

Notice of Race

The Grapevine Sailing Club

Gold Rush Regatta

September 9th, 10th & 11th 2016

at Scott's Landing Marina on Lake Grapevine
2500 Oak Grove Loop S, Grapevine Texas 76051

INVITATION

- The Grapevine Sailing Club (GSC) cordially invites you to attend the Gold Rush Regatta on September 10th and 11th 2016.

SITE

- GSC is a private sailing club, located on the south shore of Lake Grapevine at Scott's Landing Marina. Directions and other information relating to GSC appear at www.grapevinesailing.org.

REGATTA SCHEDULE

- **Friday September 9th, 2016**
 - 16:30 – 20:00 • Late Registration at the Clubhouse plus launch assistance and boat slip assignments
 - 16:30 – 20:00 • Happy Hour, refreshments provided
- **Saturday September 10th, 2016**
 - 07:30 hrs • Complementary Breakfast
 - 08:00 hrs • Registration Closes
 - 09:30 hrs • Skipper's Meeting
 - 11:00 hrs • First warning signal for race 1. (Additional races to follow)
Lunch on the water; (lunch is not provided, be sure to bring your own)
 - 17:30 hrs • Refreshments / Silent and Live Auction
 - 18:00 hrs • Dinner - Plus Party and your favorite refreshments
(dinner tickets by registration online, party is free)
- **Sunday September 11th, 2016**
 - 10:00 hrs • First warning signal
Additional races may follow. There are five races scheduled for the regatta
 - 13:00 hrs • No start warning signal will be made after 13:00 on Sunday
 - Following Racing • Refreshments, Lunch and Trophy presentation will be on Sunday as soon as possible after racing

RULES

- The race will be governed by the *rules* as defined in the ISAF *Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2013-2016*, applicable one-design class rules, and the Mayor's Cup Sailing Instructions (SI's).

RACING

- The event will consist of up to five (5) races. One (1) race shall constitute a regatta.

ELIGIBILITY

- Open to all sailors; GSC members and non-members alike.

FLEETS AND HANDICAPS

- Four (4) or more one design boats may constitute a fleet.
- Non one design boats will be grouped in PHRF fleets.

COURSES

- Races will be sailed on courses of Windward/Leeward design or variations thereof from GSC course illustrations Attachment A.

ENTRY AND FEES

- **The entry fee for this regatta is \$75.00.**
- **Early online registrants that enter before 24:00 (midnight) CDT Saturday, September 3rd, 2016 will receive a \$15.00 discount.**
- **Members of US sailing will receive a \$5.00 discount at any time. Only one discount allowed per entry.**
- To register on-line, go to the GSC website at www.grapevinesailing.org.
- The entry fee includes:
 - Participation in the regatta
 - Participation in the regatta's awards program
 - Complimentary breakfast for skipper & crew on both Saturday and Sunday
 - Complimentary meal for skipper & crew on Sunday before awards presentation
 - Complimentary beer and beverages at social following racing
 - Use of a ramp for launching and haul out
 - Use of mast hoists for mast stepping
 - Trailer storage/boat dockage for the duration of the regatta

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- Sailing Instructions (SI's) will be distributed to official participants during registration/check-in and will be available online.

For more info contact John Martin (vicecommandore@grapevinesailing.org)