# **Notice of Race**The Grapevine Sailing Club

### Mayor's Cup Regatta

## Benefitting the GCSEF Youth Sailing Program April 30<sup>th</sup> & May 1<sup>st</sup> 2016

at Scott's Landing Marina on Lake Grapevine 2500 Oak Grove Loop S, Grapevine Texas 76051

### **INVITATION**

 The Grapevine Sailing Club (GSC) coordially invites you to attend the Mayor's Cup Regatta on April 30<sup>th</sup> & May 1<sup>st</sup> 2016.

### SITE

 GSC is a private sailing club, located on the south shore of Lake Grapevine at Scott's Landing Marina. Directions and other information relating to GSC appear at www.grapevinesailing.org.

### <u>RULES</u>

The race will be governed by the *rules* as defined in the ISAF *Racing Rules of Sailing*(RRS) 2013-2016, applicable one-design class rules, and the Mayor's Cup Sailing
Instructions (SI's).

### RACING

• The event will consist of up to five (5) races. One (1) race shall constitute a regatta.

### **ELIGIBILITY**

Open to all sailors; GSC members and non-members alike.

### **FLEETS AND HANDICAPS**

- Four (4) or more one design boats may constitute a fleet.
- o Non one design boats will be grouped in PHRF fleets.

### **COURSES**

 Races will be sailed on courses of Windward/Leeward design or variations thereof from GSC course illustrations attachment A.

### **ENTRY AND FEES**

- The entry fee for this regatta is \$75.00.
- Early online registrants that enter before 24:00 (midnight) CDT Saturday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>,
   2015 will receive a \$15.00 discount.
- Members of US sailing will receive a \$5.00 discount at any time. Only one discount allowed per entry.
- To register on-line, go to the GSC website at www.grapevinesailing.org.
- The entry fee includes:
  - Participation in the regatta
  - Participation in the regatta's awards program
  - Complimentary breakfast for skipper & crew on both Saturday and Sunday
  - Complimentary meal for skipper & crew on Sunday before awards presentation
  - Complimentary beer and beverages at social following racing
  - Use of a ramp for launching and haul out
  - Use of mast hoists for mast stepping
  - Trailer storage/boat dockage for the duration of the regatta

### **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

 Sailing Instructions (SI's) will be distributed to official participants during registration/check-in and will be available online.

### **REGATTA SCHEDULE**

o Friday April 29th, 2016

16:30 − 20:00 • Late Registration at the Clubhouse plus launch assistance and boat slip assignments

16:30 – 20:00 • Happy Hour, refreshments provided

- Saturday April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2016
  - 07:30 hrs Complementary Breakfast
  - 08:00 hrs Registration Closes
  - 09:30 hrs Skipper's Meeting
  - 11:00 hrs First warning signal for race 1. (Additional races to follow)

    \*Lunch on the water; (lunch is not provided, be sure to bring your own)
  - 17:30 hrs Refreshments
  - 18:00 hrs Dinner Plus Blowout Party and your favorite refreshments (dinner tickets by registration online, party is free)
- Sunday May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016
  - 10:00 hrs First warning signal for Race 1.

Additional races may follow. There are five races scheduled for the regatta

13:00 hrs • No start warning signal will be made after 13:00 on Sunday

Following Racing • Refreshments, Lunch and Trophy presentation will be on Sunday as soon as possible after racing

All profits made from this Regatta will go to the Grapevine Community Sailing Education Fund (GCSEF) benefitting the Junior Sailing Program. For more info contact John Martin (vicecommodore@grapevinesailing.org)