

REGGAE REGATTA 2023 June 10th and 11th NOTICE OF RACE

Lake Lanier Sailing Club, Flowery Branch, GA REGISTRATION OPEN!

1 RULES

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2. RRS 33(a) is changed as follows: If the direction of the next leg will be changed the signal shall be the display of flag C with repetitive sounds. There will not be a new compass bearing, nor will green or red shapes or flags be displayed. The new mark will simply be set.

RRS 35 is changed as follows: If no boat in a fleet rounds the first mark within 45 minutes, or finishes within two hours of her start, the race for that fleet shall be abandoned. Any boat that fails to finish within 20 minutes after the second boat in her fleet sails the course and finishes or within the time limit, whichever is greater, will be scored DNF.

RRS 61 is changed as follows: in addition to the requirements of rule 61, a protesting boat shall notify the Race Committee of its intent to protest within 15 minutes of the conclusion of the race in which the incident occurred.

- 1.3 The following U.S. Sailing prescriptions do not apply: RRS 60, RRS 63.2, RRS 63.4.
- 1.4 Changes to the Sailing Instructions may be made on the water by the Race Committee by raising the Come within Hail flag(code flag Lima) and repeated oral statements of the change via loud speaker as allowed by 90.2(c) or posted on a white board at the stern of the RC barge.

2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

2.1 The Sailing Instructions will be available on 6/9/2023 on the LLSC Website and Calendar.

3 COMMUNICATION

- 3.1 The official notice board is in the LLSC Clubhouse Breeze Way
- 3.2 All boats shall, if practical, carry a VHF radio.
- 3.3 On the water, Race Committee may make courtesy broadcasts to competitors on VHF radio as well as search and rescue instructions (RRS 37).
- 3.4. Auxiliary fleet VHF Channel 72 One design – VHF Channel 69

3.5 While racing, from the first warning signal until the end of the last race of the day, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 The regatta is open to PHRF High Mid Low, Cruising Division, One Design (keelboats and dinghies), Multi-hull, Sailboards, Portsmouth, including, but not limited to, Jr. Opti, Laser, Laser Radial, and Club 420, Green Fleet. (Jr.Optis) and Remote Control CR914
- 4.2 Cruising Boats 2 long distance races planned (1 Sat & 1 Sun) Weight minimum 5,000 pounds Length minimum 26' PHRF rating greater than 80 No sail type restrictions No Stress Start line Course & Starting Time Window given day of event. Skipper to record Start & Finish time.

6 FEES

- 6.1 PHRF & Cruisers \$50
- 6.2 Dinghies, Cats \$50
- 6.3 CR914 \$10
- 6.4 Junior Boats 420, Laser, Opti \$10
- 6.5 Green Fleet Free
- 6.6. Adult Diner and Party Ticket Combo: (\$30)

Saturday evening food and drink will be provided by La Casa Del Taco of Flowery Branch and the Phil Davis band will bring the music and fun. Dinner, drinks, and music run from 6:00 until 9:30pm.

6.7 Kids Dinner ticket (\$15) La Casa Del Taco

7. SCHEDULE

Friday, June 9, 2023

CR914 – 1500 – Registration at RC Shack

CR914 - 1600- Warning Signal

1900 - 2000 - On-site Regatta Registration

Saturday, June 10, 2023

0900 - 1000 - On-site Registration
1000 - 1015 - Skippers' Meeting / Jr. Skippers Meeting - Club house porch/ Jr. field
1125 - First Warning Signal

1830 - Dinner and Party with Live Band!

Sunday, June 11, 2023

1025 – First Warning Signal for Sunday Racing1400 – No race started after 1400

8 SCORING

- 8.1 Low Point Scoring System is modified to all scores will be counted except when six (6) or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of its scores excluding its worst score subject to 90.3(b). This changes A2.1. PHRF Scoring System will be Time on Distance. Portsmouth Scoring System will the Portsmouth Yardstick.
- 8.2 Two or more races may be attempted each day for ALL Fleets, except the Cruising PHRF Fleet, time and weather permitting.

9 DIVING EQUIPMENT AND PLASTIC POOLS

9.1 Underwater breathing apparatus and plastic pools or their equivalent shall not be used around keelboats between the preparatory signal of the first race and the finish of the last race of the day.

10 COACHES for JUNIOR COURSE

- 10.1 Team leaders, coaches and other support persons shall stay outside areas where boats are racing from the time of the preparatory warning signal for the first class to start <u>until</u> <u>all boats have finished</u> or retired or the race committee signals a postponement, general recall or abandonment.
- 10.2 All coaches will assist in the event of severe weather or emergency.

11 RISK STATEMENT

RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.' By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in

increased risk of injury. Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia or other causes.

12 PRIZES

12.1 PRIZES will be awarded to the top finishers with fleets/divisions: 1 trophy for 2-3 boats; 2 trophies for 4-5 boats; 3 trophies for 6-8 boats.

FURTHER INFORMATION

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