

# NOTICE OF RACE

## SNIPER CLASS INTERNATIONAL RACING ASSOCIATION-USA

### 83rd ANNUAL SOUTHWESTERN SNIPER REGATTA

May 26 – May 27, 2017

White Rock Lake, Dallas, Texas

#### ORGANIZING AUTHORITY:

Corinthian Sailing Club, Dallas, Texas, USA and Snipe Fleet 001 in co-operation with the Snipe Class International Racing Association-USA. <http://www.cscsailing.org> (441 E. Lawther Drive, Dallas, TX)

#### RULES:

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

The SCIRA Rules of Conduct for Conducting National and Local Regattas, and the Deed of Gift will apply. The US Sailing prescriptions will apply. In case of a conflict between the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions, The Sailing Instructions shall prevail.

#### ADVERTISING:

Advertising is permitted per Snipe Class rules.

Boats will not be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

#### ENTRY AND ELIGIBILITY:

This regatta is open to SCIRA registered boats and SCIRA Member skippers who are in good standing with SCIRA for the current year subject to any Deed of Gift trophy restrictions. No skipper shall be eligible to enter unless they are verified to be a current member of SCIRA. The basis for verification of current membership and boat registration shall be the most current SCIRA-USA Membership and Boat Registration List as posted on the Snipeus.org web site and/or the SCIRA ON Line Data Base. SCIRA membership dues for the current year may be paid to Fleet 001 at time of boat registration.

#### SCHEDULE: (Refer to Sailing Instructions for Amendments.)

SUNDAY, MAY 26	8:30 AM– 10:00 AM Registration 10:00 AM Skippers' meeting 11:00 AM First warning gun, races to follow back-to-back with break for lunch at 1:00 PM (approximate) 6:00 PM Latest starting time, except if unusual circumstances require later time 7:30 PM (approximate) refreshments and dinner at the club
MONDAY, MAY 27	7:45 AM Continental breakfast 9:00 AM First starting gun, additional races to follow back-to-back. 1:00 PM Latest starting time 1:30 PM (approximate) Lunch and awards ceremony

#### MEASUREMENT:

All boats shall produce a valid measurement certificate or shall have one on file with SCIRA and are subject to measurement at any time at the reasonable discretion of the Class or Race Committee. All boats are required to have a current Class decal properly displayed, confirmation through the SCIRA website that boat registration for 2019 has been paid, or payment made at time of regatta registration for 2019 SCIRA registration.

#### WHITE ROCK LAKE LOCAL REQUIREMENT:

Local lake rules require one personal flotation devise ("life jacket") for each person in the boat as well as one additional throwable cushion. The cushion can be a third life jacket.

#### SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:

The Regatta Sailing Instructions will be available at the regatta site at time of registration.

**COURSES:**

The courses to be sailed are the Class approved courses for National and Local regattas, or approved variants thereof, as published in the current SCIRA Official Rulebook and SCIRA web site and will be described in the Sailing Instructions. Such courses may be modified to take into account local conditions. All races will be sailed on White Rock Lake, Dallas, Texas. On Sunday, May 26, the course will be at the North end of the lake and somewhat shorter than normal, due to other races being conducted simultaneously at the South end of the lake.

**BLACK FLAG:**

RRS Rule 30.3 shall not be used in this regatta.

**SCORING:**

The ISAF scoring system, Appendix A will be used, modified to add TLE (time limit expired). TLE shall be scored as one more than the last boat to finish. Any boat significantly behind the fleet on the last upwind leg may be directed by a race officer to abandon the leg and return to the starting line for the next race. Such boat will be scored points for its position (as determined by the race officer) at the time of such notice.

**NUMBER OF RACES:**

One race makes the regatta.  
There will be no maximum number of races.  
All races will count for scoring with no drop races allowed.

**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.

**PRIZES:**

The top 5 skippers and crews will receive Southwestern prizes.

**BOAT LAUNCHING AND BOAT/TRAILER ACCOMODATIONS:**

The Corinthian Sailing Club can now accommodate hand launching from light trailers and beach dollies from two floating ramps inside the club facility near the North entrance. The North entrance has a double gate and wide entrance ramp so bring your dolly. Empty trailers may be chained to trees or left at the parking apron at Gene Soltero’s house.

**HOUSING ACCOMODATIONS:**

Snipe Fleet 001 members will make every effort to provide housing for out of town guests. Email gene-snipe@soltero.org with your requests for housing.

**SCIRA REPRESENTATIVE:** Gene Soltero

**REGATTA CHAIR:** John Beall (johnbeall55@gmail.com)

**NEARBY HOTELS:**

Holiday Inn Select 11350 LBJ Freeway Garland Tx 75238 214 341-5400	La Quinta Inn 12721 LBJ Freeway Garland Tx 75041 972 271-7581	La Quinta Inn 10001 N Central Expwy Dallas Tx 75231 214 361-8200
Doubletree Hotel 8250 N Central Expwy Dallas Tx 75206 214 691-8700	Microtel Inn & Suites 1901 Pendleton Dr Garland Tx 75041 972 270 7200	Residence Inn 10333 N. Central Expwy Dallas, Tx 75231 214 750-8220

# 83rd ANNUAL SOUTHWESTERN SNIPE REGATTA REGISTRATION FORM

You may register in person at the club or e-mail to [gene-snipe@soltero.org](mailto:gene-snipe@soltero.org)

<b>Skipper:</b>	
<b>Street Address:</b>	
<b>City, State, Zip:</b>	
<b>Phone &amp; E-mail:</b>	
<b>Snipe Fleet:</b>	
<b>SCIRA USA Member 2019</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> In the SCIRA database. <input type="checkbox"/> To be paid at registration.

<b>Crew:</b>	
<b>Street Address:</b>	
<b>City, State, Zip:</b>	
<b>Phone &amp; E-mail:</b>	
<b>Snipe Fleet:</b>	
<b>SCIRA USA Member 2019</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> In the SCIRA database. <input type="checkbox"/> To be paid at registration. (Required for regatta score to count for Minneford Trophy)

<b>Sail Number:</b>	
<b>Hull Number:</b>	If this is a charter*, enter name of owner:

<b>2019 SCIRA Boat Decal</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Affixed to boat. <input type="checkbox"/> In the SCIRA database. <input type="checkbox"/> To be paid at registration.
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Regatta fees: Boat registration (includes skipper & crew meals and beverages)

Early registration \$65 (if form emailed by 5/22/19): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Regular registration \$70..... \_\_\_\_\_

Extra meals: \_\_\_ lunches (\$7) \_\_\_ dinners (\$15)..... \_\_\_\_\_

Total: (check payable to Snipe Fleet 001).....\$ \_\_\_\_\_

SCIRA fees & dues: Skipper & boat registration (for hull # above) \$65.....\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Skipper or crew without boat ownership \$30..... \_\_\_\_\_

\*Charter insurance premium for regatta \$40..... \_\_\_\_\_

Total: (Check payable to SCIRA-USA).....\$ \_\_\_\_\_

\*Charter boat insurance deductible \$240 (Check payable to SCIRA-USA and will be returned if no damage to boat).....\$ \_\_\_\_\_