



2026 DF 95 National Championship

October 1-4, 2026

Organizing Authority: Bay Access Sailing Foundation

Hosted by Lakewood Yacht Club

2322 Lakewood Yacht Club Drive

Seabrook, Texas 77586 USA

NOTICE OF RACE

1) RULES

- a) The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* and including the [DragonFlite 95 Restricted Class Rules](#) (DF95-RCR).
- b) RRS Appendix E will apply.

2) ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- a) Each region will receive invitations to be distributed per the qualifications from their regional directors. Open registration will be announced in advance with the number of open spots available through the Class Secretary on a first come first served bases.
- b) Eligible competitors may register by completing the online entry form located at: [2026 DF 95 National Championship : Lakewood Yacht Club](#)
- c) Qualified skipper registration begins 1200hrs July 11th by invitation of the class secretary only. Qualified skipper entry must be completed and paid by August 1st.
- d) Open registration begins on August 2nd at 1200hrs for all registered DF95 Class Association members on a first come, first served basis. The entry fee of \$160 is due at the time of registration.
- e) Registration will be limited to 60 entries.
- f) All entrants must be members of the AMYA.

3) EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

- a) All boats and equipment shall be inspected by the technical committee prior to racing in this event. Inspection times listed below in the schedule. The location of the inspections will be performed on site in the event tent.

- b) The Race Committee may extend the time for registration and inspection if there is a valid reason to do so.
- c) No boat shall be eligible to race until it has been registered and has passed equipment inspection.
- d) At the discretion of the Race Committee, checks of randomly selected boats may be conducted during the event to ensure that they comply with the class rules.

4) FREQUENCIES:

- a) No radio frequency conflicts will be allowed
- b) 2.4 GHZ radios are permitted and are exempt from RRS E2.4

5) FEES

- a) The entry fee of \$160 is due at the time of registration and includes lunch on Friday, Saturday and Sunday along with 4 drink tickets.
- b) Immediately following practice on Thursday and racing on Friday and Saturday evening we will have a social happy hour by the LYC pool/ upper deck area or at a local restaurant/bar.

6) SCHEDULE

	Thursday October 1st	Friday October 2nd	Saturday October 3rd	Sunday October 4th
Registration, Check In, Skipper Bags	1300-1700	0800-0900		
Skippers' Meeting		900 hours	0900 hours	
Practice and Warm Up	1300	930 hours	0900 hours	
Racing Begins		1000 hours	0930 hours	0900 hours
Last race not to start after		1700 hours	1700 hours	1430 hours
After race social		TBA	TBA	
Awards Presentation				1445 hours

7) SAILING INSTRUCTION:

- a) The sailing instructions will be available online after 1100 hours on September 24th at [2026 DF 95 National Championship : Lakewood Yacht Club](#)
- b) Where there is a conflict between the Notice of Race (NOR) and the Sailing Instructions (Sis), the SI's shall prevail except that neither shall alter any class rules. This changes rule 63.7.

8) COURSES

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9) VENUE

- a) The racing venue will be the Main St. Radio Sailing venue in Seabrook, TX. Located at Bayside Park.

10) SCORING

- a) The scoring system is the AMYA Heat Management System (HMS).
- b) The fleet will be divided into heats of no more than 20 boats.
- c) Five races are required to be completed to constitute the championship.

11) PRIZES

Prizes will be given to the top ten finishers.

12) PERSONAL SAIL NUMBERS:

- a) Personal Sail Numbers will take precedence if there are numbering conflicts.

13) LIABILITY

- a) Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 3, Decision to Race.
- b) By participating in the Regatta, each competitor agrees to use the Lakewood Yacht Club facilities at his or her own risk. To the fullest extent permitted under Texas law, each competitor unconditionally and irrevocably releases and discharges Lakewood Yacht Club, its Officers, Board of Directors, agents, and all other persons who assist in maintaining equipment or in organization and/or conducting races from all claims and legal liability for personal injury, death or property damage incurred in connection with the regatta. The organizing authority, Bay Access Sailing Foundation, 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.

14) OFFICIALS

The PRO for the event will be Mark Foster, 361 816-9801.

15) FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact Kevin Hayes, Event Chairman, at 281 960-4329 or via email at hayesrigging@aol.com.

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5. Fees

c. Any entry withdrawn prior to September 15th will be given full refund minus the Regatta Network fees. Entries withdrawn after September 15th will not be eligible for a refund.