



Welcome to the 8th Almost-Annual Row The Rockies!

### Here's what you need to know.

#### **Parking**

All activities center around the area fondly known as **Hobie Hill (1)**. There are two parking lots overlooking a swim beach and boat ramp. **Trailers** can be parked in the **East Hobie Hill Lot (left side) (2)**, **Cars** can go to the **West Hobie Hill Lot (right side) (3)**. **Rig** your boats either in the lots or the adjacent grass areas. Additional parking is available closer to the **Marina (4)**, and there are launching areas in that area as well.

#### **Launching**

There are two places to launch: you can do a **Wet Launch** at the **Swim Beach (5)** directly downhill from Hobie Hill, or launch from the **Mile High Rowing Club dock (6)**. **Adaptive Rowers** can use the Mile High Rowing Club dock as well.

#### **Emergency Services**

There will be an EMT team in place throughout the event, in the general area of Hobie Hill. Look for the ambulance, or contact the race director to alert them to any medical issue.

#### **Coaches and Coxswain's Meeting and Referee Round Up Meeting**

A meeting of all coxes and bows will be held at 6:50 am in the vicinity of the Registration Tent (1) on Hobie Hill. The first race starts at 7:30 am. (Referees note: Referee Round Up meeting is at 6:30 am.)

#### **Warm Up**

Rowers can warm up on their way to the start line and in the **Cove (7)** on the far side of the reservoir, in the northeast corner, near the swim beach. A counter clockwise pattern will be enforced in the cove.

#### **Course (4)**

The course follows a 1,000-meter path roughly parallel to the dam, starting near the **Spillway Tower (8)** on the far side of the reservoir from Hobie Hill and the swim beach. Buoys will describe the outer edge of the course, and cones on the shoreline will mark the Start, 250m, 500m, 750m and the finish line. There is no breakage zone. *Lanes will not be marked*, so it is the responsibility of each boat to maintain a straight course, parallel to the dam. Races will go off within 3:00 of the posted start time whether all entries are lined up or not. There is a shallow **Sand Bar (9)** within a few dozen yards of the finish, marked by Shallow Water buoys.

#### **Spectating**

We are fortunate this year in that there is a **gravel foot path along the foot of the dam (10)**, for spectators to either sit or ride bikes in a coaches' peloton. Viewing is also available from the **Jetty (11)** separating the boat ramp from the yacht marina.

#### **Support Facilities**

Rest rooms are located in a concrete structure (see restroom icons in map below) south and east of Hobie Hill, just above the **swim beach (12)**. Additional facilities are located next to the **concessions stand in the Concrete Sail (13)** on the far side of the Boat Ramp from Hobie Beach.

#### **Lunch**

A cookout will be held under a tent on Hobie Hill. Meal tickets are available for \$7 onsite. Cash or check only.

**Etc.**

No bottles are allowed in the Park. Only 3.2 Beer, in cans, is allowed in the park. Races will start promptly and no delays of more than 3 minutes will be allowed.

**Have fun, and thanks for joining us!**

### Area Map

1. Hobie Hill
2. East Hobie Lot: Trailers
3. West Hobie Lot: Cars
4. Marina
5. Swim Beach
6. Mile High Rowing Club Dock
7. Warm-up Cove
8. Start: Spillway Tower
9. Finish: Sand Bar
10. Foot path
11. Jetty
12. & 13. Restrooms

