

The Atlanta Boardsailing Club and Lake Lanier Sailing Club

invite you to compete in the

45th Atlanta Fall Classic

Rules– The regatta will be governed by the *rules* as defined in the U.S. Sailing *Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024* including *Appendix B- Windsurfing Competition Rules*, the Class Rules of any applicable fleet, the printed *Notice of Race* and the *Sailing Instructions*. The *Sailing Instructions* will be available at registration/check-in at the Lake Lanier Sailing Club pavilion. Advertising is unrestricted.

Entry– The regatta is open to sailboard, windfoils and wingboard competitors.

There is no early registration, however please email the regatta chair if you are coming – voithphoto@gmail.com.

Registration will take place at the race site Friday night and Saturday morning, October 13th & 14th at the LLSC pavilion. Entry fee is \$70. Meal deal for non-racers (5 meals) - \$30. Any group of 5 boards may compete in a trophy group including (but not limited to):

Open Unlimited • Sport (7.5 Ltd) • Kona • Windsurfer LT • Windfoil

With enough entries, a **Novice/Workshop Fleet** may also be included. Within any of these, divisions (i.e. light-heavy, men-women, etc) with 5 or more entries may also be formed as trophy groups. Trophies will be awarded to the top three finishers in up to four divisions. Fleets, Classes and other divisions may be combined, created or deleted at the discretion of the registrar.

Competition Format– Course Racing and/or Long Distance. The courses will be illustrated on the Official Notice board at the LLSC pavilion. The Low Point scoring system will be used. One race must be completed to constitute the regatta.

Wind Minimum– It is intended that after one race is completed, no race will be started in which pumping would be the primary means of propulsion.

Schedule

Friday: 1200 Club opens • Tuning - Practice • 1700 - Happy Hour, Registration & Eats

Saturday: 0900-1000 - Registration & Check-in. 1030 - Competitors' Meeting. 1130 - First possible start.

TBD lunch break (LLSC pavilion). 1800 - Happy Hour. 1930 - Dinner, Decadence, Debauchery.

Sunday: 1000 - Racing Resumes 1300- Last possible start

Venue– Lake Lanier water temp is typically in the upper 60s in October. Cold fronts can bring strong wind and cooler air temperatures. Bring neoprene! Pets are allowed at LLSC except at the pavilion and with the usual expectations. Live lake cam looks SW from clubhouse: www.llsc.com See also www.windsportatlanta.com

Charter Boards– Sandy Point/Progressive Sports will provide charters for the Fall Classic. Don't let the lack of gear keep you off the water. And, if you've never really used a long board (or haven't in a long time) this is a good chance to give it a go. The complete charter set-up is \$150 for the weekend. Contact William webguy@windsportatlanta.com or Cody Steward at Progressive cs.stubbz@outlook.com

Accommodations– Free camping at the race site (tent/van/RV sites & hot showers, several electric hook-ups). Old Federal Campground is adjacent to the race site <https://www.recreation.gov/camping/campgrounds/232657> . **Exit 8** at I-985: Holiday Inn Express 678-730-5050 (for special rate go to: <https://www.ihg.com/content/us/en/corporate/friendsfamily>), Renaissance Pine Isle Resort 770-945-8921. **Exit 12** Hampton Inn & Suites (770) 965-0357 **Exit 16**: Country Inn & Suites 800-456-4000. / Best Western 770-535-8080. / Jameson Inn 770-533-9400. Quality Inn 770-287-1000. For more see: www.lakelanier.com.

Entry Fee Includes– Friday munchies & libations • Continental Breakfast and Lunch on Saturday & Sunday • Dinner on Saturday • Cheap Beer for as long as it lasts • Cool Swag • Trophies three deep in each division. Embroidered event hoodie is available as a separate purchase.

Directions to Lake Lanier Sailing Club– From Atlanta: North on I-85 then I-985 to Exit 8 • Left on Lanier Islands P'way continue ~1.5 mile to traffic light (past *West Marine*) • Turn Right on McEver Rd continue 4 miles to • Left on GC Crow Rd. (this becomes Old Federal Rd.) It's 2.3 miles from McEver Rd. to LLSC entrance on the left. For more information: Contact Chris Voith 404-386-8505 or voithphoto@gmail.com.

Gate Code for entry at LLSC: #2839 (be sure to use the # symbol first).

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