

OFB Free Bowl of Soup Night August 19

NOTICE OF RACE

INVITATION: As part of the OCSA series of beer can races, and supported by SYSCO, the Free Bowl of Soup gang cordially welcomes all boats, sailors, family, and friends to join in one of the highlights of the beer can season.

DESCRIPTION: This is the 14th annual beer can "race" focused on having a good time, and specifically to raise \$ and food for Oregon Food Bank.

ELIGIBILITY & INSTRUCTIONS: This event will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing and the OCSA General Sailing Instructions, except that class divisions, if any, will be determined by the Race Committee on-the-water; this changes OCSA General Sailing Instructions 5. Entrants agree to comply with the provisions of the OCSA General Sailing Instructions, and specifically the Disclaimer of

Liability and Insurance Requirements of sections 20 and 21.

DATE AND TIME: Saturday, August 19th, Warning signal at 4:00 pm.

REGISTRATION: Pass by the committee boat before the start and tell them your boat name and sail number. Be sure they acknowledge you. That's it!

SPECIAL FEES: Minimum 5 cans of food for any member of a PIYA recognized yacht club, 8 cans for all others, and/or checks or cash made payable to



"Oregon Food Bank". Please note, this is the only beer can race of the year that may be tax deductible (consult your accountant). Get sponsored by your company, friends, family, or coworkers!

CLASS DIVISIONS: There will be no class divisions in the fight against hunger!

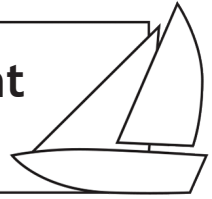
COURSES: Courses will be determined by the Race Committee and will be posted on the committee boat.



FREE BOWL OF SOUP

www.freebowlsofoup.com

OFB Free Bowl of Soup Night August 19



SCORING: Each yacht's finishing order will be determined by the amount of \$ and/or food items donated (5 cans of food = \$1). Items may be dropped on the water or better at the Social Event. "Scoring" will continue until 9:15 pm Recruit family, friend, and company support in advance and invite them out! You can also donate directly at www.FreeBowlOfSoup.org.



COLUMBIA CROSSINGS

P O R T L A N D ' S F I N E S T M A R I N A S

PROTESTS: Protests are emphatically discouraged. Skippers are encouraged to settle alleged infringements of the racing rules in a private, Corinthian spirit.

TROPHIES: The highest scoring top 5 yachts shall receive highly coveted "Oregon Food Bank - Free Bowl of Soup Night" trophies donated by Chuck's Trophies, and fun/valuable prize packages.

COMMUNICATIONS: Additional details will be made available prior to the event, and handouts will be available from the Race Committee. (Look for the big red J flag). Extortion on the part of the Race Committee shall not be prohibited, indeed, it is expected.

ATTENDANCE Please try to let us know in advance if you're planning to attend, particularly the post-race social event. Contact Doug Schenk at freebowlofsoup@sailpdx.org

END OF NOTICE OF RACE

SOCIAL: Always a great time on the lawn at Columbia Crossings for racers, friends, and family. Food plan TBD, possibly food truck or Hidden Bay Café, both worked great - stay tuned. Pop and water will be available for purchase with proceeds going to Oregon Food Bank, otherwise BYOB. Open to anyone and everyone, RSVP's are appreciated for planning freebowlofsoup@sailpdx.org, there is a suggested donation of \$5. Starting on the lawn at 6:00 pm, band plays from 7-10 pm. Guest moorage available.

