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## 2012 Denver Sailing Association Junior Regatta

Saturday, August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2012

### *Invitation*

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

**Place:** The 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:** \$10 for single-handed boats, \$15 for double-handed boats

Schedule:	9:00 -10:30 AM	Registration, Breakfast and Boat Rigging
	10:30 -11:00 AM	Skippers meeting and review of sailing instructions
	11:00 -12:00 PM	Lunch & Race Clinic
	12:00 PM	First warning signal, more races to follow
	3:00 PM	Cut off time for starting last race.
	3:30 PM	Awards Ceremony, Prizes and Snacks

**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 Regatta in co-operation with Community Sailing of Colorado inside The Cherry Creek State Park on Saturday, Aug. 18<sup>th</sup>, 2012.
2. **Schedule:** Registration will be held 9:00 AM-10:30 AM on August 18<sup>th</sup> 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 12:00 PM, subsequent races to follow. Up to nine (9) races are anticipated. No race will be started after 3:30 PM. One (1) race completed will constitute the regatta.
3. **Rules:** Races will be governed by the rules as defined in The 2009-2012 Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS). Sailing instructions may modify rules as permitted in the RRS. RRS 40 is changed so that all competitors shall wear 3a US Coast Guard (USCG) approved Type III or V Personal Floatation Device (PFD), inherently buoyant (i.e. not inflatable) while on the water, except for brief periods while changing clothing.
4. **Eligibility:** Competitors who have not reached their 19<sup>th</sup> 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 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 Club 420's, Lasers, Opti/Prams and Portsmouth.
7. **Notices to Competitors:** Notices to competitors will be posted on the north wall of the Cherry Creek Marina 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/>). 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. Appendix A 4.2 is also modified as follows: DNF = number of finishers plus 1; DNS, OCS, DNC = number of starters plus 1; RET/RAF (Retired) = number of finishers plus 1
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](mailto:sdavis7625@gmail.com)



## 2012 DSA Junior Open Regatta

Saturday, August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2012

### *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): \_\_\_\_\_ **\$ 10.00** Single-handed Boats **\$15.00** Double-handed Boats

Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ /2012  
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.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ /2012  
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 18<sup>th</sup>, 2012.