

**Governor's Cup Regatta**  
**Eagle Creek Sailing Club**  
**ecsail.org**  
**September 17<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup>, 2011**

**Notice of Race**

1. **Rules:** The Regatta will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS 2009 – 2012), including the prescriptions of US Sailing, the Sailing Instructions, and One Design Rules may apply.
  - a) RRS 29.2 is modified to allow the race committee to use any amount of time it wishes after the lowering of the general recall flag before resuming racing operations
  - b) RRS 33 is modified to eliminate the requirement to display the compass course or length when course is changed
  - c) RRS 61.1(a) is modified to require a protesting boat to inform and be acknowledged by the RC immediately upon finishing its race, where a protest is lodged properly against another competitor
  - d) RRS 41.1 is modified to score any boat DSQ without the ability to exonerate herself for entering the out-of-bounds area
2. **Entry:** To be eligible to race, entries must be filed with the Race Committee by completing the entry form, sending the form with the required fee postmarked by Sept.10th, 2011. Late entries will be accepted with the form and a \$5.00 late fee by 10:00 a.m. Sept. 17th, 2011 at the check-in table. Boats racing in PHRF handicap fleet must have an ECSC PHRF Handicap Form on file with ECSC Racing. (Available at registration and online @ <http://ecsail.org>)
3. **Fleets:**
  - a) Highlander
  - b) Hobie Wave
  - c) 2 PHRF Fleets
  - d) 1 Portsmouth Fleet (possibly two fleets, P1= Multihulls, P2= Monohulls)
  - e) Additional starts for one design classes with 8 boats pre-registered (Exceptions will be made as this rule is new this year)
4. **Fees:** Each entry includes ONE REGATTA SHIRT and ONE SATURDAY DINNER. Required fees:  
 Pre-registration and payment postmarked on or before Sept.10th, 2011 - \$25.00  
 Late registration and payment after Sept. 10th, 2011 - \$30.00  
 Free Continental Breakfast; Fruits, breads, coffee, juices and pastries. **New this year;** Bacon and eggs \$1.00 a plate  
 \*\* Deduct \$5.00 if current member of US Sailing \*\*  
 Extra shirts \$12.00 Extra dinners \$12.00

5. **Schedule:** All times Eastern Daylight Saving Time

FRIDAY SEPT. 16, 2011	TIME	SAT., SEPT.17, 2011	TIME	SUN., SEPT. 18, 2011	TIME
Welcome Party	1300 - ?	Coffee, Donuts & Fruit	0800	Coffee, Donuts & Fruit	0700
		Registration	0800 – 1000		
		Competitors Meeting	1000		
		Harbor Gun	1100	Harbor Gun	0830
		Warning 1 <sup>st</sup> Start	1200	Warning 1 <sup>st</sup> Start	0930
		No Start May Begin After	1630	No Start May Begin After	1230
		Food and Drink	After Racing	Food and Drink	After Racing
		Dinner	1830 or so	Awards	1400

6. **Races:** Every attempt will be made to complete no fewer than three (3) races
7. **Sailing Instructions:** Will be available 1700 Friday, Sept.16th at Eagle Creek Sailing Club or on-line @ <http://ecsail.org>
8. **Courses:** Courses shall be provided in the Sailing Instructions
9. **Scoring:** Scoring shall be by the Low Point Scoring System of Appendix A of RRS. There will be no throw-outs.
10. **Awards:** Awards will be given as follows: Governor's Cup traveling trophy will be awarded to the boat with the lowest total score in the largest PHRF fleet. (Next year largest one design fleet.) In the event of a tie, RRS Appendix A8.1 will be applied. If the tie is not broken, the number of boats beaten during the regatta will be calculated and the boat that beat the most will be awarded the Governor's Cup. If the tie is still not broken, the Governor's Cup will be awarded to the fastest boat by actual time sailed. All Individual Fleets will receive awards – First, Second and Third Place.
11. **Regatta Director:** Kenny Chapman 317 550 8955
12. **Contact/Mail Checks to:**  
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