NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the ISSA Procedural Rules, the MISSA By-Laws and District Rules, this Notice of Race and the Sailing instructions. In the case of a conflict between the governing documents and the Sailing Instructions the latter shall take precedence.
- 1.2 In accordance with rule 70.5 (a), decisions of the protest committee are final. US Sailing's permission has been granted.
- 1.3 The organizing authority is the Midwest Interscholastic Sailing Association (MISSA), in conjunction with Community Sailing School.

NO Dogs are allowed at Pontiac Yacht Club

2. ELIGIBILITY

- 1. Competing schools must be members of MISSA. This is a tier 2 fleet race regatta.
- 2. This is open to all MISSA Northeast high schools and is a closed qualifier. State Championship is MICHIGAN only.
- 3. Eligible schools may only enter one team. A team shall have no fewer than 4 sailors and no more than 8.
- 4. Sailors must be in grades 9 through 12.
- No mixed teams.

3. REGISTRATION, ENTRY FEE & DEADLINE

- 3.1 The entry fee is \$60 per competitor. There will be lunch at this regatta, (snacks, and breakfast are not included.) You must have a refillable water bottle.
- 3.2 All Registrations will be online using the following and a link will be sent after you contact the organizer. frikkerl@communitysailingschool.org. By entering this regatta, it serves as your waiver.
- 3.3 Deadline for registration is September 19, 2025 by 1700.

4. BOATS AND FORMAT

- 4.1 420 will be provided.
- 4.2 The Regatta will consist of A and B divisions of 420's Round-Robin format. Three races A and B constitutes a regatta.

5. SCHEDULE

Saturday September 27, 2025

- 8:00 Check-in. Immediately rig boats after check-in at the Sailing Center.
- 9:00 Competitor's meeting at PYC.
- 9:57 First Warning
- 12:00

There is no end time.

Sunday September 29, 2024

- 8:30 Check-in. Immediately rig boats after check-in.
- 9:00 Competitor's meeting on Pavilion Dock
- 10:00 First Warning
- 12:00
- 15:00 No races shall commence unless to complete a rotation in the series.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

6.1 Sailing Instructions will be posted on the white board at PYC and available via Techscore

7. VENUE and RACING AREA

7.1 The venue will be on Cass Lake. Report to the Sailing Center, 3206 Orchard Lake for check in.

8. COURSES

8.1 Based on conditions, the Race Committee will determine courses in accordance with the ISSA Procedural Rules (PR). Teams must provide a coach boat.

9. SCORING

9.1 Scoring will be done in accordance with ISSA Procedural Rules

10. SUPPORT BOATS and COACHING

10.1 No parents are allowed in the coach boats for spectating.

13. PRIZES

- 13.1 State Championship awards will be awarded.
- 13.2 This is also a qualifier for the Great Lakes Championship in Chicago on October 25 and 26. 1st place 4th earn a berth GLC. 5th 7th place earn a berth to the Shepherd Regatta.

13.3 Advancing teams must notify the MISSA District Director and MISSA North East League Representative by noon on Tuesday following the regatta by noon.

16. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

- 16.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk.
- 16.2 The race organizers (Organizing Authority, race committee, protest committee, host club, or any other organization or official) will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta. By participating in this event, each competitor agrees to release the race organizers from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in the event to the fullest extent permitted by law.
- 16.3 Entry in this regatta serves as your waiver.

17. REGATTA CONTACTS

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