



Lake Leelanau Racing

Organized and hosted by the Leland Yacht Club
Wednesdays & Saturdays ... third week of June to the second week of August.
Lake Leelanau – Leland, Michigan

NOTICE OF RACE

- 1) **Rules** – The races will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rule of Sailing (RRS)*.
- 2) **Schedule**
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1:15 pm	Skippers Meeting	LYC Lawn
2:00 pm	First Warning Signal	Area 1 or 2

Races will be back to back with little in between.
- 3) **Class Flags**
A Fleet Laser Class Flag
B Fleet Butterfly Class Flag (includes Sunfish, FJ's, Zuma's)
- 4) **Racing Areas**
4.1 – Area A will be in the North End of North Lake Leelanau
4.2 – Area B will be in the South End of North Lake Leelanau
- 5) **Courses**
5.1 – Course 1 – 4 legs, windward, leeward, windward, leeward.
5.2 – Course 2 – 4 legs, triangle, windward, reach, reach, windward.
5.3 – Course 3 – 6 legs, modified Olympic triangle, windward, reach, reach, windward, leeward, windward.
5.4 – All marks shall be left to port.
5.5 – A placard designating course #1, 2 or 3 will be displayed on the RC Boat.
- 6) **Marks** – All marks are small, round orange inflatables.
- 7) **Start**
7.1 – Starts will use the 5 minute system as described in RRS – 26.
7.1 – Shall be between an orange flag on the committee boat on the starboard end of the line and the start buoy on the port end.
7.2 – All sequences will be preceded by a short series of horn blasts.
7.3 – A and B fleets will start separately.
7.4 – Boats whose warning signal has not been made shall keep clear of the starting area.

7.5 – Boats starting later than (5) minutes after their start shall be scored Did Not Start (DNS).

7.6 – Individual and General recalls shall be made in accordance to the RRS 29. The RC will attempt to hail all boats that have started improperly.

8) Finish – Shall be the “Start Line.”

9) Scoring

9.1 – 3 races are scheduled.

9.2 – A Fleet: Low Point System. Will be done in accordance to The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) rule 90.3.

9.3 – B Fleet: Races will be handicapped according to Portsmouth Handicap methodology. One point for finishing, and one point for each racing boat finished ahead of (as handicapped).

10) Safety

10.1 – Life jackets must be worn.

10.2 – ~~sign all boats the day of the regatta with the name and number.~~ All boats must be signed in with the race committee before the first warning signal.

10.3 – A boat that retires from racing or is leaving the racing for the day must contact the race committee by some means. If they return they must check in again.

11) Disclaimer of Liability – Competitors participating in the racing do so entirely at their own risk. The organizing authority 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.