



## NOTICE OF RACE 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Lighthouse Charities Waterford Yacht Club & Waterford Marina Regatta September 27, 2014



**ORGANIZING AUTHORITY**: Waterford Yacht Club (WYC)

800 Mariners Drive Kemah, Texas 77565

http://www.waterfordyc.com

**RULES:** The regatta will be governed by the *rules* as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) for 2013-2016. This is a non-spinnaker regatta.

**ENTRIES**: Registration to the race is due by September 24, 2014. Registration is \$30.00 per sailboat and includes one T-shirt, dinner ticket and goodie bag. \$100 per sailboat includes four dinner tickets, two t-shirts and goodie bag. Additional t-shirts are for sale. Registration forms may be obtained at the Waterford Harbor Marina office.

**FLEETS**: All Waterford Yacht Club sailboat members and sailboat owners at Waterford Harbor Marina (WHM) are welcome. The PHRF scoring system will be used for a Pursuit Type Race. For a Pursuit race all boats will have a unique start time given at the Skippers meeting on the day of the race, September 27, 2014 at 10:00 am in the WHM Ice House between Pier 14 and Pier 15.

**MEASUREMENT**: All Yachts racing will be in a handicap fleet and will comply with all of the requirements of the handicap system.

**SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**: The Sailing Instructions will be available at the Skippers meeting, September 27 at 10:00 am in the Ice House at WHM.

**NOTICES TO COMPETITORS**: Notices to Competitors will be posted on the official Race Information Notice Board at the Ice House at WHM.

**SCORING**: Since this is a Pursuit race, all sailboats will have a unique start time and the first to finish will be the winner and so forth for second, third and fourth.

**PRIZES**: Trophies will be awarded to the first four sailboats finishing.

**RACE AREA**: Racing will be in Galveston Bay outside of the Kemah channel bounded by Redfish Island, the Houston Ship Channel and Red Bluff Point. Combinations of windward/leeward and triangles maybe sailed; to be announced at the Skippers meeting.

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS – SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 27, 2014

10:00 am Skippers Meeting at the Ice House at WHM

12:50 pm Warning Signal for the Tune-up race

1:00 pm Championship Competitor's Race begins

5:00 pm Tentative time for awards at WHM Lighthouse Charities Shrimp Boil set up area