LaSalle Mariners Yacht Club

2nd Annual ~ LMYC Detroit River Dinghy Regatta

LaSalle Ontario Sat Oct 9, 2021

Notice of Race

Rules: This event will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2021-2024

Invitation: This regatta is open to all types of dinghies; Cat rigged (Force 5, Laser, etc) and Sloop rigged (Laser 2, 420, etc) If necessary, a handicap system will used to allow these different boats to race together.

Course Area: We will be using the Detroit River between the LaSalle shoreline and Fighting Island, and Grassy Island and Turkey Island. Course lengths will be approximately 1-2 Nm. Course sheets will be available at registration.

Registration and Entry: Will be from 10:30 - 11:00 at the Tiki bar - north of club house. We ask that you sign the attached entry form and submit it at registration. Extra entry forms will be available. There is **no** entry fee.

Sailing Instructions: SIs will be available at registration.

Skippers Meeting: Will be at 11:00 at the Tiki Bar.

Races: We will sail as many races as possible within the 3 hour limit. There will be at least a 2 minute gap between the last boat finishing and the Warning signal of the next race

First Warning Signal: 12:00

No Race Warning Signal after 3:00pm

Safety equipment: All skippers and crew <u>must</u> wear an approved PFD during the races! A tow line - of at least 15' attached at the bow or 20' attached to the mast of your dinghy is also required.

Penalties: A boat shall take a One 360 Turn Penalty for breaking a rule of Part 2 of the RRS.

Disclaimer of Liability: Competitors participate in the races entirely at their own risk. See RRS Rule 4, Decision to Race. 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 race

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Parking: Anyone bringing a boat and/or gear for the regatta is asked to unload your stuff on the grass just east of the clubhouse and park your vehicle down in the parking lots. Vehicles with trailers are to park neatly between the shed and cedar trees in the main parking lot.

Food and Drink: Bottled water will be provided. Other than that, please bring your own beverages and snacks. At registration, we will have an order sheet for pizza - for consumption after racing is done. We will order it after everyone is back in. We will use Capri Pizza on Front Rd. If you wish to order some, you will be asked to pay <u>before</u> we order it. You will pay by the slice.

Covid Restrictions: Please take into account that our area is still in Step 3 of re-opening. Our clubhouse has a limit of 25 people and those entering the building must wear a mask - SO BRING ONE! The club grounds are limited to 100 people. That limit shouldn't be a problem but, PLEASE RESPECT SOCIAL DISTANCING before and after the races.

ENTRY FORM

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SKIPPER (AND CREW) NAME
BOAT TYPE
HULL COLOUR(S)
SAIL NUMBER
I agree to be bound by The Racing Rules of Sailing and by all other rules that govern this event
Signed_