



Notice of Race: 2017 Y-Flyer Mid-Winters

March 18-19, 2017

Organizing Authority AFYSA in Conjunction with AYC

Hosted by Atlanta Yacht Club Fleet 1

1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* and the by-laws of the AYFSA
- 1.2. The following prescriptions of the national authority will not apply: 60.3, 63.2, & 63.4

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1. The Regatta is open to boats of the Y-Flyer Class
- 2.2. Skippers and crews must be current members of the Canadian or American Y-Flyer Sailing Associations and may be entered by completing registration via the form at <http://www.atlantayachtclub.org/>
- 2.3. AYFSA membership can be obtained at the regatta. Also, forms are available at: http://yflyer.org/wordpress/wp-content/uploads/2015/10/2015_10_20_MEMBFORM.pdf

3. FEES

- 3.1. Registration Fees:
 - 3.1.1. The entry fee is \$100.00 US, with a \$5.00 discount for members of US Sailing or Canadian Yacht Association.
 - 3.1.2. After March 9, 2017 the late entry fee is \$120.00 US.
- 3.2. Entry fee includes all meals for skipper and 1 crew.

4. SCHEDULE

- 4.1. Friday, March 17
 - 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Registration and welcome at the clubhouse
- 4.2. Saturday, March 18
 - 7:30 – 9:15 a.m. Light breakfast at clubhouse
 - 7:30 – 8:45 a.m. Late registration at clubhouse
 - 9:15 a.m. Competitors meeting at pavilion
 - 10:25 a.m. Warning signal for race 1 with subsequent races to follow ASAP
 - 6:30 p.m. or after racing, dinner and music at the clubhouse
- 4.3. Sunday, March 19
 - 9:25 a.m. First warning signal of the day with subsequent races to follow ASAP
 - No Race will start after 12:00 p.m. on Sunday
 - After Racing – Lunch and awards at the clubhouse

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 5.1. The sailing instructions will be available during registration.

6. COURSES

- 6.1. The courses will be diagrammed in the sailing instructions and will be one of the following:
 - O – Olympic (also known as triangle-windward-leeward)
 - Tx – Triangle (x will be replaced with a number indicating the number of laps prior to the final windward leg)

W - Windward-leeward

WG – Windward-leeward with an offset at the windward mark and a gate at the leeward end.

7. SCORING

- 7.1. No score will be excluded. Five (5) races are scheduled, one (1) shall be completed to constitute a regatta.
- 7.2. The RRS Appendix A shall be modified by AYFSA Appendix A.

8. PRIZES AND SCORING

- 8.1. Prizes will be awarded to skippers and crews first through fifth place in the gold fleet
- 8.2. Prizes will be awarded to skippers and crews first through third place in the blue fleet
- 8.3. Prizes will be awarded to the skipper who traveled the furthest to sail in the regatta as deemed by the Organizing Authority
- 8.4. Prizes will be awarded to the highest placing gold fleet skipper who did not finish in the first through fifth positions and is at least 50 years of age or older by the conclusion of the regatta.

9. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

- 9.1. Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. 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.

10. HOUSING

- 10.1. Unfortunately, due to cabins still being winterized, the borrowing of cabins will be severely limited. However, we will attempt to provide housing to as many sailors as possible in cabins owned by Y-Flyer sailors. Camping is always available on club grounds and nearby hotels are also available. To reserve a spot, contact Nile Hatcher at Nile2762@hotmail.com

Holiday Inn Express
200 North Point Way, Acworth, GA 30102
Phone: (678) 574-4222

La Quinta Inn
184 North Point Way, Acworth, GA 30102
Phone: (770) 975-9920

Days Inn
164 North Point Way, Acworth, GA 30102
Phone: (770) 975-9000

11. FURTHER INFORMATION

11.1. Club Location

Atlanta Yacht Club is situated on the southwest shore of Allatoona Lake, near Acworth, Georgia and about 25 miles northwest of Atlanta. By water, we are south of the dam and west of Galts Ferry Landing and Victoria Landing.

Atlanta Yacht Club
7120 Yacht Club Drive
Acworth, GA 30102

Directions

From the South-East (Atlanta)

1. Take I-75 northwest from Atlanta to Exit 277 (GA Hwy 92 North)
2. Turn right at the top of exit onto Hwy 92 and go approximately .5 miles. Cross the new bridge. Turn left at the stoplight onto Hunt Road. Just past the stop sign, the road becomes Kellogg Creek Road and bears sharply right. Go 1.2 miles.
3. Turn LEFT onto Yacht Club Drive at the sailboat sign. Go 1.2 miles to the AYC entrance

From the North-West (Chattanooga)

1. Take I-75 southeast towards Atlanta to Exit 277 (GA Hwy 92 North)
2. Turn LEFT at top of exit onto Hwy 92 and go approximately 1.3 miles, crossing the interstate and the new bridge. Turn left at the stoplight onto Hunt Road. Just past the stop sign, the road becomes Kellogg Creek Road and bears sharply right. Go 1.2 miles.
3. Turn LEFT onto Yacht Club Drive at the sailboat sign. Go 1.2 miles to the AYC entrance

11.2. For questions please contact Nile or Lavon Hatcher at Nile2762@hotmail.com or 404.310.3841

11.3. Please notify the organizing authority of your intention to compete as soon as possible.

12. CHANGES TO THE NOR

12.1. This NOR revised January 3, 2017.