



# Notice of Race

## 2011 Gulf Yachting Association Multihull Championship

Gulfport Yacht Club    Gulfport, MS    September 17-18, 2011



**RULES:** The Regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the current edition of the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the GYA regulations (41) for this championship, and this Notice of Race, except as any of these are altered by the Sailing Instructions.

**CLASSES:** US Sailing Portsmouth Spinnaker, US Sailing Portsmouth Non-Spinnaker, and PHRF Multihull. All multihull sailors/competitors must be members of US Sailing. Non - members of a GYA club are eligible to compete in this event. If five or more boats of the same design enter, additional awards will be based on the number of entries in that class.

**REGISTRATION:** Registration must be done online at [www.gulfportyachtclub.org](http://www.gulfportyachtclub.org) or [click here for direct link to registration form.](#)

**SCHEDULE:** **Friday, September 16**  
1800 – 2000 Registration & Check-In

**Saturday, September 17**  
0830 Continental Breakfast  
0900 – 1000 Late Registration & Check-In  
1030 Skipper’s Meeting  
1155 First Warning Signal  
TBA Regatta Dinner

**Sunday, September 18**  
0830 Continental Breakfast  
1055 First Warning Signal  
Five Races are scheduled - see GYA Regulation 41.5.  
Trophy Presentation will be ASAP after last race.

**FEES:** \$55.00 – Single Handed  
\$85.00 – Double Handed/PHRF  
Fees include:  
Single Handed – 1 Sat. & Sun Dinners, Sat/Sun Cont. Breakfast, and one shirt  
Double Handed//PHRF - 2 Sat & Sun. Dinners, Sat/Sun Cont. Breakfast, and two shirts  
Extra Meal Tickets will be available for purchase.

**SIs:** Sailing Instructions will be available at registration.

**SCORING:** The “Low Point Scoring System” of Appendix A of the RRS will apply.

**TROPHIES:** Trophies will be awarded 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> in each class. Marker/Keeper Prizes for the perpetual trophies will be awarded according to GYA Regulation 41.10:

**41.10 Gulf Yachting Association Perpetual Trophies**

- (a) The GYA Club with the lowest team score shall be awarded the *GYA Multihull Championship Perpetual Trophy* provided by Commodore Lewis B. Pollak, Sr.
- (b) The highest finishing boat from a GYA Club in the Portsmouth fleet overall shall be awarded the *GYA Jim Tucker Perpetual Trophy* provided by Jim Tucker.
- (c) The fastest finishing boat, based on elapsed time for all races, shall be awarded the *J. R. Lundquist Trophy* provided by Dirk and Eric Lundquist.
- (d) The highest finishing boat, in the PHRF fleet overall, shall be awarded the *Smyth Sails Trophy* provided by Randy Smyth.
- (e) The highest finishing Junior Skipper, shall be awarded the *GYA Junior Multihull Trophy* (new in 2011).

**SAFETY:** It is each competitor’s exclusive and individual responsibility to decide whether or not to race. Life jackets must be worn at all times by all competitors during racing.

**LODGING:** Go to [www.gulfportyachtclub.org](http://www.gulfportyachtclub.org) for list of local area hotels/motels.

### CONTACTS

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