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2021 Star 45 National Championship Regatta

August 27-28, 2021
Century Park, Vernon Hills, IL 60061
Hosted by the Chicago R/C Model Yacht Club
www.ChicagoRCmyc.org

click here to go to the regatta webpage

1 RULES

- 1.1 The Regatta shall be governed by The Racing Rules of Sailing for 2021–2024 as changed by its Appendix E Radio Sailing Racing Rules and the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.2 Rule E8 will apply. Sail numbers are required on both sides of the jib sail and the main sail. Opaque tape may be used for sail numbers.

2 ELIGIBILITY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all members of the American Model Yachting Association (AMYA).
- 2.2 All yachts entered shall be properly registered with the AMYA Star 45 Class.
- 2.3 Entries from applicants outside the U.S. may be accepted providing Yacht and/or Skipper are properly registered with their national authority.

3 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- 3.1 Check in: Friday 8/27, 800 to 900 hours.
- 3.2 Skippers' Meetings: 0900 hours.
- 3.3 Races:
 - Friday 8/27, Fleet Racing begins at 0930 hours with no fleet race starting after 1600 hours. Saturday 8/28, Fleet Racing begins at 0930 hours with the final race starting before 1400 hours.
- 3.4 Box lunch, water, soft drinks and snacks shall be provided on each day for all participants. Participants may purchase additional box lunches for their guests at \$10 per lunch.
- 3.5 Regatta Barbecue on Friday evening 8/27,1700 hours, at the regatta site. Free for Skippers and \$10 per guest.

4 LOCATION

4.1 The Regatta shall be held at Century Park, 1040 Lakeview Parkway, Vernon Hills, IL. 60061

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ENTRY

- Eligible competitors shall register by completing the entry form and paying the entry fee.
- 5.2 Register by mail. Click here to go to the regatta website.
- 5.3 The entry period shall end on August 17, 2021.
- 5.4 There is no limit on the numbers of yachts in the regatta.

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

6.1 Click here to get the Sailing Instructions on the regatta website.

FLEET MANAGEMENT AND SCORING

- 7.1 Considering the number of skippers, weather, course and equipment conditions, the Race Director may decide to use a racing format of Single Fleet or the Odd – Even System for Regatta Fleets.
- 7.2 The Low Point Scoring System of RRS Appendix A shall apply, using one point as the lowest score. For each eight races sailed, one high score race shall be discarded from each boat's overall score.
- 7.3 It is the skipper's responsibility to ensure that the skipper's boat complies with the class rules. The top three finishing boats will be measured at the end of the regatta.
- 7.4 The Race Director may decide to conduct random, on site verification of equipment, measurements and class authentication. Boats failing to meet AMYA Star 45 Class rules shall be disqualified from any races completed prior to its being brought into compliance and this disqualification is without right to appeal.
- 7.5 Skippers shall come prepared for wet launch and wet retrieval of their yachts from the shore, from a dock or from a boat ramp running into the lake. Conditions shall depend upon which lake at the regatta site is chosen for a race.

PRIZES

8.1 Trophies and gold chevrons shall be awarded to the top three positions.

FURTHER INFORMATION AND CONTACT

- 9.1 For more information <u>click here to go to the regatta webpage</u>.
- 9.2 Contact the Registrar: Bob Armbruster Bob@ArmbrusterCo.com 847-835-2112

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