

Geechee Sailing Club

SAINT PATRICK'S REGATTA 2008
A MOUNT GAY RED HAT REGATTA
March 29-30, 2008
COASTAL CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES



INVITATION TO RACE

OPEN TO:

Self-righting yachts whose length overall is 21' or greater. Other yachts may participate at the discretion of the Geechee Sailing Club Race Committee. This regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing 2005-2008 as adopted with prescriptions by the United States Sailing Association, the rules of competing classes racing, and the Sailing Instructions.

CLASSES:

Class A (Spinnaker yachts)
Class B (non-Spinnaker yachts)
Class C (Cruising yachts)

Classes may be changed or subdivided at the discretion of the Geechee Sailing Club Race Committee. At the discretion of the Race Committee, three or more yachts of the same design may be designated a separate one-design class or sub-class.

REGISTRATION:

The entry fee is \$55.00, which includes one ticket for the dinner following Saturday's racing and one Regatta tee-shirt. U.S. Sailing members will receive a \$5.00 discount. Early registrations should be submitted to Larry Lee, c/o Geechee Sailing Club, Post Office Box 15293, Savannah Georgia 31406. Competitors who have not pre-registered may register from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Tubby's in Thunderbolt on Friday, March 28, 2008.

SCHEDULE OF RACES:

A skipper's meeting will be held at 8:00 p.m. on March 28, 2008 at Tubby's (immediately after close of registration). Starting sequences for the first race on each day will sound at 11:00 a.m. in the Wilmington River or Wassaw Sound. There will be a party following Saturday's racing at Tubby's Tank House from 5:30 - 9:00 p.m. Dinner tickets will be available to competitors and guests at \$18.00 each. Raffle tickets will be available for some great prizes.

RATINGS:

Ratings will be assigned by the Geechee Sailing Club based on the 2008 Coastal Cup Championship Series Performance Handicap Racing Fleet Handicapping Policies and Procedures.

AWARDS:

Trophies will be awarded following Sunday's racing to the first three yachts in each class at Tubby's Tank House, beginning at 5:00 p.m.

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