



Notice of Race **2018 Winter Regatta and Toy Drive**

A. **The Grapevine Sailing Club (GSC) is pleased to announce the 2018 Winter Regatta and Toy Drive benefitting the families of soldiers serving at Fort Sill U.S Army Training Center.** All races will be governed by the International Sailing Federation (ISAF) Racing Rules (RRS) 2017-2020 and the 2018 Winter Regatta Sailing Instructions (SI's). This event will consist of up to four (4) races. One race may constitute a regatta. Liability Insurance is required for each participating boat.

B. Schedule of Events:

Saturday December 8, 2018

0800 ----- On-site Late Registration and Breakfast Opens

0900 ----- Registration Closes

0930 ----- Skipper's Meeting

1100 ----- First Signal for race one (1). Additional races to follow

Lunch ----- In Between Races (Lunch is not provided)

1730 ----- Refreshments following last race (time is approximate)

1800 ----- Dinner and Awards with party to follow (time is approximate)

C. Eligibility: This is an open event to all sailors, GSC members and non-members alike.

D. Fleets and Handicaps: Four (4) or more similar boats constitute a one design fleet. Only PHRF handicapping will be used. The Regatta Chairman is the ultimate authority on how boats will be fleeted.

E. Protests: Protest hearings will be held at Scott's Landing Marina. Protests will be handled according to the procedures outlined in the Sailing Instructions. You must advise the race committee of your intent to protest before leaving the racecourse or your protest will not be heard.

F. **Entry Fee: One unwrapped toy per crewmember of each participating boat.**

For information and to register contact Vice Commodore, Eric Bechtel at 817-305-3487, or email ericjordanbechtel@gmail.com or visit our website at www.Grapevinesailing.org

