



TEXOMA SAILING CLUB and CANEY CREEK YACHT CLUB

NOTICE OF RACE ASBURY SMITH CUP October 25, 2025

1. Rules

- 1.1. The regatta is governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.1. RRS Rules 26 and A5 are changed to allow for a starting window.
- 1.2. RRS Rule 32.2 is changed concerning shortening the course.
- 1.2. RRS Rule 33 is changed concerning notification of course changes.
- 1.3. RSS Rule 52 is changed concerning use of electric winches.

2. Sailing Instructions

- 2.1. Sailing Instructions will be emailed to each participant prior to the virtual Skipper's Meeting. Advance copies may be requested by emailing the TSC Race Captain.

3. Communication

- 3.1. Notices to competitors will be posted on the TSC Notice Boat located in the TSC Clubhouse.
- 3.2. All boats shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on Channel 69.
- 3.3. On the water, the race committee intends to monitor and communicate with competitors by VHF radio.

4. Eligibility and Entry

- 4.1. Fleets to be organized are:
 - PHRF Cruising
 - PHRF Leisure (In-mast furling main and/or a beam/draft ratio of $\leq 39\%$).Additional Fleets may be established upon the discretion of the Race Committee
- 4.2. A minimum of two (2) boats are required to establish a fleet.
- 4.3. PHRF handicaps and Fleet assignments will be established by the TSC Handicap Committee.
- 4.4. Use of Spinnaker must be declared prior to the end of the Skipper's Meeting.
- 4.5. Registration for racing and to make dinner reservations will open approximately October 15, 2025. Deadline to register is October, 23.
- 4.6. Registration will be online at <https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/70eq7rt8849moV6Pe>
- 4.7. Execution of a Liability Release Agreement shall be required. Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance.

5. Fees

- 5.1. Entry fee for TSC and CCYC members is \$25 per boat. Entry fee for non-members is \$30 per boat.
- 5.2. Dinner - \$20 per adult includes all beverages.

6. Crew Limitations

- 6.1. Boats may be sailed single-handed in this race.

7. Schedule

7.1. The race will be held on October 25, 2025. Postponed or abandoned races will not be rescheduled to a later date.

7.2. Daily Schedule:

Friday, Oct 24	1900	Virtual Skippers Meeting by Zoom call
Saturday, Oct 25	1130	On the water Check In with Committee Boat
	1155	First Warning Signal
	1200	First Start
		No warning signal after 1400
	1800	Dinner and Awards Ceremony at TSC Clubhouse
Sunday, Oct 26	0800	Breakfast at TSC Clubhouse

7. Venue:

7.1. Races will be conducted on the waters of Lake Texoma.

7.2. Grandpappy Point Marina is the location of the series harbor.

8. Courses:

8.1. One race is planned. The Start will be close to the entrance of Caney Creek Yacht Club. The Finish will be in Little Mineral Arm close to the entrance of Grandpappy Point Marina. Courses and distances to be sailed will be determined at the skipper's meeting.

8.2. Marks will be permanent TSC buoys.

9. Scoring

9.1. The Low Point Scoring System (RRS A4) will apply.

9.2. PHRF Handicaps established by TSC will be used to calculate a boat's corrected time using a Time on Distance method to determine a boat's finishing place.

9.3. For TSC members only, individual race results will be utilized for TSC Championship points.

10. Berthing

10.1. Complementary slips will be available Grandpappy Point Marina. Slips will include 30amp electricity and water. Boats should supply their own 30amp shore power cords. Restrooms and showers are available at the marina and at the clubhouse.

11. Awards

– If 7 or more boats are entered in a fleet, the top five boats in the final results will receive an award. If 5 or less boats are entered in a Fleet, three awards will be given. If 2 or less boats are entered in a Fleet only 1 award will be given. Boats sailing as the only boat in her fleet will be recognized as a participant.

Further Information:

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