

Anacostia Regattas - Driving and Parking Directions, 2005

Reminder: **The Navy Yard's O Street gate is closed.** Access is through the N Street gate only.

General: From Virginia - Heading east on the Southeast/Southwest Freeway (from I-395) exit at 6th St. SE. Continue straight and turn right on 7th St. SE. At the traffic light turn left on M St. SE. At the end of the Navy Yard turn right on 11th St. SE. Stay to the right. At the bottom of the hill turn left on O St. SE. Regatta HQ will be down the path on your right.

From DC - Navigate to 11th St. SE. Head south until M St. SE is crossed. Stay to the right. At the bottom of the hill turn left on O St. SE. Regatta HQ will be down the path on your right.

Boat Trailers: At regatta HQ follow the parking assistants directions to a proper trailer parking spot in one of the lots or farther down O/Water St. SE.

Rower Dropoff: Pull to the curb on the right before the path to regatta HQ. Leave your rowers and depart, turning up 12th St. SE. Turn left on M St. SE at the stop sign. At the next traffic light either turn left on 11th St. SE and stay left to go up the ramp to the bridge to go to the finish line, or turn right to go up to I St. SE to pick up I-395.

Parent and Spectator Parking: Spectators may park at the Finish Line or in the Navy Yard. No spectator parking will be available near regatta HQ. To park on the Navy Yard a photo ID will be required.

To park in the Navy Yard: At M St. SE head south on 11th St. SE. Stay right and at the traffic light turn into the N St. gate of the Navy Yard. After passing through security turn left on 10th St. SE and park in the Building 405 garage. A shuttle running from Regatta HQ to the finish line will be available, but spectators must walk back through the N St. gate to go to Regatta HQ. Spectators may walk across the bridge to Anacostia Park, but may not stop on the bridge.

To drive to and park at the Finish Line: At M St. SE head south on 11th St. SE. Stay to the left to go up the ramp to the bridge. Merge into the second lane from the left to follow "Anacostia Park" signs. At the end of the bridge the turn is a rather sharp right down the hill. At the stop sign turn right to head north on Good Hope Rd. SE toward Anacostia Park. At the Anacostia Drive "T" turn right on Anacostia Drive and proceed about 0.7 mile to the Finish Line (or turn left to see the start line near the Park Police driveway. At the Finish Line adhere to the signs regulating parking. Do not park on the grass. No glass or balloons are allowed in the park. Restrooms are available in the Anacostia Pool & Recreation Center building.

