



NOTICE OF RACE

Leukemia Cup Regatta presented by Peake BMW

March 23-24, 2013

Benefiting

The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society - New Orleans, Louisiana
Southern Yacht Club (SYC) (OA)

1. RULES

The sailboat races will be governed by the 2013-2016 Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) with US Prescriptions and The Leukemia Cup Regatta Sailing Instructions, which will be available at the Skippers Meeting. Southern Yacht Club will administer the Race.

2. FLEETS

PHRF: Spinnaker, Non-Spinnaker and Multi-Hull. Class breaks will be defined at the Skippers Meeting. Four valid entries are necessary to establish a class.

ONE DESIGN KEEL BOATS: Four valid entries are necessary to establish a class.

OPTIMIST & BOARD SAILBOATS: Four valid entries are necessary to establish a class.

KITEBOARDS: Registration and info at: <http://www.kiteboardercrossing.org/>

PADDLEBOARDS: Three Board Teams. More info at: Jeff@NOLAPaddleboards.com

POWERBOAT CRUISING: Contact Power Boat Fleet Captain, Ed Boos at: eboos@bellsouth.net

3. RACE FORMAT & LOCATION

All sailboat racing will be conducted on custom courses with fixed or temporary marks on the South Shore of Lake Pontchartrain approximately one (1) nautical mile north of SYC. Paddle Board races will be relay races with three board teams and start near the Light House. The Kiteboard race will be a "Downwinder" on the Gulf Coast between Gulfport and Bay St. Louis.

4. ADVERTISING

The OA may require boats display event or sponsor advertising chosen and supplied by the OA in accordance with ISAF Regulation 20.4. Competitor advertising, if used, shall comply with ISAF Regulation 20, especially 20.2.4.

5. ELIGIBILITY

Competitors: The race is open to all. Competitors need not be a member of a Yacht Club.

PHRF Sailboats: Participating PHRF boats must have a current GYA PHRF certificate. Boats without a current GYA PHRF certificate will be assigned a temporary rating by the Race Committee equal to the GYA rating for similar boats, less six (-6) seconds per mile. Boats without a current GYA PHRF Certificate may apply for a certificate online at: <http://www.gya-phrf.com/>. Boats that do not meet the GYA PHRF definition of a Standard PHRF Boat may sail under a GYA X-PHRF certificate. X-PHRF certificates may be obtained online at the above link.

6. ENTRY FEES

(See attached Entry Form for appropriate Entry Fee).

Please register early for this worthy cause so that the event can be properly planned.

The Entry Fees shown are the minimum amount required to participate in the event. Additional fundraising participation for this worthy cause is encouraged. Entry fee includes race, (1) personal fundraising website and (1) ticket to the post-race party on Saturday, March 23rd.

7. HOST CLUB & ORGANIZING AUTHORITY (OA)

Southern Yacht Club
105 N. Roadway Drive
New Orleans, LA 70124-1633

Phone (504) 288-4221
<http://www.southernyachtclub.org>

Benefitting:

The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, Mississippi/Louisiana Chapter
3636 South I-10 Service Road, Suite 304, Metairie, LA 70001
(504) 837-0945 toll free-(888) 290-0945 fax-(504) 837-9193 <http://www.leukemicup.org/msla/>

8. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

PHRF: Three races will be attempted; one race constitutes a series.
One Design Keel Boats: Five races will be attempted; two races constitute a series.
Optimist and Board Sailboat schedule for both days will be announced at the Skippers Meeting.
Paddle Board schedule will be announced at the Skippers Meeting.
Kiteboard check-in and race starting area will be announced on the Kiteboard website.

Saturday:

1045 – Registration for races closes.
1100 - Skippers Meeting at Southern Yacht Club for all fleets, except kiteboards.
1255 - First race Warning Signal for all fleets. Additional race(s) to follow.
1800 – 2200 – Party, live and silent auction to follow racing at Southern Yacht Club – open to the community.

Sunday:

1055 First race Warning Signal for all fleets. Additional race(s) to follow, if needed.
No race will be started after 1500.
The Awards Ceremony will be at Southern Yacht Club, following the conclusion of racing.

9. REGISTRATION

Registration form is attached to this NOR and will be emailed to past entrants, and are available at area Yacht Clubs, on area yacht club websites, or by calling The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society office at (504) 837-0945. Competitors are urged to register early so that the Race Committee can assign accurate class breaks, prepare race packets, order tee shirts, and trophies. Online registration is available at: <http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/6252>

10. PROTESTS

Sailboat protests will be heard by the Protest Committee according to the Sailing Instructions. RRS Appendix T, “Alternative Procedures for Dispute Resolution” prescriptions T1, T2, and T4.2 shall be used.

11. DOCKING

Temporary docking may be available at SYC (504) 288-4221 or New Orleans Yacht Club (504) 283-2581.

12. PRIZES

Sailboat Scoring System – Low Point Scoring System of RRS Appendix A with no through outs for three or fewer races (Changes RRS A2). Prizes will be awarded to:

- First, Second and Third Place boats in each class,
- Best boats in the PHRF Spinnaker and Non-Spinnaker divisions,
- Carl Barre Memorial Award presented to the top individual fundraiser,
- Leukemia Cup presented to the top fundraising team.

13. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

14. FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact:
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katie.triplett@lls.org
Wk. (504) 837-0945 / Cell (504) 352-5007

Chris Clement – Regatta Chairman
(504) 258-7245 Chris@SoWalls.com
George Hero – Principal Race Officer
(504) 427-5856 GHero@BellSouth.net



LEUKEMIA CUP REGATTA®



ENTRY FORM

Leukemia Cup Regatta presented by Peake BMW
 The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society
 Mississippi/Louisiana Chapter
 3636 South I-10 Service Road, Suite 304, Metairie, LA 70001
 504.837.0945 (Local) 888.290.0945 (Toll Free) 504.837.9193 (Fax)

Sailboat Name: _____ Owners Name: _____

Paddleboard Team Name: _____ Kite or Paddle boarder Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: (Home) _____ (Work) _____ (Cell) _____

Email : _____ Yacht Club Affiliation _____

Make of Boat/Class: _____ Sail # _____

SELECT CLASS

PHRF: Spinnaker - Non-Spinnaker - Multi-Hull (circle one) PHRF RATING: _____

One Design Keel Boats: (specify class) _____, Board Sailboats (specify class) _____

Optimist: Red - Blue - White - Green Fleets (circle one)

Paddleboard Team - Kiteboard - Powerboat Cruiser (circle one)

Kiteboarders, please register online at: <http://www.kiteboardercrossing.org/>

Entry Fees for the Regatta (circle appropriate fee)

	PHRF	One Design Keel Boats	Optimist / Board Sailboats	Paddleboard	Kiteboard	Powerboat Cruiser
US Sail Members US Sailing Number	\$50	\$35	\$25	NA	NA	NA
Non-US Sail Members	\$55	\$40	\$30	\$50	\$50	\$50

Sailboats - I agree to be bound by The Racing Rules of Sailing and by all other rules that govern this event.

My Fundraising Goal (circle one)

\$50 \$100 \$250 \$500 \$1000 \$2500 \$5000+

(Fundraising is highly encouraged. We won't hold you to your goal, but set the bar high to help us reach our goal!

Additional fundraising participation for this worthy cause is encouraged. Entry fee includes (1) personal fundraising website and (1) ticket to the post-race party on Saturday, March 23rd)

Payment Options: Select any one of three options below:

Online Registration and payment at: <http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/6252> (no need to submit this form)

_____ I am enclosing a **CHECK** payable to The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society in the amount _____

_____ Please charge \$_____ to my **CREDIT CARD** – (Circle One) VISA /MasterCard/American Express

Card # _____ Expiration Date _____ Security Code _____

Name As It Appears On Card _____ Signature _____ Billing Zip Code _____