

Union Sailing Club



2014 Colorado Butterfly Championship Notice of Race

Location: Union Reservoir, Longmont, Colorado

Date: June 22, 2014

Organizing Authority: Union Sailing Club

Visit www.unionsailingclub.org **for a map and other information.**

1. Rules:

This Regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the [Racing Rules of Sailing 2013-2016](#).

2. Eligibility and Entry:

The event is open to Butterfly sailboats and skippers who fill out a registration form and pay the appropriate fees.

3. Fees:

Regatta Entry Fees:

Registration: \$20, USC or US Sailing members receive a \$5 discount (\$15).

Entry fee includes great racing, the opportunity to have a great time and win bragging rights among your fleet, and trophies. Entry fee does not include mandatory Union Reservoir Park vehicle or boat passes, available at the park entry station.

http://www.ci.longmont.co.us/parks/park_list/overview/unionfees.htm

4. Schedule of Events:

Sunday, June 22, 2014

08:30 to 09:30 Registration at USC

09:30 Skippers Meeting

10:00 Warning signal for the first race, additional races to immediately follow

No race will be started after 16:00.

Awards ceremony will be held as soon as practical after the last race, at the USC clubhouse.

5. Sailing Instructions:

The 2014 Union Sailing Club Sailing Instructions will apply, with any changes announced at the Skippers Meeting. The Sailing Instructions are available at the Union Sailing Club web site: <http://www.unionsailingclub.org/racing/overview>

6. Regatta Site:

A. The regatta site will be at Union Sailing Club on the south-eastern shore of Union Reservoir, Longmont, Colorado. **NOTE: Only launching by hand or by hand-dolly is allowed at USC.** Trailer launching is available at the public launch ramp at the South West end of the lake.

B. Any boats being brought on site must report to the Union Reservoir Park main gate to be inspected for Aquatic Nuisance Species (ANS) by the Park staff prior to launching. This applies to all trailered boats, even those launched at the USC ramps.

7. Racing Area and Courses: Racing area and courses will be as shown on the Union Sailing Club Race Marks Map, available at the Union Sailing Club web site:

<http://www.unionsailingclub.org/racing/overview>

8. Scoring: The Low Point System of Appendix A in the Racing Rules of Sailing will be used. One race is required to be completed to constitute a regatta. When fewer than 5 races are completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. When from 5 to 9 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score. When 10 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her 2 worst scores.

9. Trophies:

First, Second, and Third place boats

First Woman

First Masters (the definition of Masters will be announced at the skippers meeting)

10. Disclaimer of Liability:

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See Racing Rules of Sailing Rule 4, Decision to Race. Union Sailing Club, Union Reservoir Park, the City of Longmont, regatta organizes, and the Race Committee will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.