

NORTH CAROLINA MASTERS REGATTA 2006

ORIENTAL DINGHY CLUB

Hello Laser Masters,

The Oriental Dinghy Club will be hosting the tenth annual North Carolina Masters regatta this June. We will be launching from the Wildlife Ramp, a nice concrete ramp with 2 floating docks just north of the Oriental bridge, the grassy area in the same location, and the new small boat launch from a floating dock. We also need to share this ramp with other boats, both power and sail, so tieups are not allowed. Trailer and car parking will be in the storage facility fenced yard, ½ block east.

Oriental is a small sailing and fishing village with interesting shops, pleasant waterfront walks, and several fine restaurants- a great place to bring a companion or your family. Kayak & bike rentals are available. Make your reservations early if you want a room. See the Notice of Race below for the accommodation list.

As usual, we'll have plenty of **Breeze, Beer, and Sat. Pig**. Just ask any previous competitor. Plan to attend this year and bring along another sailor. Let's have another great North Carolina Masters Regatta.

NOTICE OF REGATTA

- DATE:** June 24-25, 2006
- HOST:** Oriental Dinghy Club, Oriental, NC
- RULES:** Racing Rules of Sailing, Class Rules, SI'S
- CLASS:** Laser Masters (35+) ILCA Membership encouraged
- LOCATION:** Oriental, NC - "Foot of the bridge"
- SCHEDULE:** June 23, Informal Practice, anytime
June 24, REGISTRATION 0900 - 1000 followed by SKIPPERS MEETING. First Race at 1100
June 25, First Race at 0900, breeze permitting with racing ending early enough for everyone to hit the road.
- SCORING:** Rule A (2) low point with Masters handicap system. The Masters Rig Swapping rule is in effect for this regatta.
- COURSES:** Triangle and/or windward/leeward.
- AWARDS:** All Divisions + Overall
- ENTRY FEE:** \$40, plus \$5 if not USSA member

ACCOMMODATIONS: Local hotels: (Rooms are limited, **reserve early!**)
Bayboro House Hotel (15 min drive) 252.745.7270 bayborohouse.com
Cartwright House B&B 252.249.1337
River Neuse Motel (river view) 252.249.1404 (may not be open)
The Inn at Oriental 252.249.1078
Oriental Marina Motel condo's 252.249.1818
Private housing 252.249.3264 sechrist@pinelink.org

DIRECTIONS: From south: New Bern, over hi-rise bridge, take NC55 east thru Bayboro to Oriental, turn R at Steamer Restaurant b-4 bridge, next L to ramp area. From north: US17 to Chocowinity, turn L on NC33, turn R on NC306, turn L on NC55 to Oriental.

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CHECK OUT: www.towndock.net & www.OrientalDinghyClub.com (ODC Website)