

2021

# Hobie REGATTA

INDIANA STATE  
CHAMPIONSHIP  
JULY 31 - AUGUST 1, 2021

Washington Park Beach,  
Michigan City, Indiana



## NOTICE OF RACE

**Organizing Authority:** Hobie Fleet 126 and Hobie Class Assn of North America

**Rules:** The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the 2021-2024 Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS). RRS 40.1 shall apply. RRS 44.1 is changed so that the One Turn Penalty replaces the Two Turns Penalty. Participants sailing in the Hobie Class for this regatta will have a separate start from non-class legal Hobie boats.

**Venue:** Washington Park Beach located in Michigan City, Indiana. Racing will be on Lake Michigan.

**Sailing Instructions:** SIs will be posted on [RegattaNetwork.com](http://RegattaNetwork.com) by July 26, 2021 and hard copies will be available at registration.

**Communications:** The official notice board will be located at the Hobie Beach Ramp on Washington Park Beach. An unofficial notice board will be on [RegattaNetwork.com](http://RegattaNetwork.com). Sailors may bring and use a VHF radio. Its use and restrictions will be described in the SIs.

**Eligibility & Entry:** The event is open to all IHCA class legal Hobie Class sailboats And to Non-Class legal Hobie Class sailboats. All skippers and crews must be 2021 HCANA Members (IHCA Rule 26). Hobie Class legal boats will have a separate start from non-class legal Hobie boats.

**Registration & Fees:** \$25 for Hobie Fleet 126 Members; \$50 for Non Hobie Fleet 126 Members. Register online at [RegattaNetwork.com](http://RegattaNetwork.com).

**Additional Information:** See Hobie Fleet 126 website: <http://div10.hobieclass.com/division-fleet/fleet-126/>

**Schedule:** Check-in and onsite registration at the venue: Saturday, July 31, 0845-0915. Skippers meeting at the venue 0930 hrs each morning. There will be two days of racing weather permitting. The first warning signal will be at 1100 hrs on 7/31. Awards Presentation at the venue at 1600 hrs Sunday, August 1, 2021. The Race Committee intends to run 3 to 5 races per day, back-to-back. There is no maximum number of races. All times are Central Time Zone - Daylight Savings Time (DST).

**Measurement:** Boats will Not be weighed at this event. Competitors are responsible for ensuring their boats and equipment are IHCA Class Legal. During the competition, any boat may be subject to inspection.

**Risk Statement:** Refer to RRS 3. By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury. **Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia or other causes.**

**Insurance:** Each participating boat shall have current third-party liability insurance with a minimum coverage of not less than \$100,000. Proof of insurance must be presented at registration.

**Accommodations:** 4411 Inn & Suites located at 4411 US-12, Michigan City, IN 46360. Phone: 219-249-4411 Email: [info@4411innandsuites.com](mailto:info@4411innandsuites.com) Website: <https://4411innandsuites.com> Lots of local rentals - [AirBnB.com](http://AirBnB.com), [vrbo.com](http://vrbo.com). Limited primitive RV parking and camping on-site

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