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In Memoriam

To reach a port we must set sail -
Sail, not tie at anchor
Sail, not drift

Franklin Roosevelt

[Russ Ackley - Pewaukee](#)

AUGIE DALE NAMED COLLEGIATE ALL-AMERICAN



2019 Calendar

June

8-9 **[C MIR C- Beulah](#)**
15-16 **[C Nationals - Pewaukee](#)**
16-18 JO's Opti/420s Wayzata
19-20 QUINT X - Nagawicka
21 - LOPN Opti - Nagawicka
21-23 MC Masters Nat'ls, Keuka, NY
22-23 A Nationals- Mendota
24 Beulah Opti Regatta
25-26 TRAP X Pine
27-28 Lake Country X Boat - Pewaukee
29-30 WI MC Champs - Beulah
29-20 JO's Optis Mentor, OH

July

1-2 Quad Lakes - Cedar
 8-9 GLSS Dinghyfest X
 10-11 GLSS Dinghyfest Opti
 12 GLSS Dinghyfest Melges 14,
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 12-14 E Invitational - Clear Lake
 15-16 X Treme Oshkosh
 20-21 WYA X - Nagawicka
 MC Invitational - Gull
 C Invitational - Okauchee
 22 No Tears - Cedar
 24-27 ILYA X Championships -
 Minnetonka
 28-30 ILYA Opti Champs - White
 Bear

August

1-4 WMYA Championships -
 White Lake, MI
 2-4 WYA C - LaBelle
 8 - Pram Power - North Lake
 9-10 X Blue Chip - Cedar
 11-13 RWB Chip - LaBelle
 14-18 ILYA Championships -
 Oshkosh
 20-21 MC Youth Nat's - Cedar, WI
 22-25 MC Nationals - Minnetonka

September

6-8 USODA Midwest - Pewaukee

October

5-6 JO's Optis - Macatawa. Bay

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Also one of three sailors in contention for Sailor of the Year

What a year it has been for Dale of Pewaukee! His final collegiate regatta was capped off with an "A" Division victory. His fine year this season earned him All-American honors as well as runnerup to Quantum Sailor of the Year. Nationals this year was held in Rhode Island where his mother Robin works for US Sailing.



All the years of Opti and 420 travel for the duo culminated in a final marvelous swan song. Dale is a transfer to C of C from Old Dominion where he was also a standout. Dale's father, Kevin Jewett, is the current Director of Sailing at Charleston.

Not only did Dale win A Division, but the Charleston Cougars won the Co-ed Division. While Dale celebrated in his own fashion. . .

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. . . his team, including Geneva's RJ Porter celebrated in a more traditional manner.



Also awarded All-American honors was Isabella Loosbrock from Minnetonka of Boston College. While not in our ILYA X boat program, our sailors saw her in high school and college sailing.



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Other ILYA sailors who so proudly represented us (forgiveness is asked for any omission):

Women's: Kate Cox (White Bear - Hobart and William Smith), Allison Marozza (Delavan - University of Michigan), Olivia Windemuller (Spring Lake - Old Dominion)

Team Race Nationals - Augie Dale (Pewaukee - College of Charleston), Annika Ekholm (Minnetonka - Fordham), Charlie Kutschenreuter (Beulah - Wisco), Sam Bartel (Minnetonka - Wisco) Christian Spencer (Pewaukee - Wisco), Olivia Staruck (White Bear - Wisco), Will Huerth (Geneva - Wisco)

Co-ed Nationals - Annika Ekholm (Minnetonka - Fordham), Will Davies (Geneva - Northwestern), Augie Dale (Pewaukee - College of Charleston), Charlie Kutschenreuter (Beulah -

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Wisco), Olivia Staruck (White Bear - Wisco), Sam Bartel (Minnetonka - Wisco), Will Huerth (Geneva - Wisco), Christian Spencer (Wisco).

Congrats to all our ILYA sailors.

Melges Rowe Report from Europe



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Now in Netherlands

During our second trip to Europe in 2019, we headed to Weymouth, England for 20 days! A few words to describe this trip would be cold, windy, wavy, and beautiful!

Unfortunately, Melges Rowe Sailing did not get any photos of them during the regatta. We do have this great shot of us in training which is shown above. The 49er Europeans was a great regatta! We had seven days of racing and 19 races against the best 49er teams in the World and especially Europe. Both Finn and I agreed that this regatta was the windiest one we had sailed in and it had the biggest waves we had ever sailed in. On the 3rd day of racing, we had 8-foot waves which proved to be challenging for even the top

Most importantly, we learned that difficult situations on the racecourse happen to everyone, even the top guys. The way we handle these situations is the real key. We have figured out that the top guys in sailing and any sport never get fazed or even bat an eye when things aren't going well for them, they keep going and pull themselves out of the situation. One focus we have going forward is our mental toughness and the ability to push through. After the 49er Europeans, we went home for ten days to rest and see



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teams. Weymouth was also one of the toughest regattas mentally. We ended up having an average result, but the lessons that had been learned were priceless. On the Technical side of sailing, we kicked many goals, especially in our abilities to start on starboard and hold a lane as long as we wanted to.

family. During our break, we did do lots of sailing including our local A-Scow races on Lake Geneva. I am so happy that we raced A-Scows because we had a tactical epiphany while racing against our good friends. We noticed a trend in our tactics that was costing us, and it was evident on Lake Geneva.

What's Next? Our Regatta Schedule

1. 2019 Hague Camp and Race, June 3-10th, Den Hague, Netherlands
2. Kieler Wocher, June 26-30th, Kiel, Germany
3. A-Scow and E-Scow Inland Championships, August 14-18th, Oshkosh, Wisconsin

MIR C - Come this week to practice for Nationals

Lake Beulah Welcomes You

Come warmup for Nationals with the huge Beulah C fleet. It is shifty winds which are perfect for Pewaukee practice. Drive your boat on up to Pewaukee or leave it at Beulah for a short four days. [Register here.](#)

Minnetonka Celebrates its High School Seniors

The graduating class of Minnetonka High School 2019 has a unique characteristic: the majority of seniors from the MHS sailing team have been sailing together since before age 10 through the Lake Minnetonka Sailing School and the Minnetonka Yacht Club. Seven of those sailors have plans to continue their sailing career in college. MHS and Lake Minnetonka have a history of producing excellent high school and collegiate sailors, but this number is the largest group from one class in the last decade that will continue to pursue their passion for sailing in college.

The graduating class who plan to continue with collegiate sailing include:

* **Susie Foster**, Tonka Bay, hails from a multi-generational family of sailors including the late Bert Foster, former commodore of Wayzata Yacht Club, and parents Terry and

Mary Foster who sail for both Minnetonka Yacht Club and Wayzata Yacht Club. Susie has sailed through LMSS, MYC and MHS for 12 years and will attend Cornell College.

* Excelsior's **Annika Irene** divides her time between snow and water, on both the varsity Nordic ski and high school sailing teams. Annika has been sailing for 8 years with LMSS, MYC and MHS and will attend Roger Williams University in Rhode Island.

* **Matthew Kickhafer**, Greenwood, son of a Lake Minnetonka sailor, spends the majority of his time on the water - both frozen (as an ice boater) and in the waves of our hometown lakes and off shore Great Lakes; most notably, Matthew placed third in the 2018 ISSA Singlehanded Nationals. Matthew has sailed for 10 years with LMSS, MYC and MHS and will attend the United States Coast Guard Academy.

* **Garrett Moen**, Victoria, began sailing with his grandfather and dad at age 4, open enrolling from Chanhassen High School for the opportunity to join the Minnetonka High School sailing team. Garrett spends his summers teaching the next generation of sailors at LMSS and has chartered the MYC Youth Yngling boat for this summer. Garrett has sailed with LMSS, MYC and MHS for 9 years and will attend Salve Regina University in Rhode Island.

* **Graham Ness**, Wayzata, who follows a family history of sailing on Lake Okoboji, has experienced a wide variety of boats and travel in his sailing career to date. Additionally, Graham is a Suzuki-trained concert violinist. He has sailed with LMSS, MYC and MHS for 10 years and will attend Boston College.

* **Nate Olmsted**, Wayzata, has raced with his parents since he was a kindergartner, and spent recent summers match racing and competing in offshore races around the Great Lakes. His passion for sailing will lead him to study naval architecture in college. Nate has sailed with LMSS, MYC and MHS for 12 years and will attend the United States Coast Guard Academy.

* Deephaven native **Henry Westlind** has been a steady presence on the MHS team, and plans to study entrepreneurship in college, building on experience he gained starting a successful lawn care business. He has sailed for 12 years with LMSS, MYC and MHS and will attend Northern Michigan University.

The MHS 2019 senior sailing athletes excel on the water and in the classroom including such distinctions as National Merit Scholarship Commended, AP Scholar with Distinction, IB Diploma candidate, Navigator Program graduate, Vantage Program participants and multiple-year Academic Letter recipients. Two sailors - Matthew Kickhafer and Garrett Moen

- earned the distinction of Eagle Scout in 2018.

The 2019 graduating class also includes LMSS, MYC and MHS sailors Lexie Baker, Michael Dowson, Sophie Rey and Rita Usmanova.

Wisconsin MC Champs



Try a New Fun Approach

Join us at the 2019 Wisconsin State MC Championship to celebrate sailing and our great Wisconsin culture. The regatta is open to all MC skippers who sail on Wisconsin lakes. This is a five race regatta; 3 races on Saturday and no warning signal after 1:00pm Sunday. The \$100 Boat registration includes commemorative Drywick shirt, breakfast, lunches, and Saturday dinner party with live band. But wait, there's more - **if you register prior to June 15 - you will receive a second complimentary Saturday dinner ticket.** More details can be found on the [Beulah website](#).

Why the Wisconsin feel to the event? This regatta is held one week late to accommodate those who are attending MC Masters Nationals in NY. For Lake Beulah, this is the traditional date for our C fleet party so let's celebrate together with a fun evening including a true Wisconsin feel - polka band and all! Bring your spouse and we will get him/her out on the water.

Drowning -

Get ready for summer

A recent drowning death of a popular physician in SE WI during a Triathlon this weekend prompted one of our readers to submit this article contained in a blog. It speaks of the silent signs of drowning. [Read here](#).

So remember to watch your sailors, especially the young siblings of sailing school students, near your piers and waterfront. Or assure your instructors, no matter the age, know CPR and lifesaving. US Sailing provides courses to teach your instructor. This includes boat, first aid and CPR certification. Also check your insurance to determine what age or credentials are recommended with your policy. Post those signs near your waterfront - protect those on your property - or at least remind them of proper PFD use on your watch.

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