

2022 Hobie® FC Regatta, Rehoboth Bay, DE

August 20-21, 2022

Notice of Race

Organizing Authority: Hobie Fleet 106 and the Rehoboth Bay Sailing Association will be the organizing authority.

Rules: Racing shall be governed by the current Racing Rules of Sailing, the prescriptions of US Sailing and the class rules of the International Hobie Class Association. Competitors are reminded that per IHCA class rule 26, at least one crew member per boat shall be a paid member of the Hobie Class Association. RRS 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

Eligibility and Entry: This event is open to all class legal Hobie Wave's, Hobie Getaway's, Hobie 14's, Hobie 16's, Hobie 17's, Hobie 18's, Hobie 20's, Hobie Tiger and Hobie Wild Cat; Wave sails must be Hobie-branded.

Venue: Rehoboth Bay Sailing Association, Dewey Beach, DE. Sailing will take place on Rehoboth Bay.

Note: Since this is an in season regatta, there are special rules to follow while at the club. See below for details.

Fees:

Register on Regatta Network <https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/24419>

To avoid late fee Register on or before August 12.

Double handed: \$ 65

Single handed: \$ 45

Venue charges: \$10 per day per boat

Late Fee: \$15

Schedule:

Saturday

Check in/Registration 8:00 to 9:30 AM

Competitors meeting at 10am

First race not before 11:00 AM

Sunday

First race not before 10:00 AM

One race is required to be completed to constitute a series.

When fewer than four races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. When four or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

The objective is 3-5 races per day. There is no maximum number of races scheduled.

Sailing Instructions: Sailing instructions will be posted in Regatta Network, on the official notice board and available Saturday morning.

Radio communication

In accordance with IHCA General Rule 16.3, competitors may use a VHF radio to monitor RC courtesy broadcasts. Its use and restrictions will be described in the Sailing Instructions. [DP]

PRIZES: Prizes will be given

DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 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.

Liability

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

Further information:

General information contact Dave Raughley, draughley@aol.com or Bill Colgan, hobie106@verizon.net

Additional information

Social:

Saturday night dinner to be held on-site. Pricing and menu available at check in.

Accommodation:

Camping on-site and rest room facilities are available.

-Dry camping – RV or tent \$5/night.

-Club does not permit pets

Additional accommodation options available nearby.

Preferred hotel: Bay Resort 302-227-6400

Additional club information and directions see: www.rbsa.org

RBSA onsite rules for in season regattas

All trailers from outside participants to be stored on or just outside the tennis courts except for unloading boats upon arrival and loading boats before departing.

All RVs to be parked just outside or on the tennis courts.

As space allows, cars brought in by visiting sailors will be parked on or just outside the tennis courts.

Continental Breakfast during the Saturday Registration (0800 to 0930) will be open to club members.

Skippers Meeting to be held near the RVs

Sailors will be asked to be ready to set sail when bringing their boats to the beach and to leave the beach promptly.

Regatta Mark boats on the race course will be made available to respond to rental or club boat emergencies.

Please DO NOT bring your dogs. A new board member is anti-dog and will make it a major issue if dogs are onsite during an in-season regatta.