

Windmill Midwestern Districts
September 2 – 3, 2012
Hoover Sailing Club
Westerville Ohio

The Midwestern Districts will be held in conjunction with the Hoover Sailing Club Labor Day Holiday Racing Series on Sunday and Monday afternoons, September 2 and 3, 2012.

Schedule of Events

Racing will be held on Sunday afternoon and Monday afternoon (See “**Racing**” below). No registration required; no fee.

Potluck will be held after races on Sunday. Marinate chicken will be provided – however, please **RSVP** for chicken by calling the Himmelsbachs (740-965-6872 by Friday August 31). Please bring a dish to pass – out of towners do not need to bring a dish to pass.

Awards will be held after races on Monday.

Racing

The race start warning signal is raised at 1:45 pm, or as soon thereafter as possible, on Sunday and Monday. The starting sequence is as follows:

START NUMBER	FLEET(S) - SUNDAY
1	WINDMILL, JET 14, SNIPE , NON-FLEET
2	MC SCOW
3	THISTLE, HIGHLANDER, 505, FLYING SCOT
4	INTERLAKE

It is a 3 minute sequence, with a minute between each flag. Follow attached link for more information. <http://www.hooversailingclub.com/racing.htm>

Typically there will be 3 races each day, about 45 minutes in length, and no race starts after 4:15. Courses will be displayed on both sides of the committee boat. Red background on the course display indicates that all marks will be round to port; green background, all marks rounded to starboard. Offset and Gate marks may also be used. One throw-out will be allowed if six races are held.

US Sailing Rules apply. Special Hoover Reservoir note: A racing boat interfering with a fishing vessel by either snagging or breaking a fishing line will be disqualified.

Contact and RSVP

For further information, contact Bernie or Julie Himmelsbach (740-965-6872). RSVP for marinated chicken (if desired) by August 31. A posting will be placed on the event calendar on windmillclass.org website.