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No Wind --- A's and MC's Awarded Trophies**Photos by Larry Kmiecik**



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Thanks to Lynch

The ILYA trophy inventory is quite extensive - for four days a year but those four days require space, space, space and the logistics (well let's say sheer muscle) are huge. Our spectacular trophies are presented, the recipients keep the awards (some dating back 80-90 years) for one year, then on registration day every award the ILYA owns is returned, polished, evaluated for needed repairs and stored until the Trophy Presentation. Lynch has most generously given us a massive trailer which has vastly changed the manual labor required. No more dollies lugging trophies to the presentation site, no more parade of folks transporting the loot. Thank you to Lynch Motors for assisting us these three years - and giving us a truck to travel to IA, and giving us four-wheelers to launch and retrieve boats and, and, and. . . Thanks Patrick, Michael and David & Judy Lynch.



Robin Dale, US Sailing, spoke of US Sailing's sponsorship of the Dinner of Champions. Robin orchestrated the evening's sponsorship and let us say, she belongs to US! Robin and son Augie are Pewaukee members and have grown up as strong Inland sailors. She is a find for US Sailing but hopefully never a loss to us. Thanks, Robin, for a great evening.



Harken



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2017 Regattas

August

16-20 ILYA Championships - C/MC/A/E - Lake Geneva YC

September

8-10 Max C/MC Fall - Maxinkuckee YC

8-10 E Nationals - Carolina YC

9-10 George Dorn MC - Beulah

9-10 Big Waters C - South Shore YC

16-17 C Blue Chip - Pistakee YC

16-17 Fenton Fall C - Lake Fenton YC

22-24 E Blue Chip - Pewaukee

23-24 NNN Beulah C Challenge - Lake Beulah YC

23-24 Lotawana C - Missouri YC

30 - Oct 1 - Polar Bear C/MC - Lake Davenport Sailing Club

October

7-8 C Worlds - Delavan YC



Commodore David Porter opened the evening recognizing the efforts of the most generous Lake Geneva Yacht Club who welcomed us and took a chance that three years would go quickly, we bet. The effort from a single club is unduplicated in ILYA history. The sheer labor is mind boggling, the attention to detail essential and the number of garbage cans filled infinitesimal! How many pieces of wood does it take for each parking slot to have chocks. Bet most of us don't have to think of that. Today as we leave, Buddy Melges will be there picking up the wood. Co-chair Kristin Gannon (below) who managed the parking lot logistics is tireless! She is methodical but adapts so easily to the everchanging problems with all of us on the property. Kristin thanked all her volunteers in a most generous manner but it was her efforts that made this place hum.





Lake Geneva Commodore Rod Rieger accepted the ILYA's gratitude for the club's longterm efforts in service to the ILYA. Geneva is one of the ILYA's longest standing clubs. No one has made a count but bets would be more ILYA Champions have come from Geneva than any other ILYA club. Three Rolex yachtspersons - World Champions - Olympic Champions - ---- it's a club with a history of leadership and performance unmatched. But this event is about the many, many members who came and served from bathroom cleaning, the chair setup, ticket distribution - you get it --- grunt work from smiling, willing members who have turned out for 9 days of prep and take down for three years now. Thank you Lake Geneva. Words cannot express our appreciation. No other club has committed to such a longstanding period of service.



Through the three years the one constant has been Terry Blanchard. He began this odyssey as the Commodore of LGYC but remained as chair the entire three year period. Time committed is unfathomable but the efficiencies he created by remaining the entire term made this event what you experienced each year. His leadership allowed us to improve each year since he was readily able to assess and improve. By this year, it was a well-oiled machine. (Can't we just stay?). His efforts to his club in this endeavor are unparalleled. Nothing like this has been asked of a member before in regatta management. He rose to the challenge and as we leave today with a sad heart, please take the time to say thank you to the entire Geneva production but most importantly Terry and Kristin who have given so much for three years.



This simply doesn't happen without Michael Moore. Lake Geneva is so fortunate to employ the kindest, happiest, most dedicated, hard working Michael Moore. Do you have any idea how many questions he answers in a day? How many miles he walks on the property in a day? Truly he is unflappable and at times we are all not that easy. Never even a sigh at our requests. He is off and running before you can walk away after a request. He is a rare individual who can anticipate our needs and has it solved. Present him with a new problem and he is up to the challenge. It takes a unique individual to handle all of us and yet get the behind the scenes operation running seamlessly. THIS IS THE MAN!!! Year after year he has come to the forefront to execute our wishes. AND. . . we are not his customers --- the Geneva members entrust him with the club during our brief stay and are assured he will return it to the exceptional condition he maintains day after day. Thank you, Michael, for sticking with all of us and not requesting vacation when we arrive. We know how much we ask and you deliver!



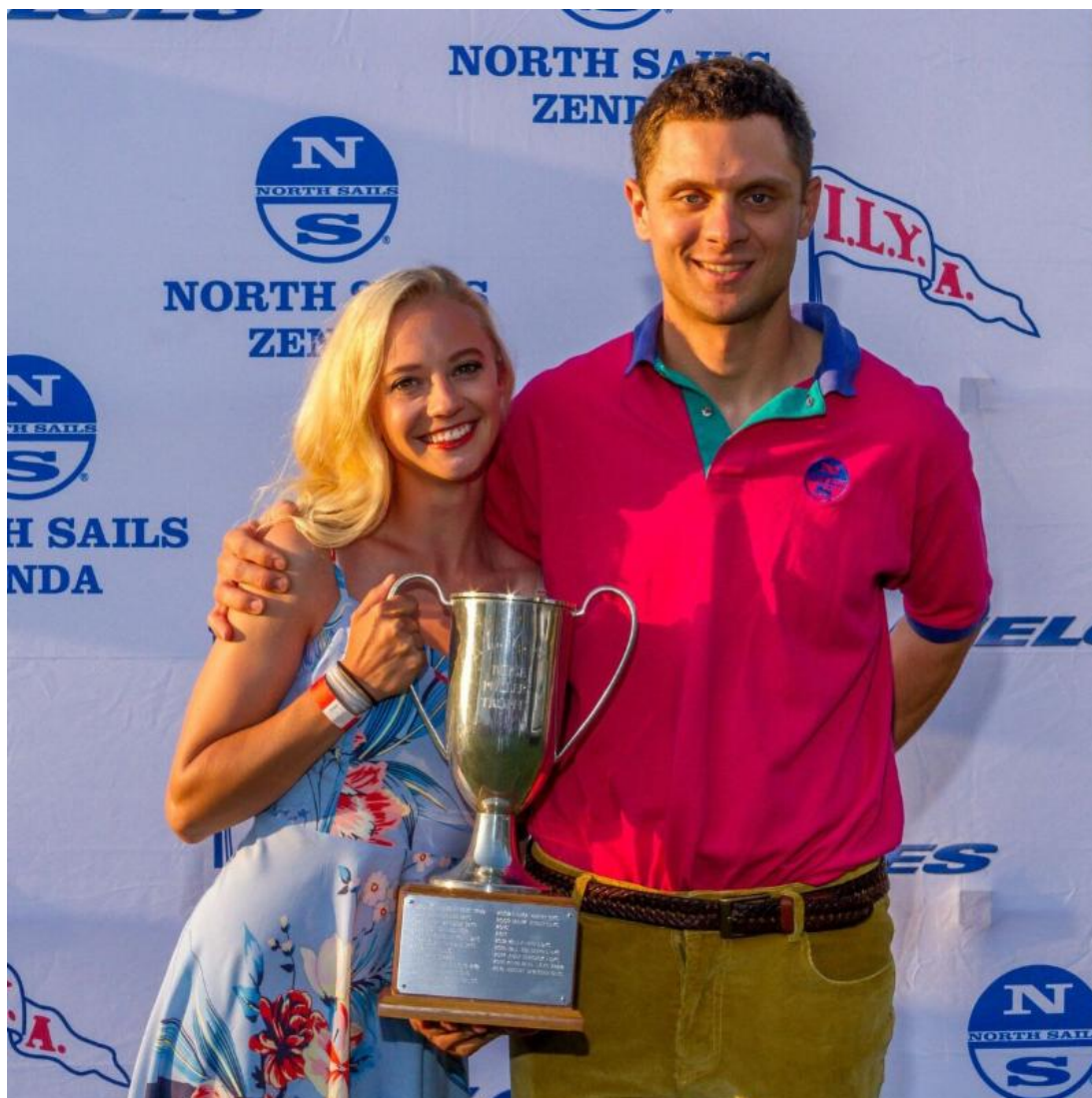
Bill Goggins presented the ILYA with the 2017 wannabe class gift. Thanks to the Bilge Pullers for their perennial generosity to the ILYA.



Off to trophies

MC's

Wind peaked at 3.5MPH; waves increased of the motorboat brigade charged the lake on a gorgeous August summer day. It was a day of lounging and talking. A couple ILYA committee meetings - a most enjoyable regatta unplanned layday.



1	2169	Black Cat	Ryan Grosch [Junior]/	Harriet/	8	1	2	11
Jessie Albritton								
2	2609	Hammer	Peter Strothman/	Geneva/	3	2	7	12
Grady and Bo Strothman								
3	2616	White Magic	Gordon Lamphere/	Southern/	4	3	10	17
Gordon Lamphere								
4	2178	No, Daddy	Mark Tesar [Master]	Clear	10	9	6	25
5	2145	Rocket Monster	Mike Kaiser /	Pewaukee Yacht Club/	9	15	3	27T
Kamron / Kasha Kaiser								
6	2429		Steve O Avery [Grand Master] /	Okoboji/	18	4	5	27T
Jared Plummer								
7	2661	Ramble On	Vincent Driessen [Master]/	Gull/	7	5	16	28
Martha Gabriela Natalia Driessen								
8	2040	Flying Lotus	Henry Chesnutt [Junior]/	Harriet/	6	24	1	31
Sarah Eide								
9	2658	Hail Mary	Christopher Tornehl	Wissota /	19	10	14	43
/								
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10	2129	Deadly Sinn	Natalie Sinn/	Harriet/	13	8	23	44	
Paige Boegeman									
11	2470	The Swan	Brian Heimsch/	Cedar Lake Yacht Club/	1	19	27	47T	
Justin Heimsch	/								
Allison Heimsch									
12	2401	Talinik	Todd Tesar [Master]	Clear	12	7	28	47T	
13	2653	Guiddyup	Daniel Guidinger [Master]/	White Bear/	21	17	9	47T	
Lucy Guidinger									
14	2685	Retro	Eric Hood [Grand Master]/	Eustis/	15	29	4	48	
Olivia Staruck									
15	2686		Kelly Brain /	Geneva/	2	30	17	49	
Ellie / Reidhirn									

A Fleet



It's never taken for granted. This team has won this many times before and with multiple skippers. The John Anderson boat has been sailed by John and Buddy Melges and they were victorious. Now the boat is skipped by Vincent Porter but the backbone remains - Fitzgerald, Navin, Impens, Gifford. It takes a team to succeed in the A scow and this is a longlasting TRUE team. You can see it on the water but also on shore. Dad John Porter appears above who made a guest appearance. John Porter is a multiple winner of this trophy.

1	I-1	Eagle	Vincent Porter/	1	2	1	4	
Ryan Fitzgerald								
Dave Navin								
Kyle Navin								
Junior Impens								
Christian Spencer								
Greg Gifford								
2	M-21	Patrick Hughes	Patrick Hughes/	2	4	2	8	
Tony Jewett								
Jimmy Hughes								

Coye Harrett							
Harry Melges							
Clifford Porter							
Matt Ripkey							
3	I - 7	MadCap	Tom Freytag/	5	1	6	12
Colin Rowe							
Bo Freytag							
Dylan Freytag							
Mac Six							
Ailsa Freytag							
Nathan Freytag							
4	W-3	TypeA	Will Crary/	4	3	7	14
Eddie Cox							
Mike Crary							
Ed Cox							
Chad Carson							
Anders Eckholm							
Andrew Hed							
5	I 55	AJAX	Michael Keefe/	8	9	4	21
tony trajkovich							
john kivlin							
tom McGreavy							
andy carlson							
andy carlson							
Andy Carlson							
Tom Keefe							
Erich Schloemer							
6	I-12	G-force1	Harry Melges 4/	10	11	3	24
Finn Rowe							
Carson Hillier							
Will Huerth							
Tait Workman							
R.J. Porter							
Bri Porter							
7	W-25	Euphoria	Lee Alnes/	3	12	10	25T
Jon Lee							
Andy Kruse							
Karen Alnes							
Mark Dunsworth							
Sean Wagner							
Matt Markoe							
8	M-10	Animal House	Jack Strothman/	13	7	5	25T
Gary Christensen							
Mark Olson							
Jim Wyman							
Scott Standa							
Dave Templeman							
Buzz Shepard							
9	I 96	White Magic	Chuck Lamphere/	6	6	14	26
David Porter							
Scott Sullivan							
Michael Barr							
Kyle Rogachenko							
John Porter							
Will Davies							

10	I-333	Red Eye	David Davenport/	7	5	17/DSQ	29
Peter Keck							
Ben Porter							
Joe Skotartzak							
Andrew Bohl							
Papa Kutschenreuter							
Anne Muller							
11	V-57	Fast Forward	Brian Henke/	15	8	9	32
Jim Gluek							
Glen Ackley							
Geoff Ackley							
Mark Schaubel							
Mark Isabel							
Dave Halaska							
12	I 14	Crews Control	Michael Lynch/	14	13	8	35
Patrick Lynch							
Marek Valesek							
Mark Oglesby							
Nathan Quist							
13	V-44	Rogue	Matt Weber/	12	14	11	37
Jim Rehberger							
Neil Evans							
Rick Wilfer							
Tom Beckes							
Chirs Allen							
14	J255	Can't Decide	Bill Wyman/	9	17/DSQ	12	38
Tom Castle							
max Wyman							
will Wyman							
peter lang							
jeff price							
15	V-999	Valkyrie	Todd Haines/	17/RET-AF	10	13	40
Andy Biwer							
Taylor Martin							
PJ Feichtmeier							
Jamie Klauser							
Alex DeGuire							
Joey Biwer							
16	W88	Asylum	Louis Hill/				
Larry Pardee							
Ben Rosene							
Carl Denys							

E fleet

One more race in the E fleet this morning. The standings have changed due to a protest.

1	V 37	August Barkow/	3	3	5	11
Jeff Niedziela						
Aj Schweda						
Heidi Schweda						
2	W-66	Eddie Cox/	4	6	2	12
Kate Cox						
Willy Crary						
Ed Cox						
3	I-2	Vincent Porter/	2	11	1	14

Clifford Porter							
Coye Harrett							
Kyle Navin							
4	I 49	Brian Porter/	1	10	8		19
RJ Porter							
Colin Rowe							
Annie Rowe							
5	I-9	Peter Strothman/	5	1	20		26
Corbett porter							
6	I-101	Scott/Matt Ripkey/	7	8	12		27
Mac Six							
Matt Ripkey							
Hannah Ripkey							
7	BH-8	Russ Lucas/	6	9	14		29
Jim Campbell							
Peet Must							
Ellie O'Brien							
8	M-9	Tom Burton/	11	14	11		36
Bruce Martinson							
Charlie Burton							
Hank O'Brien							
9	I - 7	Tom Freytag/	9	21	7		37
Nathan Freytag							
Dylan Freytag							
Ailsa Freytag							
Ailsa Freytag							
10	M-20	Tim Krech/	17	13	9		39
Matt Resch							
Chad Rechcygl							
Jenna Galegher							
11	T-76	Kyle Rogachenko/	8	34	6		48
AJ Bailey							
Brendon Hogan							
12	W99	Charlie Igo/	29	5	15		49
Jack Zweber							
Chad Carson							
13	W-25	Lee S Alnes/	12	22	16		50
Andy Kruse							
Mark Dunsworth							
Olivia Staruck							
14	M-87	Derek Packard/	18	12	22		52
Matt Hanson							
Gavin Potts							
Paige Boegeman							
15	I-1	Harry Melges/	22	2	29/ZFP		53
Harry Melges III Suzanne Melges							
Finn Rowe							
Monroe Melges							

C Fleet

Two more races yesterday makes this the only fleet on schedule. Afternoon shifting winds caused some mixups in the standings and it is close up top between two great friends. The Haegers - all three- remain in the top ten. Past champion Ed Eckert is still in the hunt. Past champion Paul Reilly sits in the top ten. Get the trend? Loads of past champions still reside in this fleet. 18-75 years of age, they all still sail the C.

1	N - 181	LIKKITY SPLIT	Peter Keck/ Ben Porter	3	6	2	6	17
2	I 45	Stormin	Andy Burdick/ Mya Burdick Finn Burdick Kent Haeger [Master]/	6	2	1	10	19
3	B 12	Delusions	Mike Greeson Erin Moynahan Edward Eckert [Master]/	1	1	12	17	31
4	A-136	Nemesis	Abby Eckert Charlie Eckert Sam Eckert Anne Haeger/ Luke Ramsay Neal Klement Frank Davenport [Grand Master]/	7	5	9	14	35
5	B 333	Washed Up	Ron Jarecki Teresa Westin Will Haeger [Junior]/ Kate Klement A Couple People Anne Muller / Joe Skotarszak Allison Rowe Paul Reilly [Grand Master]/	4	3	11	21	39
6	B 303	Fish	Matt Pistay Austin Jaessing Brian Brickler/ Kevin Brickler Mel Urben/ Molly Brickler Michael Barr [Junior]/ Ryan Komas Brigit Barr John Porter / Pat Welscher Tom Eckert [Grand Master]/	14	9	10	9	42
7	B-1	The Rear Commodore	Dave Schmidt Lou Morgan [Master]/ MacKenzie Halverson Zoe Morgan Stephen P. Schmidt [Master]/ John Schmidt Wendy Schmidt	12	10	8	15	45
8	B-217	RYOT Too		9	20	4	18	51T
9	A-14	Irish Navy		17	13	14	7	51T
10	B-18	#Team Hungover		13	4	31	4	52
11	B66	Barr- Crawler		8	16	5	31	60
12	B-317	Frankenboat		2	11	32	27	72
13	A 36	Grumpy Old Men		11	31	25	11	78
14	OO-8	Spicy Bent Stick		38	29	3	12	82
15	E-88	Ridin' High		5	14	24	43	86

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