

# **EYC MIDSUMMER REGATTA**

## (aka MEMORIAL DAY REGATTA)

July 10-11, 2021

#### NOTICE OF RACE

You are cordially invited to participate in the 2021 MidSummer Regatta (aka Memorial Day Regatta), hosted by the Eugene Yacht Club. The Regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024, except as any of these may be altered by the Sailing Instructions or by class rules that do not conflict with the Rules or Sailing Instructions.

**Format**: Six races are scheduled. One race constitutes a regatta. Sailing Instructions and Course Sheets will be available on July 10 at the Regatta site or on the US Sailing Regatta Network or the EYC. website (www.eugeneyachtclub.org)

Classes: The Regatta is open to all one-design and PHRF classes. Classes participating in recent years have included Thistle, Lightning, Star, Scorpions and Sabers, Day Sailer, Snipe, Laser, Santana 20, Lido 14, Holder 20, Ultimate 20, Wavelength 24, multi-hulls, and several PHRF keelboat categories (with valid current certificates from PHRF Northwest).

The Thistle Class will be holding its District Championship in conjunction with the MidSummer Regatta. Their class rules will apply to all races.

- Scoring for Thistle class will be on a low point basis with no throw-outs.
- The regatta will be 'open' and listed as such, however, scoring for the District Championship will exclude non-District skippers by race or by regatta results.
- Eligibility: dues of all participating skippers, except Junior members, must have been paid and the registration of their boats completed in order to be eligible for the District Championship. Registration is completed only when the TCA Secretary-Treasurer has approved the filled-in certificate on behalf of the Chief Measurer, recorded it, and issued it to the owner.

**Scoring and Trophies**: Five or more registered boats in a class will be scored as a Fleet. One race may be thrown out for scoring purposes if six or more races have been completed. No races will be thrown out if completed races are five or fewer. Provisions will be extended for handicap racing in a Portsmouth Centerboard Fleet. Trophies will be awarded according to the number of registered boats in each Fleet.

**Registration**: Eligible boats may enter by completing the Registration Form and submitting it, together with the required fee described on the Form. Entries will be accepted until 11:30 am on July 10, 2021. Members of US Sailing receive a \$5 discount. Find registration forms online at <a href="EYC website">EYC website</a> or visit <a href="Regatta Network">Regatta Network</a> where you can register and pay for meals, shirts, and entry fees. You can also register early and then pay during registration on July 10.

**Insurance**: 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. Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum coverage of \$100,000 per event or the equivalent

### EYC MIDSUMMER REGATTA SCHEDULE

Saturday, July 10

9:00 - 11:30 amRegistrationEYC ClubhouseNoonSkippers' MeetingEYC Clubhouse1:00 PMOn Call for RacingLake Race AreaPost RacingDinnerEYC Clubhouse

Sunday, July 11

8:30 - 9:30 am Breakfast EYC Clubhouse
11:00 am On Call for Racing Lake Race Area
Post Racing Awards Ceremony EYC Clubhouse

### Please pay particular attention to these EYC Ground Rules:

- 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 would like to bring your pet, camping is available at Lane County's
  Richardson Park, immediately northwest of the EYC grounds. Call Lane County Parks at 541-682-2000 for
  information and reservations or reserve online at reservations.lanecounty.org.
- 2. 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 on Friday), please park and camp in the area just to the right inside of the EYC gate. Please keep cars off the grassy areas (they are soft and we have a delicate underground irrigation system) by using the available trailer dollies to move boats.
- 3. Alcoholic beverages may be consumed discreetly and in moderation on Club grounds.
- 4. 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, 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.
- 5. For those who plan to bring an RV: Eugene Yacht Club, at the insistence of the County Fire Marshall, can no long permit electrical cords, hoses and water pipes to cross vehicle traffic areas. Very few Club RV parking spaces are equipped with power hookups. Most RV campers using EYC grounds will therefore need to be fully self-contained.

Out of State Racers, please be aware of Mandatory Boat Inspections in Oregon. All Boaters are required to stop if Inspection Station is open. ALL boaters are required to stop at designated roadside inspection stations. Inspection teams will look inside and outside boats (including kayaks and canoes mounted on vehicle racks) for invasive species. Any area that is capable of storing water for extended periods of time will be inspected. Inspections take approximately 10 minutes. If a boat is contaminated with invasive species, the inspection team will decontaminate the craft on-site. This could take anywhere between 20 minutes to 1 hour. Failure to stop at an inspection station could result in a fine.

Mail Completed Registrations: MidSummer Regatta Regatta Chair: Rex Ballenger

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