



LARCHMONT YACHT CLUB

THIRD ANNUAL IDEAL 18 SUMMER SERIES

Including

ONE HUNDRED TWENTY FIRST RACE WEEK

Saturday, June 8, Sunday, July 14, and Saturday August 10, 2019

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the *rules* as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 Coast Guard-approved personal flotation must be worn by skipper and crew at all times while on the water, except briefly while changing or adjusting clothing or personal equipment. This changes rule 40 and the preamble to the Part 4 rules.
- 1.3 Appendix V1, Penalty at the Time of an Incident, will apply.
- 1.4 All boats shall carry a VHF radio.

2 ENTRY AND FEE

- 2.1 The series is open to any Ideal 18 with bottom paint.
- 2.2 There are three one-day regattas within this series, Sat, June 8; Sun, July 14 during Larchmont Race Week, and Sat, August 10.
To qualify for the series prizes, a skipper must sail in the Larchmont Race Week regatta plus one of the other one-day regattas.
- 2.3 Eligible boats shall enter online by 1200 the Friday before the regatta. For races on June 8 and August 10, boats must enter at: https://larchmontyachtclub.formstack.com/forms/2019_ideal18_summerseries. For boats sailing during Larchmont Race Week (July 14 boats must enter at: https://yachtscoring.com/event_registration_email.cfm?eid=6240
- 2.4 The entry fees are: \$150.00 for all three days, or \$50 for individual events.

3 BOATS

- 3.1 A limited number of boats may be available for use by non-LYC sailors. To request a boat, please contact Nicky Souter, Waterfront Director at ideal18@larchmontyc.org.
 - a) All non-LYC sailors using LYC boats will be required to provide a damage deposit of \$1000.00. A valid credit card must be presented prior to the competitors' meeting.
 - b) A maximum of \$1000.00 will be charged for each incident that results in damage or loss of equipment. No charge will be made without prior notification. If two boats are involved, the damage will be allocated: to the skipper losing the protest, to both skippers if the right-of-way boat is found in violation of rule 14, or to the skipper of the damaged boat(s) if no protest is filed.
 - c) Borrowed boats will be assigned by lottery. If another club has loaned boats to LYC for this event, members of that club shall have first draw against his/her club's boats.

4 SCHEDULE

Regatta 1: Saturday, June 8

1115	Competitors' Meeting and Boat Assignment
1200	Harbor Start
1255	First Warning

Regatta 2: Sunday, July 14

1115	Competitors' Meeting and Boat Assignment
1200	Harbor Start
1255	First Warning
	Race Week Awards after Racing
Regatta 3: Saturday, August 10	
1115	Competitors' Meeting and Boat Assignment
1200	Harbor Start
1255	First Warning

5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing instructions will be available on the website at: <http://www.larchmontyc.org> and <http://www.yachtscoring.com> no later 1700 Fri. June 7. During Race Week, they will also be at the Hospitality Desk, located on the veranda of the main clubhouse.

6 COURSES

Courses will be windward-leeward as described in the sailing instructions.

7 RACE AREA

The racing area will be in the waters off Larchmont Harbor.

8 SCORING

One completed race in any of the three events (June, July, August) will constitute a regatta for that event.

8.2 In order to qualify for the Ideal 18 Summer Regatta Series, a skipper must compete in Larchmont Race Week in July and at least one of the other events (either the June or August regatta). A skipper who competes in all three events will discard either June or August, whichever is worse.

8.3 Scoring for June 8 & Aug 10 will be high-point without exclusion. Scoring for Race Week will be low point without exclusion.

8.4 Scoring for the series will include the results from the Larchmont Race Week, converted to high point, plus the results for the skipper's best of the one-day regattas. The series score for each boat will be a percentage calculated as follows: divide the sum of her race scores by the sum of the points she would have scored if she had placed first in every race in which she competed; multiply the result by 100. The qualifying boat with the highest series score is the winner, and others are ranked accordingly.

9 PRIZES

9.1 Prizes for the series will be awarded to the top three finishers after racing on August 10.

9.2 Prizes for Larchmont Race Week will be awarded on July 14, on the front lawn.

10 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

By registering for this event, the owner and person-in-charge of the boat agree with the following:

- 1) My crew and I recognize that sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury associated with it. We have read rule 4, Decision to Race, and hereby acknowledge and agree that we are participating in this event entirely at our own risk.
- 2) I acknowledge and agree that neither the organizing authority nor the race committee, nor their members will be responsible for:
any damage to the entered boat or my other property, or any injury to my crew or me, including death, sustained as a result of our participation in this event.
- 3) I hereby waive any rights I may have to sue the race organizers (organizing authority, race committee, protest committee, host club, sponsors or any other organization or official) with respect to personal injury or property damage suffered by my crew or me as a result of our participation in this event, whether on the water or on shore, and hereby release the race organizers from any liability for such injury or damage to the fullest extent permitted by law.

4) I have taken all necessary steps to ensure that my crew and I and my entered boat are adequately prepared for all possible contingencies, including carrying and using appropriate safety equipment as may be required by law, racing rules and that a prudent seaman would consider advisable.

I agree to be bound by all rules that govern this event. I will inform all crewmembers of the conditions stated herein for their participation in such racing.

11 FURTHER INFORMATION

Larchmont Yacht Club, 1 Woodbine Avenue, Larchmont, New York 10538.

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John May – Regatta Committee Chairman

Buddy Wolf & Maureen Koepfel – Event Principal Race Officers

Mary Savage – Protest Committee Chairman