

Canadian Masters Windsurfing Association

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This bulletin comes to you as a supplement to the CMWA Newsletter. It contains information of a timely nature that may require you to take some action in the near future (i.e. Snowfari, Aruba trip, Hatteras trip) and other information to help you start planning the 1999 season. Plan now to gather in downtown Vancouver for the 1999 CMWA Championships, competitive racing for serious racers, good fun on and off the water for "up and comers" and families.

Snowfari Jan 30-31 1999 at Blue Mountain in Collingwood Join fellow masters at the third annual "snowfari", a fun fest of winter activity: ski, take a snowboard lesson or just hang out. Accommodations at the Whittaker cottage near Thornbury (about 15-20 minutes from Collingwood) cost of \$45 per person for the weekend (bring your own sleeping bag or sheets & pillow cases-blanket supplied). Snowboard rental, lesson and lift ticket \$50.00. Beginner ski lift ticket and lesson is \$31 but you are restricted to the beginner lift. If you have your own equipment lift ticket is \$38.00. Meals not included. Maximum 12 people. (Make that 10-Lauri & Steph have already registered!!) Deposit required. Contact Stephanie 905-953-8320 or surfit@netcom.ca.

1999 Ice and Snow Sailing World Championships, Feb. 16-20, 1999, Rimouski, QuÈbec. If you windsurf in the winter with a "contraption" that uses skis, this is the place and event to put it (and yourself) to the test! Entry fee \$85. plus hotel accomodation. Register before January 24, hotel before January 15. Contact Claude ChassÈ claudecc@quebectel.com.

Mistral North American Masters/Seniors, Feb. 26-28, 1999 at Satilite Beach, Patrick AFB, FL. Cost approx US\$55-60 includes lunches and Sat. night banquet. Contact Dick Tillman 407-773-4711 or LTill75358@aol.com

Calema Mid-Winters, March 5-7, 1999 at Kelly Park on Merritt Island, FL. One week after the North Americans and at a nearby location. Also around US\$55-60. Contact Suzie or Tinho Dornellas 407-453-3223 or tinho@calema.com or www.calema.com

Wrap Up Snowfari March 20, 1999 at Horseshoe Valley Resort near Barrie Ski, snowboard or take a lesson. Lesson and equipment rental costs drop dramatically for a group of 10. So come on out. Contact Stephanie 905-953-8302 or surfit@netcom.ca

Hatteras Trip April 10-17, 1999 at Avon, NC. Share two soundfront cottages with 15 other masters (or young wannabe masters) for a week of sailing when the wind blows or sleeping in or body boarding, kayaking, rollerblading when it doesn't. The cottages are at the waters edge and feature panoramic views of all the action on the sound. Both have 4 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms, microwave, dishwasher, washer, dryer. One has locked board storage, and a hot tub. The other a jacuzzi. Cost per person for one week's accomodation Cdn \$255 (provided the exchange rate doesn't get worse) or for one of two bunks in a tiny room Cdn \$195. Contact Clark Hill 416-265-1683 or Sue Thomas 416-323-9661 or bst@idirect.com

Aruba Trip May 1-15,1999 at Roger's Windsurf Place. Join Lauri and Stephanie for either week or splurge for both weeks at Roger's waterfront accommodations. Share recipes over apres shredding drinks as they fire up the barbie and turn out spicy BBQ'd shrimp. Cost US\$499 per person per week for accommodation and board rental. Contact Stephanie 905-953-8302 or surfit@netcom.ca

Toledo Windsurfing Championships and Can-Am Challenge, June 5-6,1999 in Toledo, Ohio on Lake Erie. Contact Rod Clevenger 419-836-4010. The third Can-Am Challenge pits the visiting Canadian racers against home crowd Americans in the same class. The '97 event was won by the US team at Lake Sebago. In '98 the Canadians won at Summerside. A big turn out at Toledo might be able to reverse the trend. Last year Toledo served up some very challenging racing in big winds.

Spring Clinic, June 11-13,1999 at Port Bolster on Lake Simcoe. Coaching for keeners and "up and comers" alike. Sandy lake bottom, huge shaded grassy lawn for rigging. Catered lunches and Sat. dinner. Private cottage accomodation on site. Contact Bernie Samulowski 905-664-7608.

5th Annual Windsurfing Classic for Cancer, June 12, 1999 (tentative date), Britannia Park, Ottawa. Join the few local "serious" racers and not so serious ones in this fun half hour classic to raise money for the Canadian Cancer Society. Last year we raised \$2,400! Great door prizes if you raise \$35 or more. Contact Suzanne Roberge at sroberge@travel-net.com or Dave Luck at dluck@nrcan.gc.ca.

Women's Clinic, June 19-20, 1999 (tentative date) at Minet's Point, Barrie. Contact Nancy Cameron 905-836-4916 or ncam120s@home.com or Stephanie Todd 905-953-8302 or surfit@netcom.ca. There is some threat that windsurfers may lose access to this park since Barrie Windriders membership has declined and the city of Barrie doesn't feel that they are a large enough group to influence the park use. If you wish to support Barrie Windriders efforts to preserve access send your \$10 (yes only \$10) membership

to [Barrie Windriders](#), PO Box 26005, Barrie, Ont. L4N 7N3. For more info visit their website.

New England Championships, Sept. 11-12,1999 at Sebago Lake, Maine. This regatta held at a private Hobie cat clubhouse has been moved to a windier part of the year. Contact Maggie Taylor 207-347-5629 or WSMag@aol.com

'99 CMWA Championships, July 31, Aug. 1,2,1999 at Jericho Sailing Centre in Jericho Beach Park on English Bay in downtown Vancouver right next to Royal Vancouver Yacht Club. Challenging racing for serious racers and fun on the water for "up and comers". Good times on shore for everyone including families. Jericho Beach Park is just east of Univ. of B. C. and the endowment lands including a golf course. Stanley Park with hiking and biking trails, putting green and the world famous Vancouver Aquarium are close by. Combine this with a trip to Nitinat Lake on Vancouver Island for WIRED. For maps and tourist info contact Tourism B.C. 800-663-6000. For regatta info contact Andrew Hope 613-820-6783 or awkhope@cyberus.ca

Fall Hatteras Trip, Oct. 16-23,1999 in Avon, N.C. One soundfront cottage that accommodates 8 people. Four bedrooms, three bathrooms, microwave, washer, dryer, two fridges, two T.V. areas, locked storage for boards and fully rigged sails on double lot with lots of grassy rigging. Contact Clark Hill 416-265-1683.

CMWA Championships, summer Y2K (the year 2000) at Britannia Yacht Club in Ottawa, Ont.

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