

Columbia Gorge Racing Association



CGRA

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The Columbia Gorge Racing Association is a non-profit, all-volunteer organization dedicated to bringing world-class sailing events to the Columbia River Gorge. Founded in 1996 by a group of Northwest sailors who saw the potential for Cascade Locks to become a world-class sailing venue, CGRA has since hosted more than 60 major sailing events, including most recently the 2016 Laser North American Championships, RS Aero US National Championships as well as the 2015 Moth and Melges 24 US National Championships.

CGRA is committed to performance sailing and has earned a reputation for excellence in regatta management. CGRA's events draw 2,000 participants and their families from all over the world to the Gorge each summer. In addition to hosting regattas and training clinics for competitive sailors, CGRA offers a popular learn-to-sail program for kids in Cascade Locks and the surrounding area. We also conduct an ongoing fundraising campaign to improve the sailing facilities and activities in Cascade Locks and welcome the assistance of donors and volunteers who share our vision for quality sailing programs in the Gorge. To find out more about CGRA, including our current schedule of events, visit us at www.cgra.org.

EVENT SCHEDULE - 2017

- April 15-16 **Rainier Cup**
- May 13-14 **PSU Invitational**
- June 17 **Opening Day**
- June 14-18 **Laser Performance Clinic 1**
- June 26-29 **Wind Clinic - Opti, Laser**
- July 1-2 **Wind Regatta - Opti, Laser**
- July 2-5 **Laser Performance Clinic 2**
- July 6 **Blowout - Laser, RS Aero**
- July 7-9 **Laser Masters US Nationals**
- July 10-12 **29er Clinic - US Sailing sponsored**
- July 11-15 **Laser Performance Clinic 3**
- July 14-16 **Skiff Regatta - 29er, 49er, I14**
- July 17-22 **Melges 24 North Americans**
- July 28-30 **CGOD - Viper PCC, Moore 24, Weta Nat'l, Tasar, 505, Fireball, Laser**
- Aug 5 **Double Dammed - Hood River Yacht Club**
- Aug 18-20 **RS Aero PCCs**