



## 2026 One Design Invitational Regatta

Moore 24 and Melges 24 Classes

July 10-12, 2026

Notice of Race – including **Amendment 1** and **Amendment 2** (6/17/26)

Organizing Authority: Tahoe Yacht Club

### 1 RULES

- 1.1 This regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 RRS 40.1 is in effect.
- 1.3 RRS 44.1 is changed as follows: A boat may take a One-Turn Penalty as described in RRS 44.2 when she may have broken a rule of part 2 while racing.
- 1.4 US Prescriptions to Part 5, Section B are deleted.
- 1.5 US Prescription to rule 63.1(b) is deleted.

### 2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 This regatta is open to Moore 24 and Melges 24 class sailboats.
- 2.2 Eligible boats may enter online at the TYC web site: <https://tahoeYC.com/regatta/LgFlupKp5N>.

### 3 FORMATS

- 3.1 This invitational event will be held in conjunction with the annual Trans Tahoe Regatta. Boats entering this One Design Invitational Regatta will be automatically entered in the Trans Tahoe Regatta. Other classes will be racing on Friday and Saturday. Only the Moore and Melges classes will race on Sunday.
- 3.2 In addition, it will be part of Tahoe Sail Week which includes the SLTWYC Southern Crossing race on 7/18. The Southern Crossing race will be entered and scored separately.

### 4 SCHEDULE

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|-------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| Up to four <b>Buoy Races</b> – First Warning                | Friday 7/10   | 1500 hours   |
| Protest Hearings - Friday Protests (TYC Clubhouse)          | Saturday 7/11 | 0800 hours   |
| Competitors' Meeting (TYC Clubhouse)                        | Saturday 7/11 | 1100 hours   |
| Eight Bells/Flower Scattering (for Jim Mullen and Ron Rupp) | Saturday 7/11 | 1330 hours   |
| Trans Tahoe <b>Distance Race</b> – First Warning            | Saturday 7/11 | 1400 hours   |
| Protest Hearings - Saturday Protests (TYC Clubhouse)        | Saturday 7/11 | after racing |
| Awards Presentation and BBQ after racing (TYC)              | Saturday 7/11 | after racing |
| Up to three <b>Buoy Races</b> – First Warning               | Sunday 7/12   | 1300 hours   |
| Protest Hearings – Sunday Protests (TYC Clubhouse)          | Sunday 7/12   | after racing |
| Awards Presentation (TYC Clubhouse)                         | Sunday 7/12   | after racing |

No warning signal shall be made after 1630 hours on Sunday.

All notices will be posted on the TYC electronic official notice board:

<https://theclubspot.com/dashboard/regatta/4V8JqrEif2/notice-board>.

### 5 FEES

Registration ~~— before 6/16~~ \$225  
Registration ~~— after 6/15~~ **\$275**

## **6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The sailing instructions will be available by 7/3/26 on the official notice board.

## **7 VENUE**

The racing venue will be on the waters of Lake Tahoe with the starting and finishing line near Tahoe City.

## **8 SCORING**

**8.1** Eight races (nine race scores) are scheduled. Three completed race scores constitutes a regatta.

**8.2** Saturday's distance race will be counted twice in determining the series score.

**8.3** If fewer than five races are completed, no score will be excluded. This changes A2.1.

**8.4** If more than four races are completed, one score will be excluded.

## **9 LAUNCHING AND BERTHING**

**9.1** Boats may be ramp-launched and stored for three nights at the Lake Forest Launch ramp for \$180.

**9.2** Boats may be stored at the Lake Forest launch ramp for \$30 per night.

**9.3** Boats may be launched and retrieved via gantry crane at the Tahoe City Marina for \$100. Mast-stepping by marina personnel is also available for \$50.

**9.4** When using the gantry crane, masts must be down.

**9.5** A limited number of boats may be stored in the water on a first-come, first-serve basis in the Tahoe City Marina for \$50 per night.

**9.6** Launching in either location will require proof of Invasive Species Inspection.

**9.7** Trailer storage will be available at no charge at a location to be determined by TYC.

**9.8** **To arrange for boat launching and storage, contact Andrew Casci, TYC General Manager at the email address listed below.**

**9.9** Signed mooring agreements will be required for boat storage. Certificates of Insurance (COIs) will also be required.

## **10 ACQUATIC INVASIVE SPECIES INSPECTION**

All boats launched at Lake Tahoe require an aquatic invasive species inspection. Several places near the Lake provide this service at a modest fee. Near Tahoe City the most convenient location is at the entry to Alpine Meadows off California Route 89 between Olympic Valley and Tahoe City. The inspection is required for all boats and motors. For boats without motors or with electric or air-cooled motors, the fee may be waived. Owners are cautioned to thoroughly dry bilge and all gear before inspection. For more information see: [tahoechoatinspections.com](http://tahoechoatinspections.com).

## **11 AWARDS**

Prizes will be awarded based on entries.

## **12 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The Tahoe Yacht Club and any other organizing authority for the regatta will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta. In order to race at TYC events, participants are required to sign the TYC Waiver and Release of Liability which, on registration will be sent electronically for signature to all entrants.

## **13 FURTHER INFORMATION**

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