

**INLAND LAKE YACHTING ASSOCIATION
MELGES 17 REGATTA
JULY 20-22
PEWAUKEE YACHT CLUB
PEWAUKEE, WISCONSIN
NOTICE OF RACE**

1 RULES

Except as any of the following are altered by the Sailing Instructions, the regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*, the prescriptions of the United States Sailing Association, the Rules and Bylaws of the ILYA, and the following class scantlings:

1.1 The scantling rules of the National Melges 17 Class.

2 ADVERTISING will be restricted to Category A.

3 BOATING REGULATIONS of the State of Wisconsin will apply.

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

4.1 The regatta is open to Melges 17 Scows. The skipper must be a family, regular, youth or life member of the ILYA at the time of registration. Crew members become members of the ILYA by virtue of the yacht's completed registration.

4.2 Eligible boats may enter 1) by completing the official ILYA Regatta Entry Application and sending it, together with the required fee, to the ILYA at PO Box 311, Fontana, WI 53125 or 2) Fax to 262-275-3772 or 3) by registering on the ILYA website www.ilya.org All entries must be postmarked or otherwise received by July 6 to avoid late penalties per ILYA By-law 12.18.3.d. Fax and Internet registrations require credit card information.

5 REGISTRATION FEES \$100

6 SCHEDULE

6.1 Registration, weighing and measurement (if required) at Regatta Headquarters is Friday, July 20 from 4 to 8 PM and Saturday, July 21 from 8 to 9 AM.

6.2 Registration is not completed until measurement and weight requirements have been checked, and sailing Instructions have been received and receipt acknowledged.

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6.3 The Competitor's Briefing, held at Regatta Headquarters, will be Saturday, July 21, at 8:30 AM.

6.4 The Warning signals for the first race will be Saturday, July 21, at 10 AM Except when races are sailed back-to-back, the time of the warning signal for subsequent races will be posted. Five races are scheduled. If three races have been completed, no race will begin after noon on the last day of scheduled racing.

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available at registration.

8 VENUE

Regatta Headquarters will be at Pewaukee Yacht Club, Pewaukee, Wisconsin

9 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be described in the Sailing Instructions. The racing area will be on Pewaukee Lake and will be described at the Competitor Briefings or by notice on the Official Notice Board at Regatta Headquarters.

10 PENALTY SYSTEM

Rule 44 will apply.

11 SCORING

11.1 Scoring will be U.S. Sailing Low Point Scoring System of Appendix A4.

11.2 Three races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

11.3 Each boat's total score will be the sum of her scores for all races.

12 RADIO COMMUNICATION

The Race Committee will use VHF marine radio to communicate to the competitors. The only communication devices that may be used by competitors when racing are: (a) a weather monitor, (b) a VHF radio tuned to receive only RC transmissions that are intended for all boats (Competitor channel) and (c) a cell phone that may be used for emergency purposes only. The penalty for breaking this rule will be total disqualification from the regatta or such lesser penalty as may be determined by the Protest Committee. Failure to hear a RC transmission shall not constitute grounds for redress. Except to make a required report or in an emergency, no transmission shall be made to the RC or other person when racing.

13 TROPHIES

Overall standings trophy presentations will be held after the racing at Regatta Headquarters.

14 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See Rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority, race committee, protest committee, host club, sponsors, or any other organization or official will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

15 FURTHER ILYA INFORMATION

For further information please contact the ILYA office by phone at 262-275-6921 or by email at ScowSlants@aol.com

Sponsors: To be announced.

Lodging information. *We will house any competitor who requests it.*

List of local hotels:

Country Springs 2810 Gold Road Waukesha WI 262.547.0201

www.countryspringshotel.com

Holiday Inn Express 3030 Golf Road Delafield WI 262.646.7077

www.ichotelsgroup.com

Radisson Hotel N14W24140 Tower Place Pewaukee, WI 262.506.6300

www.lakecountrycorner.com

Best Western 2840 N. Grandview Blvd. Pewaukee, WI 262.524.9300

www.bestwestern.com

Country Pride Inn 2412 Milwaukee Street Delafield WI 262.646.3300

CAMPING: Naga-waukee Park 651 Hwy 83 Delafield WI

www.waukeshacounty.gov

Description of meal facilities. All meals will be at the Pewaukee Yacht Club.

Race committee and members. Bill Dale and his team.

Special mooring or storage requirements. Dry sail at the PYC is available, mooring in the yacht club bay or at housing if available.

Launching facilities. Two ramps at PYC, dolly launching on west ramp.

Mooring facilities. Dry sail at PYC will be available. Mooring in the Yacht Club bay will be available as well.

Spectator boats: Will be provided.

Special Prizes. To be announced.

Social Schedule. Friday evening there will be a cocktail party with heavy appetizers. Saturday evening the PYC will be hosting dinner & dancing "Pewaukee" style. Race winners for Saturday will be announced that evening along with the special awards for the day.

Directions to launching site and regatta

Pewaukee Yacht Club N22W28204 Edgewater Rd Pewaukee, WI 53072

<http://www.pyc.org/wherein.htm>

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Late fees after July 6th. \$30.