

## **What to expect when you come to Pram Power**

Because Pram Power is a regatta geared toward beginners and unique when compared to other regattas we wanted to as prepared as possible to have a positive experience for both the sailor and families.

Thurs. 8/8 at North Lake Yacht Club, located at N77 W61857 Northwoods Drive; Hartland WI 53029

### **Checking IN:**

- **Boats** can be brought to the Yacht club the night before between 6:30-7:30 pm or the day of the regatta between 8:00 am-9:15am. Most people check in the day of the regatta. People who come the day before usually do so for boat transportation purposes.
- **Registration Table:** Even though you registered you need to come to basically check in.
  - We will have 2 tables
  - **Confirm your sail number**
  - **Receive your lunch wrist bands**
  - **Receive your craft wrist bands**
  - **Sailors receive a gift/giveaway**
  - **This is the best opportunity to make any registration updates.**

### **Picture Taken of SKIPPERS:**

- There will be an Opti set up on land before the races.
- Pictures will be on a table by the craft section DURING/AFTER awards for families to take.
- The pictures of the top 5 places are used for their framed award.
- PLEASE DON'T FORGET TO GET YOUR PICTURE AFTER THE AWARDS- what a great memory!

### **GUESSING JAR**

- SKIPPERS ONLY get an opportunity to take a guess at how many candies are in the jar. The winner will be awarded the jar at awards time.

### **Raffle Table**

- NLSS has raffle tickets for sale at the raffle table beginning at 8:30 am and ending at 1:30 pm
- It is basically \$1 per ticket. Most of the items are kid orientated and a lot of fun to win.
- We ask winners to be present at time of awards, or have a representative with their ticket.

### **RACE RUN DOWN**

- SKIPPER MEETING: at 9:35 per NOR
- Actual race start times dependent on Race Committee, but the goal is 10 am.
- JUNIORS sail first
- SENIORS sail after JRs are finished. Verbal announcements to Seniors begin when JRs are sailing back from their race. We use a megaphone and go to the craft tables. SENIORS WILL SAIL 2 RACES.
- JUNIORS come in and begin crafts. JUNIOR will be called to lunch while Seniors are sailing.
- RACE COMMITTEE (RC) comes in to eat lunch after Seniors finish their 2<sup>nd</sup> race. RC will then give a time for the next JUNIOR race. It will be posted on an announcement board and verbally announced. JUNIORS go out for 2<sup>nd</sup> race and then Seniors will go out in the same matter as the morning.

### **CRAFT TABLES**

- Included in Sailor registrations and can be purchased separately for siblings that aren't sailing.
- The crafts are set up in the garage, but 'the doors don't open' until the junior fleet goes out for their first race.
- 2013-bring a White cotton Tshirt
- PLEASE HAVE WRIST BANDS ON SAILORS AND CRAFTERS

### **LUNCH**

- We recommend purchasing your lunches in advance.
- Sailor's lunch is included in registration. Crafter's lunch included in craft fee.
- TACOS , fruit, cookies, Peanut Butter sandwiches also available, drink