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ILYA X Champs - from Dave Berg, ILYA Executive Director **Registration and Documents Ready Saturday** **afternoon**

Dear ILYA X Fleet competitors,

The ILYA Board and its Committees in partnership with the Pewaukee Yacht Club and their regatta chairs have been hard at it, working on the details of the 2020 X Championships at PYC. We are still tightening up the SIs and NoR and plan to have **registration open on Saturday afternoon July 11**. Information will continue to roll out over the course of the week regarding launching, hauling out and anchorage. You can go to ilya.org for a direct link to the regatta website and all of its pertinent documents.

At this point we'd like to apprise you of a couple of details.

Registration --- HERE

We are planning registration going live on July 11. Registration will close on July 20th at 0800. There will be no late fees **OR** late registration for the event. In the event of cancellation prior to the start of the event, all registration fees will be returned to the registrants.

Schedule

Senior Fleet July 27 - 29

- 7 races are scheduled.
- No more than 4 races will be completed on any race day.
- If three races have been completed at the conclusion of racing on Tuesday, July 28, 2020, no racing will be scheduled on Wednesday, July 29, 2020.
- If racing is scheduled on Wednesday, July 29, 2020, once three races are completed for the regatta, no more races will be sailed.
- No warning signal will be made after 1200 on Wednesday, July 29, 2020

Junior Fleet – July 30 – August 1

- 7 races are scheduled.
- No more than 4 races will be completed on any race day.
- If three races have been completed at the conclusion of racing on Friday, July 31, 2020, no racing will be scheduled on Saturday, August 1, 2020.
- If racing is scheduled on Saturday, August 1, 2020, once three races are completed for the regatta, no more races will be sailed.
- No warning signal will be made after 1200 on Saturday, August 1, 2020

Participation

- Each individual, helmsperson or crew, is permitted to enter as a competitor in either the Class X Junior Championship **OR** the Class X Senior Championship. **Participation as a competitor in both divisions is strictly prohibited. This is a one-year change approved by the Board of Directors, July 2020**
- Skippers (helmspeople) in the Junior Fleet shall not have reached their 14th birthday prior to January 1, 2020.
- Skippers (helmspeople) in the Senior Fleet shall not have reached their 16th birthday prior to January 1, 2020.

- All crew members shall not have reached their 16th birthday prior to January 1, 2020.
- Each competitor shall only compete in the Class X Junior Championship **OR** the Class X Senior Championship.
- Your final fleet choice must be made by 1200, July 20th, 2020.

Opening Ceremonies

Opening Ceremonies and competitor's briefings will be held by Zoom Webinar at 1800 hours on Sunday July 26th, for the Senior fleet and at 1800 hours on Wednesday July 30th, for the Junior fleet.

Team Leader

PYC will ask each lake to provide a Team Leader(s) to act as a contact point between the regatta organizers and the competitors and their families. This will help facilitate communication between the RC, the Organizers and the competitors as the competitors will not be gathering at a central meeting point but rather distributed across the lake.

The ILYA will utilize The Clubspot text and email features as well to communicate.

The RC will also be communicating via VHF radio – channels will be listed in the NoR.

Launching and Haul-out

Launching will take place by lake and according to a pre-arranged schedule which will be distributed prior to the event to each competitor. Pull out will be accomplished in a similar manner. The fleets who have traveled the farthest will be scheduled first for pull out.

Coach boats will launch from PYC.

Spectator/Support boats will launch from the public launch.

There will be trailer parking for all craft at the Oakton Manor.

Details to follow.

Mooring

PYC has secured between 10-14 homes on Pewaukee Lake. The competitors will be divided among these homes which will function as their launch point each day and anchorage will be in front of these properties. Washroom facilities or port-o-potties and hand washing stations will be provided at each home. No guarantee of seating, tables or other amenities. Please bring your own folding chairs if you plan on spectating from the shore of your assigned house.

Also, each competitor will need to bring a mooring rig with 30-40 feet of line - a cinder block and a Danforth anchor would be recommended.

Food and Social

There will be no social events hosted by the PYC.

Each competitor will be required to provide their own food, beverages and snacks during the event.

Take special note to have adequate hydration available as well as sunscreen and other protective measures.

Trophies

There will be no physical trophy ceremony. Safe Efforts will be made to ensure that the perpetual trophies go home with the respective winners. Keepers will be mailed to the winners.

Plans are in the works for a virtual trophy ceremony to be held in the fall.

Health and Safety

The ILYA and PYC will be asking all of the competitors and their support personnel to attest digitally as to the state of their health and well-being at the start of the event. We must ask that as a group we respect the health and well-being of everyone involved, including but not limited to - competitors, parents, relatives, coaches, RC, Judges, volunteers, friends and employees of the PYC and the ILYA - so that we may organize and host the safest event possible. To that end we will recommend that the guidelines of the CDC are followed on shore regarding appropriate face covering and social distancing. It is a small price to pay in the short term to provide for an opportunity for our youth to compete safely.

Please be advised that ALL is subject to change and that the ILYA and PYC will make decisions with the best interests of our stakeholders in mind.

SIs and NoRs are online - Amendment to Optimist Dinghy Champs - More info on Opti Champs when Documents are finalized **Pine Lake August 3-4**

Document chair John Porter has asked for this announcement to be included:

1. The protest time limit is 45 minutes.
2. The announcement of U and black flag penalties will be made to the support person VHF. In addition, it will be announced via loudhailer and/or posted at a mark rounding.

The editor realizes, while reading this, it is imperative for competitors to read the documents in this time of safer RC work.

2020 Calendar

July

10 - 12 GLSS Dinghyfest & Melges 14 Nationals : Geneva **POSTPONED, DATE TBD**

10 - 12 ILYA E Invite **CANCELLED**

10 - 12 ILYA MC Invite **CANCELLED**

13 - 14 X Treme : Oshkosh

17 TRAC RWB Opti: Cedar

18 - 19 ILYA C Invite : Pewaukee

CANCELLED

20 - TRAC OPTI GREEN - Cedar

25 - 26 WYA X : Pewaukee

27 ILYA No Tears Opti : North Lake

CANCELLED

27 - Aug 1 ILYA X Champs : Pewaukee

30 - ECESA Regatta - Chautauqua

August

3 - 4 ILYA Opti Champs : Pine

7 - 8 X Blue Chip : Cedar

7 - 9 C WYA : NOT Delavan; TBD

9 - 11 Opti Blue Chip : LaBelle

CANCELLED

12 - 14 ILYA Champs - A & MC : Okoboji

CANCELLED AT OKOBOJI

16 - 18 ILYA Champs C and E : Okoboji -

CANCELLED AT OKOBOJI

19 - 22 MC Nationals : **LOCATION TBD**

September

12 - 13 Dorn MC : Beulah

12 - 13 Maxinkuckee C and MC

17 MC Masters - Clear

19 - 20 C Blue Chip : Okauchee

Lake Fenton Michigan Fall Regatta

25 - 27 E Blue Chip : Pewaukee

CANCELLED

25 - 27 USODA Midwest Opti : Geneva

26 - 27 Nan Norris C Challenge : Beulah -

date given to C Nationals, if needed

26 - 27 Lotawana Fall C

October

3-4 Polar Bear C and MC - Davenport

To help regatta organizers plan and create excitement amongst your fleet, register now and invite your fellow sailors.

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