



COMMUNITY SAILING
OF COLORADO

Presents the

2011 DSA Junior Open Regatta

Saturday, August 20th 2011

Invitation

If you're 18 or under, you're invited!

Place: Cherry Creek Reservoir, gather at the Denver Sailing Association Clubhouse inside the Cherry Creek Yacht Club grounds on the West side of the Cherry Creek State Park

Fees: \$5 for single-handed boats, \$10 for double-handed boats

Schedule:

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| 9:00 AM-10:30 AM | Boat Rigging, Registration and Breakfast |
| 10:30 AM-11:00 AM | Skippers meeting and review of sailing instructions |
| 11:00 AM-12:00 PM | Lunch & Race Clinic |
| 12:45 PM | First warning signal, more to follow |
| 4:00 PM | Cut off time for starting last race. |
| 5:00 PM | Awards Ceremony and treats followed by DSA Family BBQ. All DSA Members, Guests and Regatta Participants are welcome to attend! For more details go to www.denversailing.org |

To borrow a boat: Available boats are limited: First come, first served. Please reserve in advance by calling Brandon Kass, at (303) 757-7718. A recommendation from an instructor, yacht club or sailing program is needed to qualify you for borrowing a boat.

Waiver form required: Parents or guardians need to sign the waiver on the entry form.

Spectator Boat: Parents are welcome to view the races from a spectator boat (if available). To reserve a space on the spectator boat, please call Community Sailing of Colorado, (303) 757-7718. Space is limited on the spectator boat and may not be available the day of the race without a reservation.





Notice of Race

- 1. The Regatta:** Denver Sailing Association, as organizing authority, will conduct the DSA Junior Open Regatta in cooperation with Community Sailing of Colorado inside the Cherry Creek State Park on Saturday, Aug. 20th 2011.
- 2. Schedule:** Registration will be held 9:00-10:30 am on August 20th outside the DSA Club House at the Cherry Creek Marina & Yacht Club. Sailing Instructions will be distributed to competitors at Registration. A competitor's meeting will be held at 10:30 am to announce fleets and starting order.

Warning Signal for the first race is anticipated at 12:45 PM, subsequent races to follow. Up to nine (9) races are anticipated. No race will be started after 4:00 PM. One (1) race completed will constitute the regatta.
- 3. Rules:** Races will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS). Sailing instructions may modify rules as permitted in the RRS
- 4. Eligibility:** Competitors who have not reached their 19th birthday by January 1, 2012 are eligible to enter. Eligible boats are single-handed and double-handed mono hull dinghies. Each boat must display sail numbers which shall not be the same as sail numbers of other boats in its fleet.
- 5. Entries:** Entry may be made by completing & submitting the enclosed entry form with parental consent and paying the \$5.00 entry fee per competitor. (See instructions on the form.) Competitors may also be required to register with Community Sailing of Colorado.
- 6. Classes/Fleets:** Fleets will be determined by the race committee following registration. Anticipated Fleets include Sunfish, Pram, OAK and Lasers.
- 7. Notices to Competitors:** Notices to competitors will be posted on the north wall of the Cherry Creek Mar-rian office. Notices will include classes and start order, any changes in schedule or sailing instructions and protests, if any.
- 8. Signals Made Ashore:** Will be made from the committee boat at its slip
- 9. Sailing Instructions:** Sailing Instructions will be distributed at Registration and may be posted in advance on the Denver Sailing Association website (<http://www.denversailing.org/racing/regattas/>). The Race Committee may, in the sailing instructions, modify the Racing Rules as permitted by the RRS. Courses to be sailed will be described in the sailing instructions.
- 10. Scoring System:** Mixed fleet (different kinds of boats) races will be scored by Portsmouth handicap. The regatta will be scored using the Low Point System in Appendix A of the RRS, as modified in sailing instructions. If only one race is completed, there will be no discarded scores – this changes Appendix A2.
- 11. Prizes:** Trophies will be awarded based on the number of competitors in each class.
- 12. Contact Information:** For more information, contact Steve Davis sdavis7625@gmail.com



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Entry Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephones #: Home: _____ Work: _____

Email Address: _____

I am a member of: _____ (Yacht Club, Fleet, SAIL, or US SAILING)

Boat Name: _____

Boat Class: _____ Sail Number(s): _____

Entry Fee:

Entries Number (s): _____ **\$ 5.00** Single-handed Boats **\$10.00** Double-handed Boats

Total \$ _____

I agree to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing and by all other rules that govern this event.

_____/_____/2011
Signature Date

As the parent or legal guardian of the minor named above, I give my consent for his/her participation in this event and agree to be bound by the rules as described above.

Waiver of Liability: I recognize that the sport of sailing entails inherent risks which may result in property damage, injury or death. In consideration of his/her being allowed to participate, I accept these risks on behalf of the above minor.

_____/_____/2011
Signature Date

Mail completed form and entry fee to:

Denver Sailing Association, P.O. Box 6035, Denver, Colorado 80206 or bring the completed registration form to the Denver Sailing Association Clubhouse by 9:00 AM on August 20th, 2011.