



2020 Lake Mac Invite

Macatawa Bay Junior Association

2157 South Shore Drive
Macatawa, Michigan 49434

September 26, 2020

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES:

The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing, the Interscholastic Sailing Association Procedural Rules, the Midwest Interscholastic Sailing Association Supplemental Rules, this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions.

2. ELIGIBILITY:

2.1 This is a Tier 3 regatta. Competing schools must be members of MISSA and ISSA and meet ISSA eligibility rules as prescribed in the Procedural Rules.

2.2 A "Team" shall be made up of a minimum of four and a maximum of six sailors, between the grades of 7-12. Mixed teams (comprised of students from different schools) are permitted. However, we would like to encourage schools to make "True" teams first (comprised of students from the same school), before making mixed teams with remaining sailors.

3. BOATS:

3.1 420s shall be provided by MBJA. A total of 8 boats will be available to visiting schools on a first come, first serve basis. MBJA will provide a 420 to each team randomly, as determined by each crew drawing a number that will correspond to a sail number of a boat.

3.2 Boats will be checked in and out upon launch and pullout. Any previously existing damage should be reported upon launching. Any new damage should be reported between races or upon pullout.

4. REGATTA FORMAT:

Two-division fleet racing. The regatta will consist of A and B divisions of 420's (no traps, mainsheet bridles or spinnakers). Each Team (A and B boat) will draw for boat assignments at check-in on Saturday morning. Teams will then remain in that boat for the duration of the regatta.

5. ENTRY:

5.1 The entry fee is \$20 per sailor. Teams may reserve spots by paying for all your sailors at the [Eventbrite](#)

[Page](#) by 11:30pm on Thursday, September 24th - A team that withdraws from the regatta after the entry deadline or fails to compete at the event shall forfeit its entry fees.

5.2 After registering, please send school/team names to nick@mbja.org so they can be added into Techscore.

6. SCHEDULE:

Saturday September 26, 2020

0900- Check-in/Registration & Rigging of boats

0930- Competitors Meeting

1000- First Warning

1600- No race shall start after this time.

7. SAFETY:

7.1. Coach Boats: Teams are encouraged to bring coach boats to help facilitate on-the-water rotations for their teams.

7.2 Distancing: It is required that participants, including coaches, parents, chaperones always observe 6 feet of social distancing

7.3 Masks: It is required that participants, including coaches, parents, chaperones wear a cloth face covering at all times while on the MBJA premises. It is recommended that sailors continue to use their masks on the water unless sailing with a member of their immediate household. Sailors should be prepared to put a mask back on should they need to board a coach, committee, or safety boat for any reason.

7.4 Setting: Our regatta will be run outdoors so dress accordingly. Our junior sailing building will be closed and reserved for regatta support staff only. Bathrooms will be available - masks are required to be worn at all times within the bathrooms.

8. REGATTA CONTACT: Nick Hovland - nick@mbja.org - (701)388-6612