

2014 Montana Sailing Championships

North Flathead Yacht Club, Flathead Lake

Somers, Montana

The Montana Cup Regatta



Notice of Race

August 1 - 3, 2014

Host Club

North Flathead Yacht Club, Somers, Montana will be the host club and organizing authority for the Montana Sailing Championship.

Rules

The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing, The Montana Cup Deed of Gift, the prescriptions of PHRF, this Notice of Race, and the Sailing Instructions and Amendments thereto.

Eligibility and Entry

There may be up to four open fleets for displacement boats, and one fleet for non-displacement boats (multi-hull). Fleets will be determined by quantity and type of yachts entered. In addition, classes with a minimum of five one-design boats registered may be given their own start at the discretion of the organizing authority.

Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached form and sending it, together with the required fee, to North Flathead Yacht Club, P.O. Box 208, Somers, Montana 59932 by Monday July 28, 2014. Late entries will be accepted at a higher fee until the first day of racing.

Fees

Registration postmarked on or received before July 28: \$95 per boat

Late Registration: \$120 per boat

Saturday night dinner: \$15 per person,

Montana Cup T-Shirts: See Entry Form



Schedule of Events

Friday, August 1 (warm up race – not scored)

Registration from 4:00 to 6:00 pm
Competitors' Meeting 6:00 pm
On Course Race Warning Signal 7:30 pm
Fireside Gathering after race

Saturday, August 2

Late Registration from 5:30 to 6:30 am
Competitors' Meeting 6:30 am
On Course Race Warning Signal 7:30 am
Dinner at 6:30 pm

Sunday, August 3

On Course Race Warning Signal 7:30 am
No race will start after 1 pm
Awards Ceremony after Racing

Measurement

Each boat shall report a rating according to Northern Rockies Sailing Association procedures or the North Flathead Yacht Club uses the Average value as shown in the U.S United States Performance Handicap Racing Fleet High, Low, and Average Performance Handicaps (Handicaps). A copy of the Handicaps can be found at the web site;

<http://offshore.ussailing.org/Assets/Offshore/PHRF/High+Low+Mean+PHRF+Handicaps.pdf> Copies will be available at registration. If your boat is not shown in the Handicaps, please contact the NFYC Vice Commodore at the NFYC web site at <http://www.nfyc.org/contact-us/>, by email at kurt@billmayer.com or at the day of registration.

Sails may be measured at the discretion of the race committee.

Sailing Instructions

Sailing instructions will be posted on the NFYC website www.nfyc.org or available at registration.

Venue and Course

The racing venue will be the north end of Flathead Lake, Montana. The courses will be windward/leeward.

Berthing

North Flathead Yacht Club boats are assigned moorage at the North Flathead Yacht Club docks. Visiting boats shall be assigned a slip by the Port Captain if requested and shall stay in the assigned moorage. Portsmouth boats may be stored on trailers in the parking area between races.

Prizes

Prizes will be awarded to the first three finishers in each fleet. The Montana Cup will be awarded to the club with the highest point total per the Montana Cup Deed of Gift.

Insurance

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$100,000. Proof of insurance may be required.

Further Information

For further information please see the club website at www.nfyc.org or contact Kurt Hafferman Vice Commodore and race chairman at kurt@billmayer.com or (406)212-0404,.

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“The Montana Cup”

Entry Form



Boat Name _____ Boat Type _____ Sail # _____

Helmsperson _____ Email _____

Address _____ City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____ Home Yacht Club _____

I agree to be bound by The Racing Rules of Sailing and all other rules that govern this event. I agree to hold the officers, employees and members of the organizing authority, and regatta sponsors, harmless from any liability related to this event.

Signature of boat owner: _____

Entry Fee

\$95 includes one Saturday meal ticket, continental breakfast Saturday and Sunday. (If postmarked or received on or before Tuesday July 28, 2014)

\$120 includes one Saturday meal ticket, continental breakfast Saturday and Sunday. (If postmarked or received after Tuesday July 29, 2013)

Additional Saturday Dinner Tickets: ____ x \$15 each = \$ _____

Dinner will be catered by the Vista Linda the menu is

Garden Salad/Choice of Dressings

Carnitas (Pork) or Beef Taco Bar

Chicken Enchiladas

Chile Rellano

Rice & Beans

Dessert

2014 Montana Cup Sport Wear - pre-order for best selection.

Montana Cup Short Sleeve:

___ x \$18 ea. = \$ _____ (Please specify sizes) ___S___M___L___XL___XXL

Montana Cup Long Sleeve:

___ x \$20 ea. = \$ _____ (Please specify sizes) ___S___M___L___XL___XXL

Montana Cup Long Sleeve Hoody:

___ x \$40 ea. = \$ _____ (Please specify sizes) ___S___M___L___XL

Total Due: _____

Make check payable to: NFYC,
Mail to: Box 208, Somers, MT 59932

