



Notice of Race

January 5, 2010

2010 Winter Series 2010 Mid-Winter Cup

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Special Information:

At the end of each race day, we plan to have a community dinner. Dinner will be paid for by contribution; a suggested amount will be posted and may vary according to the meal being served. We expect the amount to be between \$5.00 and \$10.00 per person.

Please help us plan for food by letting the Series Coordinator know by Friday of each race week how many people in your group will be staying for dinner.

Classes:

This is a PHRF regatta by invitation of the Augusta Sailing Club at Strom Thurmond Lake at Clarks Hill. Boats must have a current ASC PHRF Certificate and comply with the ASC PHRF rules. The fleet will be divided into Spinnaker and Non-Spinnaker fleets.

Scoring:

Scoring of each race will be based on corrected times. Corrected times will be calculated with the "Time-on-Time" method using certificated PHRF ratings.

All races on each race day of the Series will be scored as a one day regatta using the low point system. Boats that came to the starting area but did not start, did not finish, retired after starting or were disqualified, or did not come to the starting area at all during that day will be scored in accordance with Rule A9 "Race Scores in a Series Lasting Longer Than A Regatta." Series scoring shall include all of the daily regatta scores excluding each boat's two (2) worst daily scores. Trophies will be awarded in each fleet.

Scoring Cont.:

Races held February 27, 2010 will be scored as part of the Series and as a separate event, the Mid-Winter Cup.

The Mid-Winter Cup will be scored as a two (2) day regatta using the low point system and standard regatta scoring as provided in the Racing Rules of Sailing with no races excluded. Trophies will be awarded in each fleet.

One race on each of three (3) separate days will constitute a regatta for the Series. One (1) race will constitute a regatta for the Mid-Winter Cup.

Fees:

Entry fee for the Series is \$40 per boat, and includes the Mid-Winter Cup Regatta. Entry fee for the Mid-Winter Cup only is \$25. Members of US Sailing will be given a \$5 discount.

Registration:

Registration will be allowed at any time up until the start of a race on any race day. A completed registration form and entry fee shall be submitted as part of the registration. Payment is required at the time of registration, by cash or check, or by signature on the registration form authorizing the Club to charge the fee on the member's quarterly bill.

Rules:

The regatta is governed by the USSA RACING RULES OF SAILING for 2009-2012, USSA Prescriptions, individual class rules, Augusta Sailing Club PHRF Class rules, and Sailing Instructions for the Winter Series and Mid-Winter Cup (available at registration).

Schedule:

A Skippers Meeting will be held 10:00 AM at ASC on the first Race day, and on the day of the Mid-Winter Cup. The starting sequence will begin at noon each race day.

Race Days:

January 16, 2010

January 30, 2010

February 13, 2010

February 27, 2010 – Mid-Winter Cup and part of the Series

February 28, 2010 – Mid-Winter Cup

March 13, 2010

March 27, 2010

For more information or to help with race committee or meals please contact Series Coordinator Daniel West.