



NOTICE OF RACE

Organizing Authority
Lake Canyon Yacht Club

November 05 - 07
Boardboats & Centerboards

November 12 – 14
Keelboats, Trimarans & Catamarans

- RULES:** This is a Category A regatta. It will be governed by The Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024, this Notice of Race, the Sailing Instructions, and by appropriate class rules, except as any of the above are altered by the Sailing Instructions.
- ELIGIBILITY:** This is an open regatta. Three or more one design or level class boats may race as a class. All others will race under the applicable handicap system, i.e., Portsmouth for boardboats, centerboards, and catamarans, and PHRF for keelboats and trimarans. PHRF numbers for keelboats will be those published by the PHRF of the Alamo currently being used for racing on Canyon Lake. The PHRF list is posted in the registration information section at **WurstfestRegatta.com**. Trimarans shall be sanctioned by the Texas Offshore Multihull Association (TOMA) and will be required to obtain a 2021 TOMA PHRF certificate at least 7 days prior to the event by contacting TOMA Handicapper Mike Zotzky at 832-656-4123 or by email at michaelzotzky@gmail.com. Boats not covered by these handicap lists will be assigned handicaps.

For the J/24 fleet, please see the attached Addendum to the NOR.

- CLASSES:** Three or more one design or level class boats may race as a class. All others will race under the applicable handicap system.

Anticipated classes for the Boardboat and Centerboard weekend are Sunfish, Laser, Laser Radial, Laser 4.7, RS Aero 7, 9, VX Evo, Flying Scot, Portsmouth Dinghy, Daysailer, and Optimist.

Anticipated classes for the Keelboat, Trimaran and Catamaran weekend are J/22, J/24, J/70, Melges 24, PHRF Spinnaker, Catalina 22, PHRF Non-Spinnaker (A and B Fleets), PHRF Non-Spinnaker Big Boats, PHRF Trimaran, Corsair Sprint 750, Corsair Pulse 600, Portsmouth Catamaran (A and B Fleets), F18, Hobie 16, Hobie 17, Hobie 18, Viper 640, VX One and S9.

The LCYC Wurstfest Regatta is an official Circuit stop for the RS Aero, Flying Scot, Texas Sunfish Circuit, Texas Centerboard, TOMA Championship (Extreme Freshwater Edition), Catalina 22 Region 8, J/22 and J/24.

4. **FEES:** Registration includes entry for skipper and crew (as applicable).

FEE SCHEDULE

\$45.00 for single handed boats

\$50.00 for double-handed boats

\$55.00 for boats with skipper and more than 1 crew member

\$30.00 for juniors

\$20.00 late fee will be charged to any payment received after October 31, 2021.

5. **PAYMENT:** Payment will be accepted by credit card or PayPal during online registration. LCYC and HCYC participants may apply payment to their club accounts. Credit cards, cash, or checks will be accepted during onsite registration until registration is closed. After registration is closed, only cash or checks will be accepted for ice.
6. **SCORING:** The Low Point System noted in RRS Appendix A will apply. Five races are scheduled. One race completed shall constitute a regatta. RRS rule A2 is amended; no throw-outs will be allowed unless more than five races are completed as noted in the next sentence. Additional races may be run at the discretion of the race committee; if more than five races are completed, one throw-out will be allowed. For the J/24 Class, please see the Addendum for scoring information.
7. **TROPHIES:** (fleet entries/trophies) 3/1, 4-5/2, 6-7/3, 8-10/4, 11+/5
8. **SAIL NUMBERS:** Numbers must be displayed in accordance with RRS rule G1.

9. **ACTIVITY SCHEDULE FOR BOTH WEEKENDS:**

<u>Friday:</u>	1600-2100 HOURS	Registration
<u>Saturday:</u>	0800-0900 HOURS	Registration
	1000 HOURS	Skippers Meeting
	1130 HOURS	First Signal for first race. Additional races to follow.
<u>Sunday:</u>	1000 HOURS	Signal for first race; additional race(s) to follow.
		No warning signal will be made after 1:00 PM.
	1400 HOURS	Awards Ceremony

10. **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** Sailing Instructions will be included in the registration pack, and will also be available at the registration desk.
11. **VENUE:** Racing will occur on Canyon Lake on multiple courses in the vicinity of Lake Canyon Yacht Club. The location of courses and assignments of fleets will be posted on the Official Notice Board of the LCYC Club House prior to the skipper's meeting.
12. **THE COURSES:** The courses to be sailed will be described in the Sailing Instructions.
13. **BOAT STORAGE:** During the regatta, boats may be stored on or tied to the docks at the discretion of the LCYC Property Manager, or in designated trailer storage areas. Those arriving early or leaving late may store their boats on club grounds by making arrangements with the Property Manager, or at the Registration Desk.
14. **LAUNCHING:** Catamarans may launch from Jacobs Creek Park subject to the park being operational. . Details will be available at registration. All other boats may launch from LCYC.

15. **TRAFFIC CONTROL:** Parking is not permitted on the shoulders of the road from trailer storage areas to clubhouse. The launch ramp at LCYC is a steep 19 degree grade. Safety is a paramount concern. Please review the **Sitemap** with parking, rigging, and launching instructions posted at **WurstfestRegatta.com**. **SAFETY CHAINS ARE REQUIRED TO BE IN USE WHENEVER A VEHICLE TOWING A TRAILER IS IN MOTION ANYWHERE ON LCYC PROPERTY.** Additionally, due to the steepness of our ramp please review the **LCYC Trailer Safety Review and Checklist for Launching and Retrieving Boats** also posted at **WurstfestRegatta.com** and be prepared to turn in the signed **Trailer Inspection Checklist** before launching.
16. **HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS:** Keelboats shall not be hauled out during the regatta except with and according to the terms of prior written permission of the principal race officer.
17. **RADIO COMMUNICATION:** Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.
18. **DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY:** Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. 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.
19. **INSURANCE: Each participating skipper/boat must be insured with valid third-party liability insurance.**
20. **PHOTOGRAPHY and VIDEO RIGHTS:** All marks, pictures, audio and video recordings, graphic logos and service names contained herein or produced during the Regatta by or on behalf of the LCYC are the properties of LCYC. No rights are granted to use pictures, graphic logos and service names without permission. Competitors give absolute right and permission for video footage or photographs of themselves or their boat to be published in any media for press, editorial or advertising purposes.
21. **ACCOMMODATIONS:** Camping is NOT permitted on club grounds. Showers and toilets are available at the clubhouse. Open campfires are NOT permitted. There are numerous hotels in New Braunfels; additional information is available in the “local links” at **WurstfestRegatta.com**. Reserve early, as the Wurstfest Festival is a major tourism event in the Texas Hill Country.
22. **DIRECTIONS:**
From Hwy 281- go east on FM 306 for about 17 miles. Turn right on North Park Road (at blinking yellow light). Go 0.2 miles, turn right on Mt. Lookout Road. Go 0.3 miles, turn right into LCYC grounds. The gate will be open the Thursday before each weekend of the regatta.
From IH 35- go west on FM 306 for about 17 miles. Turn left on North Park Road (at blinking yellow light). Go 0.2 miles, turn right on Mt. Lookout Road. Go 0.3 miles, turn right into LCYC grounds.
23. **PETS:** For the safety and consideration of other sailors, LCYC requests that all participants honor our NO pet policy at the regatta.
24. **WURSTFEST FESTIVAL:** The LCYC Wurstfest Regatta is in alignment with the Wurstfest Festival in New Braunfels. LCYC does NOT provide transportation to the Wurstfest Festival.

ADDENDUM TO NOTICE OF RACE J/24 CLASS ONLY

The Notice of Race for the J/24 Class Only shall be amended as follows. Where there is conflict between the Notice of Race and this addendum, this addendum shall govern.

- This is a scheduled Circuit Stop of the 2021 J/24 Texas Circuit.
- The regatta is also governed by the 2021 J/24 Texas Notice of Circuit, as amended, and the 2021 International J/24 Class Rules (“Class Rule”).
- The regatta is open to all J/24 boats as defined by the International J/24 Class and whose entries are accepted by the organizer. Helmspersons must be full members of the J/24 national or International Class. Competitors must meet all ownership and class membership requirements, complete all requirements set forth in the Notice of Circuit, including payment of the J/24 Texas Circuit Membership Fee outlined therein, and pay all required Regatta registration fees to become official participants.
- Races will be sailed on windward/leeward courses or variations thereof. Offset weather marks and leeward gates may be used.
- The regatta will consist of as many as six (6) races over two (2) consecutive days. Three (3) races must be completed to count towards the overall 2021 J/24 Texas Circuit series scores.
- The scoring penalty as provided by RRS 44.3 and as modified by the sailing instructions will apply.
- Pursuant to Class Rule A.9.1., the mainsail, 150% genoa and spinnaker must all have the same sail numbers as their boat’s hull number. Any boat whose sail numbers do not match their hull number may race in the regatta by submitting a written request as stated in the Sailing Instructions.
- Class Rule C.10.2 is amended herein and in the Sailing Instructions to allow boats to carry an additional spinnaker. Boats shall comply strictly to this amendment as it is stated in the Sailing Instructions.
- In accordance with Class Rule A.11.1, all boats must have a current, valid Measurement Certificate issued by the J/24 Class and current (completed annually) Inventory of Required and Optional Equipment. A boat without a Measurement Certificate may race only with prior approval of the Governor. This changes Class Rule A.11.1. No formal provisions for boat measurement will be available at the Regatta.
- In accordance with Class Rule B.3, all boats must carry aboard the current Measurement Certificate and Inventory of Required and Optional Equipment.
- A boat and/or its equipment may be inspected at any time for compliance with Class Rules by the Governor or Circuit Rep, a J/24 class measurer or race official prior to, during or at the conclusion of each regatta, and without prior notification. Any violations of the Class Rules shall be subject to penalties as set forth in the Sailing Instructions.
- Pursuant to Class Rule C.2.1, all crews must consist of at least three (3) persons with weight not exceeding 400 kg (882 lbs). Per the 2021 J/24 Notice of Circuit, the organizers and hosts waive the requirement for crew weigh-in, subject to protest, and the crew shall remain the same for all races of the event.

For more information regarding J/24 District 14, you may contact John Parker, District 14 Governor at (512) 983-2582 or governor@j24district14.com