

# Lake Leelanau Racing

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Organized and hosted by the Leland Yacht Club

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

Tuesdays (Lasers only)

5:15 pm Skippers Meeting on the LYC Lawn

6:00 pm First Warning Signal

Saturdays Lasers and B-Fleet

1:15 pm Skippers Meeting LYC Lawn

2:00 pm First Warning Signal (Lasers)

Lasers Start is 5 Minute Warning Signal for B-Fleet

Races will be back to back with little in between.

Typically 3 races per afternoon.

3) Class Flags

A Fleet Laser Class Flag

B Fleet Butterfly Class Flag (includes Sunfish, FJ's, Zuma's and any others)

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.
- 7.2 – 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.
- 7.3 – All sequences will be preceded by a short series of horn blasts.
- 7.4 – A and B fleets will start separately.
- 7.5 – Boats whose warning signal has not been made shall keep clear of the starting area.
- 7.6 – Boats starting later than (5) minutes after their start shall be scored Did Not Start (DNS).
- 7.7 – 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 – A Fleet: Lasers – Points for position at finish (1 for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2 for second, etc.) with the lowest score of points divided by number of races started winning the series (subject to starting a minimum number of races in the season). Failure to finish is given one point more than the last boat that did finish.
- 9.2 – B Fleet: All other boats - Position is based on race time handicapped by type of boat. Then 1 point for finishing and 1 point for each starting boat whose handicapped position was behind you (or not finishing). Highest total points wins series.

## 10) Safety

- 10.1 – Life jackets must be worn.
- 10.2 – Please hail your name and sail #. All boats must check in with the race committee before the first warning
- 10.3 – A boat that retires from racing or is leaving the racing for the day should 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.