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2018 Regattas - send your confirmed dates

August

1-4 WMYA Championship - Muskegon
3-5 WYA C - Okauchee
6 - Madison Opti Regatta
10-11 X Blue Chip - Cedar, WI
13-14 RWB Chip - LaBelle
12-19 **ILYA Championships - Minnetonka**
12-15 A/MC Scows -
15 Bilge Pullers Dinner
16-19 E/C Scows
21-22 MCSA National Junior Championship Cedar Lake Wisconsin
23-26 MC Nationals - Pewaukee Yacht Club

September

6-9 E Nationals - Oshkosh
8-9 Dorn MC - Beulah
Maxinkuckee Fall C/MC
15-16 - C Blue Chip - Okauchee
- 30th Annual North Lake Fall Classic MC
- Lake Fenton C, Fenton, MI
20-23 E Blue Chip - Pewaukee
22-23 Nan Norris Beulah C Challenge - Beulah
Lake Lotawana Fall C regatta
29-30 Lasers Masters Great Lakes Championships - Delavan
29-30 Polar Bear Regatta - Lake
Davenport Sailing Club

And Here Is Who We Are ---- THE INLAND!!!!!!!!!!!!

X boat Inland video by Hannah Noll/Melges Performance Sailboats

Wonder what a choice in boat can do for an area? Does 100 years of tradition make a difference? When parents sail against parents from youth until now, how does that look for the health of local clubs? There is no better promotion piece than to watch the happy faces in Hannah's video to convince you or your club that high school and college sailing benefit from the experience our Midwest sailors have in X boats. At one point the Midwest was the fastest growing high school region. High school and summer sailing are not incongruous with one another. Our sailors enjoy the rich regatta season in X boats and jump quickly to 420s in the Fall and Spring seasons. Our health is due to the rich summer season with friends. Let's consider what this sport is all about. It's not only about winners; it's the social experience that keeps the rest of us engaged.

The X boat is perhaps a tank - but a safe one that holds its value year after year when you are ready to sell. It may not be high performance but look at the hiking and the starting lines, and tell me this is not impressive. Two hundred and thirty sailors (with 15 more third crews tagging along) tells the WHOLE story. Or do they? The over 400 parents say just as much. Thanks to Hannah for showing us the fun we share in the Inland and the health our clubs enjoy and the fleets filled with youth making the transition from youth to adult boats. We are healthy INDEED!

Watch her review of the 2018 X Inlands. Find your lake because they are all here. See the sailors jumping on Sean Mihelich's boat to congratulate him. This is not a college team but his friends and competitors who are celebrating with him. Listen to the crowd as Chapman Petersen is introduced. My, I am proud to be from the Inland.

[Video](#)

2018 Optimist Champions

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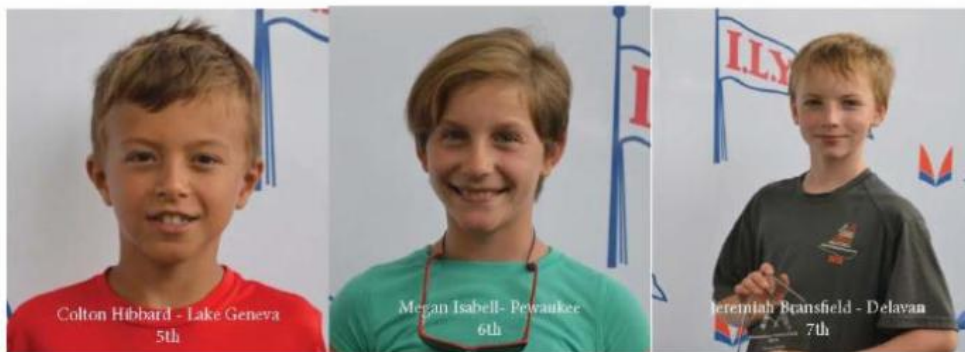
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2018 ILYA X Championships Pewaukee Yacht Club Green Fleet



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Thanks to UK Sailmakers who donated the bags for the color-coded fleets for this event and for our Invitational events plus a generous cash donation as a partner of the Inland Lake Yachting Association. Below is Peter Barnard, Red Fleet Winner, from Chicago Yacht Club.

Blue Fleet Winner Deana Fedulova of Chicago Yacht Club



John Lieber of Pewaukee - White Fleet Winner

And here's where are X boat sailors are today ----- Aarhus, Denmark

Steph Roble/Maggie Shea; Malcolm Lamphere, Lara Dallman-Weiss; Harry Melges IV and Finn Rowe

Except for Harry and Finn who are too young and Maggie who was sailing down in Chicago, our 2018 participants in the Olympic Classes World Championships (trying to qualify our nation for Olympic spots), our sailors attended those X boat regattas and then progressed to HS or US Sailing youth events, then college and now WATCH OUT! They return whenever possible to our scows. Malcolm won the National A Championship in June. Harry and Finn just won the E Invitational and are returning to Minnetonka for the ILYA Championships. Steph and Maggie return to teach and motivate our girls at our Women's and Girls' Clinic. White Bear is proud of its own Lara.

Here's the lineup:



Lara is competing starting today in the Women's 470 class. She is crew with Nikole Barnes



Malcolm Lamphere in a Laser;



Steph Roble and Maggie Shea in the 49er FX and



Harry and Finn in the 49er begin later in the week. Here he is with Edit and Peter Harken at the World Championships.

[FOLLOW HERE all week.](#) The live broadcasting is mesmerizing if you like sailing at all. You can't leave it behind even if you don't know the players.

Other connections are Nevin Snow (son of Mary Allen Brigden who won a couple of the X regattas in her day) and Bora Gulari who was a Michigan boy and a favorite with the Pewaukee E fleet.

In other US Sailing news today, Greg Fisher was selected to follow our own Jim Campbell who recently resigned

from US Sailing due to medical reasons. Greg is known as a North Sails guy and has a family who sails MCs. He leaves College of Charleston to accept the US Sailing position.

Western Michigans

[Results here](#)

MC Youth Championships

Clubs - consider where your graduating sailors will go next

Cedar Lake, WI has agreed to host an MC end-of-year event to promote the MC class. They have a group of young sailors graduate in the past two years and it is their intent to keep them sailing. So join Cedar and offer your MC's to your youth midweek to allow them to try the boat with the hopes of growing your fleet next year. NOTE - the definition of youth has been changed to agree with the ILYA definition to allow your college students to try this event.

The following submitted by Cedar:

Now is the time to register for the MC Youth Champs held on August 21st and 22nd at Cedar Lake Yacht Club. It will be a seven race regatta with shorter races. It is open to all sailors under the age of 25 as of August 21st. If you don't have a boat, borrow one from your home lake or if that is not an option contact Rick Trester from Cedar. We have a limited supply of boats that could be borrowed.

The entry fee is \$30.00 if you register by August 17th. It will be \$50.00 after the early registration deadline. The entry fee covers donuts and OJ each morning, lunches each day and snacks and soda after racing on Tuesday.

If you tried to register earlier and had problems please try again now.

Register at : Mcsow.org and click on the green MC Youth Championships link.

Any questions contact Rick Trester at: rktrester@gmail.com

Retiring

So here's an odd article for Scowlines

Rarely would the editor comment on a private business but notice came out today that the manager of the Oshkosh Waters is retiring. Kim Price is the energetic blonde dynamo who is always everywhere when we visit OYC. She has been there since its opening --- and it's opening has only been a benefit to all of us. The Waters has provided us with a home and a rekindling of all the memories from your youth . . . OR . . . our youth are creating their own memories with our X Inlands and Xtreme events. If you have ever worked an event there, eaten there, attended a regatta on this picturesque piece of land, you have seen Kim Price or know she was the workforce behind all the hospitality and efficiency we all enjoyed. The Wymans have been fortunate to enjoy her employ but we have been the beneficiaries of her exceptional work which did not seem like work as we saw her smile, hustle and manage all of us (unruly?) sailors who are always hungry or thirsty. Thanks to Kim and her love for all of us as we visited there often.

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