

**NOTICE OF RACE**  
**GALLOWAY Regatta**  
(\*A GYA Championship)  
GULFPORT YACHT CLUB  
GULFPORT, MS 39501  
**August 15<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

### **1 RULES**

The regatta will be governed by the current revision of the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), by the current prescriptions of the United States Sailing Association, by the rules of the United States Sunfish Class Association / International Laser Class Association / United States Optimist Dinghy Association / International Finn Class / except as any of those are change by the sailing instructions.

### **2 CHANGES TO THE RULES**

The sailing instructions will change some of the racing rules; however, competitors will be able to comply with the changes without advance notice of their nature.

### **3 ELIGIBILITY and ENTRY**

**3.1** The Galloway Regatta is open to boats of the **Sunfish, Laser, Laser Radial, Finn, A-Cat, Open Bic, & Optimist Classes (R,W,B,&G)**. However, the Charles R. Galloway Perpetual Trophy will be awarded to the top finisher in the Sunfish Class from a Gulf Yachting Association member club.

**3.2** Eligible boats must enter by completing the entry form at GYC's Regatta Page

[https://www.regattanetwork.com/club\\_assets/gulfport.php](https://www.regattanetwork.com/club_assets/gulfport.php)

Entry Fee for all classes must be paid by 13<sup>th</sup>, 2009 - \$35 (August 14<sup>th</sup> or after \$45) - \$5 discount for USSA Members. Entry Fee includes lunch, drinks on the water, & free draft beer for both days during protest time. Trophies will be awarded to the first three places of each class.

### **4 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

#### **Saturday**

<b>Event</b>	<b>Day and Date</b>
Registration	Sat. Aug. 15 <sup>th</sup> 0900 to 1100
Briefing	Sat. Aug. 15 <sup>th</sup> 1100
Race One	Sat. Aug. 15 <sup>th</sup> 1225
Other Races	Sat. Aug. 15 <sup>th</sup> Back to Back
BBQ at the Tiki Bar	After Races

#### **Sunday**

First race of the day	Sun. Aug. 16 <sup>th</sup> 1055
Other Races	Sun. Aug. 16 <sup>th</sup> Back to Back
Awards	Sun. Aug. 16 <sup>th</sup> ASAP after races

### **5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

Sailing Instructions will be made available at the registration desk at the Gulfport Yacht Club.

### **6 COURSES**

Will be Windward/Leeward courses.

### **7 Scoring**

The Low-Point Scoring System, Appendix A4 of the racing rules, will apply, we will sail as many races as possible of which one (1) shall be completed to constitute a series. For every six races completed there will be a throw out.

### **8 FURTHER INFORMATION**

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