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## COMMODORE'S REPORT



Wow, the Regatta's are over! It is so much like Christmas, you plan and plan and organize and strategize and you look up and it is over and hopefully everything went off without a hitch and we all had a lot of fun! I can certainly say it was an AMAZING three weeks! The Junior Regatta which was chaired by Liz Backus Barker and Kate Keane, hosted 135 Junior Sailors for a week of fantastic sailing. These experiences will help prepare the junior sailors for future sailing success.

Next up was the Senior Sail Regatta, chaired by Bill Pribe, Doug Seib and Connie Miller, and a fantastic trio they are! Beautiful weather, great air and plenty of great sailing was had by all who attended. We brought back a steel drummer, a bit of nostalgia, and hosted a party each evening which included a Mount Gay Rum Party and a Tito's Vodka party. We also had several Island establishments prepare plenty of good food for the participants. I do not think anyone went hungry this year!

Week three showcased the Power Boat Regatta which also included Junior Power chaired by Brian Moyer and R/C Bob Lang. The weather was beautiful, sunny and no humidity, it was just great. We had many new clubs and attendees this year, I hope you all enjoyed the week as much as Dennis and I did. It was such a great time with so many wonderful events and we also enjoyed the softball game this year! The Powerboat Regatta concluded with the Memorial Service which is always a wonderful event with the Bagpipers and gives us a chance to be thankful for the opportunity to participate in and be part of such a wonderful organization!

All of these great events would not be able to happen without our volunteers and our sponsors. Our volunteers take their vacation time, their talents and treasure to come to the Bay and help run and organize our events. We have committee chairs, helpers, organizers, and fleet captains who do so many jobs you can't count them all and attendees who are willing to lend a hand to help out. Clubs who run the parties and of course our host club, Put-in-Bay Yacht Club. See the list of sponsors in this newsletter and on our website and in the year-book, please make sure you visit them and let them know you appreciate their support. Thank you all so very much!

While we bask in the final rays of our glorious summer sunshine, we can start planning for the Fall meeting where we will re-visit our Regatta successes and start planning for next years' events. Please join us December 6<sup>th</sup> through the 8<sup>th</sup> at the Doubletree in Westlake, Ohio. We have plenty to celebrate and Dennis and I hope you will join us!

Commodore Cindy Johnson-Mintus

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



Hello Everyone - What a great Regatta season. The weather was awesome, the competition was fierce and the comradeship was fantastic. Congratulations to everyone who worked on these regattas. Your dedication and hard work really paid off. Thank you for all your help and dedication to our organization. A further congratulations goes out to all of the participants in all the events, if it wasn't for you these Regattas would not happen.

In the last few articles I have mentioned that a survey would be released to our members to help us determine our demographics. Please copy and paste this link into your browser and please take the time to participate in this survey. <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/DSBWYSS>

The survey is only 10 questions and will only take you approximately two minutes. The results will help us as we plan our future regattas. Put-In-Bay is a key resource with our organization and the more feedback we give them the better our relationship. So please take the 2 minutes and complete the survey.

On another note - Please make your calendars for the upcoming events: Fall meeting is December 6th-8th, 2019, in West Lake, OH; Spring meeting April 3rd-5th at the Sheraton in Romulus, Michigan.

**2020 Regattas:** the 65th Jr. Sail Championship Regatta July 19th - July 24<sup>th</sup>; Sr. Sail Regatta - July 30th - Aug 2nd; Sr/Jr Power Regatta - Aug. 5th - Aug 9th.

I hope everyone has a safe and fun filled rest of the summer and we will see you in December!

Steve H. - Vice Commodore

## Rear Commodore's Corner...Bob Lang



Captain Bob here. : Just got home from the Regattas, what a busy 3 weeks. This was my first year attending the Junior Bay regatta and I've got to tell you; Kate and Liz the Junior Bay Chairs did a fantastic job. There is a tremendous amount of time and effort along with coordination and planning that goes on behind the scenes to make this regatta a success. They hit it out of the park, job well done.

As for the Sail regatta, I think the last time I was at the Bay for a Sail regatta was back in the late 70's. A little different from the 70's, I can remember you could almost walk from "A" dock to "B" dock across the rafted boats, it was crazy. Anyways, this year's Sail regatta was great, only problem was the wind or should I say lack thereof. I had a great time reconnecting with some sailing friends I haven't seen in a while. My hats off to the Sail chair Bill Pribe and his team Doug Seib and Connie Miller, these folks really know how to put on a Regatta.

As most of you know, I'm a powerboat guy and the powerboat regatta had some spectacular weather. I should qualify that, the weather for those committee chairs who came over on Tuesday was not exactly spectacular. The rain came the wind blew, I think sideways for a while and the water came up and came up and up; at one point I was standing in 8" of water at the end of Put-In-Bay Yacht clubs dock. I thought to myself, boy oh boy we're in for some kind regatta. But, hallelujah, as quick as the weather turned to crap it corrected itself and for the balance of the regatta the weather was fantastic. Thanks to Powerboat chairman Brian Moyer and all his committee, 2019 is history and let's look to making 2020 even better.

If you want talk, give me a call 313-938-8414 or stop by the old garage, I'm usually there at the bench working on a project. Thanks for listening, see you at the FALL meeting in Westlake.

Captain Bob, Rear Commodore I-LYA

## ***2019 Powerboat Committee***

Greetings from the Powerboat Regatta Committee. I am extremely pleased to report that we held a great Regatta!! Mother Nature was ok to us this year although Tuesdays Water Volleyball didn't work out too well due to rain. The Coca Cola truck taking down the power lines to PIBYC didn't exactly help either. Due to member actions we did have power for the rum party( Thank You Generator Donors !! The beer and ice stayed cold thanks to you!!) I'd like to thank all our event chairpersons and everyone else who lent a hand. These events are very complicated and there are a lot of moving parts. We did well thanks to all of the support from the members and chair people from all of the clubs in attendance. If you were able to make it this year Thank You for attending, if you were not, then I hope you will consider trying to come next year.

I am wrapping up my tenure on the Power Boat Committee and look forward to helping next years committee with what we learned so we can make improvements going forward. There will need to be a few changes to make things as enjoyable as possible. If you have any suggestions for next year please email me and I will make sure we look at this in the Fall meeting in December. Congratulations Commodore Mintus and all of ILYA on a great Regatta Series.

Sincerely, 2019 Power Boat Chairman Brian Moyer

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## ***I-LYA Sail Regatta Overall Winners***

### **PHRF**

Trivial Pursuit - David Young - Edgewater Yacht Club

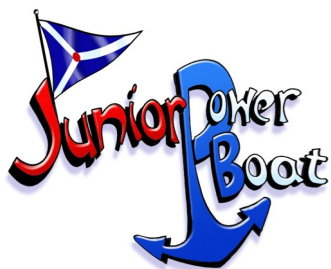
### **JAM**

Mystery Dance - Peter Huston - Sandusky Sailing Club

### **Cruising**

Slip Away - Jeremy & Kate Downing – Grosse Ile Y C





For those of you who were unable to attend the I-LYA Junior Powerboat regatta you really missed a great time. The weather was a little windy but all and all we had a great day on the water. This year we had a safety boat on patrol during both the fishing derby and the On-The-Water contests. I want to thank the crew from Phastar for their instruction on how to safely retrieve a Man-Overboard victim. In fact, we turned this Safety training into a 5<sup>th</sup> On-The-Water contest and I'm happy to report that all juniors were able to retrieve the 140 pound life size manikin victim safely on board their inflatable boat.

As for the winners; this years 1<sup>st</sup> place went to Thomas Moore from VBC, 2<sup>nd</sup> place to Brendon McKee from SSCC and 3<sup>rd</sup> place to Maia Echols from SSCC. The Skipper Award which is given to the highest scoring junior in all the On-The-Water events including the weather contest went to Brendan McKee from SSCC. CONGRATULATIONS to all our top finishers, you all did a great job and you should be proud of your accomplishments, I'm proud of you.

Putt-Putt, the fishing derby and Geo-Quest went off without a hitch. All those who participated had a great time and enjoyed the comradery of others. Unfortunately, the cardboard boat race which is always a crowd pleaser was cancelled due to lack of participation. Next year make plans early and bring your cardboard boats partially constructed to minimized assembly time.

Room permitting, all Junior and Senior results are posted elsewhere in this issue. It was a great regatta, I had a lot of fun and made some great memories with lots of good friends, see you next year and stay safe on the water. That's all for now.

Captain Bob; 313-938-8414 CaptainBobLang@Outlook.com

## Sail Regatta

The 126th I-LYA sail regatta is now history. I would like to thank all the skippers and crew members that came out to Put in Bay for this years regatta. We could not have asked for better weather and temperatures. It would have been nice to have 10 knots of steady wind from only one direction that would have made the race committees job a lot simpler. A big thank you goes out to our three PRO's, Mike Vining on the PHRF course, Steve Harris on the Centerboard course and Geoff Endris on the JAM / Cruising course. Our Race Chair Doug Seib and Registrar PC Dennis Mintus kept everything on the races courses organized and scoring completed as soon as possible. Taking care of our docking this year was Dock Master John Dalessandro with assistance from Rob & Carol Wolas on A-Dock and Scott & Sharon Kneisel on C-Dock. Mike Fishbaugh completed the dock assignments which was a bit of a challenge with the finger on A-Dock being under water and not use able. Our US Sailing Judge again this year was Ed Theisen. Of course no regatta would be complete without a party let alone three. Our Party Chair, Connie Miller did a great job organizing the food, entertainment and drinks. Head Fleet Captain for the Sail Regatta was Jack Attkisson with Fleet Captains Eric & Julie Osborne making sure everything was ready for all the events. The I-LYA Bridge hosted Thursday night, North Cape Yacht Club hosted Friday night Mount Gay Rum Party and Put-in Bay Yacht Club hosted the Saturday night Tito's Vodka Party. The regatta would not have been possible without Commodore Cindy Johnson-Mintus and PC Dennis Mintus. They were instrumental in running the regatta. Thank you for all the organizational help.

This regatta by far is the most difficult regatta I have ever been in charge of. There are many moving parts that are all going at once. No one person can run this regatta. It takes many volunteers on the Sail Committee to put on this event. I would like to thank everyone on the committee for all their hard work and commitment. Secretary Debbie Schaefer, Island Liaison member Bryan Huntley, Mike Fishbaugh, Bob Sheppard and Tom Thanasiu for taking care of our trophies. And a special thank you and recognition to Ron and Kaye Soka for their support and their participating in their 50th I-LYA Bay-week Regatta.

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## Sail Regatta.. Continued

As with any regatta there are many challenges that come up. This year was no exception. Our participation this year was down from last year especially in the PHRF divisions. The sail committee will be starting our planning for next year in September. We will be sending out a Participant Survey to gather information from the participants, our customers, as we are always looking to make the regatta better each year.

The complete results of the 2019 I-LYA Bayweek can be found on the I-LYA website under Sail Regatta, Registration and Events page or by going to Yachtscoring and search for I-LYA.

### PHRF A

1. Capers, USA92, Don Hudak
2. Synchronicity, USA19145, Chris Mallett
3. Adrenalin, USA97739, Kurt Kachler

### Hobie Wave FWC

1. Angelfish Wave, USA33, Doug Seib
2. Steelkilt, USA38, Jim Hildebrandt
3. Barn Owl, 335, Jim Glanden

### Interlake

1. Neign-Oh-Neign, 909, Tom Marriott
2. Bingo, USA496, Ronald Soka
3. Hooley Express, USA1215, Brent Marriott

### PHRF B

1. Trivial Pursuit, USA33734, David Young
2. Oh Baby, USA41582, Todd Duffett
3. Ten Forward, 10, Will Lightfoot

### PHRF C

1. Feisty, USA15193, Brian Hartwell
2. InfraRed, USA31039, Bryan Huntley
3. Family Truckster, 81, Alec Chabalowski

### Tartan 10

1. Thinkinblue, USA143, Gary Disbrow
2. Hooligan: Flat Stanley Racing, 26301, Trey Sheehan

Bill Pribe -2019 I-LYA Sail Chairman  
2019 AYC Sail Fleet Captain  
Past Commodore NCYC 2010

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1. Rumming On Empty, USA1, Ryan Lashaway
2. Orange Whip, USA2118, Ben Sprenger
3. Menace, USA2294, D Blackburn

### Cruising A

1. Slip Away, USA42854, Jeremy & Katie Downing
2. Waypoint, 157, Larry Hurst
3. Oban Skye, USA260, Jeffrey Biesenberger

### Cruising B

1. Moonbeam, 51126, David Burke
2. Jolly Mon, 0, Michael Petsch
3. Longshot, 44, David Long and Rebecca Innes-Long

### JAM A

1. Wing Jammer, USA52130, William Pribe
2. Orange Crate, USA13662, Jim & Chris Davis
3. Turtle Stampede, 63267, Steven Theiss

### JAM B

1. Mystery Dance, 537, Peter Huston
2. B4, USA25276, Robert Bradley
3. YEAH BUOY, USA35, Lee Elekonich







### JAM C

1. Bangarang, 922, Bryce Boardman
2. Calliope, USA708, Sloane Barbour
3. One Leg Up, USA47, Charles Simons

### Offshore Multihulls

1. Accipiter, 40, Mike Garam
2. Myira, 27014, Harold Alber
3. Alacrity, USA22824, Brian Thorpe

## Powerboat Regatta Results

	EVENT	PLACE	WINNER	COMMENTS	FLAGS	TROPHY
	VOLLEYBALL (NO FLAGS AWARDED)	1st	East			NO YES
	CORNHOLE (NO FLAGS AWARDED)	1st	East			NO YES
	CO-ED SOFTBALL (NO FLAGS AWARDED)	1st				NO YES
	GOLF (NO FLAGS ARE AWARDED FOR THIS EVENT)			score		NO NO
		1st	TERRY TRIMMER DEBBIE TRIMMER DAVE PATLIN LAURIE PATLIN	-5 BVYC BVYC BVYC BVYC		
		2nd	TOM KUNTZMAN WHITNEY JOHNS RAY WEEBER	-2 CWHYC CWHYC CWHYC		
		3rd	DEAN REAMSNYDER JOHN ROBBINS	1 HVYC DBBC		
	PUTT-PUTT (NO FLAGS AWARDED)		WEST 912 EAST 939			NO NO
X DOCKING DIVISION "A"						YES NO
CLASS 2T/D		1st	SHARON'S RELIEF ~ SCOTT KNEISEL	BVYC 01:59.6		
		2nd	MERMAID HUNTER ~ DAVID KRELL	BVYC 02:20.4		
		3rd	DRIFT AWAY ~ GREG SNIYER	BVYC 03:16.3		
CLASS 3T/B		1st	INCONCEIVABLE ~ DAVE PATLIN	BVYC 02:27.2		
		2nd	IMPROMTEAU ~ CHUCK BROCK	FYC 2:24.3 (HIT DOCK PENTALTY OF 5 SECONDS ADDED) <b>2:29.5</b>		
CLASS 5T/B		1st	CONQUEST ~ CHRIS HOOVER	SSCC 1:39.1 (HIT DOWNBOARD PENTALTY OF 5 SECONDS ADDED) <b>1:44.1</b>		
		2nd	LUCKY BETS ~ TOM BLANK	BVYC 02:24.5		
		3rd				
DOCKING DIVISION "B"						
CLASS 2T/D		1st	MARTADOR ~ MATHEW MARTI	BCBC 02:39.4		
		2nd				
		3rd				

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## Powerboat Regatta Results.. continued

### X CHICANE

YES NO

CLASS - 2TD	1st	SCOTT KNEISEL	BVYC	04:43.2
	2nd	MARTI MATHEWS	BCBC	05:13.4
	3rd	DAVID KRELL	BVYC	05:32.9
CLASS - 3TA	1st	TOM BLANK	BVYC	04:54.1
	2nd			
	3rd			
CLASS - 3TB	1st	DAVE PATLIN	BVYC	05:22.8
	2nd			
	3rd			
CLASS - 5TB	1st	CHRIS HOOVER	SSCC	03:33.2
	2nd			
	3rd			



### FLYING MILE- DIVISION "A" (INBOARD)

YES NO

CLASS 5B (371 TO 450HP) 32' TO 37'	1st	RICK GREW	WRYCC	25MPH
CLASS 6A (451 TO 550 HP) 31' AND UNDER	NONE			
CLASS 6B: (451 to 550HP) 32ft to 37ft	1st	CHRIS HOOVER	SSCC	27MPH
	2nd	TOM BLANK	BVYC	15MPH
CLASS 7B: (551 and over) 36ft to 39ft	1st	DAVE PATLIN	BVYC	27MPH
CLASS 7C: (551 and over) 40ft and over	1st	SCOTT KNEISEL	BVYC	34MPH
CLASS 8A: (Diesel) 45ft and under	NONE			
CLASS 8B: (Diesel) 46ft and over	NONE			



### FLYING MILE- DIVISION "B" (I/O & OUTBOARD)

YES NO

CLASS 3A: (up to 300HP) Any Length	NONE			
CLASS 4A: (301 to 370HP) Up to 32ft	NONE			
CLASS 5B 32' TO 37'	NONE			
CLASS 7B (551 HP AND OVER) 36' - 39'	1st	MARTY MATHEWS	BCBC	35MPH
OFFSHORE CLASS 9B	NONE			

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### MENS INFLATABLE

BALAST

YES NO

8.0 - 10.0



1st	SCOTT KNEISEL/ BVYC	TONY PRENGER/ ACSA
2nd	TOM BLANK/ BVYC	MIKE UZELAK/ BVYC
3rd	DAMIAN PFLEGHAAR/BVYC	TIMOTHY KRELL/ BVYC
1st	JON ALLEN/ WRYCC	LAURA ALLEN/ WRYCC
2nd	FRANK CZERNIEJEWSKI/	
	BVYC	CHRIS HOOVER/ SSCC

15.0 - 24.9








## Powerboat Regatta Results.. continued

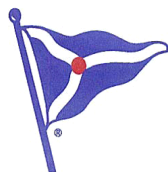
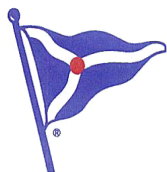
25.0 & UP	1st	CHRIS SACKETT/ BVYC	BRAD SACKETT/ BVYC		
	2nd	JON ALLEN/ WRYCC	LAURA ALLEN/ WRYCC	YES	NO
<b>WOMENS INFLATABLE</b>					
8.0 - 10.0	1st	SHARON KNEISEL/ BVYC	LESLIE SELL/ BVYC		
	2nd	ERIN LALONDE/ BVYC	DOUG LALONDE/ BVYC		
15.0 - 24.9	1st	SHARON KNEISEL/ BVYC	LESLIE SELL/ BVYC		
	2nd	ERIN KNEISEL/ BVYC	FRANK CZERNIEJEWSKI/ BVYC		
25.0 & UP	1st	DIANE SACKETT/ BVYC	KRISS SACKETT/ BVYC		
<b>CARDBOARD BOAT RACE (NO FLAGS AWARDED)</b>					
GUPPY CLASS	1st	DEM BITCHES BE CRAZY!!	DBBC	KIMBERLY LANGLEY & STACY GREENWOOD	NO NO
<b>X WEATHER</b>					
	1st	SCOTT KNEISEL	BVYC	YES	NO
	1st	BILL LIBERTY	SSCC		
	1st	MIKE UZELAE			
	2nd	ALAN CHAPMAN	PYC	YES	NO
	2nd	GREG SNYIR	BVYC	YES	NO
	3rd	SAMANTHA HOOVER	SSCC	YES	NO
	3rd	LANCE LIBERTY	SSCC	YES	NO
	3rd	MICHELLE STEVENSON	BCBC		
<b>PREDICTED LOG</b>					
X GREELEY AWARD	1st	SCOTT KNEISEL	BVYC	0.44915	YES YES
	2nd	CHRIS SACKETT	BVYC	1.547286	YES NO
	3rd	CHUCK BROCK	FYC	2.377972	YES NO
<b>COMMODORES TROPHY (Required contests are noted X)</b>					
MUST HAVE AT LEAST (3) CONTESTANTS	1st			YES	YES (and pin)
	2nd			YES	N O
	3rd			YES	NO
<b>VOLUNTEER AWARD</b>					
	1st	WEST RIVER YACHT & CRUISING CLUB	295 HOURS	YES	Plaque
	2nd	DETROIT BEACH BOAT CLUB	177 HOURS	YES	
	3rd	BAYVIEW YACHT CLUB	170 HOURS	YES	
<b>PARTICIPATION AWARD</b>					
	1st	BAYVIEW YACHT CLUB	152	YES	NO
	2nd	SOUTH SHORE CRUISING CLUB	55	YES	
	3rd	WEST RIVER YACHT & CRUISING CLUB	31	YES	



## Junior Power Regatta Results

 EVENT	PLACE	WINNERS	CLUB	COMMENTS	RIBBON	TROPHY
 JUNIOR VOLLEYBALL					NO	NO
GEO-QUEST						
<b>FISHING DERBY</b> AGES 2 - 10 	Largest				NO	NO
	1ST	EVEN TIGGES	PIBYC	15" BASS		
	2ND	EZRA POWEL	MBC	13-1/2" BASS		
	3RD	CLAIRE MAY	MBC	11" PERCH		
	Most Fish	EZRA POWEL	MBC	6 FISH CAUGHT		
AGES 11 - 16 	Largest					
	1ST	GRACE MAY	MBC	18" SHEEPHEAD		
	2ND	MAIA ECHOLS	SSCC	9-1/2" PERCH		
	3RD	KEVIN GLATZER	SSCC	9" BLUEGILL		
	Most Fish	BRENDAN MCKEE	SSCC	14 FISH CAUGHT	NO	NO
<b>CARDBOARD BOAT RACE</b> TEEN GUPPY CLASS 	NONE					
TITANIC AWARD						
SPIRT AWARD						

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## Junior Power Regatta Results

### XX X ON-THE-WATER

#### COURSE "A"



1st	THOMAS MOORE	VBC
2nd	BRENDAN MCKEE	SSCC
3rd	MAIA ECHOIS	SSCC

#### RIBBONS

<b>BLUE</b>	YES	NO
<b>RED</b>	YES	NO
<b>YELLOW</b>	YES	

#### COURSE "B"



1st	THOMAS MOORE	VBC
2nd	MAIA ECHOIS	SSCC
3rd	BRENDAN MCKEE	SSCC

<b>BLUE</b>	YES	NO
<b>RED</b>	YES	NO
<b>YELLOW</b>	YES	NO

#### CHICANE

1st	MAIA ECHOIS	SSCC
2nd	BRENDAN MCKEE	SSCC
3rd	THOMAS MOORE	VBC

<b>BLUE</b>	YES	NO
<b>RED</b>	YES	NO
<b>YELLOW</b>	YES	NO

#### DOCKING



1st	KEVIN GLATZER	SSCC
2nd	MAIA ECHOIS	SSCC
2nd	BRENDAN MCKEE	SSCC
3rd	THOMAS MOORE	VBC

<b>BLUE</b>	YES	NO
<b>RED</b>	YES	NO
<b>red</b>	YES	NO
<b>yellow</b>		

### XX X JUNIOR WEATHER



1st	THOMAS MOORE	VBC
2nd	BRENDAN MCKEE	SSCC
3rd	AIYLEE SPARKS	BVYC

<b>BLUE</b>	YES	NO
<b>RED</b>	YES	NO
<b>YELLOW</b>	YES	NO

### XX NAVIGATION CONTEST



1st	THOMAS MOORE	VBC
2nd	BRENDAN MCKEE	SSCC
2nd	MAIA ECHOIS	SSCC
3rd	KEVIN GLATZER	SSCC

<b>BLUE</b>	YES	NO
<b>RED</b>	YES	
<b>YELLOW</b>		

YES	
YES	NO

#### BEST 1st TIMER

1st

### XX GENERAL KNOWLEDGE TEST

NO	NO
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### XX CHART & PLOTTING TEST

NO	NO
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#### SKIPPER AWARD

(BEST OF 4 OTW & WEATHER CONTESTS NOTED X)

1st	BRENDAN MCKEE	SSCC	90.38
2nd	THOMAS MOORE	VBC	87.94
3rd	MAIA ECHOIS	SSCC	86.29

<b>WHITE/ BLUE</b>	YES	PLAQUE
<b>WHITE/ RED</b>	YES	NO
<b>WHITE/ YELLOW</b>	YES	NO

#### SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

(BEST OVERALL)  
(CONTESTS NOTED XX)

1st	THOMAS MOORE	VBC	90.27
2nd	BRENDAN MCKEE	SSCC	88.23
3rd	MAIA ECHOIS	SSCC	86.77

<b>WHITE/ BLUE</b>	YES	YES
<b>WHITE/ RED</b>	YES	yes
<b>WHITE/ YELLOW</b>	YES	yes

## 2019 I-LYA JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP

This year's Junior Championship was one to be remembered! It continued in the tradition of great competition on the water and great camaraderie off the water, this year we hosted 133 competitors from our area; sailing 40 420's, 38 Lasers and 5 Thistles. The regatta continued with splitting the fleet after the first 2 days and this continued to keep the most sailors engaged throughout the regatta. A multitude of weather conditions through the week tested every sailor in every fleet.

We are very fortunate to have these sponsors continue to support our event: The Yachtmen's Fund: This regatta would literally not happen without their support. The Yachtsmen's Fund is an enormous contributor to the Junior Championships and without it, we would not be able to house the participants together in the Islander Hotel.

Sailing Inc., Rob and Abby Ruhlman: provided the amazing Corksicle trophies and helped fund the Medical Boat/PHASTAR.

Interlake Steamship Company: for also help funding the Medical Boat/PHASTAR

Vermilion Sail Education Foundation: made it possible for the competitors to have fantastic speakers for the event. We hosted Katie Spotz, the youngest solo rower to cross the Atlantic Ocean. And Casey Higginbotham, who prone paddled down the Pacific Coast, from Alaska to Mexico.

South Shore Marine: provided each competitor with their own bailer. Thank you to the Mack Family for assembling them with their personal touches!

Chris Carroll and Family: Helped with the travel expenses of speakers, making it possible for us to bring in people from around the country. To Dan Synowiec & Jazzy Gear: Thanks for helping provide the great swag for the competitors. Thanks to Chris Amlin for sponsoring the Male Sportsmanship watch and to Peggy Webber for sponsoring the Female Sportsmanship pendant.

We can't forget why we all coming to Put-In-Bay in the first place; for the racing! The racing was fantastic this year. We have the weather and the following volunteers who help year after year to thank. Steve Harris: our seasoned Head PRO, thank you for your insight and help keeping the Junior Championships running smoothly year after year. PROs Jamies Jones (Thistle & 420 Fleets/Gold Fleet) and Geoff Endris(Laser Fleet/Silver Fleet). We are so fortunate to have you again this year. You both run a professional and well run race course with your amazing teams. Including all the following Mark Boats that also volunteered their time and boats: Rob Rhulman, Tom Thanasiu, Larry Hurst & Family, Doug Seib, Gary Disbrow, Mark & Linda Sprenger, John Schwartz, Lease Schock, Greg Lammie, Jim & Chris Davis, Tom & Molly Mack.

Thank you also to The Foundry, Trey & Sara Sheehan and Mike Benedict & Vermilion Boat Club for providing boats for the Judges & ILYA coaches to use.

Judges Carol Robinson, Rob Rowlands & Clark Chapin. Thank you for helping educate our kids in this self-governed sport of ours. Your knowledge behind the scene and speaking to the competitors has been invaluable.

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## 2019 I-LYA JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP.. CONTINUED

I-LYA Coaches: Tyler Colvin (Old Dominion University) & Kevin Jewett (College of Charleston) were a great addition to the regatta this year. The focus on helping coach our Lake Erie coaches can only help the knowledge of all our upcoming sailors in the future.

Parents and Team Liaisons of the Clubs: Thank you for everything you do to keep the youth programs and junior competitors involved throughout the entire summer travelers series! (Not just one week at the Bay!) Also a huge thank you for trying the new concept of having team responsibilities. We know this is a work in progress but let's keep it going in the upcoming years and keep bringing in volunteers from your clubs.

This year we were proud to have the PHASTAR Medical Team both on and off the water for our entire event. By improving our safety plan and having certified medical personnel on the water, we know everyone attending the regatta, whether competing, volunteering, or spectating the event were under their care. We are so thankful for all the hours of planning and thoroughness We hope to keep PHASTAR a part of this event for many years.

This event would not be successful without the following people:

Kathy Allyn: Your vision of online registration came to fruition and brings this regatta to a new level.

Brooks Almquist: Thank you for stepping into the huge role of Head Scorer. No one would know this is your first year of many.

Kellie Schaffner: Your professional and organizational skills made hotel registration and assignment a breeze.

Shilah Griffith: Thank you for the weekly Junior emails and keeping the parents and competitors informed.

Laureen Mooney & PIBYC Ladies Auxillary: you provided outstanding food for the participants and the race committee. We truly appreciate what Laureen and her team do for the regatta every year.

Marilyn Paselsky: The yearbook, newsletters, and banquet programs would not happen without your creativity.

Marcia Ashley: Thank you for being our go to for all Icebreaker and Awards Banquet activities.

Tom Thanasiu: Your knowledge of the I-LYA trophies and their history is irreplaceable. Thank you for keeping the tradition of these trophies going from year to year.

Maria and Milo Hristovski: Thank you for providing Adventure Bay for a night of activities for the participants. The sailors looked forward to coming back again this year.

Vic Schroeder & The Launch & Recovery Crew: A lot of dedicated people were in the water (very high water!) this year making sure we had safe departures and arrivals. What a feat to launch 80+ boats in under 22 minutes!

Tina Petrigian & Jenn Casey: Thank you both for having our backs throughout the whole process and being our Vermilion Boat Club support team!

Put-In-Bay Yacht Club: Your club runs like no other. Special thanks to Commodore Todd & Lady Heidi, Barb, C. C. And everyone who calls PIBYC home.

We hope we didn't skip over many; we have tried our best to thank everyone involved because if it wasn't for every single person, this regatta would not have been the success it was!

Congratulations on a great regatta season Commodore Cindy! Good luck next year to Steve Hyder, and Bob Lang and the rest of their bridge and trustees. We know Todd & Heidi Tigges will carry the torch with pride and next year will be great! Thank you for the opportunity to run the event. We couldn't be more proud of the I-LYA and the future for continued sailing in our area.

See you on the Lake, Liz Barker and Kate Keane

(ELECTIONS AND AWARDS ON FOLLOWING PAGE)

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## JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP ELECTIONS & AWARDS

### Junior Leadership Council:

Congratulations to your 2020 Junior Council, we know you will continue the great leadership tradition: Ellen Petrigan (VBC); Robert Mansuetto (CYC); Alex Schock (EWYC); Andrew Gallagher (MHYC); Barrett Hall (NCYC)

Ray Greene Male Sportsmanship: Will Thornton (CYC)  
Art O'Hara Female Sportsmanship: Katy Schroeder (BLYC)  
Team Sportsmanship: Erie Yacht Club  
Team Shipshape: Port Clinton Yacht Club  
IceBreaker Skit Winner: Vermilion Boat Club  
John H. Backus Top Female Skipper: Siri Schantz (LYC)  
The Burgouine Trophy: Bryor Burke (BLYC)  
The Davis Family Award: Marcia and Al Ashley

### GOLD:

#### 420s:

1st: Spencer Barnes, J.P. Wynne (CYC/BBC)  
2nd: Jack VanderHorst; Daniel Van Heeckeren (EWYC)  
3rd: Sophia Van Heeckeren; Stephanie Posedel (EWYC)

### Lasers:

1st: Alex Schock (EWYC)  
2nd: Will Carroll (CYC)  
3rd: Clayton Headlee (HSC)

### SILVER:

#### 420s:

1st: Jack Rini; Fionn Kline (VBC)  
2nd: Luke Barker; Meagan Rini (VBC)  
3rd: Brendan Decator; Cordelia VanderVeer (NCYC)

### Lasers:

1st: Charlie Movius (CYC)  
2nd: Elizabeth Starck (CYC)  
3rd: Mac Mcmillan (MHYC)

### THISTLES:

1st: Ethan Taylor; Barrett Hall, Max Belli (NCYC)  
2nd: Andrew Gallagher; Ethan Gallagher; Keegan Gallagher (MHYC)  
3rd: Robert Mansuetto; Bill Lazzaro; Allison Carroll (CYC)





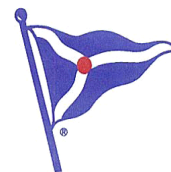
## 2019 I-LYA REGATTA



Opening Ceremony



Inflatable Races—Good Times by ALL



### POWERBOAT AWARDS



FIRST PLACE JUNIOR

Thomas Moore, VBC

FIRST PLACE SENIOR

Scott Kneisel, BVYC





## 2019 I-LYA REGATTA





## YACHTSMEN'S FUND UPDATE...

Once summer arrived, it did not disappoint! Come high water and we DID have high water, the boating season commenced!

Our Yachtsmen's Fund trustees have been busy and visible this summer. Trustee **Cindy Johnson**, also serving as the current commodore of the I-LYA, ran 3 hugely successful regattas. Trustee **Steve Harris** was overall PRO at Jr. Bay, and PRO for one design at Sr. Bay. Trustee **Jane O'Brien** is probably our most popular trustee. She even has a song written about her. She has been busy writing checks to support housing, coaching, and scholarships for the junior regattas, as well Challenge Grant requests and supporting our area sailors who went on to represent us at national events. She enjoys going to her mailbox and seeing the Centennial Sponsors and Life Members arrive as well as Dollar-per-Member club checks. Trustee **Matt Dubois** represents us at the national level with his continued involvement with US Sailing. Our executive secretary, **Al Ashley**, conveniently lives on PIB and is able to print scholarship certificates in real time to be awarded at the Awards Ceremonies. Trustee **Ed Theisen** served as chief judge at Sr. Bay. Trustee **Duane Burgoyne** was able to present his trophy at Jr. Bay and there were sightings of him on the island again during Sr. Sail. Trustee emeritus **Al Gebhardt** was involved with the social activities and was able to be on the island for power week. All our trustees have been attending sailing and boating events and continue to be excellent stewards for the Fund.

Now that it is mid-August, the evenings are becoming shorter, but hopefully we will have many more gorgeous days on the water. Squeeze in your boating activities while you can!

Thanks to all for your continued support of the Yachtsmen's Fund.

Truly,

Monica Bloomstine -President Yachtsmen's Fund



## Creating Lifelong Sailors



### 2019 Interlake Nationals at Indianapolis Sailing Club

(L-R): Jamie Jones, Ed Spengeman, Bridget Ireland, and Chad Headlee—all former I-LYA junior sailors. Those smiles say, "make time to play in a boat!"

### 2019 Thistle Nationals in Sandpoint, Idaho

Check out this crazy group of dedicated, fun-loving Ohio sailors, many of whom got their start in I-LYA and at Junior Bay. They made the trip all the way to Idaho to compete in the class they love! Lots of double stacked thistles with well-greased bearings made the trip.







### Senior Bay 2019

Hats off to this mix of current and former I-LYA junior sailors who finished second in class sailing the J-24, *Orange Whip*, at Senior Bay. As juniors they sailed for PCYC, EWYC, and BLYC. Together they are unstoppable. L-R: Emma Eickert,



### Powerboaters Make Regattas Happen

Scott and Sharon Kneisel pose with their daughter, Erin, while volunteering at the I-LYA Sail Regatta. Erin recently redeemed the scholarship certificate she received for finishing in 3<sup>rd</sup> place at the 2017 Junior Power Regatta. Scholarship redemption instructions are on the Grants page of our website at [www.yachtsmensfund.org](http://www.yachtsmensfund.org). Best of luck with your studies, Erin!

## Championship Grants

If you or your club donates to the Yachtsmen's Fund, know that you are supporting I-LYA sailors who qualify to represent Area E at the 2019 Chubb US Junior Championships. This year, the Yachtsmen's Fund made \$500 Championship Grants available to help offset the costs of boat charters and travel to San Francisco. Pictured below are the Cleveland area sailors who competed representing Area E, I-LYA, Edgewater Yacht Club, and Cleveland Yachting Club. They are (L-R): Daniel van Heeckeren, Jonathan Mack, Jack Vanderhorst, Will Thornton, Chad Schaffner, Spencer Barnes, and Will Carroll. Not pictured are the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club team of Michael Kirkman and Zach Rockwell.

### Challenge Team Grants Support Travel to National Level Events

The Yachtsmen's Fund budgets money each year to fund Challenge Team Grants to encourage juniors to travel outside the I-LYA footprint. This year lots of them accepted the challenge travelling to the east coast and the west coast to sail in salty waters against the best in the nation.

Sara and Annie Schumann from Cowan Lake Sailing Association and Nadia Reynolds from Hoover Sailing Club all travelled to San Diego for the US Junior Women's Doublehanded Championship. Sara and Annie finished 6th overall and had a great experience. Nadia sailed with Evie Blauvelt from Birmingham whom she met when the two competed against each other when Mentor Harbor hosted Ida Lewis in 2018. Proof that sailing builds friendships.

<https://www.ussailing.org/competition/championships/2019-u-s-junior-womens-doublehanded-championship/>

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Other area sailors opted for a drive east to the C420 Nationals held in New port, Rhode Island. Pictured at right, still smiling after a long drive are (L-R): Daniel Van Heeckeren, Grace Squires, Jack Vanderhorst, and Sophia Van Heeckeren. Jack and Grace sailed together finishing 46<sup>th</sup> in the huge 157 boat fleet. Daniel stepped away from crewing with Jack to sail their boat *Double Dutch* with his sister, Sophia.

Another 2018 Ida Lewis participant, Emma Friedauer, got back in a laser and used her Challenge Team Grant to compete for the Leiter Cup at the US Junior Single-Handed Championship in Richmond, CA. Emma competed in a 4.7 rig and finished fourth. <https://www.ussailing.org/competition/championships/2019-u-s-junior-womens-singlehanded-championship/>



## Schumann and Moran Join Forces

When Sara Schumann's sister Annie was hit in the head when surfing down a wave two days before the start of the C420 North Americans at the St. Francis Yacht Club in San Francisco, she called up Ian Moran who jumped at the opportunity to sail in the San Francisco Bay and flew out on a red-eye just in time for the event. Both Ian and Sara are former members of the USODA Optimist National Team. Ian, who is well known for being a great skipper, demonstrated that he is great at crewing as well. Sara and Ian Moran (who have never sailed together) qualified for the gold fleet. They finished 17th overall out of 93 boats and Sara was the top female skipper at the event.

<https://theclubspot.com/regatta/R5f7IIQcXD/results>







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## 2019 I-LYA Meeting

FALL MEETING -

DECEMBER 6-8

DOUBLETREE HOTEL  
(WESTLAKE, OHIO)



## Publication Deadline

Fall Meeting

Article deadline 10/21/19

Draft to the Bridge 10/25/19

Publication Date 10/30/19

## SNOW FLURRIES REGATTA PHRF and One Design

September 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Organizing Authority & Host Club: Port Clinton Yacht Club



### Notice of Race

#### RULES

- The regatta will be governed by *The Racing Rules of Sailing* except as altered by the Sailing Instructions.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Eligible yachts may be entered by completing the Entry Form.

#### APPLICATION & ENTRY FEE

- Application shall be made by completing the online Entry Form posted at [www.yachtscoreing.com](http://www.yachtscoreing.com) (search Port Clinton Yacht Club) or in person from 17:00-2100 on Friday 9/28/18.
- Entry fee includes dockage at PCYC for the entire event. If boat coming from Fall Bay and need dockage for the week, please contact Doug Blackburn.
- The Entry Fee is \$45.00

#### SCHEDULE OF RACES

Races are scheduled as follows:

- Saturday September 28, 2019.** *Multiple races are planned.*

1 hr. gun: **0900**

First start: **1000**

- Sunday, September 29, 2019.** *Multiple races are planned.*

1 hr. gun: **0900**

First start: **1000 CLASS FLAGS**

Class	Class Flag
J-24	J-24 Class Flag
JAM	Numeral Pennant 1
PHRF "C"	Dark Green
PHRF "B"	Yellow
PHRF "A"	Blue
Multihull	White
Additional One Design Classes	Class Flag if on hand

#### SAILING INSTRUCTION

- SI's can be obtained from [www.yachtscoreing.com](http://www.yachtscoreing.com) or Port Clinton Yacht Club.

#### SCORING

- The Low Point scoring system of Appendix A of the RRS will apply. The time on distance handicapping system will be used. There are no throw-outs (this changes Appendix A of the RRS).
- A minimum of three (3) boats are required to constitute a fleet for each class.
- One race constitutes a regatta.

Overall winner of the biggest One Design Fleet will be awarded the **Jack Lay Memorial Trophy**

**CONTACTS:** Doug Blackburn, FCoS – 419-656-6674 or [sailfastssc@yahoo.com](mailto:sailfastssc@yahoo.com)





# 72<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL SNOW FLURRIES REGATTA

SEPTEMBER 28<sup>TH</sup> & 29<sup>TH</sup>

**REGISTRATION ENDS SEPTEMBER 28<sup>TH</sup>**

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