

# Notice of Race (Revised April 22, 2014)

## 2014 AYC Open Regatta 2014 Snipe Class District 4 Championship

April 26 & 27, 2014

The Atlanta Yacht Club on Lake Allatoona - Acworth, Georgia

### 1. Rules

The regatta will be governed by the *rules* as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)*.

### 2. Eligibility and Entry

- 2.1. Participation in the AYC Open is open to all boats of the Thistle, Y-Flyer, Snipe, Laser and Optimist classes.
- 2.2. Participation in the Snipe Class District 4 Championship is open to SCIRA registered boats and class member skippers who are in good standing with SCIRA for the current year as indicated by the SCIRA official online database or are able to present a current class membership card or its SCIRA-issued equivalent. Sailors will be allowed to apply to join SCIRA as part of registration and become eligible.
- 2.3. Early registration may be completed no later than April 22, 2014 at [www.atlantayachtclub.org/ayc\\_open](http://www.atlantayachtclub.org/ayc_open)  
Late registration will be available Saturday, April 26<sup>th</sup> at the AYC Clubhouse between 8:30 AM and 11 AM. A late registration fee will be charged.
- 2.4. By registering for the regatta, all competitors agree to be bound by *The Racing Rules of Sailing* and by all other rules that govern this event.

### 3. Fees

Regatta fees are as indicated on the registration form and do not include individual class association dues or US Sailing dues.

### 4. Schedule of Events

Saturday, April 26: Late Registration: 8:30 AM – 11:00 AM

#### **Optimist Class**

Competitors' meeting: 9 AM

Optimist Warning Signal 1<sup>st</sup> Race: 9:30 AM

Races to follow

#### **Thistle, Y-Flyer, Snipe, Laser Classes**

Competitors' meeting: 11:30 AM

Warning Signal 1<sup>st</sup> Race: 1:25 PM

Races 2 and 3 to follow

Sunday, April 27:

#### **Thistle, Y-Flyer, Snipe, Laser Classes**

Warning Signal: 9:25 AM

Remaining races to follow

No warning signal will be made after 12:25 PM

## **5. Sailing Instructions and Courses**

The Sailing Instructions will be available at Late Registration / Check In and at the competitors' meeting. The courses will be described in the Sailing Instructions.

## **6. Scoring**

- 6.1. Five races are scheduled; one race completed constitutes a regatta. No scores will be excluded.
- 6.2. A separate set of scores for the Snipe Class District 4 Championship will be made. The Low Point Scoring System, RRS Appendix A, will apply, modified according to SCIRA Deed of Gift.

## **7. Prizes**

- 7.1. Trophies will be awarded to the top three finishers in each class of the AYC Open.
- 7.2. The USA Snipe Class District 4 Championship Trophy will be awarded to the first place finisher in the Snipe Fleet.

## **8. 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.*

## **9. Further Information**

For additional information, please refer to:

The AYC website: [www.atlantayachtclub.org](http://www.atlantayachtclub.org)

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