

*FORT WORTH BOAT CLUB
EAGLE MOUNTAIN LAKE*

FORT WORTH AUDI 64th ANNUAL REGATTA / LEUKEMIA CUP

April 26-28, 2013

NOTICE OF REGATTA

INVITATION: The Fort Worth Boat Club cordially invites you to attend the Fort Worth Boat Club 64th Annual Regatta/Leukemia Cup to be held on Eagle Mountain Lake April 26-28, 2013. The Fort Worth Boat Club is the host club. Fort Worth Boat Club is a private yacht club, located on Eagle Mountain Lake at 10000 Boat Club Road, Fort Worth, TX 76179. Directions are available on its web site located at <http://fortworthboatclub.com/location-map>. Please note that pets as well as fireworks are not allowed on club property.

RULES: The regatta shall be governed by the *rules* as defined in the *2013-2016 Racing Rules of Sailing*, the class rules of the applicable one-design classes, and the official Sailing Instructions.

CLASSES: The regatta is open to all sailors. One-design classes may be declared for fleets with four or more boats. Probable fleets include VXOne, Viper 640, J22, J24, J70, J80, J105, and Catalina 22. Boats not sailing in one-design classes will be scored using the FWBC PHRF time-on-distance allowances. Kattack (www.kattack.com) live tracking and race replays will be available for boats with the Kattack iPhone or Android apps.

ENTRY: To register on-line, go to www.fwbc.com. To register by mail, complete and sign the attached form and mail it with the required fee to Fort Worth Boat Club. Unsigned registration forms can result in a boat not being scored. The early registration deadline is Friday, April 19, 2012. Register by this date to receive entry discount and guaranteed promotional items. Registration closes on Saturday, April 27 at 9:30 AM, at which time fleet divisions will be made. The Entry Fee includes participation in the regatta, use of mast hoists for mast stepping, trailer storage/boat dockage for the duration of the regatta, use of cranes to launch and retrieve boats (3 ton maximum), complimentary breakfast Saturday/Sunday mornings as well as participation in the regatta's Sunday award presentation.

TABC REGULATIONS: The Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission requires that no alcoholic beverages be brought in or taken out of the area prominently marked with TABC signs.

TROPHIES: Trophies will be awarded to the top 3 finishing boats. Additional trophies may be awarded depending on participation.

NUMBER OF RACES: Every attempt will be made to conduct six or more races. Should weather or safety prevent this, the Regatta may consist of not less than one race. There will be one throw-out for six races completed and no throw-outs for less than six.

J/24 CLASS-SPECIFIC INFORMATION:

- The J/24 Cowtown Stampede is the second regatta of the 2012 J/24 Texas Circuit and will consist of as many as six races. Three races must be completed for this Regatta to count toward the 2012 J/24 Texas Circuit points series.
- No race scores will be excluded from a boat's regatta score, this modifies rule A2. The scoring penalty as provided by RRS 44.3 of the RRS will apply.
- The J/24 one-design class is open to all J/24 yachts as defined by the IJCA. Competitors must meet all ownership and class membership requirements and must pay all fees to become official participants.
- All official participants are subject to inspection and measurement at any time during the regatta. The main sail, 150% genoa and spinnaker must all have sail numbers the same as the J/24 yacht hull number. **All competing yachts must turn in a completed copy of Part C - Inventory of Required & Optional Equipment, from the J/24 Measurement form at registration.** All official participants will be subject to verification of crew weight per Class Rule 5.1 and encapsulated corrector weights per Class Rule 3.7.2. Scales will be provided at registration for weighing all crew members. No formal provisions for Yacht measurement will be provided.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

Friday, April 26th **4:00 to 8:00 PM** Registration
 5:00 PM Complimentary Beer and Snacks

Saturday, April 27th **8:00 to 9:30 AM** Complimentary Breakfast
 8:00 to 9:30 AM Registration, Check-in, and Launching
 8:00 to 9:30 AM Pick up Lunches
 9:30 AM Skippers' Meeting
 9:45 AM CBS11 Weather briefing with meteorologist Jeff Jamison
 10:45 AM Warning Signal for Race 1, additional races to follow at the discretion of the Race Committee.
 After Races Complimentary Beer
 6:00 to 8:00 PM Dinner Buffet (\$13.00 inclusive)
 5:00 to 9:00 PM Party and Dance to Live Music

Sunday, April 28th **7:30 to 9:00 AM** Complimentary Continental Breakfast
 9:30 AM Warning Signal for First Race of Day
 No Warning Signal after **1:00 PM**
 After Races Complimentary Beer and Buffet (\$7.00 inclusive) Awards Presentation

PARTY: Please invite your friends and family for Dinner and Live Entertainment on Saturday night. You don't have to be a Racer or FWBC member to enjoy the Party!

A three-ton (6,000 pound max.) crane with spreader and straps is available for launching and retrieval. A concrete launching ramp and two mast cranes are also available.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

If you have any further questions about this regatta, contact Matt Arno at 817-995-6762 or the FWBC office at 817-236-8393.

2013 FORT WORTH BOAT CLUB 64th ANNUAL REGATTA/LEUKEMIA CUP REGISTRATION FORM

REGISTER ON-LINE at www.fwbc.com!!

Skipper's Name _____
 Address _____
 City/State/Zip _____
 E-mail Address _____
 Home Club and Member # _____
 City/State/Zip _____
 Boat Name _____
 Boat Model _____ Length _____
 Class of Boat: Spinnaker Genoa (circle one)
 Sail # _____ Hull Color _____

Register online or mail completed registration form and check to:

Fort Worth Boat Club 64th Annual Regatta
 10000 Boat Club Road
 Fort Worth, Texas 76179-4003

Registration Fee

Early Registration on or before Fri. Apr. 19 \$ 75.00
 Register after Apr. 19 \$ 85.00

Take a US SAILING Discount

US SAILING # _____ (\$ 5.00)

Sack Lunches _____ @ \$ 6.00 \$ _____

Regatta Shirts _____ @ \$18.00 \$ _____

Reservations for sack lunches MUST be made by 7:00 PM Friday night April 26th

Saturday Dinner Buffet _____ @ \$13.00 \$ _____

Reservations are a MUST

Sunday Buffet _____ @ \$7.00 \$ _____

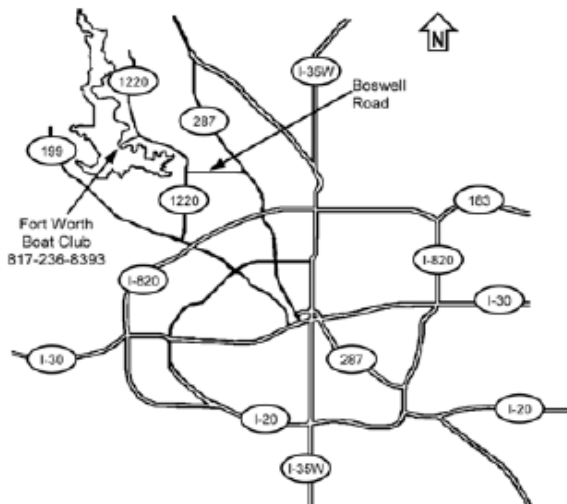
Chg FWBC # _____ Check # _____ Cash _____

Total...\$ _____

ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY:

I agree to be bound by The Racing Rules of Sailing and by all other rules that govern this event. By participating in the regatta, each boat owner, skipper and crew agrees to sail and to use the Fort Worth Boat Club facilities at his or her own risk. To the fullest extent permitted under Texas law, each boat owner, skipper and crew unconditionally and irrevocably releases and discharges the Fort Worth Boat Club, their officers, board of governors and directors, agents, and all other persons who assist in maintaining equipment or in organizing and/or conducting races from all claims and legal liability for personal injury, death or property damage incurred in connection with the regatta and caused by negligence.

Skipper's Signature _____ Date _____



DIRECTIONS:

From intersection of Loop 820 & Bus. 287 (N. Main/Saginaw Blvd.), go north on Bus. 287 for 4 miles to Boswell Rd. Turn left, go 2.5 miles to Boat Club Road (FM1220). Turn right, go 2.7 miles to FWBC sign (on left) in front of school. Take left fork; follow 1.8 miles to FWBC.

From intersection of Loop 820 & Jacksboro Hwy. (Hwy. 199), go west one block on Jacksboro Hwy. to first intersection which is Boat Club Road (FM1220). Turn right, go north approximately 8 miles to FWBC sign (on left) in front of school. Take left fork; follow 1.8 miles to FWBC.

ACCOMMODATIONS:

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| 1. Courtyard Marriott | 3751 NE Loop 820 | 817-847-0044 |
| 2. Fairfield Inn | 3701 NE Loop 820 next to Courtyard | 817-232-5700 |
| 3. Hampton Inn | 4681 Gemini Place | 817-825-5327 |
| 4. La Quinta Inn | 4700 N. Freeway (I-35 N.) | 817-222-2888 |
| 5. Holiday Inn North | 2540 Meacham Blvd. (I-35 N.) | 817-825-9911 |
| 6. Comfort Inn | 4950 N. Freeway (I-35 N.) | 817-834-8001 |
| 7. Hilton Garden Inn | 4400 N. Freeway (I-35 N.) | 817-222-0222 |
| 8. Lake Worth Best Western | 3920 Boat Club Rd | 817-238-1199 |
| 9. Budget Suites, FW | 3500 N.E. Loop 820 | 817-831-4220 |
| 10. Studio Plus, FW | 3261 N.E. Loop 820 | 817-232-1822 |
| 11. Candlewood Suites | 5201 Endicott Ave. | 817-838-8229 |
| 12. Holiday Inn Express | 3541 NW Loop 820 | 817-238-6500 |

FWBC does not have housing or camping facilities. You may stay on your boat if you wish. Restrooms and showers are available at the Club. Towels are not furnished. Please no pets, tents, campers or fires. Cash bar and food service available or charge to your TSA club. TABC laws require that all alcoholic beverages consumed on our premises be purchased from Fort Worth Boat Club.