awards to follow conclusion of racing
5. **Sailing Instructions:** The Sailing Instructions will be available at Registration.
6. **Scoring:**
 - 6.1. One race constitutes a regatta.
 - 6.2. All races will be sailed in Charleston Harbor.

7. **Who Else is Coming:** A list of people planning to attend will be posted at the ILCA website and regatta network regatta home page.

8. **Social:**

- 8.1. CYC Boathouse and club restaurant are open to sailing participants and guests for the weekend (cash accepted). Appropriate attire required for the club restaurant.
- 8.2. Friday night, welcome social at Boathouse (cash accepted). Plan to explore one of Charleston's many excellent restaurants for dinner.
- 8.3. Saturday night Oyster Roast and Shrimp Cocktail party following last race under the Boathouse. Approximate start time is 6:30 p.m.

9. **Prizes:** Trophies will be awarded to the top 4 skippers and crew, additional trophies may be awarded based on entries.

10. **Club Address:**

The Carolina Yacht Club 50
East Bay Street Charleston,
SC 29401

11. **Club and Regatta Websites:**

Carolina Yacht Club: <http://www.CarolinaYachtClub.com/>

Regatta Website: http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/9154#_home

Car and Trailer Parking:

- 11.1. One (1) parking pass will be issued for each boat registered. Please make an effort to arrive in one vehicle, as parking spaces are limited.
- 11.2. Trailer parking will be provided from October 24-26th. **Boats arriving earlier or leaving later should be stored offsite.**

13. **Hotels:**

La Quinta Address: 11 Ashley Point Dr. Phone: 843-556-5200	Holiday Inn Riverview Address: 301 Savannah Hwy. Phone: 1-800-766-4451	Courtyard Marriott Address: 35 Lockwood Dr. Phone 843-722-7229
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Charleston is a tourist town. Book early to ensure you have a great room.

14. **Questions? Chris Hamilton 843 469 4254 chamilton@fmtmedic.com**

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