

2026 Midwest Regional Show Ski Tournament

Welcome Back

Since the Waterhawks will be hosting D1 Nationals for the first time, we have decided to change the way we do things. This tournament will be our test run for Nationals. All we ask is for your patience and understanding with the new outline and process. Thank you!

1. **All boats** are to be **washed & drained before** they enter the water. We appreciate your help in preserving our beautiful lake.
2. **General parking** will be in the corn field south of the site. The cost is **\$5** per day. **CASH ONLY**. Handicap parking will be available through the gate. Please provide a valid placard/permit. Weekend passes are available, no discount.
 - a. You will **NOT** be able to drive to drop off personal equipment in the skiers area. All personal equipment can be loaded into the shuttle that will be provided in general parking.
3. **Equipment parking:** There are two designated spots for equipment parking. The lot that is in front of the Waterhawk gate (see map on waterhawks.org) will be for Saturday competing teams. The lot that is located across the road from general parking will be for Sunday competing teams.
4. **Preset Equipment:** Please do not preset any equipment on the land behind the West Hole barges.
5. **For individual competition day**, equipment trailers are not allowed in the staging area. Make sure to load all equipment that will be utilized into boats prior to heading to the boat launch as this will help with congestion.
6. **Teams**, we will have **3** staging areas this year. The staging areas will be **roughly** 16'X75' on gravel. We will have some turf laid out in each set up area to place some equipment on. You will have the ability to drive your equipment trailer in front of the ski shed and park. Once your show is completed you will then be able to drive around the backside of the ski shed and out the way you came in.
7. **Pop-Up Tents** will be allowed in designated areas east of the concession stand. There will be signs and roped off areas. This is a first come first serve basis. You will still have to park vehicles in general parking. **There will be no drop off capabilities.**
8. **Utility Vehicles** are **NOT** allowed on the premises.
9. **Electric scooters/bikes & one wheels** are to be dismounted & walked within the high-pedestrian area. (see the red outline on map within waterhawks.org).

10. **No Open Coolers are allowed.** The Waterhawks would appreciate your help in keeping our ability to serve alcohol to you through the beer garden and our seasonal shows.
11. **The smoking area** will be located across the gravel from the beer garden.
12. **Beer Garden** is 21 years of age and older. Small children must be accompanied by an adult.

We are excited to host and can't wait to see our ski buddies! Wahoo!

If you have any site questions, please contact me at 239-564-9245 (text only) or Rnbowcj@aol.com

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