

NORTH AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIP HOSTED BY THE OKLAHOMA CITY BOAT CLUB

SEPTEMBER 23-25, 2021



NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing ("RRS") and the VX One Class Rules (www.vxone.org).
- 1.2 The following prescriptions of the United States Sailing Association (US Sailing) will not apply: Prescriptions to RRS 40, 63.2 and 63.4.

2. ADVFRTISING

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 all boats conforming to the VX One Class Rules skippered by members of the VX One Class Association.
- 3.2 Pursuant to Class Rule C.2.1. (d), all helmspersons must be VX One Class full or associate members.
- 3.3 Class Rule C.2.1. (c) prohibits any competitor from being compensated for sailing in this event.
- 3.4 All sailors will be required to sign a declaration of compliance indicating that they are not being directly or indirectly compensated to sail this event.
- 3.5 Each competing hull must display a 2021 annual membership sticker.
- 3.6 Eligible boats may enter by completing an entry form and paying the required entry fee, on or before. September 1_{st} , 2021. Late entrants will be accepted until 18:00, September 19th, 2021.
- 3.7 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of US \$300,000 per incident or the equivalent.

4. FEES

- 4.1 The registration fee of \$350 to be paid by August 1st, 2021. After August 1st, 2021, the registration fee will increase to \$375. After September 1st, 2021, the registration fee will increase to \$400.
- 4.2 The entry fee includes racing, dockage, hoist usage, trailer storage, daily breakfast, and coffee and 2 tickets to the competitor dinner Thursday and Friday night.
- 4.3 Extra meal tickets are available for \$35 each for Thursday and Friday night's dinner. *Tickets for this dinner must be purchased through Regatta Network during registration or by emailing slaw@ilinkusa.net by September 16th, 2021 at noon.*
- 4.4 Coffee will be provided each morning at the Oklahoma City Boat Club Clubhouse along with a light breakfast of assorted pastries.

5. SCHEDULE

Wednesday, September 22nd, 2021

0900 – 1900 Measurement with a Lunch break (Clubhouse for sail measurement and hoist for boat weigh in)

1600 – 1800 Check-In and Registration

1600 – 1800 Happy Hour

Thursday, September 23rd, 2021
0900-1030 Breakfast at the Oklahoma City Boat Club
1000 Competitors' Meeting
1100 First Warning Signal, additional races will follow
After Racing – Social at Club House Deck, Dinner

Friday, September 24th, 2021
0900-1030 Breakfast at the Oklahoma City Boat Club
1000 Competitors' Meeting
1100 First Warning Signal, additional races will follow
After Racing – Social at Club House Deck, Dinner

Saturday, September 25th, 2021
0900-1030 Breakfast at OCBC Club House
1000 Competitors' Meeting
1100 First Warning Signal, additional races will follow
After Racing – Social and Awards Ceremony (complimentary options)

Sunday, September 26th, 2021 Travel day

6. MEASUREMENT

- 6.1 All boats, sails and equipment must meet class rules.
- 6.2 Measurer must approve compliance with class rules.
- 6.3 All boats are required to display bow numbers in line with class appendix H.3 in the class rules.

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available at the registration desk.

8. COURSES

Races will be sailed at Lake Hefner, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

9. PENALTY SYSTEM

- 9.1 The US Sailing Prescriptions Appendix V will be in effect.
- 9.2 Appendix V1 is changed so that infractions within the zone of the windward mark or on the offset leg may be delayed and taken as soon as possible on the downwind leg. This changes RRS 44.2.

10. SCORING

10.1 The Low Point Scoring System of RRS Appendix A will apply, except that a boat's final score shall be the sum of all races, with no throw outs (except there will be one throw-out if six (6) or more races are completed). This changes RRS A2.

10.2 One race will constitute a Regatta.

11. PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded for the first five places. Other awards may be given.

12. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

12.1 Sailing is an activity that carries with it an inherent risk of damage and injury. Competitors participate in this regatta entirely at their own risk and are reminded to pay special attention to rule 4, Decision to Race. The race organizers, including the OA, Race Committee, Protest Committee, the State of Oklahoma, sponsors, volunteers, or any other affiliated organization or official, will not be responsible for damage to any boat or other property or the injury to any competitor, including death, sustained as a result of practice for or participation in this event on the water or ashore. By participating in this event, each competitor agrees to release the race organizers from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

13. FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information, please contact:

VX One Class Contact: Shawn Cina at scina@bellandmccoy.com or 405-317-4490

Regatta Manager: Scott Law at slaw@ilinkusa.net or 405-520-2442

Oklahoma City Boat Club Dockage Manager: Glede Holman at rear-commodore@okcboatclub.com or

405-416-0112

14. HOTELS

There are several hotel options close to the Oklahoma City Boat Club. We have rooms blocked at the following.

- Bradford House
 1235 NW 38th St, Oklahoma City, OK 73118
 405-451-3693
- Renaissance Waterford
 6300 Waterford Blvd, Oklahoma City, OK 73118
 405-848-4782
- 3. Tru by Hilton, Oklahoma City NW Expressway 4100 Northwest Expy, Oklahoma City, OK 73116 405-286-0407
- 4. Home2 Suites by Hilton 4110 Northwest Expy, Oklahoma City, OK 73116 405-608-6094