

LEUKEMIA CUP REGATTA
NOTICE OF RACE
Chatfield Reservoir
May 21-23, 2010
Colorado Sail & Yacht Club

The Colorado Sail and Yacht Club is pleased to host the 10th Annual Leukemia Cup Regatta to support the Rocky Mountain Chapter of The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (LLS). The Society's mission is to find a cure for leukemia, lymphoma, Hodgkin's disease and myeloma, and to improve the quality of life of patients and their families.

1. **RULES:** The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2009-2012*, this Notice of Race, the Sailing Instructions for this Regatta and the Class rules for all One Design fleets racing.

2. **ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY:** The regatta is open to keel, dinghy, and multihull fleets. All eligible boats may be entered by completion of a registration and release form and paying the appropriate fees. Fleet status will be given to groups of five or more One Design boats. At least one PHRF and one Portsmouth class is anticipated. Additional Handicap classes will be established at the discretion of the Race Committee.

3. **FEES:**
Registration Information and Fees: Registration packages are available from area marine stores, your local sailing marina, LLS and during registration hours near the Chatfield Marina. Please note that the basic registration is only for the Regatta. You may race without participating in the charitable events. All activities, goods, and services associated with the regatta except registration, the actual race(s), and the Regatta Awards presentation on Sunday afternoon, are fundraisers for the LSS and are available by purchase and/or donation. Skippers and their crews are encouraged to participate in all of the events but are not required to do so in order to race.

Registration - \$50.00 - Entry into the 2010 Leukemia Cup Regatta and one event T-shirt.

Boat Package - \$100.00 - Entry into the 2010 Leukemia Cup Regatta, one event T-shirt, and two tickets for the Saturday night celebration.

Captain Package - \$200.00 **Package** - Entry into the 2010 Leukemia Cup Regatta, one Official Regatta Hat, four tickets for the Saturday night celebration, two event t-shirts, and one Mt. Gay Rum Leukemia Cup hat (very limited quantity available).

4. SCHEDULE:

Registration: Friday May 21st

4:00–8:00 PM- On-Site Registration and competitor’s reception

Saturday May 22nd

7:30 AM – Weather Anchor Challenge

8:00 AM - 9:30 AM – The scheduled time of the warning signal for the Weather Anchor Challenge. Late Registration

10:00 AM - Skippers Meeting

11:00 AM - The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race is 11:00 AM
Subsequent races to follow as time allows (no races to start after 3:30 PM)

4:00 PM (or after racing) – 6:00 PM – Happy Hour

6:00 PM - Evening Dinner, Silent Auction, and entertainment.

Sunday May 23rd

10:00 AM - First Start

Subsequent races to follow as time allows (no races to start after 2:00 PM).

Conclusion of races - Regatta Awards presentation

- 5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** Will be available on the CS&YC web (www.csyc.org) site after May 1, 2010 and at the Registration desk prior to the skippers meeting.
- 6. VENUE:** Attachment A shows the location of Chatfield Reservoir, Marina and racing area.
- 7. SCORING:** A minimum of one race will make the regatta. Races will be scored and ties broken using the Low-point Scoring System, Appendix A of the Racing Rules of Sailing. There will be no throw-outs; this modifies A2. Current PHRF Handicaps from S.A.I.L. will be used for members of S.A.I.L. PHRF. Temporary rating certificates may be purchased at the event for \$5.00.
- 8. COURSES:** Courses using both movable marks and fixed marks will be used to sail courses based on windward/leeward and triangular configurations.
- 9. RADIO COMMUNICATION:** The race committee may hail starting sequences and identification of boats not complying with rule 29.1 by VHF on channel 68. Failure to hail, to hear a hail, or order of hails shall not be grounds for redress. The race committee will not respond to hails during a starting sequence or race, except to acknowledge protest or retirements.

10. TROPHIES: Fleets with three or less boats will be awarded first place trophy. Fleets with four boats will be awarded first place and second place trophies. Fleets with five to eight boats will be awarded first, second and third place trophies. Fleets with over eight boats will be awarded first, second, third, and fourth place trophies.

11. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY: Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 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. INSURANCE: Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance.

13. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Come early on Saturday and watch the WEATHER ANCHOR CHALLENGE, with your favorite local weather person, an EXHIBITION RACE preceding The Leukemia Cup Regatta on May 22, 2010 at Chatfield reservoir from 7:30 AM to 10:00. For further information on the Weather Anchor Challenge see the NORs at the Colorado Sail & Yacht Club website (www.csyc.org)

14. FURTHER INFORMATION: For further information please contact:

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Guest slips are available at Chatfield Marina. Please contact the marina for information and reservations at (303) 791-5555.

**Attachment A
Chatfield Reservoir**

