

Hoover Sailing Club Junior Regatta, Hoover Sailing Club
4250 Smothers Rd, Westerville Ohio
August 12, 2017

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

1.1 The Regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.

1.2 ALTERATIONS TO CLASS RULES

The class rules will be used except that RRS 60.1 (a) is changed to additionally prohibit a boat from protesting another boat for an alleged breach of a class rule requiring class membership or imposing a weight limit.

2. ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY

2.1 The Regatta is open to all Junior* boats of the Optimist Green, Optimist Gold, Laser Radial, Laser, C420, and Thistle classes.

2.2 * Sailors must be at least 7 years old. They can continue to compete in the Traveler Series up to and including the summer immediately following their senior year of high school. Optimist class age rules apply to Optimist classes: White Fleet 10 years or under, Blue Fleet 11-12 years old, Red Fleet 13 and older and Green Fleet 7-15 year old beginner racers.

2.3 The Regatta is a counter in the I-LYA Traveler Series.

2.4 Registration will be available online at noticeofrace.net or the morning of the event.

3. FEES

The entry fee for all classes is \$20 per competitor (make checks payable to Hoover Sailing Club) if preregistered through noticeofrace.net by midnight the evening before the regatta. If registering onsite the day of the event, the entry fee is \$30 per competitor. Entry fee includes 1 lunch per competitor. Additional lunches can be purchased at registration for \$5/person.

4. SCHEDULE - Saturday August 12, 2017

0830 - 1000	Registration & check-in
1000	Competitor Meeting
1055	Warning Signal for Race 1 (multiple races may follow)
...	Lunch
...	Multiple Races
...	Awards

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available online at the I-LYA website, on the NoticeOfRace website, and at registration.

6. SCORING

The Low-Point Scoring System, Appendix A of the racing rules, will apply for all classes. 1 race shall constitute a series. If 5 or more races are sailed, a boat's worst score shall be discarded. This changes RRS, Appendix A2.

7. SAFETY

A Coast Guard-approved PFD must be worn and fully secured at all times while afloat, except for brief periods while adding or removing clothing. Whistles permanently attached to the PFDs are recommended. This amends rule 40.

[Hoover Reservoir is a horsepower limited lake. If you plan on bringing a safety boat with motor larger than 10hp, prior permission must be obtained from regatta chair.](#)

8. FURTHER INFORMATION

[Hoover Sailing Club has a "no dogs allowed" policy on the grounds. Please refrain from bringing your dog\(s\) to the regatta.](#)

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