

Notice of Race



Lake Murray Sailing Club Scots on the Rocks Regatta

September 4th & 5th 2021
Lake Murray Sailing Club
Chapin, SC

Lake Murray Sailing Club (LMSC) and Flying Scot Fleet 158, located on beautiful Lake Murray, invite you to participate in our annual *Scots on the Rocks* regatta, one of the **Carolina's District Helmhold Series** events.

Pandemic protection protocols include reasonable social distancing, hand washing, or use of a hand sanitizer. Masks or face coverings may be worn if desired but are not required. Dinner will be served buffet style by gloved volunteers. Dining tables will be spaced according to local distancing regulations. In addition to the normal signed *Release and Waiver*, each competitor will be required to sign a *Pandemic Protection Health Certification* that he or she and any crew or accompanying guests do not, at the time of the event, exhibit fever or other symptoms of COVID 19 or other infectious disease.

Open to all Flying Scot sailors, the *Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS) and FSSA rules will govern this regatta except as amended by this NOR and the regatta sailing instructions. Competitors not currently registered as FSSA members are ineligible for any FSSA class awards. Please note the following rule amendments and other relevant information included in the Sailing Instructions:

1. Rules

1.1 Rule 44.1 is modified by Appendix V1 as follows: A boat may take a One-Turn penalty when she may have broken one or more rules of Part 2 or rule 32 in an incident while racing. However, when she may have broken one or more rules of Part 2 while in the zone around a mark other than a starting mark, her penalty shall be a Two-Turns penalty. This changes RRS rule 44.1.

1.2 The Start

A boat starting later than 4 minutes after her starting signal will be scored Did Not Start (DNS) without a hearing for that race. This is an addition to rules 35, and A5

1.3 Time Limit

Boats failing to finish within 30 minutes after the first boat in the class sails the course and finishes will be scored TLE (Time Limit Expired) and will be scored two more places than the last place finisher in its class without a hearing. This changes RRS 35, A 10 and is an addition to A5.

1.4 Protests and Requests for Redress

A boat intending to protest about an infraction shall notify the RC race committee finish boat of her intention, including the sail number of the boat(s) being protested. This is in addition to RRS 61.1(a).

2.0 Registration

2.1 The registration fee is \$60 per boat and includes dinner on Saturday night for two people, complimentary continental breakfast each day and Sunday lunch. A catered BBQ Dinner is planned for Saturday evening. Additional meals may be purchased at \$16 per adult and \$8 per child (under 12). **Saturday lunch is BYO.**

2.2 Boats may register by completing the attached registration form and submitting it along with payment as noted on the form.

2.3 All completed registration forms and fee payment must be received by the close of the registration period on Saturday, September 4th.

2.4 Advance registration is requested and will prove very helpful toward making your regatta experience the best. For [on line registration](#), please mail checks under separate cover to:

Ryan Gaskin
200 Peninsula Way
Columbia, Sc 29229

E-mail: r98gaskin@gmail.com

3.0 Scoring

3.1 Five (5) races are planned. One (1) race is required to constitute a regatta.

3.2 The Low Point scoring system of Appendix A will apply except that a boat's final score shall be the sum of all races with no score excluded. This changes rule A2.

4.0 Courses

4.1 The courses are Windward/Leeward with the Start/Finish line between the Windward and Leeward marks. The Start/Finish line is open for competitors sailing the course.

4.2 Course 3 – Start, Windward mark (1) rounded to port, offset (1A) rounded to port, Leeward mark (2) rounded to port, Finish (Upwind)

4.3 Course 5 – Start, Windward mark (1) rounded to port, offset (1A) rounded to port, Leeward mark (2) rounded to port, Windward mark (1) rounded to port, offset (1A) rounded to port, Leeward mark (2) rounded to port, Finish (Upwind)

5.0 Sailing Instructions

Sailing instructions will be available at the registrar's desk on the day of registration. A PDF version of the Sailing Instructions may be viewed and downloaded [using this link](#).

6.0 Schedule of Events

September 2021 Scots on the Rocks Schedule of Events:

9/03	12:00 Noon	Club opens for guests.
9/04	8:00 a.m.	Complimentary continental breakfast
	9:00 – 11:00 a.m.	Registration
	11:30 a.m.	Competitor's meeting
	1:00 p.m.	Warning Signal – Race 1 followed by Races 2 & 3 (Possible 4th race if conditions are good and Sunday forecast is not promising)
	5:30 p.m.	Cocktail Hour
	6:30 p.m.	Dinner
9/05	8:00 a.m.	Complimentary continental breakfast
	9:30 a.m.	Warning Signal – Race 4 followed by race 5 - No Warning Signal will be made after 12:30 pm on this date.
	12:30 p.m. (Approx)	Lunch and Trophy Presentation

7.0 Awards

Trophies will be awarded to the top three finishers.

8.0 Accommodations

We offer free on-site camping, proximity to hotels, excellent clubhouse facilities and wonderful down home" hospitality. Please refer to our website, <https://www.lmsc.org/flying-scots/scots-on-the-rocks>, for Pre-Registration, directions to LMSC, and local hotel information.

The club will be open at 12:00 PM Friday September 3rd for guests who wish arrive early to set up, go for a practice sail, or park boats before retiring to the hotel.

Lake Murray Sailing Club



Scots on the Rocks 2021 Registration Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Sail Number: _____ Club: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Registration fee:		\$60	_____
Register by August 27, 2021		Deduct \$5	_____
Dinner:	# Adult meals @ \$16	_____	Total _____
	# Child (Under 12) meals @ \$8	_____	Total _____
	Regatta Total	\$	_____

Make checks payable to "Flying Scot Fleet 158"

Mail to: Ryan Gaskin
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E-mail: r98gaskin@gmail.com

THIS AGREEMENT CONTAINS A RELEASE AND WAIVER. **Please Read Before Signing.**

Competitors participate in this event entirely at their own risk. See Rule RRS 4 "Decision To Race". The Organizing Authority will not accept any liability for material damage, personal injury or death sustained in connection with, prior to, during or after the event.

I have read the above and agree to abide by the Racing Rules of Sailing and all other rules that govern this event.

SIGNED: _____ DATE: _____