

2024 College Sailing Team Race National Championships Hosted by MIT and Harvard Cambridge, MA

Women's Fleet Race Semi's-May 20-21, MIT and Harvard
Women's Fleet Race Finals-May 22-23, MIT- Wood Sailing Pavilion
Open Fleet Race Semi's-May 24-25, MIT and Harvard
Open Fleet Race Finals-May 26-27, Harvard Boathouse

Visiting Team Information

Congratulations on your berth at Team Racing Nationals. We are very excited to host this series of championships. We know the timing of these events on weekdays during normal Cambridge workdays and our lack of control over DCR parkland may present some challenges but we'll do our best to make it a memorable championship for everyone involved. Please email Matt Lindblad (mitsail@mit.edu) and Mike O'Connor (mgo@fas.harvard.edu) if you have any questions or we can help out.

Schedule

Women's Fleet Race National Semi-Finals:

May 20-21@ MIT's Wood Sailing Pavilion and Harvard Boathouse

Sunday, 5/19: 6:30 pm-Zoom Competitors Meeting-link posted on Techscore.

Monday, 5/20: 10am report time.

Tuesday, 5/21: 10am report time, teams report to other venue. No race after 5pm.

Women's Fleet Race National Finals: MIT's Wood Sailing Pavilion

Wednesday, 5/22: 10am report time.

Thursday, 5/23: 10am report time. No race after 5pm.

Awards: Will immediately follow conclusion of championship at the MIT Sailing

Pavilion.

Open Fleet Race National Semi-Finals:

May 24-25 @ MIT's Wood Sailing Pavilion and Harvard Boathouse

Thursday, 5/23: 6:30 pm-Zoom Competitors Meeting-link posted on Techscore.

Friday, 5/24: 10am report time.

Saturday, 5/25: 10am report time, teams report to other venue. No race after 5pm.

Open Fleet Race National Finals: Harvard Boathouse

Wednesday, 5/22: 10am report time.

Thursday, 5/23: 10am report time. No race after 5pm.

Awards: Will immediately follow conclusion of championship at the Harvard

Boathouse.

Parking

On weekdays, we have parking for \$11/day for 1 team van from each team in the "Westgate" lot shown on the map below (driving directions) which is .9 mi walk to MIT Sailing and 1.2 mi to Harvard. Take a ticket upon entry and you'll be able to pay via credit card on the way out. On weekend days, there is plentiful metered parking westbound on Memorial Dr or in the MIT Sloan lot. See map below.

Dropping off before parking

For Teams Reporting to MIT-Teams will be allowed to stop briefly in front of the Sailing Pavilion to drop off team members and then take the van to the lot. Drivers must stay with the vehicle while dropping off and drop offs must be efficient. This system will work well if everyone is conscientious and treats this like an "airport style" drop-off.

If cut out spots are full, you can drive up to the next set of cutouts in front of the Charles River YC or do another loop. There is also a good drop off spot west bound in front of Walker Memorial. **Do not double park and block traffic**. Be careful crossing the active bikeway/walking path. We appreciate your cooperation.

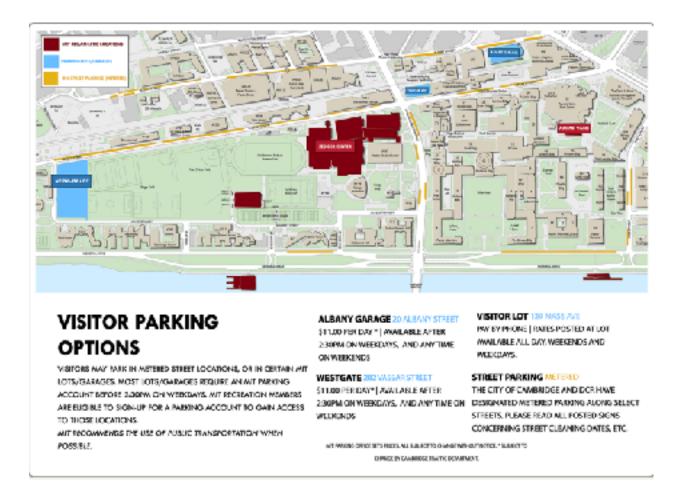
For Teams Reporting to Harvard-Teams can drop off in front of Charles River YC, westbound on Memorial Dr or Harvard Sailing.

Parking Shuttle-On weekdays, there is Tech shuttle that runs every 10 minutes from that lot #7 Tang/Westgate to the #4 at the corner of Ames St and Memorial drive, directly across the street from the MIT Sailing Pavilion. https://mit.passiogo.com/ shows the realtime location of the shuttles. Show your credential to the driver to access.

Restrooms-There will be access to the restrooms in the basement of Walker Memorial building directly opposite the MIT Sailing Pavilion. Please use the crosswalks to cross Memorial Drive. Plumbing at both facilities are prone to failure



so please be prepared to cross the street. Portapotties were not permitted by the DCR.



"Field of Play"-ICSA requests that the host provide the competitors and coaches with an area that is considered the "Field of Play". This area is an area that only credentialed competitors, coaches and regatta officials can access. For this event, the MIT Sailing Pavilion and Harvard Boathouse will be designated as part of the "Field of Play" and will be closed to spectators (as well as our own sailing members.) Each team will be issued 12 credentials.

Team Gear Storage:

At MIT: The Shore School (reserved for umpires/race officials) and the upstairs scorer's office will be off limits to competitors and coaches. Each teams will be assigned to a specific 10x10 area on the roof to store your gear. You are welcome to watch racing from that area or anywhere else, **excluding the Scoring Office and Shore School.**

Livestream:

Harvard's media team will be producing a livestream broadcast of the championships on ESPN+ on May 21, 23, 25, 27. Exact times will be posted soon. Viewers will need to purchase a monthly pass to view the broadcast. MORE INFORMATION HERE: https://plus.espn.com/#faqs

Nationals Apparel:

CORAL REEF NATIONALS STOREFRONT: Coral Reef Sailing Apparel will be producing custom nationals branded gear that you can purchase directly from their online storefront and have sent directly to you. We will have T-Shirts for sale onsite but all Coral Reef gear will be sent directly to the consumer.

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