

WSC Team Race Clinic & Regatta

Willamette Sailing Club, Portland OR

Saturday April 25-26, 2009

NOTICE OF RACE

1. **FORMAT:** The format for the weekend will be focused on teaching and practicing competitive team racing. The event will include a mix of "chalk-talk" discussions, team race drills and racing.
2. **RULES:** The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing including Appendix D, the prescriptions of US Sailing, the ISSA Procedural Rules, and the Sailing Instructions.
3. **ELIGIBILITY:**
 - 1.1. This regatta is open to all high school teams.
 - 1.2. An adult who is responsible for the school's team must accompany the team to the regatta.
 - 1.3. Schools may enter as many teams as they choose. If your school has more than one team, please enter as team 1, 2, 3, etc.
 - 1.4. If a school lacks sufficient sailors to form a complete team, teams may be formed by "mixing and matching" sailors from different schools.
4. **REGISTRATION & ENTRY FEE**
 - 1.1 Teams may register by completing the accompanying entry and waiver forms and sending to Kyle Eaton at nwicsa@gmail.com.
 - 1.2 Entry fee is \$20 per sailor (includes Saturday breakfast, lunch and dinner and Sunday breakfast lunch and snack). Payment may be made at registration, however, the number of team members traveling to the regatta must be communicated to Kyle no later than Wednesday, April 22nd for meal planning, housing arrangements, and team rotation organization.
5. **BOATS:**

Willamette Sailing Club will provide 6 Club 420s. Additional boats (FJs) will be available if needed. Teams that are able to provide either 420's or FJ's are encouraged to contact Kyle Eaton at nwicsa@gmail.com. Travel reimbursements will be made for any additional costs of providing boats
6. **SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:**

Saturday:	
Registration:	0830 - 0930
Competitors Meeting	0945
Clinic Chalk Talks Begin	1000
Lunch	1200
Drills/Racing	1300-1800
Dinner:	Following Saturday's Racing
Sunday:	
Report Time	0830
First Start	0930
No Start After	1400

** Times and events may change depending on weather and conditions. All attempts will be made to follow the above format and teams can expect to be off the water by 1400. We will attempt to allow teams with longer travel times to leave sooner.

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7. **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** Will be available at the competitors meeting.
8. **SAILING AREA:** Sailing will be held on the Willamette River between the Sellwood Bridge and the Ross Island Bridge. The standard digital N-course will be attempted for races.
9. **HOUSING:** Free housing for visiting teams will be available. Please contact Kyle Eaton at nwicsa@gmail.com as soon as possible so that housing arrangements can be made.
10. **INFORMATION:** For more information contact Kyle Eaton at nwicsa@gmail.com.

REGISTRATION FORM

Willamette Sailing Club Open Regatta
April 25-26, 2009

High School(s) _____

Coach or Parent in Charge:

Name _____ Phone# _____

Team 1

Skipper(s) _____ Crew(s) _____

Skipper(s) _____ Crew(s) _____

Skipper(s) _____ Crew(s) _____

Team 2

Skipper(s) _____ Crew(s) _____

Skipper(s) _____ Crew(s) _____

Skipper(s) _____ Crew(s) _____

Team 3

Skipper(s) _____ Crew(s) _____

Skipper(s) _____ Crew(s) _____

Skipper(s) _____ Crew(s) _____

Alternates _____

Total Number of Sailors _____

Total Number of Parents/Coaches _____

Registration Fee: \$25 per person (includes meals) **Amount Paid \$** _____

Make Checks Payable To: WSC High School Sailing Program

Cash _____ Check _____ (payment may be made at registration)

Send Registration To: Kyle Eaton at nwicsa@gmail.com

Consent & Waiver of Liability Agreement

Complete one form for each participating sailor. If sailor is under 18 years of age, form must be signed by parent or designated legal guardian.

LAST NAME: _____ FIRST NAME: _____ BIRTH DATE: _____

ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____

STATE: _____ ZIP: _____ PHONE #(S): _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

I recognize sailing can be a hazardous sport which can result in serious injury or death. I accept the risks inherent in sailing and its environment, and I accept full responsibility for all medical expenses and claims incurred as a result of my participation in any activity of the Willamette Sailing Club ("WSC"). I also agree to release, hold harmless and indemnify WSC, its officers, shareholders, directors, agents, employees and insurers for any claims for personal injury or property damage resulting from any cause including negligence, which arise out of participation in WSC activities. This release is binding on me and all other persons, including family members, heirs and executors. This release does not apply to gross negligence or intentional acts of WSC. All rights and responsibilities of the parties will be governed by Oregon law, and any claims between the parties may be filed only in Multnomah County Circuit Court. **My signature below means that I have read, understood, and agree to the above terms and conditions.**

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

PRINTED NAME _____

Boat Usage Agreement

In consideration of the agreement by the Willamette Sailing Club to make a boat available to me, I agree that I am solely responsible for any expenses incurred due to damage, loss of property, or personal injury suffered by WSC, members of my crew, or any third party, resulting from my use of this boat. I am aware of and familiar with the risks and dangers inherent in sailing and sailboat racing, I am familiar with the class of boat WSC has made available to me, its use and operation. I will wear a life jacket at any time of operation. I have read and understand the above agreement and sign this document by my own desire, demonstrating my agreement.

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

PRINTED NAME _____