

# Notice of Race

## Percy Priest Yacht Club



### Galen Freeman One Design Regatta Sponsored by Tony Giarratana J/22 # 1502 for International J/22 Class Yachts May 20 & 21 2023

1. **INVITATION**--Percy Priest Yacht Club cordially invites you and your crew to attend the **Galen Freeman One Design Regatta May 20 & 21, 2023.**
  
2. **SITE**--The regatta will be held on J. Percy Priest Lake in Nashville, Tennessee. Land based activities will be held at Hamilton Creek Sailboat Marina.
  
3. **RULES**—
  - 3.1. [The COVID-19 Policies](http://www.PPYC.org) posted on [www.PPYC.org](http://www.PPYC.org) website shall be adhered to by all participants.
  - 3.2. The regatta will be governed by the *rules* as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS).
  
4. **4. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**
  - 4.1. The regatta will be open to International J/22 Class Yachts registered with PPYC for this Regatta.
  - 4.2. All registrations must be done online from [WWW.PPYC.ORG](http://WWW.PPYC.ORG) including payment of regatta fees. ***There will be no registration nor payment methods at the regatta site.***
  - 4.3. A Waiver and Release of Liability and Emergency Contact form signed by the owner/skipper and each crew member must be placed in the container labeled “PPYC WAIVERS”. Box(s) (1 or 2) will be located on the deck and/or between the building and the bathrooms depending on weather conditions. No boat will be fully registered nor scored without submitting this completed form. In the event of a crew member substitution during the regatta, the new crew member must submit a signed waiver of liability to the Regatta Committee prior to racing for that boat’s entry to remain valid. Waiver forms can be printed from the Race Documents found on [www.PPYC.org](http://www.PPYC.org).

5. FEES-- The regatta entry fees are as follows:

<b>Registration Fee:</b>	<b>\$75.00</b>
<b>Early Registration Discount: Register by midnight, Tuesday, May 16, 2023</b>	<b>-\$10.00</b>
A <b>\$5.00 discount</b> is available for US Sailing members. Proof of membership is required for discount.	
<b><i>Meals &amp; Beverages are provided for participants by our sponsor Tony Giarratana Saturday</i></b> – <b><i>0800 to 10000</i></b> - Continental Breakfast available inside the Clubhouse. Approx 1600 – Catered meal provided by our sponsor, Tony Giarratana  <b><i>Sunday 0900 - 1000</i></b> Continental Breakfast available inside the Clubhouse	
<b><i>Special notice: This is a Red Cup Event</i></b>	

6. SCHEDULE

<b>Saturday, May 20, 2023</b>	
<b>0800</b>	All registrations are now required online via the PPYC web site, by 0800.
<b>0900</b>	Place Waiver and Release & Emergency Contact Information form into the designated box (located on the deck or near the bathrooms depending on weather conditions). Waivers are required by 0900. If incomplete, the boat will not be scored.
<b>1000</b>	Skippers' Meeting will be conducted on VHF channel 68.
<b>1100</b>	Warning Signal for Race, Subsequent races may follow.
<b>Sunday, May 21, 2023</b>	
<b>1000</b>	Warning Signal. Subsequent races may follow.
<b>1300</b>	No race will be started after this time.
<b>Awards</b>	Awards presentation will be as soon as possible after last race on the building deck.

## **7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

- 7.1.** This Notice of Race (NOR), the **Sailing Instructions (SI)** and any changes or amendments will be dated and posted online at **WWW.PPYC.ORG**. Click on the “**Galen Freeman One Design Regatta**” in the “Upcoming Events” list.
- 7.2.** The SI dated no later than the Tuesday before the regatta will be the final SI posted online. That SI may be modified only by posts on the regatta bulletin board. To promote social distancing, a copy of amendments to the SI and/or other notices will be taped to the window pane on the deck side of the marina building.

## **8. COURSES**

- 8.1.** The regatta will consist of as many as **7 buoy course races** as described in **Attachment A** of the **SIs**.
- 8.2.** Races will start within three miles of the entrance to the Hamilton Creek Sailboat Marina cove.
- 8.3.** Course descriptions and diagrams will be posted on the official notice board or attached to the Sailing Instructions as an addendum.
- 8.4.** Actual courses and course length will be determined by the Race Committee based on the sailing conditions.

- 9. LAUNCHING, DOCKING AND HAULING**--Launching, docking and hauling may be done at Hamilton Creek Sailboat Marina free of charge. A ramp is available for trailer launching. No boat hoist is available.