



**NOTICE OF RACE**  
**CBYRA YOUTH REGATTA**  
**Wednesday July 22, 2026**  
**Organizing Authority: Lewes Yacht Club**  
**2701 Cedar Street, Lewes DE**

**1. RULES**

1. The event is governed by the rules as defined in the current *Racing Rules of Sailing*
- 1.2 Minimum of 3 boats to make a class which will close at 1700 Tuesday July 21.

**2. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

- 2.1 The Sailing Instructions (SIs) will be available at registration.

**3. COMMUNICATION**

- 3.1 The Official Notice Board is located at <https://theclubspot.com/regatta/qKJSmzSpo3/#notice-board> and also in the Regatta Room at the LYC Clubhouse.

**4. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

- 4.1 All sailors must adhere to CBYRA Eligibility Guidelines:

**(1) Age:** Sailors may only compete if (a) they will not be older than nineteen (19) years of age at any time during the current year (*i.e.*, their twentieth (20th) birthday occurs no earlier than January 1, of next year) *AND* (b) they have not competed in any collegiate sailing event prior to the regatta.

**(2) Compensation:** As this is an amateur regatta held in the Corinthian spirit of competition, sailors may not compete as skipper or crew if they are or will be paid or otherwise compensated for participating in the regatta. By registering for the regatta, each sailor affirms that neither he/she nor his/her crew is being paid or otherwise compensated for competing.

- 4.2 Eligible boats are Optimist-Green, Optimist-RWB, Laser 6, Sunfish and Club 420.

- 4.3 Eligible boats enter by completing the online registration form at <https://theclubspot.com/register/regatta/qKJSmzSpo3/class> and paying the entry fee.

**5. FEES**

- 5.1 The entry fee for all classes is \$40.00 per CBYRA member sailor, \$45.00 for non- CBYRA member sailor. The entry fee includes water bottle, Wednesday continental breakfast, bag lunch on the water and awards buffet.

- 5.2 Registration will close Tuesday July 21 at 1700. Any entries after that will require permission from the host club and could be subject to a late fee.

**6. SCHEDULE**

**Tuesday July 21:**

1000 - 1800 Early Check-in for Sailors

## **Wednesday July 22:**

0800 - 0930 Continental Breakfast

0800 - 1000 Check-in, competitor briefing

1015: Skippers & Coaches Meeting

1100: First signal – Additional Races to Follow, lunch on water

1500: No warning signal after this time.

1700: Buffet (Burgers and hotdogs), followed by Awards Ceremony

## **7. CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT**

7.1 A competitor's clothing and equipment shall not weigh more than 10 kilograms, as permitted by RRS 50.1(b).

## **8. VENUE**

8.1 Delaware Bay waters near the LYC Clubhouse.

8.2 Sailing area shall be on both sides of the Roosevelt inlet. Current in the bay is significant. Racing area is viewable from the LYC Clubhouse

## **9. COURSES**

9.1 Courses will be drop marks see Details in the SI.

## **10. SCORING**

10.1 A maximum of **FIVE** races are scheduled, of which **ONE** shall be completed to constitute a series. If **FOUR** or more races are sailed, a boat's worst score shall be discarded.

10.2 A boat scored TLE (Time Limit Expired) will, without a hearing, be scored one point more than the number of boats in her fleet who sailed the course properly and finished within the time limit. This changes RRS 35, A4, A5.1, A5.2, and A10.

## **11. SUPPORT PERSON VESSELS**

**11.1 COACHES AND COACH REGISTRATION** - Coaches are integral to the success of this event and those coaches that register ahead of time will receive complementary meals. Coaches that register the day of the event will be charged \$25.00. Last registration for coaches will be 1000 day of the event.

Coaches are encouraged to bring support boats and will be expected to work with the organizers to foster a learning environment and provide a safe experience. PFDs are required to be worn by all coaches.

**11.2 Coach Boats will display Blue CBYRA Coach Flag.**

**12. SAFETY** - A US Coast Guard approved personal flotation device shall be worn, properly fastened, at all times while launching and when sailing. Failure to comply with this rule may result in disqualification. A boat retiring from a race shall notify a Race Committee vessel before leaving the course, or when that is impossible, to **LYC Shore Person** immediately after arrival ashore.

**13. MEDIA RIGHTS** - By participating in this regatta, a competitor (or parent/guardian if under age 18) grants to LYC the right in perpetuity to make, use and show, from time to time at their discretion, any photographs, motion pictures and live, taped or filmed television and other reproductions of him or her during the period of the competition without compensation.

## **14 RISK STATEMENT**

14.1 RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.' By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury. Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia or other causes.

## 15. PRIZES

15.1 Youth Regatta Awards will be awarded to competitors placing first through third in all divisions except all green fleet which will receive a participation award.

## 16. FURTHER INFORMATION

**Host Club:** *Lewes Yacht Club, 2701 Cedar Street, Lewes, DE 19958*  
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The Lewes Yacht Club is situated on 4 acres with restaurant, bar, heated pool, and a 70-slip marina at the northern tip of Lewes Beach. Family friendly activities are 7 miles away in Rehoboth Beach, which has a boardwalk along the Atlantic Ocean, shops, restaurants and arcades. Cape Henlopen State Park is 4 miles away and has Atlantic Ocean beaches, activities and campsites. Lewes is known as the "First Town in the First State" founded in 1631. There are several museums, a park with cannons used to defend the town during the war of 1812, charter boat fleet and the Overfalls Lightship LV-118.

**On street car parking is free but no trailers can be parked on Lewes streets.**