



Denver Sailing Association &
Community Sailing of Colorado
Present the

Cherry Creek Junior Open 2008

August 23, 2008

Invitation

If you're 18 or under, you're Invited!

Place: Cherry Creek Reservoir, gather at the Marina on the west side of the lake.

Fees: \$5 for single-handed boats, \$10 for double-handed

Schedule: 8-10 AM – boat rigging
9-10 AM – registration, sailing instructions given out
10:30 AM – competitors' meeting
11:30 AM – first race, more to follow
???? PM – lunch break
After lunch – more races
4:00 PM – cut-off time for starting last race, no race after
After racing – awards ceremony

To borrow a boat: Available boats are limited: First come, first served. Reserve in advance by calling Steven Frank, 303-757-7718. A recommendation from an instructor, yacht club or sailing program is needed to qualify you for borrowing a boat..

Waiver form required: Parents or guardians need to sign the waiver on the entry form.

Official Notice of Regatta

- 1. The Regatta:** Denver Sailing Association, as organizing authority, will conduct the Cherry Creek Junior Open Regatta in cooperation with Community Sailing of Colorado at Cherry Creek Reservoir Saturday, August 23, 2008
- 2. Schedule:** Registration will be held 0900-1000 hours August 23 on the main dock of Cherry Creek Marina. Sailing Instructions will be distributed to competitors at Registration. A competitor's meeting will be held at 1030 hours to announce fleets and starting order.

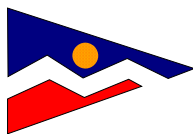
Warning Signal for the first race is anticipated at 1200, subsequent races to follow. Up to nine (9) races are anticipated. No race will be started after 1600 hours. A lunch break is planned between races. One (1) race completed will constitute the regatta.

- 3. Rules:** Races will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS). Sailing instructions may modify rules as permitted in the RRS
- 4. Eligibility & Entry:** Competitors who have not reached their 19th birthday by January 1, 2008 are

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eligible to enter. Eligible boats are single-handed and double-handed monohull dinghies. Each boat must display sail numbers which shall not be the same as sail numbers of other boats in its fleet.

5. **Entries:** Entry may be made by completing & submitting the enclosed entry form with parental consent and paying the \$5.00 entry fee per competitor. (See instructions on the form.) Competitors may also be required to register with Community Sailing of Colorado.
6. **Classes/Fleets:** Fleets will be determined by the race committee following registration.
7. **Notices to Competitors:** Notices to competitors will be posted on the north wall of the Cherry Creek Marian office. Notices will include classes and start order, any changes in schedule or sailing instructions and protests if any.
8. **Signals Made Ashore:** Will be made from the committee boat at its slip
9. **Sailing Instructions:** Sailing Instructions will be distributed at Registration and may be posted in advance on the Denver Sailing Association website, <http://www.denversailing.org/>. The Race Committee may, in the sailing instructions, modify the Racing Rules as permitted by the RRS. Courses to be sailed will be described in the sailing instructions.
10. **Scoring System:** Mixed fleet (different kinds of boats) races will be scored by Portsmouth handicap. The regatta will be scored using the Low Point System in Appendix A of the RRS, as modified in sailing instructions. If only one race is completed, there will be no discarded scores – this changes Appendix A2.
11. **Prizes:** Trophies will be awarded based on the number of competitors in each class.
12. **Contact Information:** For more information, contact Ralph Taylor, rt-sails@comcast.net, 303-771-3271.



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Entry Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephones - Home: _____ Work: _____

E-Mail: _____

I am a member of: _____ (*Yacht club, fleet, SAIL, or US Sailing*)

Boat Name: _____

Boat Class: _____ Sail Number(s): _____

Entry Fee:

Entries	Number _____	\$ 5.00 each
Total		\$ _____

I agree to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing and by all other rules that govern this event.

_____/_____/2008
Signature Date

As the parent or legal guardian of the minor named above, I give my consent for his/her participation in this event and agree to be bound by the rules as described above.

Waiver of Liability: I recognize that the sport of sailing entails inherent risks which may result in property damage, injury or death. In consideration of his/her being allowed to participate, I accept these risks on behalf of the above minor.

_____/_____/2008
Signature Date

Mail completed form and entry fee to Ralph Taylor, 6174 So. Macon Way, Englewood, CO 80111 by August 15, 2008 or bring to Cherry Creek Marina by 9:00 AM on August 23, 2008