

Hosting Agreement for I-LYA Counter Events

- 1) **Hosting Fee:** \$175 hosting fee to be paid to I-LYA Junior Traveler Series. ***This fee is due no later than June 15, 2017.*** Blank invoice below. Please print, fill out, and mail. Money is used to purchase end of the year Series awards.
- 2) **Noticeofrace.net:** Use of noticeofrace.net for on-line registration and scoring is required. (If you prefer your own scoring program, we still need the results entered at noticeofrace.net.) Each hosting club is responsible for the accurate posting of their event's results.
 - a) Please post season forms (see #4)
 - b) Complete Instructions available in the Event Organizer section on the Traveler Series page. Read them.
 - c) Please be sure to remove sailors who pre-register but do not show up before scoring your event.
 - d) Please register your event prior to the beginning of the series, **preferably by May 15, 2017.**
- 3) **Templates** for NORs and Sailing Instructions are available in the Event Organizer section on the Traveler Series page at i-lya.org.
- 4) **Standard Series Forms:** Use of the Series Waiver and Series Medical Form is required. Forms will be turned in at each regatta this year. Please use the standard documents so parents can fill them out once and make copies for the season.
- 5) **Food and More:** to help families plan for your event please clearly communicate in your NOR and on the registration page what food is included and when it will be served (before/between/after races?) Please also share if food will be available for purchase or if shirts will be available and at what cost.
- 6) **Youth Concussion Laws:** I-LYA requires compliance with the youth concussion laws in the state where an event takes place. An I-LYA Concussion Info Sheet is available on the website. Please read carefully. Always talk to your program risk management team.
- 7) **Opti Scoring:** Opti sailors are to be divided into one of three groups according to each sailor's age at the time of the event; Opti Red (13 and over), Opti Blue (11-12) and Opti White (10 and under). All sailors will race together, but are to be scored only among those competitors within each age group. If any age group has less than three competitors, awards for first and/or second place finishes are to remain. Overall placings will be used for the Travelers Series season results. Awarding overall trophies in addition to Red, Blue and White will be at the discretion of the host club.
- 8) **Green Fleet:** Please acquaint race personnel with the Green Fleet philosophy. Green fleet scores can be posted at regattas, but per USODA recommendations only participation awards should be given and scores will not be published at noticeofrace.net. Green Fleet course management tips are at the bottom of the Opti Info page of the website.

Race Management questions should be directed to:

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Scoring Questions should be directed to:

Kathy Trask – Series Scorer
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On behalf of the Traveler Series Committee and all the families in I-LYA, thank you in advance for all the work you and your club will do to host a Traveler Series counter event. We appreciate your efforts and look forward to a safe, fun, competitive summer.

I-LYA TRAVELER SERIES REGATTA

HOSTING FEE INVOICE

Host Club: _____

Regatta Date (including year): _____

Contact: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Regatta Hosting Fee \$175.00 (due by June 15, 2017)

Make checks payable to: I-LYA Junior Traveler Series

Please submit payment to:

Allen Ashley
P.O. Box 756
Put-in-Bay, OH 43456

Thank you.

Questions? Please contact Jamie Jones: jjone45@columbus.rr.com 614/216-2679