

representatives are not responsible, under any circumstances, for any damage, loss or injury either on shore or on the water either to persons or equipment, which may result. Participation in this event, supporting events and in each race in them is at the sole discretion of the sailor and at his/her own risk.

Food: Saturday we plan to have a grill ready for use during lunch break, hamburgers and brats will be available for all registered racers. You may also bring something of your own to grill. The Saturday night dinner will be at the camp site following the conclusion of the races. The meal will be free for all people registered. New London is located a mile up the road has some great small town dining, gas stations and Subway if you need to grab something quick. Since the closest restaurant is located a few miles from the beach access we plan to provide water and some fruit at the registration desk and on the committee boat during races, possibly using a floating dinghy as a on water refreshment stop.

Accommodations: The New London area has a few hotels you can drive to after racing. The Preferred campground "IS" at the event site, where you can camp literally 2 feet from the water! New London has trailer hook-ups and primitive cabin camping – reserve early as many have heard about the event and they are booking up fast!

The prices for camping are 20.00/day for full hook-up, 18.00/day for water and electric hook-up, 15.00/day for primitive site which would be tent camping and 100.00/week for a full hook-up. Both facilities have a shower house.

Link to the New London Reservoir web site with more information including Cabin rental and trailer hookups is here:
<http://www.newlondonohio.com/nlreservoir.htm#cabin>

Registration & Entry Fees for Competitors:

Competitors must check-in on site at the registration desk located at the Race site. The registration will be open for all racers from noon until 7:00 pm on Friday May 21st and from 8:00 am until 9:30 on Saturday, May 22nd.

Pre-registration is appreciated for planning purposes. Please contact Philip Sage via email or phone number provided below and leave a message indicating who will participate. Do not send money, it will be collected at check-in when registration is filled out. The fee for this regatta is estimated at \$50 per competitor. We will only charge what we need to break even so this could go lower.

Registrations that are received prior to May 1 are will have the registration fee discounted to \$45. Send email or call to pre-register (contact information below).

Contact information:

For pre-registration or more information contact:
Philip Sage: ptsmantua@gmail.com, 330-569-8146

4th Annual Reservoir Rendezvous!

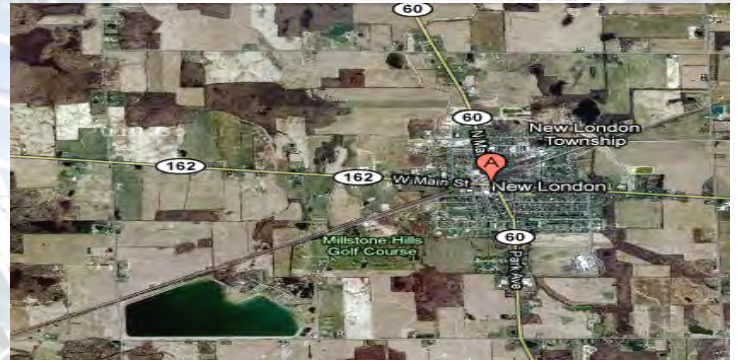
New London Ohio

Windsurfing Regatta - Band Jam and More!



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Notice of Race

Please Visit <http://www.mowind.org> for complete Notice of Race, Maps and other Regatta information.

Directions: FROM WEST: CHICAGO take I-80 East into I-90 into Ohio Exit 110 OH-4 Right on OH-99, Left on US-20, Right on US-250 take OH-162 into New London – Follow signs Est. 5 Hours 15 minutes.

Directions: FROM EAST: TORONTO QEW South to Buffalo – Cross Peace Bridge follow I-190 to I-90 West, take I-71S in Cleveland, merge I-480W exit 238 merge OH-10 becomes OH-20, left US-60 Right OH-162 – Follow Signs – Est. 6 Hours 35 mins.

Directions: FROM SOUTH: CINCINATI – I-71N into Cleveland – Merge I-480 W exit 238 merge OH-10 becomes OH-20, Left US-60 Right OH-162 follow signs – Est 5 Hours

Special thanks to our sponsors:

The Village of New London, Ohio

The New London Ohio Windsurfing Regatta & Reservoir Rendezvous & Community Band Jam & festival will be held July 17-18, 2010 on the New London Reservoir Campground Point access just West of New London Ohio. **COME JOIN US!**

This is meant to be a fun event that you should just come and sail with everyone. If you don't race, come anyway and join the windsurfing community for a fun filled weekend.

We will likely camp together on the point next to the water, and expect to enjoy at least 3 live bands Saturday evening!

For those who race there will be a windsurfing Regatta which is part of the MOWIND race series for 2010. Windsurfers and wind junkies will have an excellent opportunity to promote their sports. We expect competitors from most of the MOWIND states (Colorado, Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Illinois, Ohio, New York and Canada.) but of course people from anywhere are welcome to join us in a 3 day event of full of fun on the water.

For those who prefer something else, the event also is running at the same time as a Golf Venue, a 5K and 10K race, a 24 hour softball marathon game, a Band Jam, Putt Putt Golf, a Beach, great people, and more!

Organizer: Village of New London and the Midwest Organizers of Windsurfing (MOWIND).

The results obtained by current MOWIND members will factor into the 2010 MOWIND standings, using MOWIND hi-points scoring. Formula, Hybrid (Prodigy & RSX), Open and Limited classes will be included, and both Sport and A + B fleet scored. Sails must have unique legible sail numbers.

Venue & Weather: The event will take place at the New London Reservoir Campground just west of New London Ohio South of Vermillion Ohio and roughly equidistant from Toledo and Cleveland, OH (see map & directions on opposite side). New London for years has offered a unique set of conditions due to its elevated nature and exposure to the predominate winds from the West and South West. Over the years, New London has seen many events, including speed sailing using submerged gates!

The primary Launch used will be to the left of the Campground point on the small beach. It is located on the north side of the lake. There is plenty of parking at the location and we will try to arrange vehicles so that it is possible to get your gear close to the windsurf beach. Another location will be used as a backup site, this will be at the nearby at the spillway, it will only be used if too many folks show up at the time of the race.

Wind conditions will vary but you can probably expect wind ranging from 5 – 20 knots on an elevated reservoir that favors South West and West winds which often occur mid summer. Often New London is not affected by thermal affects that shut down Lake Erie this time of year. Water temperature is likely to be in the 65-75 degree Fahrenheit range, with kids swimming at the campground beach. So Wetsuits are NOT recommended.

The regatta will have plenty of opportunities for you to try out windsurfing with some cool folks to meet and hang out with. It is meant to be a fun event first with some serious racing by some. Several experienced sailors will be on hand to share hints and tips about many windsurfing ideas and topics.

New to Racing and want to give it a try? There is a no pressure way to come out and have fun. The Work Shop fleet will sail a new EASY course. The Sport fleet is for intermediate sailors and will also sail a shorter version, allowing you to develop you skills without racing hard core. The shifty winds can make for some good tactical sailing in tight quarters. A Fleet will utilize most of the reservoir and should pass close to the pier and point for good photos.

Parking: Parking for competitors needing access to their equipment will be reserved at the event site in the field near the campsites near the point. There will be plenty of parking for both competitors and visitors. Note: A small fee applies to visitors of the park. Participants in racing will have reserved parking (marked off with tape nearest to the water access.)

Event Rules & Schedule: Rule #1 – Be Safe. Rule #2 have **FUN**. Courses shall be described in the Sailing Instructions which will be available at the skippers meeting. These will include several course racing variations, perhaps slalom if we get the right wind. The courses will be similar to all MOWIND events. The regatta races will be held Saturday and Sunday, Sunday awards will be no later than 4 PM to distant travelers can get on the road home.

Friday afternoon a number of fun windsurfing events will be arranged, buoys will be set and fun-racing will be going on. We will run a freestyle windsurfing event and potentially a tandem race and chance to try out gear and learn the sport. These will be less formal events intended to get as many as possible to participate. Judges will include competitors and the audience. A late registration for windsurfers will also be happening.

Saturday racers meeting will be at 9:30 at the white trailer near the point beach access, first start of race heat 1 shortly thereafter; It is recommended that you are rigged and ready to go before the meeting. Racing will include course and slalom (depending on conditions) with the last race starting no later than 4:00. Saturday night dinner will be a bar-b-que and will be included in the cost of registration.

Sunday the skipper meeting will be at 9:30 AM, with the last race to start no later than 2:00. Course racing and possibly a distance race will take place, with awards presentation concluding no later than 4:00 pm. MOWIND points will be awarded based on all Saturday & Sunday races.

Liability: Competitors take part in all races at their own risk. The MOWIND, US Windsurfing, ISAF, FW Class, IWA, The Village of New London, or any of their officials or representatives or the sponsors or their officials or