



2017 WET LOTTO
Saturday, August 12
Seaford, VA
Notice of Race

Event

The 2017 WET LOTTO will be held at the beach front home of Melissa and David Kashy on York Point where the Poquoson River and Chisman Creek flow into the lower Chesapeake Bay in Seaford, VA, USA. Address: 131 York Point Drive, Seaford, Virginia, 23696 USA <http://maps.google.com/maps?daddr=37.17519,-76.393822>

Organizer and Hosts

This event is organized by the Windsurfing Enthusiasts of Tidewater (WET) and Beach Sports, and hosted by Dave and Melissa Kashy.

Venue & Conditions

Racing will take place on the Chesapeake Bay off York Point in Seaford, VA. Wind conditions are typically light to moderate with thermal breezes.

Rules

This event will be governed by WET's LOTTO Racing Rules, which require sailing a course during a designated amount of time (2 hours). The winner is the person who breaks the fewest rules and sails the most laps. Continuous sailing is not required.

Eligibility

All competitors must have stood on a windsurfing board prior to attending this race. Being able to sail to and around a mark is helpful.

Classes, Divisions & Equipment

All competitors will compete as one class, although novices will be allowed and encouraged to sail a shortened course.

Racing Conditions

The race will proceed unless conditions appear to be unsafe, e.g., lightning, or way too much wind.

Equipment

The Lotto is open to any windsurfing equipment. For our novice windsurfers, a limited number of Mistral Prodigy boards will be available on a first come, first served basis. Email sailwet1@gmail.com to reserve equipment.

Prizes

Prizes will be awarded from a drawing using the number of laps per participant.

Sail Insignias

All sails shall comply with sail identification involving some distinguishing mark on the sail that the race committee agrees they can see. Bring electrical tape or sailing tape to mark your sails.

Courses

Courses will be specified on the Official Notice Board.

Liability

Competitors take part in all races at their own risk. US Windsurfing, US Sailing, WET, the hosts, any of their officials or representatives, and the sponsors or their officials or representatives are not responsible, under any circumstances, for any damage, loss or injury either ashore or on the water either to persons or equipment that may result. Participation in this event, supporting events, and individual races is at the sole discretion of the sailor and at his/her own risk.

Protest Committee

A Protest Committee will be appointed but will not entertain any protests.

Schedule

- Registration 11:30
- Racing 12:30 to 2:30
- Post-Race Barbecue at Kashy's

Registration

- Registration fee is **\$30.00** for WET members and **\$35.00** for non-members who register online at www.sailwet.com.
- On-site registration on August 12 will be **\$40.00**.
- Additional meals can be purchased for spectators and guests.

Registration includes:

- Racing
- Barbecue at Kashy's
- Prizes for all

Special NOTE: Please check all your gear for sand burrs and remove them prior to arrival. At present, my yard has NO burr grass. However, with windsurfers transporting equipment from all over, there is a high likelihood that some burrs will arrive, and then I will battle them forever! THANKS, Dave.