



the NEUSE YACHT RACING ASSOCIATION
invites you to sail in the
Oriental to New Bern, NC

27th Annual Michelob Ultra Regatta

sponsored by RA Jeffreys Distributing Company
Labor Day Weekend, 2012

(Proceeds to benefit the Edward Teach Youth Sailing Association)



-Silent Auction during Shore Party benefits youth sailing on the Neuse!

Schedule of Events:

Sunday, September 2nd

8:45 am - Competitors Meeting(Michelob Ultra Regatta) - Oriental Marina

10:00 am - Michelob Ultra Regatta (Oriental to New Bern)

5:30 pm - Paella Shore Party and Awards Ceremony -New Bern Farmers' Market

***** New Bern sailors - race to Oriental on Saturday before the Mich Ultra in FHYC's Oar Regatta**

More information on all races can be found at: <http://www.nyra.org>



***Live Music by Frozen Head and the Squirrels
Catering by Firebelly's Paella***



The Regatta will be governed by the 2009-2012 Racing Rules of Sailing. All boats shall comply with N.C. Wildlife Commission and U.S. Coast Guard safety regulations. One race is planned for the Michelob Ultra Regatta; one completed race will constitute the regatta.

Eligibility. The Regatta is open to any Yacht holding a current NC-PHRF. Eligible boats may enter by completing an entry form and sending it together with the required fees to NYRA, PO Box 235, New Bern NC 28563 by August 24st, 2012. Late entries will be accepted via online registration until 7:30 pm September 1 .

Classes. A minimum of three boats will constitute a class. There will be classes for spinnaker, non-spinnaker, cruising, and multi hull fleets. Each fleet may be broken into multiple classes based on PHRF rating, depending on the number of entries, at the discretion of the Principal Race Officer.

Scoring. Michelob Ultra Regatta - PHRF handicap system scored with a pursuit start.

PHRF: A NC-PHRF Rating Request form that can be submitted for boats that do not have a current rating is available at <http://www.ncphrf.com/>. If you need to apply for a rating, please send the completed and signed Request Form and check no later than 1 week prior to the regatta to the address on the form

Disclaimer of Liability. 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 either self insure or carry adequate third party insurance to cover their liability.

Dockage. Limited Dockage in New Bern is available at the New Bern Grand Marina (252) 638-0155, and Bridgeton Harbor Marina (252) 349-1194. Dockage in Oriental may be available at the Oriental Marina (252 249 1818) or Whitaker Pointe Marina (252 675 2554)

The John Walsh Memorial Oar Race, organized by Fairfield Harbour Yacht Club, is a Distance race from New Bern to Oriental, NC. that operates as a perfect compliment to the Michelob Ultra, and allows boats to race from New Bern to Oriental (the starting point for the Michelob Ultra) on the Saturday before the Michelob Ultra. The warning signal for the Oar Race is scheduled for 11:00 am on Saturday, September 1st. The Michelob Ultra Regatta, organized by the Neuse Yacht Racing Association, is a Distance Race with a Pursuit Start, beginning in Oriental and finishing in New Bern. The warning signal for the Michelob Ultra Regatta is scheduled for 10:00 am, Sunday, September 2nd. The Start for the Oar Race will be in the vicinity of Government Markers 17 and 19 on the Neuse River; the start of the Michelob Ultra Regatta will be in the Neuse River outside the entrance to Oriental Harbor.

Both the Michelob Ultra Regatta and the Oar Race are independent events; racers may register and race in either event, or both. Awards for the Oar Race will be held at the post race social in Oriental, Saturday, September 1, 2012; Awards for the Michelob Ultra Regatta will be held at the Post Race Social in New Bern on September 2, 2012. Information on the Oar Regatta may be found at: http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/5421#_home For further information on the Michelob Ultra Regatta: email: pastcommodore@nyra.org; Or visit our website at: www.nyra.org

REGISTRATION
2012 MICHELOB ULTRA REGATTA

Register online - link may be found at <https://www.nyra.org>

Registration fee	\$30.00
Shore Party tickets w/ Paella dinner (\$25.00 each) _____x\$25.00 = (includes admission to post race social w live music, beer, wine, 2 types of Paella, fresh artisan bread with basil pesto, fresh salad, and gazpacho shooters)	_____
Shore Party tickets (\$15.00 each) ____ x \$15.00 = (includes admission to post race social w live music, beer and wine - no food)	_____
Paella dinner (no alcohol) (\$17.00 each) _____ x \$17.00 = (includes admission to post race social w live music and dinner)	_____
T-shirts (\$15 each) Size _____ x \$15.00 =	_____
Discount for members of US Sailing – <i>Member Number</i> _____	(\$5.00)
Late fee (<i>Entries received after August 24 , 2012</i>) Add <u>\$25.00</u>	_____
Donation to the Edward Teach Youth Sailing Association	_____

Please Make check payable to NYRA Total Enclosed: \$ _____

Skipper _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Boat Make _____ Length _____ PHRF Rating _____

Sail Number (*required*) _____ Boat Name _____

Spinnaker Class _____ *or* Non-spinnaker Class _____

Cruising Class _____

Mail this form with fees to: NYRA, P.O. Box 235, New Bern, NC 28563; or

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Signature _____ Date _____