



**MISSA Keelboat Championship**  
**Culver Academies, Culver, Indiana**  
**Notice of Race**



**Date: October 1-2, 2022**

**Location:** Culver Academies Naval Building, Lake Maxinkuckee, Indiana.

**Class: Keelboat, Capri 22**

**Tier 2 Regatta**

**1. Rules:**

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024, the prescriptions of US Sailing, ISSA Procedural Rules, MISSA District rules, this Notice of Race, and the Sailing Instructions. In the event of a conflict between the governing documents, the Sailing Instructions will take precedence.
- 1.2 ISSA Rule 5.1 will be strictly enforced. Any participant breaching this rule will result in immediate disqualification from the regatta and removal from Culver property for that participant and their team. Entering the regatta constitutes participant agreement with this rule and penalty.
- 1.3 The organizing authority is MISSA in conjunction with Culver Academies.

**2. Eligibility:**

- 2.1 This is a MISSA Tier 2 regatta, open to all MISSA teams in good standing.
- 2.2 The regatta is limited to 16 teams. Additional teams will be added to a waitlist.
- 2.3 This regatta is a qualifier for the ISSA National Keelboat Invitational at St. Petersburg Yacht Club, Florida on December 10-11, 2022. The winning team must accept their berth in accordance with MISSA District Rule 5.11. If the berth is not accepted by the deadline it will be offered to the next qualified team by the MISSA President.
- 2.4 Teams shall be comprised of a crew of 4. At least one boy and one girl must be on the crew at all times.

**3. Entry and Communications:**

- 3.1 Teams may enter by filling the form and paying the Entry Fee at the **MISSA Registration** site by 2300 Eastern Time on Sunday, September 23, 2022. All entries must be made through the site.
- 3.2 Each school may enter one team.



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3.3 Each team must complete an Entry Form with waiver. The Entry Form must be completed and submitted before the end of registration on Saturday October 1. Incomplete or missing forms will result in the respective team/school being excluded from the regatta.

3.4 Entered teams unable to compete must notify the Regatta Chairperson and their MISSA representative as soon as possible. All entry fees are final and nonrefundable after 1700 Eastern Time on Friday, September 23. Registrations are not transferable between teams.

#### 4. Entry Fee

4.1 The entry fee is \$200 per team. This includes 2 breakfasts and 2 lunches. Each team will receive 2 breakfast and 2 lunch tickets free for 1 coach/parent/chaperon. Team leaders, coaches, and parents can buy additional meal tickets for \$10 each, cash only, during registration from 0700-0800 Saturday.

4.2 All entry fees must be submitted through the **MISSA Registration** site.

#### 5. Damage Deposits

5.1 A damage deposit of (\$500.00) **per boat** is required. The refundable boat damage deposit may be submitted via mail before the regatta, or in cash or check at regatta registration. Schools that fail to do so will not compete. The deposit is refundable provided all equipment and boats are returned undamaged. All boats will be inspected prior to and after sailing for preexisting and new damage. Checks should be made payable to Culver Academies.

#### 6. Housing

6.1 Woodcraft Camp Cabins will be available on a first-come, first-serve basis. They are for athletes and a coach/chaperons. They sleep 12 athletes plus the required adult chaperon in a separate single room. Multiple schools may share a cabin. Please make these arrangements between teams, then notify the Regatta Chair. Please note: the accommodations are quite utilitarian – the cabins are unheated with separate bathroom buildings. There will be designated male/female cabins, *not co-ed*. Bunk beds with mattresses are provided. Bathrooms do have hot water and showers. You will need to supply your own pillows, bedding/sleeping bag, and towels.

6.2 Cabins must be reserved by 1700 Eastern Time on Friday, September 23. Please pay for your cabin at the [Eventbrite](#) site, after paying the school's *entry and registration fees on the MISSA site*.

6.3 Check-in for housing will be between 1800-2100 Eastern Time on Friday or during registration on Saturday morning.

6.4 Cabins will be inspected prior to check-out on Sunday at 1430 Eastern Time. Schools will be charged from their damage deposit if their respective cabin(s) are damaged or left excessively messy.



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**7. Boats**

7.1 10 Capri 22s will be provided by Culver Academies. Boats will be sailed as provided. Symmetrical spinnakers are included on the boats.

7.2 Dock space is available for visiting team coach boats.

**8. Racing Format**

8.1 The format of the regatta will be included in the Sailing Instructions. The Regatta Chair and Organizing Authority reserve the right to alter the format of the regatta as they see fit.

**9. Schedule**

<b><u>Day</u></b>	<b><u>Time (Eastern)</u></b>	
Friday	1800-2100	Housing Check-In
Saturday	0700	Dining Hall open for breakfast
	0830-0900	Registration, housing check-in for Saturday arrivals
	0900	Coach's meeting
	0915	Competitor's meeting
	0930	Rigging and launching of boats
	1000	First warning
Sunday	0730	Dining Hall open for breakfast
	0900	Coach's meeting
	0915	Competitor's meeting
	0930	Rigging and launching of boats
	1000	First warning
	1100	Cabin inspections & checkout begins
	1430	No race started after this time
	1500	Boat check-in and damage deposit return begins.
	1545	Awards

**10. Awards**

10.1 Trophies will be awarded to the Top 3 boats.

**11. Official Notice**

11.1 Losses and damages to borrowed equipment due to willful, wanton, negligent or careless handling of aforementioned equipment shall be the responsibility of the school or team members. By submitting registration the respective school agrees and guarantees reimbursement to the Culver Educational Foundation in the event of such loss or damage.



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11.2 The Culver Academies campus is tobacco free and any such use will result in immediate dismissal from the property of the offender by Campus Security. While on the Culver campus, teams must be accompanied by a designated adult, who may be an adviser, coach, or parent recognized by the school.

**12. Rights to Use Name and Likeness**

12.1 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.

**13. Waiver of Liability**

13.1 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.

13.2 The race organizers (organizing authority, race committee, protest committee, host organization, 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.

**14. Regatta Committee Contacts**

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