

Dear Angsten Participant:

We are pleased to invite you to compete in the 63 rd Annual Timme Angsten Regatta! If you are getting this letter, we are expecting you. If your team does not plan to attend, please call us immediately, so that we can invite another team.

### *Registration*

The official notice of race is posted at [www.chicagoyachtclub.org](http://www.chicagoyachtclub.org), and has details of the schedules, rules, etc. This letter has directions, logistics and other hints. Please complete the enclosed registration form and return by November 22, even if it is not complete. You can fill the blanks when you arrive in Chicago. This information helps us to plan food, housing and press releases.

### *What to Bring*

“The Timme’s” is one of the few collegiate regattas where you will arrive, step into your boat and sail. The weather may be as warm as 70<sup>o</sup>, but to be on the safe side, bring plenty of gear for cold and wet conditions. Dry suits are recommended.

We expect 18 teams, and to run the full round robin of 36 races will require your help in getting to and from the racecourse quickly. You are expected to be ready when your next boat is ready. Please do not plan to swap gear or lifejackets between A and B teams. If you show up without four proper lifejackets, you will be assigned a lifejacket you might not like, and will be expected to wear it. Coaches and spectators who plan to be on the dock should also bring PFDs.

There are no official regatta activities scheduled for Friday night, so you may visit the city on your own. Information for MCSA or other meetings will be sent by those organizations. There is an attached invitation from the Chicago Yacht Club for a separate Saturday night party. It is coat and tie.

### *Housing*

Volunteers from CYC enjoy hosting the Angsten teams for housing and for Thanksgiving dinner, but please contact us early. We are usually able to house up to six people together, fairly close to the regatta site. The hosts are generally flexible, so let us know if we can make your stay easier. You will be contacted by phone, so be sure to give us a good contact number or several alternatives. The Housing Chairperson is Kent Webster. I will forward you information when I receive your registration.

### *Fees and Food*

The “entry fee” is \$220, which includes four meal packages. Additional packages are available to competitors, coaches and volunteers for \$55. Additional tickets can be purchased individually for each meal.

Please do not bring food into our restaurant. We will try to accommodate any special dietary needs (vegetarian, kosher, etc.). Just note it on the registration form. The meal package includes cold lunch on Friday, continental breakfast and hot lunch on Saturday; full breakfast and hot lunch on Sunday.

Don't send a check you may bring it when you arrive.

### *Arrival*

Teams arriving early on Friday can stop by the clubhouse to check out the lay of the land, scout windshifts, etc. You may call the Club or me at home if you are lost.

The skippers' meetings will begin on time each day. We do not plan to wait for missing teams. Breakfast will be available from 7:30 Saturday and Sunday.

#### Directions

Chicago Yacht Club has two clubhouses. The Angsten Regatta is at the Monroe clubhouse, at the foot of Monroe Street in Chicago. If you are driving in along US 94, use the Monroe Street (it is a one way street going East) exit and go east along Monroe Street, through the Loop, across Lake Shore Drive all the way until the road ends. You will see Chicago Yacht Club from there.

There will be one parking pass for each team at Monroe. We are working on additional parking. Please contact me for further directions.

We are happy to help with any questions. Please call. You'll have the best luck during the week with my office number. Just leave a message with your number and best time to reach you. I am checking e-mail frequently.

We look forward to seeing you!

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**SEND IN THE REGISTRATION FORM  
BEFORE NOVEMBER 22!**

**Timme Angsten Registration**  
**Return to SUZY PHELPS by e-mail for fax before November 22, 2009**

SCHOOL \_\_\_\_\_

Location of School (City,  
State) \_\_\_\_\_

Contact (Name,  
phone) \_\_\_\_\_

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Please list all participants, year of graduation

**A** Skipper(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

**B** Skipper(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

**A** Crew (s) \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

**B** Crew (s) \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

Coach \_\_\_\_\_

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YES\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_ We would like CYC to arrange housing for \_\_\_\_\_ people (list special needs).

***We have already arranged housing with:***

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_

***Yes, we want publicity. The name and address of our school or local paper:***

Name of School \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Local Paper \_\_\_\_\_

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E-mail this form to:  
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