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SOUTH AFRICA

J/22 Association Update

The great news is the J/22s are back on the water as COVID levels are well under control with huge inroads being made with vaccinations.

We had a very successful Nationals on the Vaal Dam with 19 entries. The wind most definitely could have been better! This didn't impact on competitive racing and being able to catch up after what has been far too long due to COVID.

SOUTH AFRICA J/22 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP 2ND JULY-8TH JULY 2022

We are excited to announce the **Marriott J/22 World Championship**. Our sponsor, Marriott Investment Managers, is an asset management company offering a range of different investment options, including South African unit trusts and investment products, international unit trusts, an offshore portfolio and a direct UK property fund. Marriott was acquired by Old Mutual in 2005 and now forms part of the Old Mutual Investment Group as an independent boutique. Marriott aims to create financial peace of mind through predictable investment outcomes and personalised service.

Marriott's support will enable us to have an even bigger and better World Championship than those held previously in South Africa. So what will we offer?

Affordable travel costs with top class accommodation. The hotels, B&Bs, Airbnb and self-catering accommodation can be found within short distances to our host club, Point

Yacht Club. We will be sending more specific information on this going forward, but please contact Sharin if you are needing help or advice: sharinr@mweb.co.za.

Host club: Point Yacht Club, Durban, Natal. Visit their website to see what they have to offer: www.pyc.co.za

Race Management: The International Judges, Race Officer and Protest Committee are all on board. The shore committee is hard at work putting in place the documentation, logistics, support team and entertainment. The family and friends who travel with you will also be catered for – they will not be sitting at the yacht club missing the fun, city and surrounding sights!

If you are fortunate enough to visit the Düsseldorf Boat Show (www.boot.com), there is an area called "Sailing Centre" that we are planning to have more information available to those interested in this event.

(https://www.boot.com/en/Visitors/boot_Themed_Areas/Sailing/Sailing)

J/22 website: Now that we have our sponsor **Marriott Investment Managers** on board, we will be creating a specific Worlds page for you to visit with continually updated information.

This is an affordable, prestigious event to be part of, also giving you the opportunity to see amazing countryside and the sites we have to offer in South Africa.

We look forward to being your hosts!

Contact Sharin at sharinr@mweb.co.za or via our website <https://www.J/22.co.za>, and we will get back to you.



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German Class Association Goes to Boat Fair Düsseldorf January 2022

The boot Düsseldorf for 2021 has been cancelled due to the ongoing pandemic, and the associated worldwide lockdown measures.

“With the restart of the water sports industry, boot Düsseldorf is also setting sail again,” said boot Project Director Petros Michelidakis, who is pleased, and added, “Our exhibitors and visitors can look forward to a complete program at boot 2022. We are now setting sail and working flat out to offer all water sports enthusiasts good business, new contacts and a great trade fair experience.”

boot Düsseldorf is the largest boat and water sports fair in the world and the meeting point for the entire industry every year in January. The nine-day fair with 220,000 square meters in 17 different halls will host the international market and offer an exciting insight into the entire world of water sports.

The German Class Association is participating in this restart with its own booth at the Boat Show in Düsseldorf in January 2022. We will demonstrate the advantages of the J/22 with our own boat. This gives visitors the possibility to see and touch the J/22. They are even able to get onto the boat to get an even better understanding of the benefits of a J/22. In this way, the pure facts and figures are reinforced by one’s own impressions and stored more vividly in one’s memory.

boot Düsseldorf is the starting signal for a successful water sports season 2022 for the J/22 Class and during which we will promote the regatta calendar 2022 to a wide audience of sailors.



The biggest advantage of the fair is the numerous contacts between members of the sailing community. These contacts always take place at eye level due to the mutual benefit. See you in January 2022 in Düsseldorf!

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Vaeterchen Frost Regatta with 39 J's



Photo courtesy of Pepe Hartman

(Hamburg, Germany) - Over the weekend 13./14. November 2021, the Hamburger Segel Club in hosted their annual fall extravaganza on the famously beautiful and quaint Alster Lake.

The 2021 edition has seen 39 J entries entries for this late fall regatta for one-design fleets of J/22s, J/24s, and J/70s. The racing was hot, fast, and furious and extremely competitive.

At the beginning on Saturday, the Alster was covered in fog and offered just enough wind

to sail two races. Nevertheless, everyone was happy to meet so many sailing friends and was in high spirits. Millimeter by millimeter, the boats pushed each other across the start and later the finish line.

On Sunday the wind picked up a bit, and three races were sailed in the J/22 class and

two races in the other two classes. With two bft, it went much faster and the race officer was able to have four up and downs sailed per race. The Spinnaker and Genacker inflated and gave a colorful touch to the dreary day.

[Results J/22](#)

THE J/22 STANDS STRONG

By Quantum Sails' Travis Odenbach

It's interesting how the J/22 Class ebbs and flows in certain areas of the United States. In Rochester and Youngstown, NY, for example, we had big fleets within the last 10 years that have since gone away. But the best part about the J/22 Class is that as one fleet dissolves, another evolves. The boats were built to last, and now they're more accessible to a broader age group. Thanks to a diluted market in the 20- to 30-foot boat range, most J/22s are less expensive now.

Where are all the J/22s in the US? Mainly in Texas and Louisiana, where you'll see a plethora of fleets. It seems there are about 20 to 30 boats that travel in this southern circuit. This region of the US is also active with racers: The Midwinters are almost always here and the Worlds was in Corpus Christi, TX over the summer. The camaraderie among these fleets was amazing to see. Everyone knows each other, and the fleet socializes after sailing much more than any I have been involved with. There are family teams and professional teams and everything in-between.

The diversity and active participation are signs of a strong Class. Another hotbed for the J/22 is Oklahoma. I have yet to race there, but from everything I hear, they are trucking right along and enjoying themselves.

Canandaigua, NY, in the heart of the Finger Lakes region, is home to the Canandaigua Yacht Club. CYC has built a fleet of 16 J/22s. I've sailed with the fleet there, and again witnessed a strong sense of camaraderie. It's an active fleet, having seen steady growth for the last five years. CYC hosts the Jack Rabbit Regatta, and it's a ball. If you like flat water and a shifty venue to test your tactics, this is the venue for you!

Tawas Bay, Michigan will host the upcoming North American Championship, and it will most certainly be a fun event. I encourage anyone who can to participate. The Lake Huron color is beautiful, and the hospitality could almost be labelled Southern Charm (I say 'almost' because Michiganders don't serve as much fried food as our southern neighbors!).

Last but not least are our J/22 racing friends in Annapolis, MD, and its large fleet. Annapolis hosts the East Coast Championship every year and are accommodating to out-of-towners. It's a great way to end the northern US season. Annapolis' Severn Sailing Association makes sure the regatta is well run but still laid back.

So if you're wondering where to sail next season or thinking about getting more involved, check out these great venues and thriving J/22 fleets. There's plenty of racing to be had all over the US. The best part about the Class is that everyone is open to sharing tips and tricks and committed to bringing the rest of the fleet up to speed. I look forward to seeing everyone at these locations in 2022 and beyond.

Enjoy a bit of the off season and head down to Midwinters. Don't hesitate to reach out to me or the [team at Quantum Sails](#) to get you prepared for next season. Check out all our [resources for the J/22](#) on our website.



Your 2022 season starts now! Contact us for resources, support, & new sails.

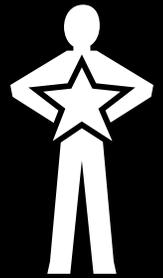
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**2022 J/22 World Championship
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Jul 3 – Jul 8

**2022 J/22 North American
Championship at Tawas Bay
Yacht Club**

Sep 13 – Sep 17

2023

**2023 J/22 World Championship
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Jul 21 – Jul 30

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