

2010 McNulty Regatta



Notice of Race

June 19 & 20, 2010

Saturday & Sunday

Hosted by:

Milwaukee Yacht Club

Held concurrently with

Summer Sailstice 2010 &

Milwaukee Bay Challenge Regatta

a benefit for

Feeding America Eastern Wisconsin

The McNulty Regatta is a five race series on the waters of Lake Michigan approximately 2 miles off the Milwaukee shoreline. The competition will be conducted on a One Design race circle dedicated to the Soling Class. Yachts participating in other fleets and classes of the Milwaukee Bay Challenge Regatta will compete on separate race circles as defined in the MBOS Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions

1. RULES

1.1 The McNulty Regatta will be governed by the *Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS), the rules of the International Soling class, except as any of these are changed by the Sailing Instructions. The prescriptions of United States Sailing will not apply.

2. ALTERATIONS

2.1 If there is a conflict between ISA Class Rules, this NOR, the Sailing Instructions (SI) or any additional Sailing Instructions (ASI), RRS Rule 63.7 shall apply.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

3.1 The McNulty Regatta eligibility requirement for competitors is membership for Skipper or Boat in their National Soling Association or the International Soling Association (ISA). Sign-up will be available at registration. All yachts must have a 2010 ISA sticker affixed in the prescribed manner.

3.2 Eligible yachts may enter by completing the online McNulty Regatta Entry Form and sending it together with the required fee(s) to:

Milwaukee Bay Soling Fleet (Please make checks payable to "Milwaukee Bay Soling Fleet")

Treasurer – David Baum

2947 North Stowell

Milwaukee, WI 53211

On site registration will be available from 3pm to 9pm CDT on Friday June 18th or on Saturday June 19th until 8:30am. A boat will be scored only after a completed entry is received and accepted. Acceptance of a boat's entry shall be contingent upon the completion of the entry form, receipt of a certificate of insurance (proof of insurance with \$300,000 of liability coverage), and receipt of the required fee.

4. ENTRY FEE & REGISTRATION

4.1 McNulty Regatta entry fees are as follows:

The Entry Fee is \$75 per boat. All skippers and crew are requested to bring at least one non-perishable food item to the MYC office on Saturday June 19th (8:30am-9pm) or Sunday June 20th (9am-4pm). The person contributing will be given a wrist band for beer (must be 21 years of age or older) at no charge at the MYC post-race party on Saturday. There is a limit of one wristband per person. Be sure to invite family and friends to the post-race party Saturday night.

Registration:

Send \$75 entry fee completed entry form and copy of insurance certificate to:

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4.2 Register online at the Milwaukee Yacht Club website by completing the online registration form which is located in the Race/Regattas tab at www.milwaukeeyc.com/RaceRegattas/RaceDocuments. Please complete registration and mail entry fee no later than Saturday June 5. Alternately, on-site registration will be conducted on Saturday June 19th 2010 until 8:30am.

5. SCHEDULE

5.1 The Soling McNulty Regatta schedule is as follows:

Saturday	8am	On-site registration
	9am	Skippers Meeting
	11am	Race 1 followed by Race 2 and 3
	6pm	Post-race party
Sunday	10am	Race 4 followed by Race 5 (no warning after 2:00PM) Awards ceremony will be held as soon as reasonably possible after the last race.

5.2 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race on Saturday is 10:55 AM CDT, subsequent races to follow. No race will begin after 5 PM. The scheduled time of the warning signal for the race on Sunday is 9:55 AM CDT. No race will begin after 2:00 PM.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

6.1 The sailing instructions will be available online or at the on site registration on Friday and Saturday.

7. Inspection and Measurement

7.1 At the discretion of the Regatta Committee, all entrants are, at the time of registration or any time during the event subject to (a) measurement of hull, rigging and sails and (b) inspection of required safety equipment. Failure to pass a measurement or equipment check after the event has commenced will result in disqualification of all races up to the time of detection.

8. Venue

8.1 Solings will compete on a dedicated race circle with the location to be determined by the Race Committee on the morning of each day of racing.

9. Courses

9.1 Soling course details and diagrams will be published in the McNulty Regatta Sailing Instructions.

10. Penalty System

10.1 The Scoring Penalty, RRS Rule 44.2, will apply.

11. Scoring

11.1 A minimum of three races will constitute a completed regatta.

11.2 The Low Point scoring system, Appendix A, so that each yacht's series score will be the total of her race scores, with her worst score discarded if four or more races have been completed.

12. Prizes

12.1 Awards will be presented at MYC as soon as reasonably possible after the last race on Sunday. Yachts finishing first, second and third in the Soling Fleet as a whole will be awarded prizes.

13. Disclaimer of Liability

13.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authorities will not accept any liability for property damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during or after the race.

14. Insurance

14.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with minimum coverage of \$300,000.

Further Information

Free parking, trailer storage and hoisting provided. For lodging assistance contact David Crysdale at (414) 481-7771. For additional information contact:

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