



2019 Club Championship

19 October 2019

Organizing Authority: The Houston Yacht Club
Shoreacres, Texas

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 The Sailing Instructions will consist of the instructions in RRS Appendix S, Standard Sailing Instructions, and supplementary sailing instructions that will be on the official notice board "HYC Race Information" located in the breezeway adjacent to the HYC Office.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The championship is open to all members of HYC.
- 2.2 Eligible boats will be Sunfish.
- 2.3 Three boats will constitute a class.
- 2.4 Competitors may enter the Championship by emailing the Race and Regatta Chair Madonna Breen at mbreen@embargmail.com by 7 p.m. Oct. 17th, 2019.
- 2.5 All competitors shall wear a life jacket during the race.

3. FEES

There are no fees.

4. SCHEDULE

- Thurs, Oct. 17, 2019 7 p.m. Registration Deadline.
- Friday Oct. 18, 2019 7 p.m. Competitors' Briefing at HYC.
- Sat, Oct. 19, 2019 11:00 a.m. Warning Signal. Up to three (3) races are planned, weather permitting. Awards ceremony will be approximately 1.5 hours after the race committee boat enters the harbor.

5. MEASUREMENTS

- 5.1 One Design will comply with all requirements of the relevant class association.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 6.1 The Sailing Instructions will be distributed at the Competitors' Briefing.

7. VENUE

- 7.1 All races will be sailed in the vicinity of the Houston Yacht Club in that part of Galveston Bay bounded by Morgan's Point on the North, the Bayport Ship Channel on the south, the Houston Ship Channel on the East, and the La Porte/Shoreacres shoreline.

8. **THE COURSE**

8.1 A Windward/Leeward course is planned. Course details will be detailed at the Competitors' Briefing. All participants will race around designated marks.

9. **SCORING**

9.1 A single race completed will constitute a series.

9.2 The low-point scoring system of RRS Appendix A will apply.

9.3 No scores will be excluded. This modifies RRS Appendix A.

10. **PRIZES**

10.1 Prizes will be awarded per paragraph 4.

11. **DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

11.1 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.

12. **FURTHER INFORMATION**

12.1 For further information, please contact the Race and Regatta Chair Madonna Breen (mbreen@embarqmail.com).