



MSS #1
Organised by MISSA
Hosted White Bear Sailing
School
56 Dellwood Avenue
September 17th



Notice of Race (NOR)

1 RULES

1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.

1.2 The ISSA Procedural Rules 2021-2024 available at <https://hssailing.org/documents/ISSA-PR-2021-2024.pdf> apply.

1.3 The MISSA Supplemental Rules available at <https://missa.hssailing.org/about/missa-district-rules> apply.

2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

2.1 The sailing instructions will be available after 1700 Friday, September 16th, 2022 at <https://scores.hssailing.org/f22/mss-conference/>.

2.2 Changes to the sailing instructions may be made on the water in accordance with RRS 90.2(c). Competitors will be told by RC or support boats.

3 COMMUNICATION

3.1 The online official notice board is located at <https://scores.hssailing.org/f22/mss-conference/>

3.2 On the water, the race committee will make courtesy broadcasts to competitors & coaches on VHF radio. The channel will be stated in the SIs.

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

4.1 This event is a MISSA Tier #3 regatta, open to 7th -12th grade sailors from mixed schools who are a part of MISSA teams in good standing.

4.2 Boats may enter the event by registering online at <https://theclubspot.com/register/regatta/6FyWUiNEYJ/class>

4.3 To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees by Thursday, September 15th at 1700.

4.6 The following restrictions on the number of boats apply: 15 Teams

4.5 Schools must make full teams before supplying team members to mixed teams.

5 FEES

5.1 Entry fees are as follows: \$40.00 per team.

5.2 Lunch is not provided. Bring your own lunch.

6 SCHEDULE

6.1 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race each day is 1000.

6.2 On the last scheduled day of racing no warning signal will be made after 1500.

7 COURSES

7.1 Courses will be set and sailed in accordance to the recommendations set forth in the ISSA Procedural Rules 2021-2024. Any changes will be noted in the Sailing Instructions.

8 SCORING

8.1 A minimum of three races in each division is required for a regatta to be scored.

8.2 A boat's series score shall be the total of her race scores, in accordance with ISSA PR.

9 SUPPORT PERSON VESSELS

9.1 Support vessels shall keep clear of the race course and only coach from the SI designated area between races.

10 HOUSING

10.1 Housing is not provided. Hotel recommendations: AmericInn by Wyndham in White Bear Lake. Best Western in White Bear Lake.

11 RISK STATEMENT

11.1 RRS 3 states: ‘The responsibility for a boat’s decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.’ By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury. **Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia or other causes.**

12 PRIZES

12.1 Trophies will be given to 1st-3rd place overall and first place in each division.

13 COVID-19

13.1 The sailing instructions may specify additional ISSA PR changes that affect the schedule, including (but not limited to): limiting equipment rotations, limiting sailor rotations between divisions, scheduling divisions during separate times, or sailing both divisions concurrently on the water.

13.2 Health screenings may be required before entering regatta site

13 FURTHER INFORMATION

13.1 Regatta Contact: Michael Stone at sailwbss@gmail.com