

## **Notice of Race**

Day Sailer North American Championship Regatta, July 22<sup>nd</sup>-26<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

Eugene Yacht Club  
Fern Ridge Reservoir  
Eugene, Oregon

### **Host and Organizing Authority**

You are cordially invited to participate in the 2020 Day Sailer North American Championship Regatta, hosted by Day Sailer Fleets 89 and 23, and the Eugene Yacht Club. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020*, except when altered by the Sailing Instructions or by the Day Sailer Class Rules and By-Laws.

### **Eligibility**

Current Day Sailer Association members, as defined by the Day Sailer Association, are eligible to compete as skippers.

### **Measurement**

The intention of the regatta organizers is to have all competitors provide complete measurement certificates at registration. Competitors are advised to come to the regatta with a valid, current measurement certificate. Valid measurement certificates may be completed at the fleet level, at a previous NACR, or boats may be measured on-site on Wednesday, July 22<sup>nd</sup>, from 10:00 A.M.—4:00P.M. and on Thursday, July 23<sup>rd</sup>, from 9:00 A.M.—12:00 P.M. No other on-site measurement times will be available. No exceptions.

### **Entry**

Competitors may enter the regatta by registering on-line at the Eugene Yacht Club website (<https://www.eugeneyachtclub.org/>) after February 15<sup>th</sup> 2020. The cost of Registration is \$350 per boat. All registrations after July 1<sup>st</sup> will be considered late and a late fee of \$50 will be charged. No clothing orders will be accepted after July 1<sup>st</sup>. Late registrations will be accepted until July 22<sup>nd</sup> at 11:00 A.M. when registration ends.

### **Fees**

- Day Sailer NACR \$350
- Discount for US Sailing \$50
- Day Sailer Jr. NACR \$0 with entry into NACR
- NACR registration includes evening meals. Clothing will be ordered separately during the registration process.
- Additional Banquet meals are also available at registration.
- Breakfast is not included but available. Adults \$7.50 and \$5 for kids under 12.

### **Venue and Sailing Area**

All races will be held on Fern Ridge Reservoir near Eugene, Oregon. Eugene Yacht Club provides dry moorage and limited wet moorage for participants. Camping is also available on EYC grounds for competitors (reminder, there are no pets allowed on EYC grounds). Eugene and Springfield are approximately 30 minutes drive from the EYC and have a variety of hotel accommodations, but participants are encouraged to stay on the grounds if possible.

## Classification

The following classification requirements will apply (see rule 79). Competitor shall identify themselves as belonging to groups 1 or 3 as defined by current World Sailing Regulations 22.2. World sailing regulations may be found online at:

[https://www.sailing.org/tools/documents/2019RegulationsPostMidYearClean-\[25093\].pdf](https://www.sailing.org/tools/documents/2019RegulationsPostMidYearClean-[25093].pdf)

## Format and Scoring

A minimum of 6 races will be scheduled. Two to three races are planned for each day of the regatta, although on Sunday, July 26<sup>th</sup>, a minimum of one race will be held if a minimum of 5 races have been completed. A minimum of three races will constitute a regatta. The skippers' meeting will be held prior to the practice race, scheduled for Thursday. One race will be thrown out for scoring purposes only if five or more races have been completed. The low-point scoring system of Appendix A of the 2017-2020 Racing Rules of Sailing will apply.

## Insurance

Competitors participate in the NACR at their own risk, see Part 4, and Part 6 of *2017-2020 Racing Rules of Sailing*. 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 NACR. Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$300,000 per incident or the equivalent.

## Sailing Instructions

Sailing Instructions will be available at registration and a preliminary draft will be posted on the Eugene Yacht Club and Day Sailer websites by June 15, 2020.

## Eugene Yacht Club Policies

- ***EXCEPT FOR SERVICE ANIMALS, UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES ARE PETS OF ANY KIND ALLOWED ON YACHT CLUB GROUNDS***, even if they are left in a vehicle or other enclosure. If you plan to bring a service animal, please bring the necessary paperwork certifying your animal meets the requirements of a "service animal."
- If you must bring your pet, camping is available at the county's Richardson Park, immediately Northwest of the EYC grounds, as are kennels. Park rates currently are \$25 per night. Some electrical/water hookups and pay showers are available. A reservation fee applies. Call Lane County Parks at 541/682-2000 for information and reservations. Reserve online at <http://ecomm.lanecounty.org/parks>.
- Please observe the ground signs and instructions for camping, swimming and parking of boats, cars and recreational vehicles. If you arrive late (after 10:00 PM), please park and camp in the area just to the right inside of the EYC gate and relocate your camp to the appropriate area the next morning. **Please keep cars off the front lawns (they are soft and we have an underground irrigation system)** by using the available trailer dollies to move boats.
- Alcoholic beverages may be consumed discreetly and in moderation on Club grounds.

- Be conscious of safety. Please watch your children when they are on EYC grounds, even though they may be in the designated swimming area. Please don't run, jump, dive, or fish on or from the docks. *SMALL CHILDREN MUST WEAR LIFE JACKETS AT ALL TIMES WHILE ON THE DOCKS OR NEAR THE WATER.* Child safety while on EYC grounds is a parent's responsibility.
- **FOR THOSE WHO PLAN TO BRING AN RV:** Eugene Yacht Club, at the insistence of the County Fire Marshall, can no longer permit electrical cords to cross vehicle traffic areas. Very few RV Club parking spaces are equipped with power hookups. Most RV campers using EYC grounds will therefore need to be fully self-contained.

### **Camping/Tent, RV and trailer facilities at EYC**

Eugene Yacht Club has ample on-site camping for participants. Showers, kitchen facilities, and barbeques are available. Also, there are limited R.V. hook-ups with water and electricity, but no sewer. Past NACR competitors enjoyed the experience of staying on-site during the regatta.

For those who wish other accommodations, the nearby towns of Veneta and Elmira (10 minutes away) offer many options, although no hotels or motels exist there. Eugene has numerous hotels and other types of lodging and is about 30 minutes from Eugene Yacht Club. For any housing questions, call Sheena or Mark Schroeder at (541) 343-0276.

### **Tentative Schedule of Events**

#### **Wednesday, July 22<sup>nd</sup>. Youth Regatta, Registration, and Measurement.**

- Registration, Weighing and measurement—10AM to 4PM.
- Youth Regatta Skippers' Meeting, 12:00PM. Racing to follow. See below for details.
- Meet and Greet on the clubhouse deck at 5:00 PM. Bring your own drink and appetizer to share. Dinner is not provided that evening.
- Registration will occur at the EYC Clubhouse.
- Governing Board Meeting, time and place TBD.

#### **Thursday, July 23<sup>rd</sup>. Registration, measurement, practice race, youth regatta, day 2.**

- 9:00AM—12:00PM Limited weighing and measuring available.
- 9:00AM—12:00AM, Registration.
- 12:00—White flag for Youth Regatta, final race.
- 3:00 PM—Skippers' Meeting, prior to practice race.
- 5:00 PM—Practice Race prior to EYC's Thursday racing series.
- "Cook your own burgers" after the practice race. (Price included with registration).

#### **Friday, July 24<sup>th</sup>**

- 11:00 AM—On Call for racing. Two to three races scheduled.
- Dinner—Pizza and salad.
- General Membership Meeting following dinner.

#### **Saturday, July 25<sup>th</sup>**

- 11:00 AM— On call for racing. Two to three races scheduled.

- Dinner—Banquet in the EYC clubhouse. Perpetual Awards presented.

**Sunday, July 26<sup>th</sup>.**

- 11:00 AM— On call for racing. If five races have been completed, only one race will be scheduled on Sunday.
- Awards Ceremony—following racing. Sub sandwiches provided.

**Youth Regatta, Wednesday July 22<sup>nd</sup> and Thursday, July 23<sup>rd</sup>.**

In accordance with By-Law 2 of the DS North American Championship Regatta by-laws, a youth regatta will be held during the DS National Championship. The following will apply:

- Helmsman must be no older than 18 years of age on July 22<sup>nd</sup> and be a Day Sailer family member.
- All DS by-laws pertaining to the DS NACR will apply and trophies will be awarded.
- Registration for the DS NACR Youth Regatta must be submitted by July 15<sup>th</sup>.
- For more details, please review Day Sailer By-Law 2, section 10, available on the Day Sailer website.