

David Van Cleef Memorial Trophy at U of SC NOR's

Date: October 14th, 2023

Location and Schedule

- The venue is located at 292 Shuler Rd, Columbia SC. When entering the venue, drive right from the gate then left up the hill to the Clubhouse.
- Report time: 9:00 am
- Food and breakfast will be available before and between races. The food is free and provided by the Columbia Sailing Club Auxiliary so give them a thanks!
- Start time: 10:00 am
- No wind abandon time: 1:30 pm

Eligibility

- SAISA North teams in good standing

Rules

- We will adhere to the ICSA protocols for COVID-19
- No dogs allowed on Columbia Sailing Club property
- Please complete USC Visiting Sports Club Waiver
https://sc.edu/about/offices_and_divisions/campus_recreation/documents/sport_programs/sport_clubs/visiting_team_waiver_15.pdf

Race Course

- Courses will be windward-leeward, once around, finish upwind (W3)
- Depending on the breeze, the course will be extended to a W5
- The line is CLOSED for both courses

Boats

- 10 Club 420s

Launching and Rotations

- Sails will be on the proper boats when sailors arrive. Each team is responsible for rigging their respective boat for the first rotation. Please leave sail bags behind the boat you rigged.
- Boats will be launched at the beach launch ramp. This is NOT where rotations will happen.
- Rotations will occur at the 2 docks in front of the clubhouse. Both fleets will rotate up (1A, 2B, 3A, 4B, etc.)
- After racing please derig, roll sails, and place them in the correct sail bag. Leave sails on boats.

- Due to a history of light wind, A-fleet will do three races initially followed by B-fleet doing three races in the next rotation to fulfill the 6 race (3 in each fleet) requirement to constitute a regatta. Every additional rotation will consist of 2 races.

Coaching

- Coaching, if applicable, will happen on land between rotations.

Housing

- Camping is NOT permitted at Columbia Sailing Club
- Housing is available for Friday night (October 14th) and is provided by members of the Gamecock Sailing Club
- If your team needs somewhere to stay, please include that you require housing for your team in your RSVP, and we will make sure you have a place to stay.

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Weather

- Dress appropriately for the forecasted weather conditions and don't forget sunscreen!

RSVP

- Please RSVP by September 10th
- With your RSVP, please also specify if you need housing for your team.
- When you RSVP, please make sure you get a confirmation email. If you did not, then we have not seen your email and you do not have a birth yet.
- Please send your RSVP to SOSAIL@mailbox.sc.edu
- Births will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis.

