

## **A scow Nationals Parking/ launch Information**

***Greetings A sailors! The regatta is right around the corner and we have some helpful last minute info for your arrival.***

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**Car Parking:** No cars will be allowed in the launch area of the club parking lot. Each team will be designated one parking spot down the driveway close to the club parking lot in order to have gear and sails more readily accessible. Each parking spot will be marked with a boat number. All other vehicles will park in the power cut across from the Yacht Club entrance on East Torch Lake Drive. There will be limited land taxi service to get you to and from the club, but it is not a long walk. Overflow and trailer parking is offered south of the club entrance on the east side of E. Torch Lake Drive, and will be marked. Anyone needing handicap access must contact Pete Johanson at 248-762-5030.

\*refer to map at bottom of page for parking

### **Boat Storage and Wet-Sailing:**

-We ask that everyone bring appropriate tackle for wet-sailing as our lot space is limited and late arrivals may need to put their boat on a buoy once the lot is filled. There are TLYCC buoys available for you to use, but TLYCC is not responsible for their security and we recommend that you bring your own tackle.

### **Thursday /Arrival day:**

- Given that our lot is small, we may have to detain arrivals at the top of the driveway until there is room for your boat to come down and rig. If you are arriving from the north, please stop and discuss with the attendant at the top of the lot who will radio down to find out if it is clear to go down. You may need to wait in the overflow lot. If you are arriving from the south, you will be asked to pull into the overflow lot first until you have been cleared to enter the driveway. Please allow us to find a spot in the lot for your boat, unload your gear as quickly as you can, and park your car so there is enough room to get more boats down and set up. We will have a launch vehicle that can back your boat into the water when you are ready to sail.

### **Race days:**

-Cars will be allowed to drive down, drop gear and crew, then asked to proceed to your assigned spot or the parking lot on the other side of E. Torch Lake Drive. We will provide the launch vehicle and each team will hand tender the boat to the launch vehicle. We will have as much extra personnel in the lot to assist with this as possible. Please allow plenty of time for launching and arrive early. Dock space is limited.

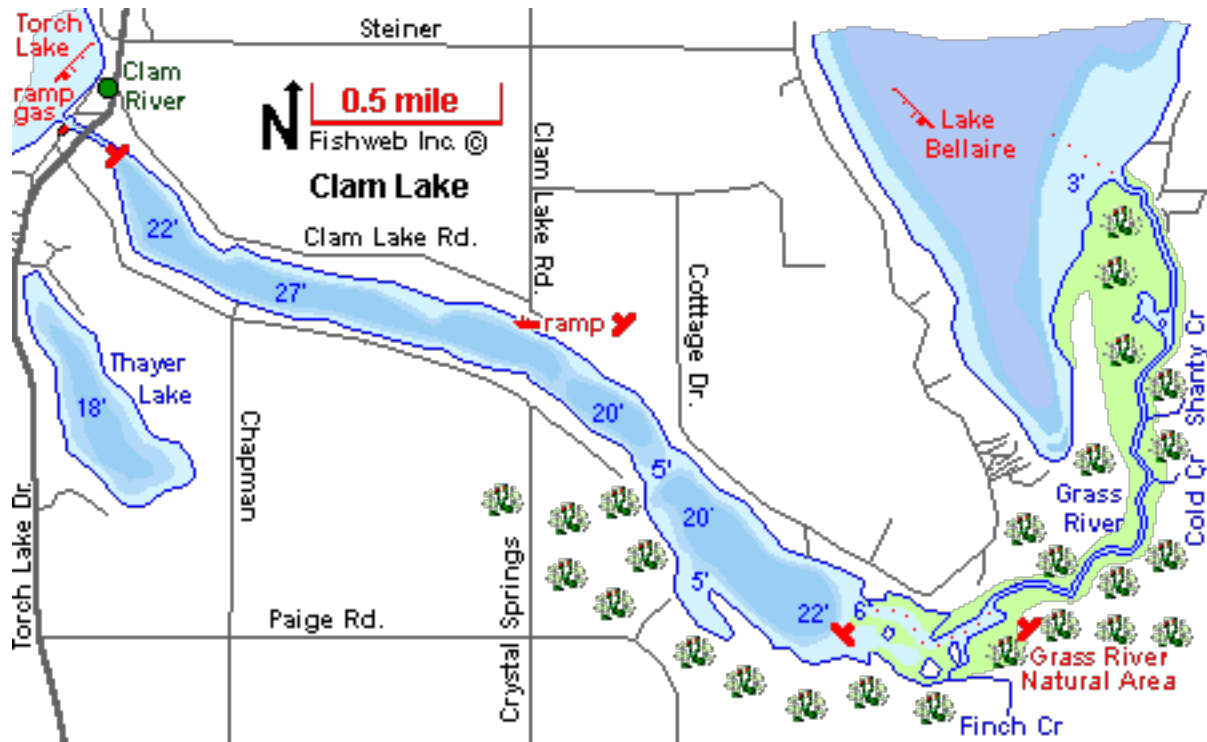
### **Motor Boats/ Tenders:**

-We ask that motor boats launch from public launches, to keep the ramp open for competing boats.

**-The 2 closest public launch areas that can be used listed below in order of proximity**

1. Calm River Public Access, approximately 3-4 miles south, easy access to gas docks.

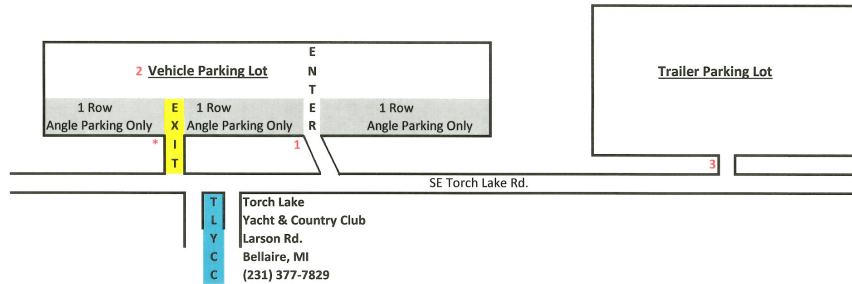
1. Map: Ramp located at the end of Clam Lake Road.



2. Eastport Public launch, Approximately 8-9 miles North, parking, but no access to gas docks.

Address: At the very north tip to the lake, Michigan 88 at Eastport Landing Torch Lake, MI 49622.

- Trailers and motor boats may be stored overnight in the trailer parking area.
- Dock space is very limited, and there will be no overnight parking allowed. No parking in designated Race Committee boat parking.



- 1 Vehicle Parking Lot entrance is approximately .1 mile south of the club entrance  
Please be sure to use only the designated Entrance & Exit\* drives in Vehicle Parking Lot
- 2 Vehicle parking will consist of only 1 row of angle parking on the West (shaded) side of the lot
- 2 Vehicle Parking Lot will include taxi service to/from the club
- 3 Trailer Parking Lot is approximately .4 miles south of the club entrance

Map is not drawn to scale

