



2024 Leukemia Cup Regatta Hosted by Birmingham Sailing Club September 14 – 15, 2024

Please join us for the 2024 Leukemia Cup Regatta to benefit LLS. With your participation and donations you are carrying on the history of the Leukemia Cup Regatta. The first Leukemia Cup Regatta took place in 1987, when Stan Wrobel, a sailor in Birmingham, Alabama lost his life to leukemia and his friends at the Pine Harbor Yacht Club decided to organize a race in his memory. The event was moved to the Birmingham Sailing Club where it has been hosted since. Communities across the US have been holding regatta's that benefit LLS since 1988. Since then, Leukemia Cup Regatta volunteers have raised over \$73 million nationwide for LLS.

Organizing Authority: Birmingham Sailing Club

Rules: Regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) found [here](#).

Sailing instructions: Sailing instructions may be found on the BSC Club Website at this [link](#).

Registration - You must register to sail **and/or** for Saturday Dinner **no later than midnight Wednesday September 11th**.

Please pre-register by clicking here  [2024 Leukemia Cup Registration](#)

Fees:

Registration - \$100 – (Junior Fee - \$50) Includes participation in the regatta, all drinks and refreshments, Saturday Dinner and Sunday lunch for Skipper/crew or donating participants and awards. Make Dinner Reservations for additional guests – Additional donation of \$25 for the extra meals beyond the skipper and crew. 100% of registration is donated to the LLS. **Please be generous and consider rounding UP your registration.** All registration checks are to be made payable to the LLS

Fleets:

Thistles, Scots, Lasers, Sunfish, Open Fleet. One-design boats with 5 or more like boats will be provided a separate start. Trophies will be awarded for top 3 places for fleets that have their own start. Open class will be scored using the Portsmouth Handicap Yardstick.

Schedule of Events:

Saturday 14 September

0900 – Registration, BSC Clubhouse

1100 – Competitors Meeting

1230 – Start of 1st race. 3 races will be attempted on Saturday.

1630 – Regatta Social on club patio

1800 – Dinner buffet

Sunday 15 September

1000 – Race Start – additional races to follow.

1300 – Lunch and Trophies

Penalty System: Appendix V | One-turn penalty for Part 2 and Rule 31 violations, except two turns when in the zone around a mark.

Scoring: Low point scoring system

Radio Communication: RC may use VHF radio to communicate with competitors.

Donations:

You do not have to sail to contribute to this event. Please consider joining the fun, whether onthe-water, or at the club and making a financial contribution to the LLS. The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society needs our support and the LEGACY of this event lives at Birmingham Sailing Club.

Please mail your contribution check to:

**Leukemia & Lymphoma Society
c/o Birmingham Sailing Club
P.O. Box 660331
Birmingham, AL 35266**

OR

You may pay your registration fee or donate directly on the BSC Leukemia Cup fundraising page by selecting donate on this [link](#).