



## Region 4 GRIN

"Gone Racing in the North"

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You and your crew are invited to participate in the new Catalina 22 Racing Circuit for Region 4 – the **GRIN** (**G**one **R**acing **I**n the **N**orth).

The GRIN is intended to encourage greater Catalina 22 sailing camaraderie and fun/spirited competition at regattas in Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, Ohio and Wisconsin.

### Rules

- Open to any Catalina 22 Class sailboat that meets Catalina 22 One Design Rules.
- A Skipper must be a resident of one of the following states - Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, Ohio and Wisconsin.
- Only regattas listed in the **Eligible Region 4 Regattas** will be counted towards GRIN Scoring.
- No pre-registration required. A Skipper's entry in any of the listed **Eligible Region 4 Regattas** makes that Skipper eligible for the GRIN.
- GRIN Scoring will be based on High Points Earned and up to 10 points may be earned at each regatta based on finish position relative to Region 4 boats only within each regatta. Out-of-Region boats are discarded.
- How Points are Earned at each Regatta:
  - 1st Place = 10 pts
  - 2nd Place = 9 pts
  - 3rd Place = 8 pts
  - 4th Place = 7 pts
  - 5th Place = 6 pts
  - 6th Place = 5 pts
  - 7th Place = 4 pts
  - 8th Place or higher = 3 pts
  - Did Not Compete (DNC) = 0 pts

- The best 3 regatta results of each boat will be counted towards their final GRIN standings.
- **New:** If less than 3 regattas are held, the 2011 GRIN program will be cancelled for the season.
- If two fleets (Gold, Silver) are sailed at any regatta (e.g. Region 4 Championship) where the two fleets also start and finish together, GRIN points will be awarded by actual finishing position of each boat regardless of finish position within the individual fleet. If Gold and Silver start/finish separately, then only the Gold Fleet will earn GRIN points.
- In the event of a tie-breaker, the tie-breaker will first go to the boat that participated in the most regattas. If a tie still exists, the tie-breaker then goes to the boat with the highest score in the regatta with the most boats.
- Updated GRIN points and standings will be distributed via e-mail to all GRIN participants within 5 days following the completion of each Region 4 Regatta.
- Following the completion of 2011 Season, the top score (most points earned) wins the GRIN Circuit and a fantastic looking Catalina 22 half-model trophy. Awards will also be presented for 2nd and 3rd place, as well as for crew of the top 3 finishing boats.

### Eligible Region 4 Regattas

May 14-15

C22 Region 4 Championship/ACSC May Cup

September 17-18

Falls Series Regatta at Jolly Roger Sailing Club

October 1-2

Grand Annual Regatta at Cave Run Sailing Association

October 8-9

Ole Fox Regatta at Alum Creek Sailing Club

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