



2024 College Sailing Fleet Race National Championships

*Hosted by MIT and Harvard
Cambridge, MA*

*Women's Fleet Race Semi's-May 20-21,
MIT and Harvard*

*Women's Fleet Race Finals-May 22-23,
MIT- Wood Sailing Pavilion*

*Open Fleet Race Semi's-May 24-25,
MIT and Harvard*

*Open Fleet Race Finals-May 26-27,
Harvard Boathouse*

Spectator Information

We are very excited to host this series of championships and to welcome spectators to watch these college athletes at the pinnacle of their sport. We know the timing of these events on weekdays during normal Cambridge workdays and our lack of control over DCR parkland may present some challenges but we'll do our best to make it a memorable championship for everyone involved.

Approximate hours of racing are 11-7 pm on May 20, 22, 24, 26. No races can start after 5 pm on May 21, 23, 25, 27.

Viewing the Racing

Samberg Center Viewing-From 12-4pm on May 21 and May 24, MIT and Harvard Sailing have created a very special viewing opportunity for our spectators at the Samberg Conference Center, 7th floor of the Sloan Business School overlooking the Charles River Basin. This event is being sponsored by MIT and Harvard Sailing at significant cost. The heavily subsidized ticket price of \$25/person for 4 hours is the lowest we can offer.

Tickets will not be sold day of the event No coolers or outside food allowed due to catering restrictions. Light fare provided.

Tickets are required and spots are limited. (Ticket sales will likely end by Thursday, 5/16 and will not be sold on the day of the event. Act now:

<https://mit.universitytickets.com/w/event.aspx?SeriesID=113>

During the Rest of the Event: Best viewing of the racing will be from the parkland surrounding the Charles River lower basin. but you may be asked to take down anything put up on the DCR parkland along the river. Please be very careful crossing the bikeway/running path along the river.

Livestream:

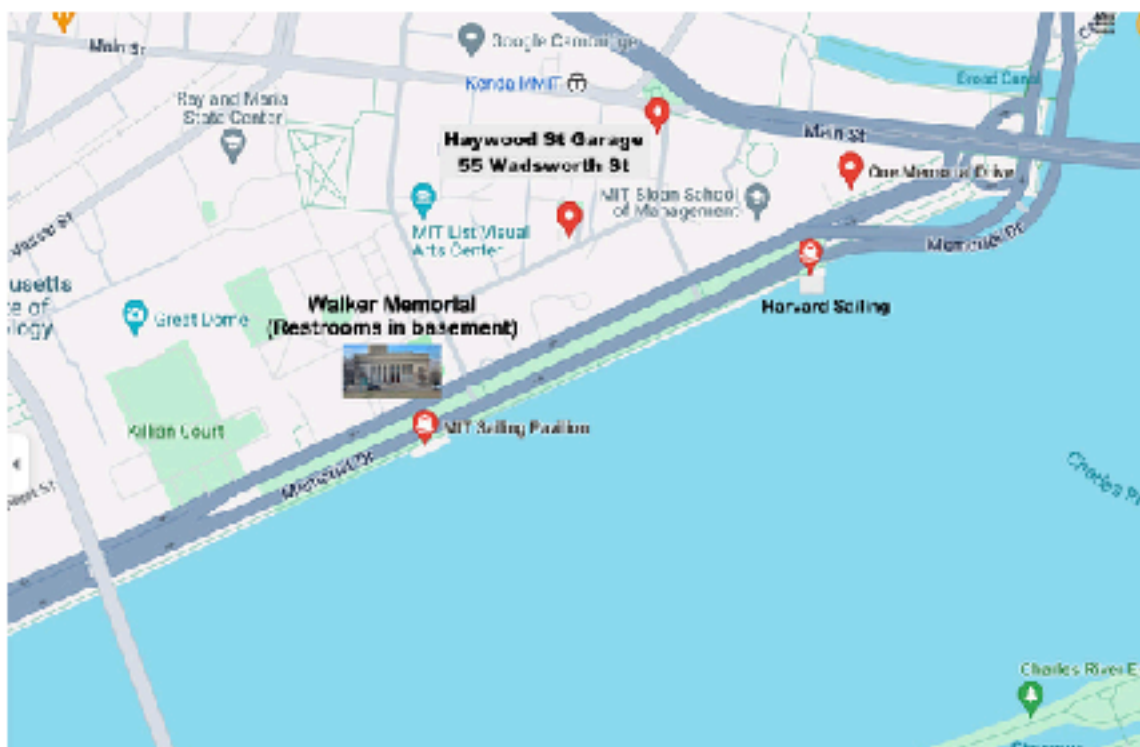
Harvard's media team will be producing a livestream broadcast of the championships on ESPN+ on May 21, 23, 25, 27. Exact times will be posted soon. Viewers will need to purchase a monthly pass to view the broadcast. MORE INFORMATION HERE: <https://plus.espn.com/#faq>

Parking

Weekday Parking: in Cambridge is limited so best parking option for spectators is the Hayward Garage (Entrances at 33 Amherst Street & 55 Wadsworth Street, \$43) or One Memorial Drive Parking Garage (accessible via Memorial Dr). parkopedia.com is a good resource for finding parking in the area. See "weekday parking" map below

Weekend Parking: On weekend days, there are more affordable parking options. See "weekend parking" map below.

Restrooms-There will be public access to the restrooms in the basement of Walker Memorial building directly opposite the MIT Sailing Pavilion. Please use



the crosswalks to cross Memorial Drive. The restrooms at the Pavilion and

MIT REGULAR LOCATIONS
PARKING BY GARAGE
METERED PARKING (STREETS)

VISITOR PARKING OPTIONS

VISITORS MAY PARK IN METERED STREET LOCATIONS, OR IN CERTAIN MIT LOTS/GARAGES. MOST LOTS/GARAGES REQUIRE AN MIT PARKING ACCOUNT BEFORE 2:00PM ON WEEKDAYS. MIT RECREATION MEMBERS ARE ELIGIBLE TO SIGN-UP FOR A PARKING ACCOUNT TO GAIN ACCESS TO THOSE LOCATIONS. MIT RECOMMENDS THE USE OF PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION WHEN POSSIBLE.

ALBANY GARAGE 20 ALBANY STREET
 \$11.00 PER DAY* | AVAILABLE AFTER 2:00PM ON WEEKDAYS, AND ANYTIME ON WEEKENDS

WESTGATE 280 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE
 \$11.00 PER DAY* | AVAILABLE AFTER 2:00PM ON WEEKDAYS, AND ANYTIME ON WEEKENDS

VISITOR LOT 139 MASS AVENUE
 PAY BY PHONE | RATES POSTED AT LOT
 AVAILABLE ALL DAY WEEKENDS AND WEEKDAYS.

STREET PARKING METERED
 THE CITY OF CAMBRIDGE AND DCR HAVE DESIGNATED METERED PARKING ALONG SELECT STREETS. PLEASE READ ALL POSTED SIGNS CONCERNING STREET CLEANING DATES, ETC.

MIT PARKING OVERLEAFS FEES. ALL SUBJECT TO CHANGING OUT-OF-STATE. *SUBJECT TO ©PRICE BY CAMBRIDGE PUBLIC DOCUMENT

Harvard Boathouse will be for competitors only.

Accessibility: We have a very limited number of spots available (less than 15) at the Charles River YC for anyone who requires mobility accommodations and a companion. For more information, email Diane Schmelz (dianes4sports@aol.com).

Public Transportation- MIT/Harvard is most easily accessed via public transportation to the Kendall Square T Stop (Red line).

WEEKDAY PARKING MAP

WEEKEND PARKING MAP

“Field of Play”-ICSA requests that the host provide the competitors and coaches with an area that is considered the “Field of Play”. This area is an area that only credentialed competitors, coaches and regatta officials can access. **For this event, the MIT Sailing Pavilion and Harvard Boathouse will be designated as part of the “Field of Play”** and will be closed to spectators (as well as our own sailing members.)

Food-There are lots of great food options in the Kendall square area.

Nationals Apparel- [CORAL REEF NATIONALS STOREFRONT](#): Coral Reef Sailing Apparel will be producing custom nationals branded gear that you can purchase directly from their online storefront and have sent directly to you. We will have T-Shirts for sale onsite but all Coral Reef gear will be sent directly to the consumer.