17th Annual Thistle National Championship

NFYC 2023
Flathead Lake
Somers, Montana

77th Thistle Class National Championship
WELCOME TO NFYC

77TH THISTLE CLASS NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP
NORTH FLATHEAD YACHT CLUB | SOMERS, MONTANA

REGATTA DATES: JULY 14-21, 2023

PRO TEAM: RICHARD JOHNSON & JACK SLAWTER

PLANNING TEAM:
COMMODORE: ASHLI SLAWTER
VICE COMMODORE: HAILEY GRAF
VICE COMMODORE OF RACING: BRIAN LOCKWOOD

CAMPING: SOMERS MIDDLE SCHOOL
- 315 SCHOOL ADDITION RD, SOMERS, MT
- LESS THAN 1 MILE FROM NFYC / WALKING PATH CONNECTION
- TENT AND RV CAMPING (GRASS & HARDTOP)
- NO RV HOOK UPS (WATER AVAILABLE)
- ACCESS TO LOCKER ROOMS & COMMON AREA IN SCHOOL

LODGING (BOOK EARLY)
- BEST WESTERN, SOMERS, MT | 406-857-2400
- THERE ARE MANY AIRBNB AND VRBO OPTIONS CLOSE BY

BOATS PARKING / STORAGE: NFYC PARKING LOT
CAR PARKING: AT CAMP SITES AND JUST OUTSIDE THE NFYC GATE

REGISTRATION & MEASUREMENT: SOMERS MIDDLE SCHOOL

CUSTODY: ON SITE AT NFYC AND POTENTIAL DAY TRIPS FOR BIG KIDS

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SAILING VENUE

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PATH OR DRIVING IS LESS THAN 1 MILE
BRING BIKES AND SCOOTERS

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NFYC GROUNDS AND FACILITIES

THISTLE PARKING

RAMP & FLOATING DOCK

LAWN / EVENT AREA

RAMP & FLOATING DOCK

SANDY SWIM BEACH

CLUB HOUSE
- BATHROOMS
- SHOWERS
- COVERED & OPEN DECK
- BBQ & PICNIC AREA
- CLUB ROOM

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1983 & 1988

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THISTLE CLASS ASSOCIATION

August 20, 1983

Dear Commodore Harding,

On behalf of the Thistle Class I wish to thank you and your Club for hosting the 1983 Thistle National Championship. It was one of the best regattas we have ever had. Your Club members certainly went out of their way to make us feel welcome. The quality of the racing was especially noteworthy in that all the work was done by the members on a volunteer basis. In every location there is a resident curling club, and our texture of curling is as strong as we want it to be. We were more than happy to make our home in your Club for the week.

We extend our thanks to your membership for making us feel at home. We hope we will all long remember.

Sincerely yours,

[Signature]

Commodore

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