



## Description

The **Legendary Marine** “Run for Hope” Boating Poker Run is a boat rally that travels to different locations to qualify for playing cards. Runs are controlled events that promote responsible boating by boat enthusiasts. They are not a race. Participants travel at their own speed. There is no benefit to being “first” to any of the card stops. A Poker Run is a fun filled event enjoyed by participants and spectators alike. Poker Runs enhance communities by generating revenue for local businesses, providing a spectator event for tourists, and most importantly, donating proceeds to the Gulf Coast Children’s Advocacy Center.

## Instructions

Locations will officially open at 10:00 am and shall remain open until 2:00 pm. All participants are invited to the Poker Party at Papa Joe’s from 2pm until 5pm sponsored by **Payton Air**. Each player will receive one card for every location visited on the run. The best 5 card poker hand will be made from their cards. Players that are unable to participate in the Run may still play at the Poker Party by making a \$50 donation.

## Poker Run Regulations

1. Any references to the "Poker Run" shall mean “Run for Hope” Poker Run, starting at 10:00 am (CST) and ending at 2:00 pm (CST), April 24, 2021.
2. Personal flotation devices, a/k/a life jackets are mandatory for everyone on board a participating vessel.
3. Captains are prohibited from consuming alcohol during the Poker Run. Additionally, it is recommended that no alcohol be consumed in, on, or around the participating vessels during the Poker Run.
4. Each participating vessel should maintain a safety zone of at least a two hundred (200) hundred feet radius when the participating vessel is not in idle speed.
5. When the participating vessel is not in idle speed, pick a lane (or bearing) and remain in said lane (or on such bearing). When changing course, first confirm ability to do so, and then act





accordingly. Your participating vessel must not "cut off" other boats, whether participating in the Poker Run or not, or be the cause of emergency reaction on the part of other boats.

6. The areas around each participating stop shall be considered NO WAKE ZONES. All participating vessels shall keep their wake to a minimum and operate at idle speed when operating near a participating stop. All other official NO WAKE ZONES are clearly labeled and must be adhered to.
7. The Poker Run is NOT a race. At no time during the Poker Run should racing occur between/among participating vessels.
8. Each vessel must carry either a functional cellular telephone or a VHF radio in working condition.
9. All participating vessels must obey all federal, state, and local laws, e.g., possessing the required safety equipment on the vessel. It is the responsibility of the participating vessel's driver to familiarize themselves and the occupants of the participating vessels of these laws. In the event law enforcement or the United States Coast Guard tickets a participating vessel for reckless driving, said participating vessel shall be immediately disqualified and their entry fees forfeit.
10. The driver of each participating vessel is responsible for all occupants and their actions. Participants under the age of 18 must be accompanied by parent or legal guardian.
11. Each participant must have in force valid and sufficient liability insurance for the participating vessel, passengers, and crew. Drivers are to determine at their own discretion if their own vessel is seaworthy for current conditions and potential conditions that arise during the Poker Run.
12. No occupant of a participating vessel may sit and/or lie on top of a sundeck or sunpad while the boat is in motion.
13. It is the responsibility of each Captain to read and understand these rules prior to participating in the Poker Run. Except as provided above, any violation of the above rules and regulations may result in the immediate disqualification of the entire participating vessel or the forfeiture of poker hands for the violating party(ies). Disqualification or forfeiture decision will be made by the Event Director. The Event Director may also consult with local law enforcement and/or the





United States Coast Guard in reaching a conclusion. In the event of forfeiture of poker hands or disqualification of the participating vessel, no refunds will be given, all card hands aboard the participating vessel will be forfeited (in the event of a disqualification), and no occupants on the participating vessel will be allowed to attend the Poker Party.

### **Registration Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Boat Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Boat Make: \_\_\_\_\_ Length: \_\_\_\_\_

Vee or Cat? (Circle) Total HP: \_\_\_\_\_

**Insurance Policy Information-** Insurance Co: \_\_\_\_\_

Agent \_\_\_\_\_ Agent Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Policy Number? Please list Policy#: \_\_\_\_\_

**Names of Crew:** Please indicate **t-shirt** sizes (see \* below). Crew names are very important (video, etc...)

Captain: \_\_\_\_\_ 1<sup>st</sup> Mate: \_\_\_\_\_  
T-shirt size: S M L XL XX (circle one) T-shirt size: S M L XL XX (circle one)

Crew 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Crew 2: \_\_\_\_\_  
T-shirt size: S M L XL XX (circle one) T-shirt size: S M L XL XX (circle one)

Crew 3: \_\_\_\_\_ Crew 4: \_\_\_\_\_  
T-shirt size: S M L XL XX (circle one) T-shirt size: S M L XL XX (circle one)

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**\*Note: Late fees apply if registration is received after cutoff dates. Deadline is 5 days prior to event.**





**\*\*ALL VESSELS WILL BE REQUIRED TO ATTEND CAPTAIN'S MEETING BEFORE RUN. ALL PARTICIPANTS WILL BE CONTACTED ON WHEN/WHERE MEETING WILL TAKE PLACE.\*\***

**Event Fee** (Captain & 3 crew): \$120 ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Includes 4 poker hands, 4 event tees, & entry to poker party at Papa Joe's

**Extra crew:** \_\_\_\_\_ \$30pp T-shirt and entry to poker party ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Other Charges/credits** \$40pp after April 19<sup>th</sup>..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Payable:..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

FEES PAYABLE TO: **Gulf Coast Children's Advocacy Center 210 East 11<sup>th</sup> Street, Panama City, FL 32401**

Event Fees may be paid by: (Please Check One)

Amex    M/C    VISA    Discover    Check

Card#: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp: \_\_\_\_\_ CVV: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

No returns or refunds, cancellations. Credit policy applies to all prepaid event fees.

**PLEASE FAX, EMAIL OR MAIL A COPY OF THIS FORM TO:**

**FAX: (850-872-7780)**

**EMAIL: [LORI.ALLEN@GULFCOASTCAC.ORG](mailto:LORI.ALLEN@GULFCOASTCAC.ORG)**

**MAIL: 210 EAST 11<sup>TH</sup> STREET**

**PANAMA CITY, FLORIDA 32401**

**FOR QUESTIONS, CONTACT LORI AT 850-596-9637 (CALL OR TEXT)**

