

**2023 New York State Championship**  
**Chautauqua Lake Community Sailing and Chautauqua Lake Yacht Club**  
**43 East Lake Street**  
**Lakewood, NY 14750**  
**May 20-21, 2023**

**Notice of Race**

**1. RULES:**

1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*, the [ISSA Procedural Rules](#), and the [Scholastic Dinghy Class Rules](#), the MASSA Supplemental Rules, the MASSA Code of Conduct, this NOR, and the Sailing Instructions. In the event of a conflict between the governing documents and the Sailing Instructions, the latter shall take precedence.

1.2. The Organizing Authority (OA) is the Mid-Atlantic Scholastic Sailing Association (MASSA) and the New York Interscholastic Sailing Association (South-East) in conjunction with the host Chautauqua Lake Community Sailing Foundation with cooperation of the Chautauqua Lake Yacht Club

1.3 In accordance with RRS 70.5(a) decisions of the protest committee are final, and US Sailing permission has been granted.

**2. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** The sailing instructions will be posted on Tech Score prior to the report time for the regatta.

**3. COMMUNICATION:** The online official notice board will be Tech Score.

**4. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY:**

4.1. Competing schools and competitors must be members of ISSA and MASSA and meet ISSA eligibility rules as prescribed in the Procedural Rules.

4.2. Selection of competing schools will be by league determination. The regatta has 12 berths. Allocations will be determined by the MASSA board. Schools should contact their league directors to find out details regarding district qualifiers.

4.3. Eligible schools and sailors must enter by registering with the MASSA Director and Regatta Chair on the google doc by **May 17, 2023**. If the elimination for your league is to be held after this date, please have the league director contact the MASSA Director immediately so arrangements can be made. [https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1oy5AloMbK\\_bpKWjnKMje1KZ6YScSuac2SUSD82o0x3Q/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1oy5AloMbK_bpKWjnKMje1KZ6YScSuac2SUSD82o0x3Q/edit?usp=sharing)

4.4. Teams unable to compete must notify the regatta chairperson and the MASSA Director as soon as possible.

4.5. MASSA will reallocate vacant district quotas. The first open allocation will go to the host league. A berth becomes vacant when the qualifying league becomes unable to fill the berth.

**5. FEES:**

5.1. There will be no fees for this regatta.

**5. Boats:**

6.1. 12 Laser Performance Z420's will be provided by the host. Boats will be sailed as provided. No changes are allowed to standing rigging.

6.2 A & B Fleets will swap boats after a two race set is sailed (Navy rotation).

## 7. SCHEDULE:

### Saturday, May 20

- 0830 Report Time Chautauqua Lake Yacht Club Coffee , Juice and bagels will be provided free of charge
- 0900 Competitors' meeting
- 0930 Harbor Start (CLCSF Lakewood Village Park ,Richard O'Hartley Building)
- First warning as soon as possible after launching.

CLYC Snack Bar will be open for food purchase and lunch items from 11:30 to 3:00 PM.

CLYC Bar and Clubhouse will be open for Spectators.

CLYC locker rooms with hot showers will be open and available for changing.

CLYC Full Service Menu Dinner may be purchased in clubhouse from 5:00 until 9:00 PM . Reservations are appreciated.

### Sunday, May 21

- 0830 Report Time -Chautauqua Lake Yacht Club Coffee will be provided free of charge
- 0930 Harbor Start (CLCSF Lakewood Village, O'Hartley Building)
- 1400 No Starting Signal After
- Awards - immediately following stowing of boats at CLYC

CLYC Snack Bar/ Grill will be open for food purchase and lunch items from 11:30 to 3:00 PM.

CLYC Bar and Clubhouse will be open for Spectators.

CLYC Locker rooms with hot showers will be open and available for changing.

Changes to the schedule will be posted on the official notice board.

**\*\*\* Teams/Coaches/Spectators will head to CLYC after boats head out on the water\*\*\***

**8. RACING AREA:** All races will be sailed in front of CLYC and CLCSF (Richard O' Hartley)

### **9. SAFETY:**

9.1 PR 2.4 [pinnies required] will be in affect and the penalty will be PR 2.5(b) [10 points per division]

9.2 At its discretion, the Race Committee or Organizing Authority may require a competitor to retire from racing if the competitor is determined to be a risk to their own or others' safety.

### **10. COACHING:**

10.1. All coaching will happen on land. Rotations & substitutions will happen on the water directly from a safety boat. Sailors will be brought back to shore after rotations for coaching. The number of spare sailors you plan to bring must be reported to the regatta chair upon registration.

10.2. Coaching will be allowed between sets of races only after even races while rotating. Or by announcement from the Race Committee.

10.3. Coaches shall not go afloat on boats.

**11. SPECTATORS:** Spectators are permitted to watch from CLYC and CLCSF/CLYC clubhouse will be available to all participants, coaches and spectators. There will be no spectator boats. Coaching will only happen from the rotation dock. Spectating will only be permitted from CLYC / CLCSF property and docks.

**12. PRIZES:**

12.1. Prizes will be awarded to the top 3 schools.

**13. RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS:** By participating in this event, competitors automatically grant to the Organizing Authority and the event sponsors the right, in perpetuity, to make, use and show, at their discretion, any photography, audio and video recordings, and other reproductions of them made at the venue or on the water from the time of their arrival at the venue, until their final departure, without compensation.

**14. WAIVER OF LIABILITY:** Sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury. Competitors in this event are participating entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The race organizers (organizing authority, race committee, protest committee, host club, sponsors, or any other organization or official) will not be responsible for damage to any boat or other property or the injury to any competitor, including death, sustained as a result of participation in this event. 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 this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

**15. VENUE SITE:** [www.sailclcsf.org](http://www.sailclcsf.org) Chautauqua Lake Community Sailing Foundation (CLCSF) and the Chautauqua Lake Yacht Club.

**16. HOUSING:**

16.1. Housing will not be provided.

16.2. For a list of local hotels & restaurants, please visit [www.tourchatauqua.com](http://www.tourchatauqua.com) for more detail on food, and hotels. Snack bar will be available to all regatta participants and spectators at CLYC after 12pm.

**17. TRAVEL AND TRANSPORTATION:**

17.1. Buffalo Niagara International Airport 82 miles (1.5 hours)

**18. REGATTA CONTACTS:**

**Regatta Chair:** Hunter Farris - 716-720-1550 [huter.farris@yahoo.com](mailto:huter.farris@yahoo.com)

**Principal Race Officer** Rick Turner

**MASSA Director**

Dr. Randall Nunn MASSA District Director - [MASSADistrict@gmail.com](mailto:MASSADistrict@gmail.com)