

MISSA East Baker/Mallory Pre-Qualifier
Hoover Sailing Club
April 16-18, 2021
Notice of Race

1. Rules:

1.1. The regatta will be governed by the World Sailing Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) including Appendix D (Baker Only), ISSA Procedural Rules and MISSA Supplemental Rules.

1.2: Under RRS 70.5(a), there shall be no appeal of the decision of a protest or request for redress. US Sailing's permission has been granted.

2. Eligibility:

2.1. Competing schools must be members in good standing of MISSA, and their school must be located in Ohio. Membership will be verified prior to registration.

2.2. This is a MISSA Tier 2 Regatta, sailors must be 9-12 grade, no mixed teams.

2.3. Each team must be accompanied by an adult adviser, parent or coach.

2.4. Only 1 team per school may register for each event.

3. Entry:

3.1. Entry deadline is April 9, 5PM EDT. Coaches/Team leaders must email Jamie Jones (jjone45@outlook.com) to register their team.

3.2. The maximum number of sailors per team that may register for Baker is 9, Mallory 8.

4. Entry fee:

4.1. The entry fee for Baker is \$20, for Mallory is \$30. Food will be provided throughout the event. Registration will be done onsite in person, checks (made payable to Hoover Sailing Club) or cash only, and only for teams that fulfilled NOR 3.1.

5. Boats:

5.1. Club 420's shall be sailed as provided.

5.2. No changes or modifications to rigging or boats are permitted without permission of the Regatta Chair. Teams violating this rule may be disqualified from the regatta.

6. Safety:

6.1. Personal Floatation Devices must be worn in accordance with ISSA Procedural Rule 2.2.

7. Schedule:

Friday April 16, 2021

1500 Check in at Hoover Sailing Club for BAKER teams

1530: Boat draw, rigging and competitors meeting

1600: First Warning, racing will continue through the day, a double round robin event is planned for Baker

Saturday April 17, 2021

1500 Check-in at Hoover Sailing Club for MALLORY teams

1515 Boat draw and rigging of boats

1530 Competitors meeting

1600 First warning

Sunday April 18, 2021

0830 Rigging of boats

0900 Competitors meeting

0930 First warning

1300 Lunch and awards

8. Racing Area:

8.1. Races will be sailed on Hoover Reservoir, Westerville, OH

9. Courses:

9.1. Based on conditions, the Race Committee will determine the courses in accordance with ISSA Procedural Rules.

10. Scoring:

10.1. The regatta will be scored using ISSA Procedural Rules.

11. Protests:

11.1. Competitors protesting a boat shall comply with ISSA PR 16 notification (a) and (b) and RRS 61.1. Failure to do so may be grounds for closing the protest hearing under RRS 63.5.

11.2. A competitor shall not communicate with anyone other than teammates or other competitors before reporting to the RC an intension to file a protest. Breaking this rule may be grounds for closing the protest hearings. This changes RRS 61.

12. Coaching:

12.1. All coaching will take place on shore or on the docks at Hoover Sailing Club. Coaches will not be allowed to go afloat during the regatta unless an emergency arises and directed by the OA, PRO or if safety mandates.

13. Prizes:

13.1. Trophies awarded to Top 3 teams.

13.2. Championship qualifying:

This is a qualifier for the MISSA Team Racing Championship/Baker Qualifier May 1-2. The number of berths allocated shall be determined in accordance with MISSA Supplemental Rule 5.5 and posted on the official notice board on TechScore prior to the competitor meeting

The top seven (7) overall finishing schools in FLEET racing between the Ohio and Michigan pre-qualifying regattas qualify for the MISSA Mallory Qualifier competition to be held May 15-16 at The Foundry, Cleveland Ohio. That distribution will be calculated based on total registrations at each event (with the larger event getting the 4th berth)

Teams earning a berth must accept it in accordance with MISSA Supplemental Rule 5.10 or it will be rescinded.

14. Housing:

Many local hotels are available within a 10-15 minute drive of the sailing site. Please contact the Regatta Contact if you need further information.

15: Regatta Contact:

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