2024 US Open Water Ski Racing National Championships

September 28 & 29, 2024

Havasu Springs - Parker, AZ

A NWSRA / USAWS Sanctioned Event





SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

SATURDAY Registration / Pole Draw Driver / Observer Meeting Boat Warm-Up US OPEN CIRCLE RACES 7:15 – 8:30 AM 9:00 AM Immediately Following Driver / Observer Meeting Immediately Following Boat Warm Up

 SUNDAY
 Driver / Observer Meeting Boat Warm-Up US OPEN CIRCLE RACES
 8:30 AM

 Immediately Following Driver / Observer Meeting Immediately Following Boat Warm Up

Breathalyzer Testing: Mandatory for all competitors prior to participation each day. All drivers and observers, in addition to skiers in the first set of races must pass during the registration period (prior to 8:30am) each day. Skiers in the later set of races will have an additional opportunity during the first / lunch break. These will be the only 2 opportunities.

RACE COURSE, PROCEDURES and REMINDERS

- 1. <u>All participants</u> MUST be a member of USAWS and sign the race day release prior to the close of registration. Skiers under age 18 need to have a parent or legal guardian sign on their behalf.
- 2. The race course will be approximately 2 mile laps.
- 3. There will be 2 Rounds for each class over the course of the weekend. All skiers must complete all the laps in round 1. Race officials may choose to flag in finishers in the second round if overall placing is not impacted.
- 4. Any class with less than 3 entries may be combined and run with another class. Every effort will be made to avoid boat/observer conflicts when combining. The race schedule may be modified as appropriate.
- 5. Pole Positions will be drawn for Round 1, then flip flopped for Round 2.
- 6. Points will determine the overall winners. In the event of a tie, total time will be used as the tiebreaker.
- 7. Random *boat inspections* will be conducted.
- 8. <u>V-drive boat owners</u> must submit a rudder certification completed no more than 30 days prior to the event.

CLASS NOTES

<u>SOCIAL OPEN</u> \rightarrow Anyone can ski this class. Must be on social ski per rule book, 100' rope and hands out front, but no skier class restrictions.

<u>75 MPH (formerly Stock Boat)</u> → This class has been repurposed as a 75 MPH (via GPS) class.

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SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE or CLASSES COMBINED BASED UPON REGISTRATION

| Set 1 | # of Laps | |
|------------------------------|-----------|--|
| 16 & Under Girls | 2 | |
| 16 & Under Boys | 3 | |
| Women's Novice | 3 | |
| Grass Roots | 3 | |
| 17-35 Women | 4 | |
| 17-35 Men | 5 | |
| 75 MPH (formerly Stock Boat) | 5 | |
| Social Open | 3 | |
| 36 & Over Women | 4 | |
| Men's Outboard | 4 | |
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| ***Break*** | | |
| Set 2 | | |
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| Women's Outboard | 4 | |
| 36-54 Men | 5 | |
| 60 MPH | 4 | |
| Double - Up | 4 | |
| Men's Novice | 4 | |
| Hands Out Front | 4 | |
| 55 & Over Men | 4 | |
| Women's Open | 6 | |
| Men's Open | 8 | |
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