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It's Olympic Qualifying Time for Roble Shea

The 49er, 49er FX and Nacra classes are holding the 2020 World Championships in Australia this week. For the Nacra and 49er FX classes, this is the final event to determine the US Olympic representative. The 49er class failed to qualify the US at prior events so our country will not be represented --- most likely. It will take some action from another country.

Sailing was postponed on Day 1. Day 2 saw three races completed. Both Melges - Rowe and Roble-Shea sit in 7th. Keep your fingers crossed.

[Results to follow are here.](#) You should be able to see the day's progress when you awake in the morning due to the time difference.



On the same website as the results, there is a tab for photos. Watch as the week progresses. What is clear in the 49er fleet - Harry and Finn are very young men in this fleet. What an accomplishment for them to stand tall after Day 2. The editor will continue to watch for a Melges Rowe photo.



2020 MC Nationals

Lake Geneva YC

August 19-22

MC Fleet 31 is looking forward to hosting the 2020 MC Nationals to be held at Lake Geneva Yacht Club on the beautiful waters of Lake Geneva. Registration is open and 26 potential champions have signed-up.

Who's Up Next?

ILYA is accepting bids for 2022

It might seem a bit early but the Spring ILYA Board of Directors meeting will discuss bids for the 2022 season. [The bid process includes the completion of the form](#) found on the website. In addition, notifying your fleet representative is always helpful to address any specific needs you or the fleet might desire for that year: i.e. this is our 100th year, we are trying to build a fleet, the fleet wants to run windward legs of 2 miles (not really but there may be some unusual conditions the fleet wants). The Regatta Coordinating Committee reviews all applications, asks additional questions and then weighs the wishes of the fleet, the distribution geographically to gain balance, considers special requests, etc before recommending the awarding of the regatta.

Here is the bid sheet as it currently stands. You can see clubs bid for multiple years knowing the final selection is based on more than the club's assets. Some events/classes have geographical rotations.

ILYA Regatta Schedule					
Event	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
ILYA Annual	Oshkosh	Okoboji	Pewaukee Geneva Mendota	Geneva	Clear Lake Oshkosh
MC Invite	Gull	Okauchee	Beulah Okoboji LaBelle Okauchee Delavan	White Bear Beulah	Beulah Clear Lake Minnetonka
E Invite	Clear	White Bear	Delavan Mendota Oshkosh Green	Minnetonka Delavan	Minnetonka
C Invite	Okauchee	Beulah Pewaukee	Beulah Nagawicka Minnetonka	Beulah Nagawicka Minnetonka	Beulah Nagawicka Minnetonka
X Champs	Minnetonka	Geneva	Clear Lake Okoboji Pewaukee	Clear Lake Oshkosh	Delavan
IOD Champ	White Bear	Beulah	Beulah Okoboji Nagawicka Geneva	Beulah Clear	Beulah
IOD No Tears East	Cedar	Beulah North Lake	Cedar Beulah	Beulah	Beulah

Legend: Green text = Awarded / Red text = bid form complete / Blue text = Verbal interest (no official bid)

ILYA Regatta's

Registration is Open!

You know we are thinking sailing when we inform you the registration links are open. The official sailing documents not the social registration packages are posted but dates, sites and ability to register are open.

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

[E Invitational](#)
[C Invitational](#)
[MC Invitational](#)
[X Championship](#)
[Optimist Dinghy](#)
[Championship](#)

How is your regatta planning going?

The ILYA is close to posting NoRs (Notices of Race) and SIs (Sailing Instructions). Yes, it is February and the Association is filling our dance cards with regatta chairs, social contacts, hotel accommodations and race committee assignments. You should not be far behind in your planning. Vacation days for the participants and the organizers get scarce when we all add in our actual sailing time also. The ILYA has a [regatta manual](#) which determines our path but it might be useful in your planning also. Did you forget to ask for bartenders? Or have you contacted your local government about special permits that might be required in your area? How about the medical information? Do you have enough tables for the trophy presentation since you just fed 150 for lunch? The ILYA manual contains a great deal of ILYA-specific material but it might help your newbie chairs.

Sailing School Instructor Positions Available!

New Posting - Pewaukee Sailing School

Pewaukee Lake Sailing School is looking for a few more qualified instructors to join our awesome team this summer. PLSS has mastered the balance of fun on and off the water while consistently being at the top of the results. Full and part time positions are open in the X-boat and Optimist classes. Don't hesitate to join a fun, organized, and positive vibe at PLSS this summer! Please contact Sailing Director Emlie at sailplss@gmail.com to apply today!

Geneva Lake Sailing School

Geneva boasts one of the largest programs in the Midwest. And with numbers comes FUN! The students and instructors provide an exceptional environment for the summer. Apply to sail@glss.org if you have experience coaching 420s and Melges 14s. The students are highly motivated and there is always tough volleyball competition on Geneva. Geneva hosts a weeklong regatta as well as multiple other class

Delavan Lake Sailing School

Fun abounds at Delavan. The program is strong with Optis and X boats. This is a place where coaches are appreciated. The social factor at Delavan is off the charts. The fleets last year showed such improvement and consistency. They are looking for an experienced coach. Contact [Renee Clair](#).

Nagawicka Lake Sailing School

Nag boasts a beautiful lake with a young fleet. This is a place to make your mark as the fleet matures and develops. Nagawicka Lake Yacht Club is seeking a Lead instructor for X, opti and 420, full time hours available for the 2020 Summer Season. The Lead instructor will be responsible for organizing lessons, providing classroom and on the water instruction, accompany sailors to regattas, and be a resource for both youth and parents. The Lead Instructor will be involved in program development and participant recruitment. Candidate must be reliable and

regattas throughout the year. Enjoy their excitement.

demonstrate outstanding sailing skills. Would prefer instructor be at level 2 before class (partial reimbursement available). Pay for this position will be competitive and based on experience. [Download the application here.](#)

2020 Calendar

May

2 - 3 Cedar, IN Icebreaker C Regatta
8 Bilge Pullers North Meeting
9 - 10 Cedar, WI C/MC Regatta
15 Bilge Pullers South Meeting : Beulah
16 - 17 Lake Geneva Spring E and GLSS Spring X Clinic
16 - 17 Lac LaBelle Warmup - C, MC and X - Oconomowoc

June

12 AJH Regatta : Cedar
13 - 14 MIR C : Delavan
17 AJH (Cedar, Oshkosh, Mendota) X regatta - Cedar, WI
18 - 19 Quint : LaBelle
18 - 20 MC Masters : Clear
19 - 21 C Nationals : Muskegon
23 - 24 TRAP X : Pine
25 - 26 Lake Country X : Pewaukee
26 - 28 A Nationals : Green
26 - 28 WI MC Champs - LaBelle
29 LBSS Opti : Beulah
30 - 1 Quad Lakes : Nagawicka

July

1 - 2 Quad Lakes : Nagawicka
6 - 7 GLSS Dinghyfest X : Geneva
8 - 9 GLSS Dinghyfest Opti : Geneva
10 - 12 GLSS Dinghyfest & Melges 14 Nationals : Geneva
10 - 12 ILYA E Invite : White Bear
10 - 12 ILYA MC Invite : Okauchee
13 - 14 X Treme : Oshkosh
18 - 19 ILYA C Invite : Pewaukee
25 - 26 WYA X : Pewaukee
27 No Tears Opti : North Lake

August

2 - 4 ILYA Opti Champs : Beulah
7 - 8 X Blue Chip : Cedar
7 - 9 C WYA : Delavan
9 - 11 Opti Blue Chip : LaBelle
12 - 14 ILYA Champs - A & MC : Okoboji
15 ILYA Champs Layday - Bilge Pullers
15 Annual Meeting : Okoboji
16 - 18 ILYA Champs C and E : Okoboji
19 - 22 MC Nationals : Geneva

September

12 - 13 Dorn MC : Beulah
12 - 13 Maxinkuckee C and MC
19 - 20 C Blue Chip : Okauchee
25 - 27 E Blue Chip : Pewaukee
25 - 27 USODA Midwest Opti : Geneva
26 - 27 Nan Norris C Challenge : Beulah
26 - 27 Lotawana Fall C

October

3-4 Polar Bear C and MC - Davenport

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