

ProSail

Ultimate 20 North American CHAMPIONSHIP



9/26/2018 – 9/29/2018
Lake Norman Yacht Club
 Mooresville, NC USA



NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 All boats shall complete measuring prior to the first Warning Signal of race 1.

2. ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to boats and helmsmen of the Ultimate 20 class.
- 3.2 A boat is not eligible unless the owner(s) and helmsman are Active Members or Associate Members of the Ultimate 20 Class Association and their National Sailing Authority, i.e. US SAILING, and with the Ultimate 20 Class Association decal attached to the outer face of the transom.
- 3.3 Eligible boats may enter by completing their registration online, together with the required fee, by 9/20/2018. Regatta Network may be reached via link provided at the LNYC website.
- 3.4 Late entries will be accepted with an additional fee of \$50.

4. FEES

- 4.1 Entry fee is as follows:

Entry	\$190
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Includes Thursday Dinner (3), Friday Dinner (3), continental breakfast, snacks, beer, and refreshments.

- 4.2 Other fees:

Shirts (long sleeve/tech)	\$25
Lunches	\$6
Extra Thur. Dinner	\$15
Extra Fri. Dinner	\$15

5. SCHEDULE

5.1 Registration:

Wednesday 9/26 1200 – 2000 ET

5.2 Measurement and Inspection:

Wednesday 9/26 1200 – 2000 ET

5.3 Dates of racing and social activities:

Wednesday 9/26 Practice racing TBD

Thursday 9/27 Competitors Meeting 1000

First warning 1130

Dinner 1830

Friday 9/28 First warning 1000

Dinner 1800

Saturday 9/29 First warning 1000

Awards soon after racing

No Warning Signal will be made later than 1400 on 9/29.

All shore-based activities will be at the LNYC Clubhouse unless otherwise noted.

6. MEASUREMENT

6.1 Each boat shall produce a completed measurement form that is signed by another competing skipper as part of its entry.

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

7.1 Sailing Instructions will be available no later than Registration (9/26 at 1200). May post online prior to registration.

8. VENUE

8.1 The event will be sailed on Lake Norman in the vicinity of Lake Norman Yacht Club.

9. THE COURSES

9.1 The courses to be sailed will be windward-leeward and further described in the Sailing Instructions.

10. SCORING

10.1 The scoring system is as follows: Appendix A2.1 of The Racing Rules of Sailing, using the low point system.

10.2 A minimum of one (1) race is required to be completed to constitute a series. After completing 7 races, there will be one throw-out.

10.3 A DSQ will not be thrown out according to RRS 90.3(b), and the boat will be scored as "Disqualification not excludable," (DNE)

11. BERTHING

Boats shall be kept on the designated docks. Launching docks shall be kept clear.

12. HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS

Boats shall not be hauled out during the regatta except with and according to the terms of prior written permission of the race committee.

13. DIVING EQUIPMENT AND PLASTIC POOLS

Underwater breathing apparatus and plastic pools or their equivalent shall not be used around boats between the warning signal of the first race and the end of the regatta. No swimming or diving off the docks is permitted.

14. RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

15. PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded to the top three (3) places. This may be expanded based on participation.

16. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority 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.

17. LODGING

Camping at Lake Norman is encouraged. We also may have limited housing near the club. We have a number of hotels within 10-15 minutes from the club. Please reach out to the regatta chair with questions.

18. FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information, please contact Tim Porter at porter.timothym@gmail.com or 571-432-7152.