



2008 I-LYA SAIL REGATTA, STEEPLECHASE & DEEPWATER RACES

August 1-6, 2008

Organizing Authority: Inter-Lake Yachting Association

Host: Put-In-Bay Yacht Club - Put-In-Bay, Ohio

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 All races will be governed by the current Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS); the prescriptions of the United States Sailing Association (US SAILING), the rules of participating classes, except as any of these are changed by this Notice of Race and/or the Sailing Instructions, the Sailing Instructions and any amendments or changes thereto.
- 1.2 This event is designated Category "A" for yachts so classified by their class, rating system or national authority and is designated Category "C" for yachts so classified by their class, rating system, national or international authority.
- 1.3 Casual Cruising is open to any cruising sailboat using jib and mainsail only. Boats registering for the Casual Cruising division without a current "PHRF-LE" measurement certificate on file with PHRF-LE will be assigned a temporary rating at the discretion of the Organizing Authority which shall be valid for this regatta only and can not be appealed.
- 1.4 Sailboats without a current "PHRF-LE" measurement certificate on file with PHRF-LE, but having a current PHRF certificate on file somewhere else will be assigned a temporary rating at the discretion of the Organizing Authority which shall be valid for this regatta only and can not be appealed.

2 ELIGIBILITY, ENTRY AND PLACEMENT

- 2.1 This event is open to members of US SAILING or other National Authority, members of recognized yacht clubs, members of recognized sailing class associations and others as may be designated by the Organizing Authority.
- 2.2 The Organizing Authority, at its sole discretion, whose decision is final and without appeal, shall determine eligibility and placement within divisions.
- 2.3 Registration Deadlines:
Regatta & Deepwater deadline – 1800, July 21, 2008. After July 21, 2008 participants for the Deepwaters only must contact Deepwater Chairmen for availability of dockage
- 2.4 Eligible boats shall enter by completing online registration, or by mailing the Deepwater and/or Regatta entry forms available at www.I-LYA.com. All applications will not be considered complete without the required fee(s) and PHRF-LE measurement certificate. Applications (online and mail) must arrive by the event specific deadline as noted in 2.3 above, to:

Registrar
I-LYA Regatta
Pat Graven
116 North Rocky River Dr
Berea, Ohio 44017

- 2.5 Required fees for the I-LYA Regatta, Steeplechase and Deepwater races are listed on the registration forms.
- 2.6 Deepwater / Steeple Chase Sailing Instructions and Skipper's Packets will be available at their respective locations as follows:

Location	Date	Time	Location	Date	Time
Cleveland	August 1	1700	Toledo	August 1/2	1900-0730
Sandusky	August 1/2	1900/0730	Detroit	August 3	0745
Port Clinton	August 2	0730		-	-

- 2.7 Regatta: Put-In-Bay Yacht Club August 3, 2008 1900-2100 hours

3 SCHEDULE OF RACES:

- 3.1 Deepwater / Steeple Chase

Location	Date	First Warning	Location	Date	First Warning
Cleveland	August 1	1950	Toledo	August 2	0855
Sandusky	August 2	0855	Detroit	August 3	1000
Port Clinton	August 2	0925			

3.2 Regatta:

August 4, 5, 6, 2008

First Warning All Days: PHRF, JAM & Offshore Multi Hull - 08:20

One Design Keel Boats – 08:25

Casual Cruising – 08:45

Centerboard & Catermaran – 08:50

4 MEASUREMENT

4.1 Except for registrants in the Casual Cruising division, all boats shall provide with their registration, a copy of their current (2008) PHRF-LE measurement certificate.

5 RACING AREAS

5.1 Steeplechase & Deepwater – On the open waters of Lake Erie

5.2 Regatta – In and about the western islands of Lake Erie

6 COURSE & COURSE CONFIGURATION

6.1 Steeplechase & Deep Water Races

The course to be sailed, the marks to be rounded, the order of each mark and the side to which each mark is to be rounded will be specified in I-LYA Annual Year Book under " Preliminary Deep Water Sailing Instructions" for each location. These Sailing Instructions may be appended or changed by the local Chairman. Changes, if any, shall be posted to the Official Notice Board at the specific local Deepwater location not later than two hours before the first warning.

6.2 Regatta

The selection of the course to be sailed and the number of races per day will be at the sole discretion of the Organizing Authority. However, it is anticipated that:

PHRF, JAM and Offshore Multi-Hull – will do a combination of Windward-Leewards and medium distance point-to-point races. One to two races per day are anticipated.

One Design Keel boat – will do windward-leeward with an option for a medium distance point-to-point. Three to four races per day are anticipated.

Casual Cruising Class – Medium distance around the Islands. One race per day is anticipated.

7 SCORING

7.1 Low-point scoring will apply.

7.2 The Steeplechase and Deepwater races will have no excluded scores. This changes RRS rule A2.

7.3 Excluded scores for each division in the regatta will be detailed in the respective Sailing Instructions.

7.4 Finish Cards will be required to be scored.

8 AWARDS

8.1 Prizes will be awarded for first, second & third place finishes in class or division.

8.2 Daily prizes will be awarded following the conclusion of each day's race(s).

9 DOCKAGE

9.1 Dockage is not included in the race fees and will be available only to those who have registered for the regatta within the deadline specified herein. Regatta competitors may secure dockage at the I-LYA reserved dock, by paying the required fees as noted on the registration form.

9.2 Boats participating in only the Steeplechase or Deepwater races shall, unless other arrangements have been made, use the mooring balls provided. I-LYA Reserved dockage is available only to Regatta registrants.

10 ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

For additional information contact the following:

Organizing Authority Web Site: www.I-LYA.com

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