

## **COMMODORE'S REPORT**



It looks like winter will finally let us get on with preparations for the 2018 boating season! Between late snows and high water, it's proven to be an "interesting" winter and early spring!

Our annual Spring Meeting was held April 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> at the Holiday Inn - French Quarter in Perrysburg. The weekend included opportunities to discuss and plan for this summer's coming regattas, as well as catch up with old boating friends and make new ones!

My sincere thanks goes to the AYC, GCBA, and PIBYC as well as the I-LYA Hospitality Crew for a great evening on Friday! The I-LYA crew, consisting of volunteers from the Monroe Boat Auxiliary and this year's I-LYA Fleet Captains continued through Saturday night. The hospitality rooms were a great hit and enjoyed by everyone!

Saturday's meetings were very well attended with thoughtful discussions of the key issues. I was able to sit in many of the meetings and can report that all four Regattas at the Bay – Junior Sail, Sail, Power, and Junior Power and in great hands! I am very much looking forward to a great 2018 season!

At the General Meeting on Saturday, we heard reports from each of the committee chairs and selected the 2018 Nominating Committee – Chair Commodore Chris Amlin, Marcia Ashley, Rich McKee Jr., Ron Soka, and Tom Thanasiu. If you are interested in serving the I-LYA as Trustee or Flag Officer or have any questions, please contact one of them.

At the Spring Banquet Saturday evening, it was pleasure to announce this year's I-LYA Yachtsman of the Year and recipients of the Commodore's Award. I believe I-LYA's strength lies in its many volunteers from across the range of boating. These volunteers work with unflagging dedication to make our regattas the fantastic events they are. This year's recipients epitomize that spirit of volunteerism and enthusiasm that makes the Inter-Lake Yachting Association great! This year's Yachtsman of the Year is Lady Kay Drake of Put-in-Bay Yacht Club for her continued long-time direct support of both the Junior Championship and the Sail Regatta. Recognized with the Commodore's Award was Bruce Sattler for the dedicated work he has done (and is doing!) for myself and prior Commodores. Also receiving a Commodore's Award was Monroe Boat Club for their fantastic and broad support of myself as this year's Commodore. Rich McKee, Jr. was recognized as the Mid-America Boating Magazine's Skipper of the Year for 2017. Finally, Commodore Andy Krotseng was recognized and thanked for his service as our 2017 Commodore by Trustee President John Dalessandro. Congratulations to all!

This year we'll be celebrating I-LYA's 125<sup>th</sup> Regatta! Among the special things we are doing for the 125<sup>th</sup>, we are sponsoring 125<sup>th</sup> Regatta Flags that will be flown from DeRivera Park's light poles – sponsorships are \$100 each and each sponsor will receive a single-sided flag! The forms are in this newsletter and need to be submitted by June 15<sup>th</sup> to receive your flag by this year's Regattas. In addition, we'll be "dressing ship" at both the Sail and Power Regattas, so bring your flags to the bay! Finally, we're adding an opening ceremony at the I-LYA Memorial on late Thursday afternoon of the Sail Regatta.

Our Association's strength comes from the many, many volunteers who make it great. It truly is an amazing team effort and I thank all of you for your continued support! Kathy and I look forward to seeing you at the Bay for the 2018 I-LYA Regattas!

Commodore Mike Powers



## Vice Commodore's Corner...Cindy Johnson-Mintus



The sun is shining, and the boats are going in the water! A sight to behold for sure. I hope that means you and yours are already enjoying these nice warm days and are ready to have some fun and camaraderie on the water. The I-LYA Bridge has been busy planning for the 125<sup>th</sup> Bay Week Regattas and we really hope you join us this year to participate in such a historic celebration.

Much planning has already been completed by each of the Regatta Chairs and their respective committees and they have a lot of fun events planned this year and the Commodore has some special events planned as well to honor the 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary. We hope that not only will you join us but please encourage others that you know to come and experience the Bay this year. As part of our promotion and participation efforts, the Sail commit-

tee has re-invigorated the speakers' bureau and Deb Schaefer has created a power point presentation for the sail regatta that is available to show at your club or a club you may be visiting. Deb's presentation in effect makes it easy for anyone to be knowledgeable about Bayweek and all the great racing and on shore activities that are part of the annual Sail Regatta.

Thank you to all the volunteers including the Commodore for all the time and effort you all give to make the I-LYA a strong organization and the annual Regattas a premier series of events. Dennis and I look forward to seeing everyone over the next few months. Safe boating!

Vice-Commodore Cindy Johnson-Mintus

## Rear Commodore's Corner...Steven Hyder



Don't look now but I think mother nature might have decided to allow us some warm weather. Looks like we have made the corner and we can now allow summer to happen.

With the warmer weather, we all start to think about getting our boats in the water and trips to our favorite locations go from planning to doing.

Speaking of planning, our Commodore and his wonderful Lady is in full swing to put on a great summer of regattas. Of course they cannot do it alone. It takes a whole bunch of people working together to pull these off.

Thank you to everyone who is assisting and volunteering their time in 2018 to make our 125<sup>th</sup> regattas awesome.

Our Put In Bay Liaison Committee has been working non-stop getting all the necessary documentation and approvals for these events to happen. Thank you for the all the work.

Hats off to the Sr. Sail Committee and the Sr. Power Committee. They are hard at work putting the final touches on their respective regattas. I am sure everyone will have a great time.

The Sponsorship Committee has been working hard on selling the 125<sup>th</sup> flags. If you want one, please contact Commodore Powers and he will make sure you have a piece of history. They are only \$100.00!!

Pam and I are still truly honored to be serving in this capacity and serving this fine organization. I look forward to seeing everyone this summer at the many events that we plan on attending.

Remember be safe on the water! Rear Commodore Steve Hyder







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## President's Report

It looks like Spring has finally arrived! The shrink wrap is coming off the boats, wax is being applied, and soon they will be splashed. The I-LYA Spring meeting went very well. The nominating committee was elected. Congratulations to following people: PC Chris Amlin as Chairman, Lady Marcia Ashley, PC Ron Soka, PC Rich McKee, and Tom Thanasiu. If you have any desire to run for the Board of Trustees or the Rear Commodore of I-LYA please

let one of them know.

The Trustees have adopted the Pay Pal system to be used for the Power Boat Regatta this year. It will make it easier for register and the Commodore will be able to transfer over to the incoming Commodore year after year. Commodore Mike Powers stated that all the Committee Chair people are working very hard on the three I-LYA Regattas set for this summer.

The Bridge Officers, trustees and myself will be attending the Put-in-Bay Chamber of Commerce meeting on May 14<sup>th</sup>. We are voting members of the Chamber of Commerce and it's in our best interest to work to-gether with these fine people. We also will be celebrating our 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Regattas this year at the Bay. The Chamber of Commerce is very excited to be involved in the planning of this event.

In closing, if anyone has any questions please feel free to contact me. Until then, see you at the Bay! John Dalessandro, President of the Trustees



## Junior Bay Week....

Please make sure you are coming to 2018 Junior Bay week— we promise a great week on and off the water. Register now — Bay Week is less 2 1/2 months away! This is going to be a Bay Week that you do not want to miss and we are hoping your club is organizing for this event also. The regatta dates are July 15-19th. The sailing schedule is the same as prior years. There are sev-

eral key changes you will like :

1. We will be splitting the Laser and 420s fleets after Tuesday's sailing. Scores will start fresh on Wednesday and trophies will go deep for both fleets. Thistles will not split.

2. Inspection and Registration on Sunday will start an hour or two later — stay tuned for timing.

3. Awards will be Thursday at 5:00pm, and everyone is free to leave after awards. Banquet will be Wednesday night.

4. We have pre-assigned clubs their 'Day of Responsibility' at the hotel; at this point there will not be fire watch between 12-6am as we have secured security. Stay tuned for confirmation.

Greg Fisher will be Head ILYA coach. Greg is Director of Sailing for College of Charleston and a former winner of Junior Bay week a long long time ago. College of Charleston is the #1 College Sailing team in the country. We also have Nick Turney, who is an outstanding coach and sailor and is great addition to the ILYA coaching staff and also has won at junior bay week. Scott Marriott is back to coach the Thistles. There will be a 'coach the coaches' meeting on Sunday afternoon led by Nick and Greg. Stay tuned for more guest appearances. This is go-ing to be a high - quality event that you do not want to miss! Start making plans now to come to Put in Bay this year for Junior Bay Week. We are planning a fun event! Matt & Lisa Fisher









Boats are going back into the water and before you know it the 4th of July will be here. That will mean you will have one day left to register and pay for the 125th I-LYA Regatta, Bayweek at last years' rates. Registration is open for Bayweek, Steeplechase and Deep Water Races so register now.

If you are going to need lodging for the week do not delay in getting your reservations in. We have the Race Officers for all three courses set, Continuing with improvements made last year, Island Race courses will be focused. JAM and Cruising Class will have all Island Race courses.

On the Social side of the event we will have the famous Mount Gay Rum Party on Friday night and for the second year the going to be famous Tito's Vodka Party on Saturday night. Both parties and dinner for three nights are included in the social package. Social package price is \$45.00 per person before July 27 and \$60.00 per person after July 27.

There will be very few social packages available at the door. In order to properly plan for the dinners and the parties we need everyone to purchase their social packages before July 27th. Don't miss out on the fun! Register for the races and purchase your social packages today. Thanks!

Bill Pribe—2018 Sail Fleet Captain

## **2018 I-LYA Meetings and Regattas**

Junior Championships - July 15-19 - Put-In-Bay, Ohio

Sail Regatta - August 2-5 - Put-In-Bay, Ohio

Powerboat Week - August 8-12 - Put-In-Bay, Ohio

Fall Meeting - November 30-December 1 - French Quarter - Perrysburg, Ohio

## 2018 I-LYA Newsletter Deadlines

#### **EDITION**

2018 Regattas 2018 Results 2018 Fall Meeting

#### SUBMISSION DATE

June 11th August 22nd October 18th



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Captain Bob here. The I-LYA Spring meeting, in Perrysburg, Ohio is behind us. We had a great meeting and plans for the 2018 Junior Powerboat regatta are well under way.

The 2018 Regatta is on track to be bigger and better than last year. Junior Power received grant funds from the Yachtsmen's Fund and I-LYA Trustees to purchase (10) Hand-Held GPS units. I'm real excited about this. I think we'll be able to introduce another contest. I'm working on that and will have information available at the Regatta registration. These GPS units will be used for the "Navigation contest" and other On-The-Water contests.

This year, we will continue the incentive program to get families and particularly our juniors

involved. The power boat committee is offering a \$20.00 rebate per junior that participates in all of the regatta contests. That's right a \$20.00 rebate, its hard to believe. Here is how it works. \$20.00 will be returned for each junior who participates in ALL of the educational and junior power contests. This means that your junior must take part in (and complete) the following activities; Junior Powerboat seminar, Weather contest, Chart reading and course plotting exercise, On-shore navigation contest, O.T.W. (On-The-Water) Boat handling contest, O.T.W. compass reading, O.T.W. Chicane-boat handling and low speed maneuvering, O.T.W. docking contest. This is a great opportunity to get your juniors involved and WHO knows; maybe they will win it all and come away with a \$300.00 scholarship. Or maybe they will win the Junior Skipper award. No matter what, they will have a great time and learn a little something in the process.

In addition to these award winning activities, we have additional activities available to our juniors. Games for those youngsters under 12. Junior Putt-Putt open to all ages, volleyball, Geo-Quest contest, the fishing contest, movie night and the regatta wrap-up with Saturday afternoon with AWARDS and Presentations.

Be sure to check the I-LYA web site for registration and schedule information. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me; Captain Bob 313-938-8414 or send me an email; <u>bob@encoeng.com</u> For Clubs looking to put together a Junior program prior to the Regatta, give me call or drop me an e-mail.

That's all for now; think boating and I'll see you at the Bay in August. Mark your calendars for August 8<sup>th</sup> through the 12<sup>th</sup>. You'll have a great time. Captain Bob; 313-938-8414 <u>bob@encoeng.com</u>

## PHRF - LAKE ERIE UPDATE

We continue our effort to update the meeting minutes in a timely fashion. Please note there is a month lag as minutes are not approved until the next meeting. Renewal notices were emailed and/or mailed around February 27<sup>th</sup> to members with a certificate in 2017. Please be sure to read the chairman's letter that accompanied the renewal notice email as it contains important information. REMINDER: THE EARLY RENEWAL DISCOUNT DEADLINE OF \$35.00 EXPIRES MAY 15<sup>th</sup>. Renewals postmarked after May 15<sup>th</sup> will be \$50.00. New applications are \$35.00. As a standard protocol, the committee completed its review of all new and changed ratings in the last 3 years as well as the rating band from 100-149. All new ratings and changes are reviewed in the Fall. Changes were: Jeanneau 36i SD now 150; Olson 30 OB now 99; Dehler 34 now 132; Farr 47 Custom now -15.

New boats to our database so far this year are as follows: Turner 56, Custom 30 Nelson Marek 30, Dash 34

The class rules were changed to add the following change. The 2018 Class Rules will be published by May 15<sup>th</sup>. <u>11.6.2 Tack Point for Asymmetrical</u>

The asymmetrical spinnaker tack may be tacked to a position forward of the headstay and must be attached to a point (or attached to a tack line that is led to a tack point) that is no more forward of the head stay than 12% of the length of the J up to a maximum of 20", whichever is less, with no penalty assessment. The tack point must be on the centerline of the hull and cannot articulate. There are no restrictions on the length of the tack line. Sail sizes are still based on the "J" dimension and rig restrictions. Changes to sail size/dimension will incur penalties described elsewhere in the class rules. Flying an asymmetrical from a pole longer than the "J" is not allowed under this rule without penalty.

## **I-LYA Power Boat Regatta**

#### Wednesday, August 8th – Sunday, August 12th

This year cool wet weather and high water has slowed the preparation of getting our boats ready for launch. Fortunately, recent sunny skies and a little warmer weather have motivated us to get our boats waxed, bottoms painted and ready for launch. The I-LYA Power Boat Committee looks forward to seeing past participants and hopefully many first timers at the 2018 Power Boat Regatta.

This year's Regatta will be special in that it is the 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Commodore Powers is planning some special things to commemorate the 125<sup>th</sup>. At the Spring I-LYA meetings, we had the chance to purchase a special 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary flag. It looks great and will be nice to display on our boats or in our clubs. Flags are still available but supplies are limited.

At the I-LYA Spring Meeting most of the schedule of events have been finalized. A tentative copy of the schedule is included below for your review. Please note we will once again have the Tito's Vodka party and the Mount Gay Rum party. New this year will be a Corn Hole tournament for seniors age 55 and above.

It is not too late for you to make a donation to sponsor a keg and/or donation to help offset the cost of golf cart transportation. Please encourage your club to help support these projects, which are used to help keep our registration fees as low as possible.

Our Registrar is finalizing plans for a new online registration process in hopes of making it easier to complete your registration. Unfortunately, it is not quite ready to be released.

We hope to see you at the Regatta; further information will be distributed when available.

Larry Inguagiato, 2018 Power Boat Chair



INTER-LAKE YACHTING ASSOCIATION

## From the I-LYA 2018 **Nominating Committee**

At the I-LYA Spring Meeting on April 7, 2018, a new Nomination Committee was elected by the I-LYA Club Delegates. For 2018, the following people make up the Committee:

Commodore Chris Amlin	SPBC	<u>spbc2005@cogeco.ca</u>
Ron Soka	TYC	cooltec@toast.net
Rich McKee Jr	SSCC	bethelou2@aol.com
Marcia Ashley	PIBYC	2 d2dawg@hotmail.com
Tom Thanasiu	JRSC	timelesstt@aol.com

The Nominating Committee is currently looking for candidates to fill the positions of Trustee (3 Positions) and Rear Commodore. Anyone interested is asked to please contact any of the above members to answer any questions you may have. Required qualifications for these positions can be found in the I-LYA Code of Regulations located on our website at <u>www.i-lya.org</u> and specifically under Article XI : Nominations & Elections By The Delegates. Interested parties will need to submit a letter to the Nominating Committee confirming their desire to seek nomination. This letter should include a brief bio indicating qualifications and the best method of contact.

Inter-Lake Yachting Association has a long history in Sail and Power Boating excellence, and serving as a Trustee or Flag Officer builds lasting friendships and ensures I-LYA's future for years to come.

I-LYA 2018 Nominating Committee

## I - LYA 125<sup>th</sup> Adult & Jr. Power Boat Regatta Put - In - Bay, OH August 8-12, 2018

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## Come join all the fun! Bring the whole family!! Kids are welcome and encouraged to join in!

All I-LYA Boaters are invited to join for some fun at the bay! Dock at A&C Dock for only a \$1.70 ft.

Social Packages for adults on boats that are docked with I-LYA are \$40 per person, Those without boats are \$60 per person. Social Packages include all dinner meals Spaghetti, Steak or Chicken, Hot Dog Roast, and Tippers Buffet. It also includes activities listed below for 4 days.

### ADULT ACTIVITES

Power Boat Water Contests Senior Corn Hole Contest Co-ed Volleyball & Softball Putt Putt Golf\* Golf Tournament\* Pub Crawl\*

### KIDS 5-11 yrs. (Free)

Fishing Contest Geo Quest Putt Putt Golf Movie Night Tito's Vodka Party and Mt. Gay Rum Party Inflatable Boat Races Beer Trailer Ladies Tea\* Cardboard Boat Races\* Award Ceremony

## JR. POWER 12-18yrs. (\$10)

SAFE Boating Seminar & Navigation Contest Scholarship Opportunities Fishing Contest & Geo Quest Putt Putt Golf & Movie Night Co-ed Softball & Volley Ball Cardboard Boat Races\* Award Ceremony

\*Small fee may apply Steak, Chicken. and Tippers Dinner meals are NOT included for kids or Jr's but may be purchased for a small fee.

> Go to the I-LYA Website for On Line Register by July 13<sup>th</sup>. For more information or questions call the Power Boat Registrar, Dawn Schaumburger at 734-558-6129 or email dschaums22@aol.com

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## 2018 I-LYA – POWER BOAT SCHEDULE

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#### TUESDAY AUGUST 7, 2018

<ul> <li>4:00pm – 7:00pm</li> </ul>	Power Boat Regatta Event Registration – Skippers & Mates	PIBYC
<ul> <li>6:00pm - 8:00pm</li> </ul>	Spaghetti Dinner	PIBYC
<ul> <li>7:00pm - 8:00pm</li> </ul>	Power Boat Committee & Event Chair Meeting	PIBYC
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<ul> <li>11:00am - 3:00pm</li> </ul>	Power Boat Regatta Events Registration – Skippers & Mates	PIBYC
<ul> <li>11:00am - 1:30pm</li> </ul>	Power Boat Contest – Docking / Chicane / Flying Mile	ON WATER
<ul> <li>10:45am - 11:30am</li> </ul>	Handicapped Dockers - Call VHF 80 before proceeding to assigned dock	
<ul> <li>12:00pm</li> </ul>	All other Dockers - Call VHF 80 before proceeding to assigned dock/raft	
<ul> <li>1:00pm - 3:00pm</li> </ul>	<u>Junior</u> Putt-Putt Golf (all ages)	PERRY'S CAVE
<ul> <li>3:00pm</li> </ul>	Commodore's Welcome & Flag Raising Ceremony *Summer Whites	DERIVERA PARK
<ul> <li>3:30pm</li> </ul>	Commodore's Reception *Summer Whites	TBD
<ul> <li>4:00pm - 8:00pm</li> </ul>	Beer Trailer Open	PIBYC
<ul> <li>4:30pm - 8:00 pm</li> </ul>	Dinner - Tippers	TIPPERS

4:30pm - 8:00 pm Dinner - Tippers
 6:30pm Pub Crawl (Tippers - Suggest eating at 4:30pm)

#### THURSDAY AUGUST 9, 2018

•	8:00am - 10:00am	Commodore's Coffee	"A" Dock
•	9:00am - 10:30am	<u>JR</u> Fishing (all ages) – Fish until 10:00am, Awards follow in Park	"A" Dock
•	9:00am	Skippers meeting (Predicted Log / Navigation Contest) at the I-LYA Men	norial
•	10:00am - 12:00pm	Power Boat Contest – Docking / Chicane / Flying Mile	ON WATER
•	11:00am - 1:00pm	JUNIOR Geo-Quest Contest (all ages – meet by I-LYA trailer)	DERIVERA PARK
•	11:00am - 2:30pm	Predicted Log / Navigation Contest	ON WATER
•	2:30pm	Adult Inflatable Boat Races	PIBYC
•	4:30pm - 9:30pm	Beer Trailer Open	PIBYC
•	4:30pm	Men's & Ladies Volleyball Games (15 years & older)	PIBYC
•	4:30pm	Senior Adult Corn Hole (55 and older)	PIBYC
•	5:00pm - 7:00pm	Hot Dog Cookout	PIBYC
•	5:00pm	Weather Forecast Submission Deadline	PIBYC
•	7:30pm - 9:30pm	JUNIOR Movies	PIBYC
•	7:30pm - 9:30pm	Mount Gay Rum Party (Tim Ames – DJ)	PIBYC

#### FRIDAY AUGUST 10, 2018

•	9:00am - 10:00am	Golf Tournament (Registration & Start)	GOLF COURSE
•	9:00am - 12:00pm	<u>JUNIOR</u> Powerboat Safe Boating Seminar (ages 12 – 18)	PIBYC
•	12:00pm - 3:00pm	Ladies Luncheon (Reservations At Registration)	PIBYC
•	12:00pm - 2:00pm	Smoker	Miller Pavilion
•	3:30pm	Cardboard Boat Races (Junior & Adult races) (Construction and Assembly Starts Under PIBYC Pavilion at 12:00pm)	PIBYC
•	5:00pm - 8:00pm	Beer Trailer Open	PIBYC
•	6:00pm - 8:00pm	Steak or Chicken Roast (Reservations Required)	PIBYC
•	8:30pm	Putt-Putt Golf	PERRY'S CAVE



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#### SATURDAY AUGUST 11, 2018

•	9:00am	JUNIOR Navigation Contest (ages 12 - 18)	STATE PARK
•	12:00pm	Softball Game (15 years & older)	BASEBALL FIELD
•	3:00pm - 4:00pm	IOBG (Members & Officers Present) Cocktail Party *Summer Whites	PIBYC
•	3:00pm - 7:00pm	Beer Trailer Open	PIBYC
•	5:00pm	Power Boat Awards Presentations	PIBYC
•	7:00pm - 9:00 pm	Tito's Vodka Party Entertainment Tim Ames – DJ	PIBYC

#### SUNDAY AUGUST 12, 2018

•	11:00am	Power Boat Regatta Ends	
	BOATS MUST	CLEAR A-DOCK BY 3:00PM / C-DOCK BY NOON OR PAY FOR EX	TENDED DOCKAGE
•	11:00am	Commodore's Brunch (By Invitation Only)	THE ANCHORAGE

3:00pm Parade Assembly for Memorial Ceremony PIBYC
 3:30pm Memorial Ceremony at I-LYA Memorial \*Summer Whites DERIVERA PARK

#### \* Summer Whites - Long Pants & Covers \*

(The basic Summer White uniform is white shirt, white long pants, white belt, white socks, white shoes, and white officer hat/cover)



### A MESSAGE FROM LAKE CARRIER'S ASSOCIATION

### <u>CUYAHOGA RIVER - CLEVELAND, OHIO</u>

Norfolk Southern has authorized partial lifts of the bridge going forward. The bridge will not open enough for a freighter to enter or exit the river, but it will be high enough for recreational vessels to transit, and that will help ease congestion. One of the problems we face is that when recreational boaters see a freighter coming,

they know the bridge will open, so bunch up there. This is another move in the right direction.



The Inter-Lake Yachting Association's Powerboat Regatta will be held August 8 through August 12, 2018 at Put-in-Bay, Ohio on South Bass Island in Lake Erie. You, your boating club, or your company all have the opportunity to be recognized at this premier event by sponsoring us. Sponsors will be acknowledged on a banner hanging at the event!

Number of Kegs:	@\$95.00 =	-	
Commitment made by:			
Mailing Address:			
Phone:			
Email:			
Commitment on behalf of:	74 11 11		
Please make checks payable to I-LYA 2018 and mail to Lloyd Bogue, Power Boat Treasurer, at the address on the right: I-LYA 2018 Attn: Lloyd Bogue PO Box 681 Geneva. OH 44041			
	Powers and the 2018 Pov our support of the 2018 I-I	verboat Regatta Committee LYA Powerboat Regatta!	
Keg Sponsorships may be used to cover the cost of beer kegs as well as other social event expenses, including other beverages.			





SPONSORSHIP

The 125th Inter-Lake Yachting Association Sail Regatta will be held Friday-Sunday, August 3-5, at Put-in-Bay, Ohio on South Bass Island in Lake Erie. You, your boat, your sailing club, your company, your poker buddies, your golf foursome... all have an opportunity to be recognized at this premier sailing event by sponsoring us in one of the following areas. Sponsors will be acknowledged with a banner at the event or awards.

Please select from the following areas of sponsorship:

Sponsorship Opportunity	Cost	QTY	Total Amount
Sponsor a Keg of Beer*	\$ 95.00		
Sponsor Water, Other Drinks	\$ 50.00		
Sponsor a Set of Flags Which Set?	\$175.00		
	Tota	al Enclosed:	\$

To sponsor at any level listed above, please complete this form and mail to the address below. The deadline for sponsorship is Monday, July 9th, 2018.

Name:		<ul> <li>(as it will appear on the banner)</li> </ul>
Address:		
Phone:		•
E-Mail:		
Make checks payable to:	I-LYA Administration	
and mail to:	28 Edgewater Square	
	Lakewood, OH 44107	

----- Thank you for your support! ------

For additional sponsorship opportunities, or more information, please contact Bob Sheppard, Sponsorship Chair at sailing1@columbus.rr.com or 614-746-4966 or Visit http://www.i-lya.org for more information.

\* Keg Sponsorships will be used to cover keg costs along with other social event expenses, including other beverages. All sponsors will be recognized with a banner at the event or awards.





## I-LYA Regattas July 15 – August 12, 2018

## FLAG SPONSORSHIP

The 125<sup>th</sup> Inter-Lake Yachting Association Regattas will be held at Put-in-Bay, Ohio on South Bass Island in Lake Erie. You, your boating club, or your company all have the opportunity to be recognized at this premier event by sponsoring us. Sponsors will receive a one-sided version of the 125<sup>th</sup> Regatta Flag and will be acknowledged on a banner at the event! Submit the form by June 15<sup>th</sup> to receive the single-sided flag by this summer's Regattas!

Number of Flags:	@ \$100.00 =	
Commitment made by:		
Mailing Address:		
Phone:		
Email:		
Commitment on behalf of:	(as it will appear on the banner)	
Please make checks payab and mail to:	ble to: I-LYA 2018 303 E. 5th Street Monroe, MI 48161	
Commodore Mike Powers and the 2018 Regatta Committees thank-you for your support of the 2018 I-LYA Regattas!		
Flag Sponsorships will be used for the purchase of 125 <sup>th</sup> Regatta Flags in DeRivera Park in Put-in-Bay, Ohio on South Bass Island during the summer of 2018 and to support the 125 <sup>th</sup> Inter-Lake Yachting Association Regattas.		
Spo	onsorships requested by June 15™!	





# We've got a big Birthday coming!

# 2019 will mark the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the incorporation of the Yachtsmen's Fund.

For nearly a century we have been actively supporting sailing & boating in the Lake Erie region.

## Is your Club part of our "Dollar-per-Member" Program?

A small donation of just \$1 for each member of your Club or organization will help us to provide support for valuable programs in our region this year. Please join with the over 50 Clubs and organizations in the area who help us to fulfill our mission to educate, challenge, and inspire the next generation of sailors & boaters.

## We are very easy to contact if you have any questions:

e-Mail — yachtsmensfund@gmail.com (Easy to remember)

Website — www.yachtsmensfund.org (New & improved — Join online with your credit card or PayPal)

Twitter — @yachtsmensfund (Follow us for the latest information on activities we support)

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## I-LYA SPOTLIGHT.... Sponsored by the Yachtsmen's Fund

## A Note from our President:

So good to see everyone at the Spring meeting. It has been such a long winter, that it was nice to talk about boating and the summer months to come. Thanks to all the Dollar- per- Member clubs that responded to our request so promptly. A second mailing will be coming soon to those clubs that are just "waking up' for the boating season. Another exciting celebration this year, will be the start of our Centennial Celebration. The Yachtsmen's Fund was incorporated in 1919. We will launch special donor opportunities this Fall.

2018 promises to be an exciting year as I-LYA clubs with the support of the Yachtsmen's Fund hosts three US Sailing National Championships: Junior Women's Doublehanded for the Ida Lewis Trophy at Mentor Harbor Yachting Club in July, Chubb US Junior Championships for the Sears Cup and Bemis and Smythe Trophies at North Cape Yacht Club in August, and the US Team Racing Championship for the Hinman Trophy at The Foundry in Cleveland in September.

Please take a minute to visit our website at **yachtsmensfund.org** where you can donate online, download a membership form, or read about what we do. Follow us on twitter **@YachtsmensFund**. If you need to contact us, email us at <u>yachtsmensfund@gmail.com</u>.

Thank you again to our annual members, Life Members, and all the Clubs who participate in our Dollar-per-Member Program. Your support makes our work possible.

Monica Bloomstine President-Yachtsmen's Fund

#### Gifts to Educate, Challenge, and Inspire the Next Generation! Recent Memorial Gifts

In Memory of Bill Wells and Mary Wells from Dick and Betty Bliss In Memory of PC Leo "Buddy" Durocher from Michele Durocher

#### Yachtsmen's Fund Welcomes New Life Members

The following supporters joined the Fund as Life Members during the past year. Their names will be added to the Life Member List in the I-LYA Yearbook.

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#### Ohio State High School Sailing Championship Hoover Sailing Club April 28, 2018

Thirteen teams representing ten Ohio schools competed in windy conditions on April 28, 2018 at Hoover Sailing Club to crown this year's Ohio High School Sailing Champs. Finishing 1,2,3 were Thomas Worthington, Westerville South, and Westerville North. Full scores are available at: <u>https://scores.hssailing.org/s18/ohio-state/full-scores/</u>. Look closely and you will see lots of familiar I-LYA junior sailors who will hit the ground running when the Traveler Series kicks off in June.

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Pictured are the Ohio HS Sailing Champs representing Thomas Worthington: (L-R holding trophies) XiaoJiao Hall, Grace Squires, Zoe Hoctor, and Marshall Wellejus and their coaches (L-R back row) Jamie Jones, Dave Alvarado, and Kyle Assad.

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#### Jamie Jones of Hoover Sailing Club Recognized by US Sailing as an Outstanding Organizational Leader

On February 1, 2018, I-LYA's own Jamie Jones was recognized by US Sailing as an Outstanding Organizational Leader at an awards reception held as part of the Sailing Leadership Forum in St. Pete Beach, Florida. Each year, US Sailing recognizes those who have made a significant contribution to our sport with a variety of Community Sailing and National One-Design Awards. Jamie is certainly deserving of national recognition. Among the many hats Jamie wears: Program Director of LTS at Hoover, US Sailing Certified Instructor (since the 80's), Principal Race Officer, US Sailing Area E Training Coordinator, Area E Junior Championship Representative, certified STEM Educator, accredited OHSAA High School Sports Coach, member of the US Sailing Community Sailing Committee, husband, and father. Below is a picture of Jamie at the awards and his write-up from the US Sailing website.

#### Jamie Jones – Outstanding Organizational Leader http://www.ussailing.org/ussailingawards1/



Jamie Jones (Westerville, Ohio) is a true leader in his support of the development and operations of sailing instruction programs, especially at his home club.

Comprised of individuals and families, the Hoover Sailing Club in Westerville, Ohio has over 200 members. Jones increased enrollment in the Club's youth sailing programs from 160 in 2010 to 430 in 2017, while the adult program has expanded from 50 students to 156.

Jones played a major role in starting the Ohio High School Sailing program, which now boasts 16 MISSA-recognized teams. In 2017, the Hoover Sailing Club had 60 active sailors from eight schools, along with another 50 youth who came out to try the sport; these numbers reflect half of the teams in the state.

He has bestowed the gift of sailing to thousands of individuals, thus empowering them to reach their greatest potential. Jones is a great volunteer and organizational leader who has

significantly increased access to sailing in the Midwest.



#### I-LYA Juniors Compete at Midwinters in Florida

The 2018 C420 Midwinter Regatta was held February 17-19th at the beautiful US Sailing Center Martin County, Florida. I-LYA junior sailors included Clare Elden (Vermilion BC), Michaela O'Donnell (Vermilion BC) and Grace Squires (Hoover SC). Detroit juniors (Crescent Sail YC) included Max Klaasen steering with Shay Gualdoni, Johnny Walton skippering with Drew Clutterbuck. Johnny and Drew sailed very well finishing 23rd out of 75 boats. Clare and her skipper, Gannon Troutman, sailing for Christchurch School, finished well with several great races in the VERY competitive fleet finishing just ahead of Grace and Michaela. Several upper mid-fleet finishes by our I-LYA girls were impressive considering the high level of competition against advanced racers who aged-out at 22 years old.

The US Sailing Center of Martin County located in Jensen Beach, Florida is an outstanding venue with good wind and beach launching. Their new Sailing Director is Ryan Clarke, who was a member at Leatherlips YC last year, and can be reached at 772-334-8085. Ryan offers helpful advice and support and encourages I-LYA folks to reach out.

115 miles south of Jensen Beach in Miami, the International 420 fleet also held their midwinters at the same time. Ian Moran (Edgewater YC) sailing with Ariel Casaretto, and Cameron Turner and Maxwell Uittimberga (Chautauqua YC) sailed very well in the 42 boat 1420 fleet.





Grace Squires (Hoover SC) and Michaela O'Donnell (Vermilion BC) enjoying the wind, waves, and competition at the C420 Midwinters in Jenson Beach, Florida.







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#### Special Pricing

Due to the cold and rainy weather experienced in the past few weeks, the special pricing deadline has been extended to midnight Friday, May 11. See the <u>Amendment</u> to the Notice of Race for the details.

#### Safety Equipment Requirements

The 2018 Safety Equipment Requirements have been posted on Yacht Scoring. Please review these carefully.

#### Friends of the Mills Sponsorship

Events such as the Mills Trophy Race, rely on advertisers and sponsors to supplement the registration fees paid by the sailors. If you would like to show your support in a special way, please consider a <u>Friends of the Mills</u> <u>Sponsorship</u>.

For more information on the Mills Trophy Race, visit our website.



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## MBIYC Cruise-in Schedule 41°40'27.1"N 82°48'28.4"W

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Attention: MBIYC has finalized the dates available for "Cruise-In's" for the 2018 boating season. MBIYC is located within the Middle Bass Island State Park Marina. The following dates are available to all I-LYA associated Clubs on a first come first serve basis. Please contact me at 419-341-1576 or by email at <u>dockmaster@mbiyc.com</u>.

- May 18-20
- June 1-3
- July 6-8
- July 27-29
- Aug. 24-26
- Sept. 7-9



Middle Bass Island Yacht Club currently has 56 docks within the Middle Bass Island Marina. Extra wide slips, dual 30A service, and fresh water ensure an enjoyable stay.

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Thanks,

Butch Mesenburg MBIYC Club Manager





#### US Sailing and North Cape Yacht Club once again will partner to offer The "First Sail Experience"

Here is a wonderful opportunity to take a sail and learn more about our local sailing community.





North Cape Yacht Club has once again been named by US Sailing as an official First Sail location. We are offering the unique "First Sail Experience" for newcomers.

Interested in learning how to sail, but not sure if you are ready for a full commitment? Take the First Sail Experience to see why sailing is one of the most exhilarating activities on Earth!

#### What is "First Sail Experience"?

First Sail Experience is a national initiative that provides individuals the opportunity to experience the benefits of sailing as a fun and exciting activity. The First Sail program offers a pathway to participation through a special, one-of-a-kind First Sail Experience! Sailing is the perfect activity for anyone who enjoys water sports and outdoor recreation. Sailing can be exciting or relaxing. You can compete in racing or take a leisurely sail with family and friends. Regardless of age, ability or limitation, sailing has something for everyone.

Join us for a two hour sailing session on Lake Erie aboard one of our three Adult Learn to Sail teaching sailboats. These are comfortable, stable keel boats and they are perfect learning platforms. We have twelve spots available for each of three sessions being offered. The sailing times are from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm followed by an opportunity to spend some social time at our beautiful club and grounds on the western shores of Lake Erie. *We've reduced the price for 2018!* 

The First Sail Experience has a cost of \$35.00 per person. Checks Payable to; North Cape Yacht Club

2018 NCYC "First Sail Experience" Calendar

Session #1: June 1, 2018Registration Deadline: May 25, 2018Session #2: July 20, 2018Registration Deadline: July 13, 2018Session #3: August 17, 2018Registration Deadline: August 10, 2018

Online Registration: <u>www.NCYC.net</u> Email Registration: <u>northcapesailschool@bex.net</u> Phone: 734.430.0930

## Save a Child's Life This Summer: Become a Life Jacket Loaner Site BoatUS Foundation program has more than 550 locations nationwide



You can help children get right-sized life jackets for the day or weekend with help from the BoatUS Foundation Life Jacket Loaner Program.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 25, 2018 – A simple way to save a kid's life is to ensure they have a life jacket when they go boating, sailing or fishing. But sometimes, it's not easy to borrow a right-sized life jacket when an infant or young teen comes aboard. Marinas, boat and fishing clubs, waterfront businesses, organizations or other groups that serve boaters can help by becoming a BoatUS Foundation Life Jacket Loaner site. Becoming a loaner site is easy by applying at BoatUS.org/Life-Jacket-Loaner. There is no cost to set up a loaner site, and there is never a charge to borrow a life jacket.

Approved locations will receive a kit containing 12 child-sized life jackets with sizes from infant to youth, as well as signage and a local publicity kit. The non-profit BoatUS Foundation, funded by donations from the more than half-million members of BoatUS, replenishes the supply of jackets as wear and tear takes its toll.

The only task loaner sites have is to track life

jacket usage with an easy clipboard sign-out system and provide the Foundation with periodic feedback to help keep the life jacket supply in good condition.

The program currently has more than 550 life jacket loaner sites across the US that collectively loan out children's life jackets more than 140,000 times each year. Since 1997, three children's lives have been saved by a BoatUS Foundation loaner life jacket. To learn more, go to www.BoatUS.org/Life-Jacket-Loaner. A short video on how to select a right-sized kid's life jacket at <u>BoatUS.org/Life-Jacket-Loaner/Fit-Video</u>.



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