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*National Governing Body for Model Yachting*

## ***Soling One Meter***

### **2011 National Championship Regatta**

When: **Friday, September 9, 2011**  
**Saturday, September 10, 2011 and**  
**Sunday, September 11, 2011**

Where: **Cabela's Pond, Dundee, Michigan**



# Welcome to the National Championship Regatta

Hosted by: **Michigan Model Yacht Club**

## Notice of Race

You are cordially invited to the 2011 National Championship hosted by Michigan Model Yacht Club,

**VENUE: Cabela's Pond, Dundee, Michigan**

**FORMAT: Fleet Racing utilizing HMS 2007 as modified by the Sailing Instructions.**

**SCHEDULE: Two and a half days of racing for the 2011 National Soling 1 Meter Championship**

Friday, September 9, 2011

09:00 - 11:30 Informal Practice Day and Early Check In.

12:00 - 17:00 Racing begins for the Regatta

Saturday, September 10, 2, 2011

09:30 - 09:45 Skippers Meeting

10:00 - 17:00 - Racing with lunch at approximately 13:00

Sunday, September 11, 2011

09:30 - Skippers Meeting preceded by a **Moment of Remembrance**

10:00 - 15:30 - Racing with lunch at approximately 12:00

16:00 - Awards Presentation

Note: At the Race Director's discretion, there may be breaks after every three completed races

### RACE STAFF:

Regatta Chairman: Frank Vella

Race Director: Jim Hale:

Scoring & Timekeeping: TBD

Administration: TBD

**RULES:** The regatta will be governed by The Racing Rules of Sailing for 2009-2012 (RRS) as changed by RRS Appendix E, the Championship Regulations of ISAF, this Notice of Race (NOR), the Sailing Instructions (SI), Soling One Meter, and The Equipment Rules of Sailing (ERS). **The Sailing Instructions shall prevail in case of conflict with this Notice of Race.**

**ELIGIBILITY:** The competition is open to all registered Soling 1 Meter class boats with a valid registration form in hull.. All entrants are must be current members of AMYA or their National Authority.

**REGISTRATION and EVENT MEASUREMENT:** Boats with a valid registration label in hull shall be presented for registration on Thursday or Friday at the times noted above, at the sailing site. However, the race committee may extend the time for registration and event measurement if there is a valid reason to do so. No boat shall be eligible for racing until it has been registered and measured for the event.

**WEIGHT SPOT CHECKS:** At the discretion of the Race Director, spot checks of sailing weights of randomly selected boats may be conducted during the event. In addition, the top 5 finishing boats in each of the racing days may be weighed. Boats failing to meet minimum Soling specifications will be promptly disqualified without right to appeal. Sail material may be scrutinized and measured.

**SCORING and RACING SYSTEM:** Scoring will be carried out in accordance with HMS 2007 as modified by the SI's.

**PRE-REGISTRATION and FEES:** Please, *this is a must*, in order to assure no Radio Channel conflict or sail number conflicts please Pre-Register, this really help speeds things up on race days and also allows us to have adequate amounts of food and drink. Entries are to be made using the official entry form below and forwarded to:

Please mail the attached form to:

Frank Vella  
3670 Seymour Lake Drive  
Ortonville, MI. 48462

Email: [fvracerone1@aol.com](mailto:fvracerone1@aol.com)

Entry fee is \$ 57.00 (\$59.00 using PayPal) per boat and includes 2 lunches and beverages.

Fees are payable to: Frank Vella

**You are encouraged to register on line via the AMYA Regatta registry link....**

**FREQUENCIES:** Permitted frequency bands are FCC-approved surface bands. Transmitters on 75 MHz must be narrow band certified. Radio frequencies will be allocated on a "first come first served" basis. NO CONFLICTS will be allowed. Each competitor is required to have a minimum of three (3) additional frequencies available. 2.4 Ghz radios are permitted and are exempt from rule E1.5 in the RRS.

**FOOD SERVICE:** Pizza / Party Sub / Soda and Water. May be altered at RC suggestion

**AWARDS:** Prizes will be awarded to the first three to five positions in the final results depending on the number of entries.

**LIABILITY:** All those entering or taking part in this regatta do so at their own risk and responsibility. ISAF-International Radio Sailing Division (IRSD), Michigan Model Yacht Club, Cabela's, or any other parties involved in the organization of this event disclaim any and all responsibility whatsoever for loss, damage, injury or inconvenience that might occur to persons and goods, both ashore and on the water as a consequence of entering or participating in the event covered by this Notice of Race. At all times the responsibility for the safety of their boat and themselves including the decision to participate or continue shall rest with the competitors. By entering this event, it is deemed that you accept these conditions. Competitors are advised to ensure that they have adequate insurance that provides coverage for public liability and their possible injury in the Country and County of this event.

**ENTRY DEADLINE:** Entries must be postmarked no later than August 15, 2011 No refunds will be granted after Sept 1st. Late entries may be accepted on site and are subject to a \$10 late fee at the sole discretion of the Regatta Chairman.

----- Mail this form -----

**USA – 2011 Soling One Meter National Championship Regatta  
ENTRY FORM**

**LIABILITY:** All those entering or taking part in this Championship do so at their own risk and responsibility. ISAF-Radio Sailing Division, Michigan Model Yacht Club, Cabela's Inc., the Village of Dundee, MI, regatta staff, and or any other parties involved in the organization of this event disclaim any and all responsibility whatsoever for loss, damage, injury or inconvenience that might occur to persons and goods, both ashore and on the water as a consequence of entering or participating in the event covered by this Notice of Race.

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**FEE:** \$57.00 per boat, \$59.00 via Paypal on line. Make checks payable to: Frank Vella

**ENTRY DEADLINE: August 15,2011**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cell Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Shirt size** \_\_\_\_\_

**Sail #:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Country** \_\_\_\_\_ **AMYA #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Other National Authority (if non AMYA) and Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Sail maker:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Boat Builder:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Channel: Primary** \_\_\_\_\_ **Secondary** \_\_\_\_\_ **Alternate** \_\_\_\_\_

By signing this entry form I agree to all the terms and conditions set forth in the Notice of Race above

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to: Frank Vella  
3670 Seymour Lake Drive  
Ortonville, MI. 48462