NOTICE OF RACE

49th Annual Missouri Governor's Cup September 22-24, 2023

The Lake Stockton Yacht Club (LSYC) is pleased to invite you to the Annual Governor's Cup Regatta. In addition to the buoy races, the club will have a Saturday Distance Race "Cruisers Cup".

Regatta Headquarters will be at OTM Marina Tent in the parking lot above OTM Marina. Saturday includes Dinner and Entertainment from "Vic Vaughan and Souled Out"

SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, September 22nd - Onsite Registration / Check in at Regatta Headquarters

6:00 pm - 8:00 Registration - Dogs and Chips - Shirt & Hat Pickup

SATURDAY, September 23rd – RACING for Buoy Racers and Distance Race

7:30 - 8:30 AM - Late Registration (8:15 AM registration cutoff for Buoy Racers)

8:30 - 9:00 AM - Skipper's Meeting Buoy Racers

9:00 - 9:30 AM - Skipper's Meeting Distance Racers

10:30 AM - Approximate time of Buoy Racers class flag for first start (Min 3 Races – Maximum 5)

11:00 AM - Distance Race Start

6:00 PM - Post-Race Happy Hour, Band, Brisket & Chicken Dinner + Cruising Awards

SUNDAY, September 24th – Buoy Racing and Awards

10:30 AM - Approximate time of class flag for first start (Min 2 Races- Maximum 3); No race will begin after 1:30 PM on Sunday

3:00 PM - Awards for Buoy Racers- Burgers & Brats

GENERAL INFORMATION

RULES: The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024*, the prescriptions of the U.S. Sailing Association, the rules of each class concerned, and any posted amendments. The low point scoring system will be used.

ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY: The regatta is open to all boats of the keel boat and centerboard classes including Spinnaker (PHRF Ratings), Jib and Main (Non-Spinnaker Boats) and J-22 Fleet.

FEES - PLEASE ORDER AND PAY ONLINE THROUGH THE LSYC WEBSITE

- Buoy Racers \$50
- Cruising Cup \$20
- Meals & Entertainment \$25 (Friday, Saturday, Sunday) "Vic Vaughan & Souled Out"
 - Please pay by 9/17 for Headcount Projections!
- Hats and T-Shirts \$20 Each Online Orders filled first

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS: Sailing Instructions will be available at the registration and check-in September 22

PHRF Ratings – LSYC uses NE PHRF for Base PHRF. Adjustments to PHRF will be made prior to race day based on NE PHRF Adjustment Criteria. Please contact Paul Nahon with any questions.

AWARDS: Trophies will be awarded for first and second places in J-22, Spinnaker Fleet and JAM Fleet & Cruisers.

DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY: Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. The organizing authority (LSYC) 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. All boats entering the regatta and all crew members will be required to sign a **Waiver and Release of Liability** online and at the Regatta Check-In.

QUESTIONS:

Contact Paul Nahon with Regatta Questions – 417-459-6545 Docking – Orleans Trail Marina – 417-276-5161 (\$20/Day) On-Site Lodging – Orleans Trail Hotel – 417-276-3566