

**ODC
NOTICE OF RACE**

NEUSE RIVER SOLO, 2008

25th Anniversary Single-handed Sailing Regatta

Organized by: Oriental Dinghy Club

Date: Saturday October 4th 2008

Racing Area: Course off Oriental and adjacent areas of the Neuse River. (Approx 11 miles).

Registration/Check In: Registration by **September 28th. please** - Late Registration and mandatory check in on the deck of the Oriental Marina and Inn, 5-7pm. Friday October 3rd.. Refreshments available.

Skippers Meeting: Deck of the Oriental Marina and Inn, Saturday, 10/04/08 at 0900 SHARP!!

First Race Warning Signal: warning signal will be at 11:55. Starting order to be announced at the captains meeting. Race instructions and Scratch sheet available at the captains meeting.

Eligibility: Open Regatta: Expected classes: PHRF vessels, ALL NON-SPINNAKER. Cruising, San Juan 21's, J-24's, and Ensigns. Any group of 4 or more boats willing to race "even" as a class. *It is the responsibility of the one design group to ensure compliance with standard class rules and, where they may vary, to agree on the specification for this regatta.*

Rules: US Sailing Rules of Racing 2005-2008 publication as modified by Race Instructions

Entry Form and Fees: Per attached. Meal tickets for all participants are included in entry fee. **Guests are welcome. Cost of guest meal ticket is \$15.00** **NOTE:** To avoid a late registration fee, call or e-mail your ***Intent to Race with all data required to be received by 9/28/08*** & present completed documents on or before the skippers meeting (contacts listed below)

Safety:

- (1) All vessels must comply with USCG safety requirements. In addition Lifejackets will be worn at all times during the race.
- (2) Races will be cancelled or postponed with sustained winds in excess of 18 knots or in the event of a severe weather notice given by NOAA.

Social: At the completion of racing Saturday, at approximately 5:00 PM, a social with food will be served at Oriental Marina and Inn .

Trophies – Awards will be made upon completion of the race at the social.

Contact – Simon Whitehead 252-675-7363 (cell)

Mail Forms to: Simon Whitehead 111B Dunes Court, Atlantic Beach, NC 28512.
For information call Simon cell 252-675-7363 or e-mail simon@whitehead.com

Dock Space for Out of Town Vessels: Some limited dock spaces available .
The Oriental Marina and the Oriental Harbor Marina have transient dock space available as well as that available at the Town Dock. Call respective harbor masters.

ENTRY FORM – NEXT PAGE

Entry Form
ODC NEUSE RIVER SOLO REGATTA, 2008
Saturday, October 4th. 2008

Name _____ Phone: Home _____
Day _____
Address: _____
E-Mail: _____

Boat Name: _____
PHRF: _____ (If known) Boat Make: _____
Year: _____ Color: _____ Propulsion: Inboard
Length: _____ Sail #: _____ Outboard

ENTRY FEE: \$60 – Each captain (Includes 1 Dinner ticket) \$ _____
\$ 15 – Guest Dinner ticket \$ _____
Less Discount USSA Sailing (\$6.00) \$ _____
USSA Member Number (_____)

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

Write check payable to: **Oriental Dinghy Club (ODC)**

Late Registration Fee: \$10 added to the above unless you have called or e-mailed "Intent To Race" by September 28th .!!!

Release:

I agree to be bound by the rules and regulations of the event. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry or by my being permitted to take part, I agree to waive all claims against the Oriental Dinghy Club, its organizers and their respective agents, officials, servants and representatives in respect to death, injury loss or damage to my person or property however caused arising out of or in connection with my taking part in this event notwithstanding that the same may be caused by or occasioned by the negligence of the same bodies or any of them or their agents, officials, servants or representatives. I furthermore understand and agree that this Release is binding upon myself, my crew, my heirs executors and assigns.

Signature _____ Date ____/____/____

Please send entry form, with signed release and check to:

Simon Whitehead. 111B Dunes Court, Atlantic Beach, NC 28512. Attn: SOLO