



ENSIGN REGION V CHAMPIONSHIP REGATTA

July 20 - 22, 2007

Organizing Authority: Ensign Class Association
Hosts: Ensign Fleet 43 and Mentor Harbor Yachting Club
5330 Coronada Drive Mentor, Ohio 44060 Mentor, Ohio



NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2. Ensign Class Association, Part II, Rule 12-Outboard Motors will not be enforced for this regatta.

2. ELIGIBILITY

- 2.1. The regatta is open to boats of the Ensign Class. Current ECA membership is required.
- 2.2. Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached form and sending it, together with the required fees to Mentor Harbor Yachting Club.
- 2.3. Contestants will be required to sign a waiver and release form at time of registration.
- 2.4. Entries will be accepted until July 19.
- 2.5. Sails **may** be measured if they have not been measured at a prior Ensign event.

3. FEES

- 3.1. Entry fee for US SAILING members is \$110.
- 3.2. Entry fee for non-US SAILING members is \$120.

4. SCHEDULE

- 4.1. Registration and sail measurement at the East Beach Pavilion.
 - 4.1.1. Thursday, July 19 from 3pm to 7pm.
 - 4.1.2. Friday, July 20 from 8am until 9am.
- 4.2. Boat Launching: Thursday (all day) and Friday morning.
- 4.3. Skipper's meeting: East Beach Pavilion at 9:00am Friday, July 20th.
- 4.4. Racing and Social schedule: Complimentary coffee and pastries on the east beach before racing each day. Complimentary refreshments after racing each day.

	Date	Warning Signal	Time after which a warning signal can not be made	Social Schedule
Boat launch and rig*	Thursday, July 19	None	None	Casual cookout on the "East Beach" @ 7pm
Races**	Friday, July 20	11:00 AM	3:00 PM	Bar-B-Q on Pool Deck @ 7pm
Races	Saturday, July 21	10:00 AM	3:00 PM	Pig Roast @ 7pm
Races	Sunday, July 22	10:00 AM	Noon	Awards banquet with light lunch 1 hour after last race.

* For assistance, let us know when you expect to arrive.

**The race committee will attempt to get in as many races as possible for a total of no more than eight races.

5. **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** will be provided at registration and at the Skipper's meeting.
6. **VENUE:** Racing will be on Lake Erie, approximately 1 mile from the harbor entrance.
7. **COURSES:** Courses will be windward/leeward or triangular. Diagrams will be included in the sailing instructions.
8. **SCORING:**
 - 8.1. One complete race is required to constitute a series.
 - 8.2. Scoring shall be as described in the Ensign Class Rules, Part III, Rule 12.
 - 8.3. When fewer than six races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. When six or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
9. **LAUNCHING and DOCKAGE:** A jib hoist and 2 concrete boat ramps will be available at Mentor Harbor Yachting Club. Dockage is included from Tuesday, July 17 through Tuesday, July 24
10. **HOUSING:** Lodging is available at several motels located 10 to 20 minutes from the yacht club. Closest to MHYC at Rt. 306 and Rt.2 are:

Studio 6	440-946-0749
Comfort Inn	440-951-7333
Super 8 Motel	440-951-8558.
11. **METHOD OF PAYMENT:** Entry fee by check or cash. MHYC accepts credit cards.
12. **CLUB FACILITIES:** (pool, showers, snack bar, beach, playground) will be available to participants and their families. Check out their website at www.mhyc.us.
13. **LOCAL GROCERY:** Nearby are "Lighthouse" Deli and Beverage (440-209-9988) and "Laguna" Tackle (440)257-7016, located at the intersection of Hopkins Road and Lakeshore Boulevard, less than one mile from the club. A full service grocery "Giant Eagle" (440-257-7271) is located on Andrews Rd. west of the club.
14. **BOATING SUPPLIES:** Blystone's Marine (440-257-5353) at 5670 Andrews Rd is 5 minutes from the club.
15. **PRIZES:** The top three finishing competitors will receive trophies.
16. **MORE INFORMATION:** Call Linda Jayne (440)227-8781 or Jon Ogborn (440)639-0012



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ENTRY FORM

Skippers Name: _____ Boat Name: _____ Boat #: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Fleet #: _____

Phone (H): _____ Phone (O): _____ Yacht Club: _____

Email: _____

Crew Names: Crew 1 _____
 Crew 2 _____
 Crew 3 _____
 Alternate _____

Regatta Fees:

US SAILING member ----- \$110.00 _____
 Non-member US SAILING ----- \$120.00 _____
 Ensign Class Dues for 2007 (if unpaid) ----- \$25.00 _____

Thursday evening cookout (included in entry fee) ----- How Many? _____ @\$ 0.00

Friday Bar-B-Q(2 tickets are included) ----- Additional tickets? _____ @\$15.00 _____

Saturday Pig Roast ----- How Many? _____ @\$15.00 _____

T-shirts (Cool, retro design on pigment-dyed faded shirts) ----- How Many? _____ @\$15.00 _____

TOTAL _____

Register by July 13 and two of your selections will be included free with your registration

Size	Slate Blue	Burnt Orange	Sage Green
Small			
Medium			
Large			
XL			
XXL			

See the T-shirt design on the next page...

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

Skipper Signature _____ **Date** _____

Make checks payable to: Mentor Harbor Yachting Club/Ensign Regatta
 Mail to: 5330 Coronada Drive, Mentor-on-the-Lake, Ohio 44060



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Burnt Orange



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