

Notice of Race



Rogue Yacht Club 2017 Southern Cascade Regatta July 29 & 30, 2017 Ultimate 20 Pacific Coast Championship July 28, 29, 30, 2017

The Ultimate 20 Class will sail races 1 & 2 of their Pacific Coast Championship on Friday July 28th and will then join the Southern Cascade Regatta as a class to complete their series.

All classes are welcome and we look forward to seeing you! Howard Prairie continues to offer family-friendly camping and fishing, as well as amazing spectator views of racing from the jetty at the resort. Join us for a great summer weekend of sailing! The 2017 snowpack is solid and it's likely the lake will be full for this year's event. RYC is making several changes to the Regatta this year to maximize participation on and off the water. The biggest change is the race headquarters and camping location. Jackson County recently acquired a large group camp on the south end of the lake that has many facilities for lodging and meal service and is well laid out for hosting events such as the Southern Cascade Regatta. It is called Apserkaha Campground. RYC has reserved Apserkaha for Friday and Saturday nights. Cabins, RV spaces and campsites will be reserved through RYC as part of the registration process. The campground has a large commercial kitchen, rustic boy-scout cabins, RV sites with water and electric hook-ups and tent sites. We will do our best to accommodate everyone regarding lodging availability and preferences. See below link:

http://jacksoncountyor.org/parks/Camping/Howard-Prairie-Lake/Apserkaha-Park



Keel boats are to launch at the main ramp at Howard Prairie Resort. Launching for small boats on dollies (like Lasers) may be done from the group camp, although it's recommended to launch at the main ramp, per the keelboats. This is due to the fact that Sunday check out time at Apserkaha is 11:00 am and we cannot guarantee access there after checkout. The final awards ceremony will be held at the RYC storage shed adjacent to the marina after Sunday's racing concludes. The advantage to launching at the marina is that it places participants central to their boats and the awards presentation at the conclusion on Sunday. The resort has overnight in the water moorage available, or dry storage on your trailer in the parking lot adjacent to the launch ramp. Boats on dollies may also be stored in the grass near the RYC storage shed. Race committee operations will be run out of the resort marina. After racing it is a short 5 minute drive to Apserkaha.

If you would like to stay an additional night(s) after regatta weekend at Apserkaha call Jill Hammond, Jackson Co. Parks, at (541) 774-8183. She will coordinate specific reservations for the day(s) after the regatta, subject to availability. Note: There is no site availability on Thursday July 27th at Apserkaha.

Registration for the Regatta is through RegattaNetwork.com at the following link:

http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/14091

Sailing Instructions and the Course Map are posted on the Regatta Network event site and will be in your registration packets upon pick-up.

Because the Regatta is host to the Ultimate 20 Pacific Coast Championship, there are separate registration forms. Ultimate 20 racing begins on Friday and has a slightly different fee structure.

The Ultimate 20 registration fee is \$125 and includes 3 Saturday night dinners. Lodging, any additional dinners and the Sunday breakfast will need to be purchased separately at checkout.

The Southern Cascade Regatta registration fee is \$60 and includes **1 Saturday night dinner**. Lodging, any additional dinners and the Sunday breakfast will need to be purchased separately at checkout. This fee structure was arranged to accommodate single handed boats such as Lasers.

Discounted registration ends at midnight (end of day), July 15, 2017 and online registration ends at midnight (end of day), July 26, 2017. On-site registration and packet pick-up begins at race headquarters at 2:00 pm on Friday for the U20's and at 9:00 am Saturday for the Southern Cascade Regatta.

Handicapping Information

Portsmouth handicap boats: If modification factors apply, please describe or identify HC modifications at the bottom of the online registration form.

\$20 OREGON STATE MARINE BOARD INVASIVE SPECIES PERMIT, MUST HAVE!
Out of state sailboats 12 feet in length or longer require an "Out of State motorboat permit".

BOATS NOT REGISTERED IN OREGON CLICK HERE TO PURCHASE AN INVASIVE SPECIES PERMIT ON-LINE. MUST REGISTER AN ACCOUNT TO PURCHASE.

Ultimate 20 Pacific Coast Championship Highlights

Registration begins at 2:00 PM on Friday at Race Headquarters, Apserkaha Campground.

Skipper's meeting will be at 2:30 PM Friday. First start will be at 4:30 PM Friday. Target of 2 races Friday evening, 4 races Saturday, and 2 Races Sunday.

Happy Hour(s) will commence approximately 45 min after the last boat to finish Friday evening and approximately 6:00 PM Saturday.

Dinner on Saturday night will run from 6:45 PM to 8:00 PM. This flexible timeframe allows racers time to tuck boats away without being rushed.

Start time for Sunday's races will be based on wind speed and direction, with an "on-call" system to wait for winds to stabilize. See Sailing Instructions for all race scheduling details.

Award ceremony to follow at the RYC "Clubhouse" near the Howard Prairie Resort marina. PCC perpetual trophy will be awarded to the winning skipper and their team. Additional awards will be based upon the number of boats registered.

Please let Jay Harland or Cindy Warwick know of any special needs or concerns in your trip planning. RYC will do its best to accommodate.

Southern Cascade Regatta Highlights

Registration begins at 9:00 AM on Saturday at Race Headquarters at Apserkaha Campground.

Skipper's meeting will be at 11:30 AM Saturday. First start will be at 1:00 PM Saturday. Target of 4 races Saturday, and 2 Races Sunday. Happy Hour will commence approximately 6:00 PM Saturday.

Dinner will run from 6:45 PM to 8:00 PM. This flexible timeframe allows racers time to tuck boats away without being rushed.

Start time for Sunday's races will be based on wind speed and direction, with an "on-call" system to wait for winds to stabilize. See Sailing Instructions for all race scheduling details.

Award ceremony to follow at the RYC "Clubhouse" near the Howard Prairie Resort marina. Trophies to be awarded for each class based upon the number of boats registered.

Directions

Regatta Location: Howard Prairie Lake, Ashland, OR.

Take I-5, Exit 14, travel east on Hwy 66 less than one mile to the junction of Dead Indian Memorial Road on left (Sign: Mountain Lakes). Follow Dead Indian Memorial Rd. for 17 miles then turn right on Hyatt Prairie Road. Travel a little over 3 miles to the Howard Prairie Resort entrance, on the left. This will be the launch and moorage location for keelboats. Check with the marina office for payment and moorage availability. Regatta Headquarters is accessed by turning left after exiting the resort, (or continuing straight if going direct to Apserkaha) and driving 2 miles to the first left on Howard Prairie Dam Road and travelling 2 more miles to the entrance of Apserkaha Campground on the left.

See you on the water!

RYC Southern Cascade Regatta Committee

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