

2008 Youth Aquatennial Regatta



Notice of Race

Calhoun Yacht Club

Friday, July 11th, 2008

Optimist, Laser Radial and 420 Fleets

RULES: This event will be governed by the 2005 - 2008 ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the prescriptions of the United States Sailing Association, the pertinent Class Rules, the Rules of TCYS, the Notice of Race for the event and the Sailing Instructions. Protests will be heard in all fleets, except Optimist Green, with the Principal Race Officer or their designated representative(s), hearing all protests.

BOATS: Optimist, Laser Radial and Club 420

ELIGIBILITY: Laser Radial sailors and C420 sailors must not turn 21 during 2008. Optimist sailors must not turn 16 during 2008.

**A sailor's age for scoring purposes is their age on June 13, 2008.
This is the date of the first regatta in the TCYS season.**

Optimist White Fleet: Age 10 and under

Optimist Blue Fleet: Age 11 and 12

Optimist Red Fleet: Age 13 through 15

Green fleet Optimists have no age restriction other than not turning 16 during 2008, but should be novice sailors. An adult advisor, parent, or coach must accompany participants under 18 years of age. TCYS membership is required and available at registration.

ENTRY: Please register at the regatta: Laser Radials and 420's register at the CYC Boathouse at the NE corner of Lake Calhoun near the main dock, Optimist sailors register at Thomas Beach on the south shore of Lake Calhoun.

CHARTER: Club 420 charters (\$25) can be arranged through Larry Salzman, 612-927-8552. Charters must bring their own sails, spinnaker and spinnaker pole.

WHERE: Club 420's and Laser Radials will race out of the NE corner of Lake Calhoun at the Calhoun Yacht Club area. Optimists will race off of Thomas beach on the south shore of Lake Calhoun.

| <u>ENTRY FEE:</u> | <u>TCYS Members</u> | <u>Others</u> |
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| Optimist or Laser Radial | \$25.00 | \$30.00 |
| Club 420 Team | \$40.00 | \$45.00 |

Lunches are included. No participant will be accepted without entry fee. The entry fee is not refundable.

TCYS membership fee is \$20.

SCHEDULE:

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| 8:00 AM | Check-in and on-site registration |
| 8:45 AM | Check-in and registration closes |
| 9:00 AM | Skippers' Meeting |
| 9:30 AM | Racing starts |
| 12:00 Noon | Lunch - provided to competitors and paid coaches. |
| 12:45 PM | Racing resumes; we will attempt to complete 5 races for the day. |

Competitors should make every effort to rig before the 9:00 AM Skippers' Meeting.

Generally, no race shall start after 3:00 PM. Awards will follow the last race.

SCORING: The Low Point Scoring System will be used. If 5 races are completed there will be one throwout race, if 4 or fewer races are completed there will be no throwouts.

AWARDS : Our traditional M&M trophies will be awarded for first place finish in each race. Awards will be presented to the top finishers in the following fleets: Laser Radial, Club 420, Optimist Green, Optimist Overall and Optimist Red, Blue and White fleets:

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| Optimist Red, White and Blue Fleets | 1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd Place |
| Optimist Green Fleet | 1 st through 5 th Place |
| Club 420 Skipper and Crew | 1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd Place |
| Laser Radial | 1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd Place |

For further information contact: Regatta Co-Chairs: Bill Kirkpatrick, bill@bigblueboxes.com, for Optimist fleets and Ron Berg, hronberg@aol.com, for Laser Radial and 420 fleets. Also, visit the Calhoun Yacht Club web site at: <http://www.lakecalhoun.org>