



TURKEY LEG REGATTA SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12TH 2016

Host – [Spring Lake Sailing Team \(SLST\)](#) - Spring Lake MI
Organizing Authority – MISSA

NOTICE OF RACE

1 - RULES

1.1 – This is a MISSA Tier 3 Regatta and will be governed by the rules as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2013-2016*, ISSA Procedural Rules, MISSA By-laws, District rules, this notice of race and the sailing instructions.

2 - ELIGIBILITY and ENTRY

2.1 - All High School Varsity and Junior Varsity teams are welcome. Competitors must be grades 7-12. Membership in MISSA and ISSA is required.

2.2 - Teams comprised of members from multiple schools are eligible. HOWEVER- It is the responsibility of coaches and advisors to organize and register those teams.

2.3 - Scoring will be in TechScore and you must be active in the system.

2.3 - Eligible schools and sailors register on Eventbrite <http://bit.ly/turkeyleg2016>

2.4 - The entry deadline is Friday, October 28, 2016. No late registrations accepted.

2.5 - The regatta will consist of A and B divisions of 420's (no traps, mainsheet bridles or spinnakers). The regatta will be a round robin format, 420 divisions will rotate boats after every two races.

A full team shall be comprised of a skipper and crew (alternates optional) for A division; and a skipper and crew (alternates optional) for B division.

3 - FEES

The entry fee is \$30 per competitor and includes continental breakfast and turkey dinner with all the fixings on Saturday for all sailors and one coach. Extra dinners will be available for purchase at the event for \$8.

4 - BOATS

4.1 – SFHSS will provide sixteen 420's for the rotation. If we need more we will ask you to bring boats.

4.2 - Registration is limited to the first 20 teams. Additional teams may be added based on availability of borrowed 420's.

5 – SCHEDULE

| DAY | DATE | TIME | EVENT |
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| Saturday | 11/12 | 08:00-08:45 | Check-in & Boat setup |
| | | 9:00 | Competitors Meeting |
| | | 9:30 | First Warning Signal |
| | | 16:30 | No Warning Signal after this time |
| | | | Awards to follow |



6 – SAILING INSTRUCTIONS – available at registration

7 – RACING AREA – if conditions allow, will be the portion of Spring Lake immediately in front of SLYC to facilitate prime spectating opportunity.

8 – COURSES – will be in accordance with ISSA Procedural Rules (PR).

9 – SCORING

9.1 – Scoring will be done in accordance with ISSA Procedural Rules

9.2 – All completed races will be counted

10 – COACHING

10.1 – All coaches shall be registered in accordance with MISSA By-Laws, Section 3 “Registration – Coaches” and must be on the team roster prior to October 21st, 2016

10.2 – Team-leaders, chaperones, advisors, coaches and other support personnel are welcome to coach between races. Cheering and noisemakers are highly encouraged.

11 – AWARDS

Will be presented

12 – PROTESTS

12.1 – Protests must be filed with the Race Committee no later than 30 minutes after the RC Signal boat has docked. Docking time will be posted on the Official Notice Board.

12.2 – Protest procedure will be in accordance with ISSA Procedural Rules Part VI

12.3 – Competitors who either file a protest or are being protested may not consult or seek guidance on the protest filing or process from anyone other than teammates and competitors, from the time of the incident to the filing of the protest. Breaking this rule may be grounds for closing the protest.

13 – SAFETY

13.1 – While afloat, competitors must wear US Coast Guard Type III or Type V PFDs and these must be worn OUTSIDE all apparel (including but not limited to splash guards and drysuits) except sleeveless rash guards or school team pinnies used to prevent snags in rigging or improve team/school identification.

13.2 – Every power boat afloat is a safety boat and will assist sailors when needed

14 – REGATTA CONTACTS

Registration: David Wolters 616-402-6926 springlakesailing@gmail.com

15 – HOUSING

Nearest Hotels:

- Holiday Inn, 940 W. Savidge, Spring Lake ph 855-450-0674
- Days Inn, 1500 S. Beacon Blvd., Grand Haven ph 616-842-1999
- Hampton Inn, 1401 East Ellis Rd., Muskegon ph 888-315-3736
- Baymont Inn & Suites, 4677 South Harvey St., Muskegon ph 855-315-1654
- Fairfield Inn & Suites, 1520 E. Mount Garfield Rd., Muskegon ph 855-315-0545

16 – LOCATION

Spring Lake Yacht Club, 17500 West Spring Lake Road, Spring Lake, MI 49456

