2024 Hobie® Barnegat Breezer Points Regatta

Division 11 Hobie 14 Championships

Bayville, NJ

July 20-21, 2024

Notice of Race

Organizing Authority: Hobie Fleet 416 and Hobie Class Association of North America

Rules: Racing shall be governed by the current Racing Rules of Sailing, the prescriptions of US Sailing and the class rules of the International Hobie Class Association. Competitors are reminded that per IHCA class rule 26, **at least one crew member per boat shall be a paid member of the Hobie Class Association.**

Eligibility and Entry: This event is open to all class legal Hobie Waves, Hobie 14's, Hobie 16's, Hobie 17's, and Hobie 18's; for an example of what class legal means: Wave sails must be Hobie-branded.

Fees:

Double handed: \$80 Single handed: \$70

Youth: free; Youth are defined as all crew under the age of 21 on 31 December 2024. HCANA membership will be paid for first time skippers. If requested, help will be available to assist inexperienced skippers on Saturday morning prior to racing and Friday evening.

The only way to register is via <u>http://www.regattanetwork.com.</u>

PLEASE REGISTER BEFORE 15 JULY

If you don't register before midnight 15 July, you will have to pay \$10 late fee.

(If you are late, you will still need to register with <u>www.regattanetwork</u> before the regatta)

Schedule:

Friday July 19: Arrive early for practice and set-up Saturday July 20: 8:00 - 9:30 AM: Check-in at registration 10:00 Skippers meeting, 11:30 First shape Sunday July 21: 10:30 First shape No warning signal will be made after 3:00 PM on Sunday

The objective is 3-5 races per day. There is no maximum number of races scheduled.

Sailing Instructions: Sailing instructions will be posted on the event page in Regatta Network and on the official notice board, available Saturday morning. Please read them.

Venue: Trixie's Marina/John C. Bartlett, Jr. County Park (<u>www.trixieslanding.com</u>) 305 Brennan Concourse, Bayville, NJ 08721

Radio communication

Competitors may bring and use VHF radios. Their use and restrictions are described in the Sailing Instructions.

PRIZES : Prizes will be awarded in all classes, including 16B fleet. **If you are B-fleet, please note that on registration.**

DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 3, Decision to Race. 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, thunderstorms and lightning. The organizing authorities 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.

Liability Insurance

Each participating boat shall have current third party liability insurance with a coverage of not less than \$100,000 USD. Proof of liability insurance will be required during Regatta Network registration. Without liability insurance you are excluded from participation in racing at the Barnegat Breezer regatta.

Further information:

General information: contact Kent Smith (jksmiths@peoplepc.com; 267-981-5918)

Additional information

This is a bring-your-own water bottle event. Help the environment.

Social: **BYO chairs and blankets. BYO chairs and blankets.** Continental Breakfast Saturday and Sunday.

Saturday dinner under the Fleet 416 tent: **Potluck dinner - bring dishes to share**. Beverages will be provided. Grills will be provided, but bring a grill if you can. We also ask that when the potluck sharing is done, **please help with cleaning up**.

Sunday: hot dog lunch after racing. Beverages will also be provided. **BYO chairs and blankets. BYO chairs and blankets.**

Accommodation:

Free on-site camping. RV parking (no hookups) and tents on site. Motels in the area – reserve early

Directions:

Please Google Trixies Landing, Bayville, NJ for directions or call for assistance.

To join the Hobie Class Association see https://hcana.hobieclass.com/join/