

Come Join Us for the 11th Annual John Ford Regatta

August 13, 2009

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BBQ
After
Racing

ELIGIBILITY: Open to area sailors ages 8-13. Regatta skill level is beginner/Green Fleet. Availability is limited to 16 sailors.

BOATS: Races will be run in provided Cape Cod Frosties, a 6'4" pram. A Frosty is somewhat similar to an Optimist; Opti sailors will make up the majority of the racers.

TIME: The skipper's meeting will start at 5:30 P.M., with racing beginning IMMEDIATELY afterwards. Competitors should arrive at SailMaine at 5:00pm to register and rig up—be ready to sail at 5:30.

SPECTATORS: Since the races will take place about 50 feet away from the sea wall at the SailMaine site, there will be a wonderful chance to see your sailors perform up close. All supporters are welcome to join us to cheer on their sailors.

FOOD: We will have a cookout for the sailors and parents immediately after racing here at the site. We will be looking for volunteers to bring in a salad, side dish or baked item, as well as manning the grill. Please contact Sarah if you are interested in providing something for the BBQ.

LOCATION: The races will be held just off the Eastern Promenade at the SailMaine site.

Directions: http://www.sailmaine.org/Tab01_About/0103_Directions.html

RSVP: Please email Sarah (see below) to reserve spots, as participation will be limited at some point. The registration deadline (a phone call or email will do) is August 10th at 2:00 P.M.

For questions or to RSVP, please contact:

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