Great Lakes Intercollegiate Offshore Regatta

Frequently Asked Questions

When is this regatta?

This regatta will be held at the Chicago Corinthian Yacht Club over the weekend of September 14-16 2018. On Friday, September 14th, teams are invited to practice in the afternoon. Racing will occur on Saturday and Sunday. Teams will depart on Sunday, September 16th. A more detailed schedule will be out closer to the event.

What is the Registration fee?

There is a regatta fee of \$50/team. This fee helps cover part of the regatta expense.

How do I register my team?

Registration will be by invite only. Teams will submit an application to the regatta chairman and committee. Based off this application invitations will be sent out. Please watch out for details (late May 2018) on how to submit this application for your teams.

What is a T-10?

The T-10 is a 33' offshore one design keelboat. For more information, visit www.tten.com.

Will the owner of the boat be aboard during racing?

Yes, similar to the Storm Trysail Regatta, the owner (scrutineer) and a member of the crew (coach) will be aboard to assist in handling the boat and equipment. However, the collegiate team is making all racing decisions.

Our team only has a couple of members with keelboat experience, should we still come?

Yes, all levels of experience are welcome. Crews will have an opportunity to practice on Friday based on arrangements they make ahead of time with the boat owner.

When will boats be assigned to teams?

Boats will be assigned to team approximately 2 weeks before the regatta. Owners and teams will have an opportunity to schedule & coordinate practice.

Where will teams be housed?

It is highly recommended to secure your own housing if you have any Chicago connections. We are currently working on partnerships to provide additional housing for teams without a connection in Chicagoland.

Will prizes be given?

Yes! Prizes will be awarded to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place finishers.

Will food be provided?

Yes, this event is hosted in part with Chicago Corinthian Yacht Club. On Friday, food can be purchase at the club or in Chicago at your own expense. For Saturday & Sunday, the Chicago T-10 Fleet will sponsor food. On Saturday evening, post-racing, we will be providing a series of events during dinner including a 'Day 1' debrief and giveaways.

Who should we contact with questions?

Please contact regatta chairman Steve Karstrand at: skarstrand@muellercpa.com or Nick Zomer at: nzomer@deloitte.com.