



Larchmont Yacht Club

ANNUAL IDEAL 18 SUMMER SERIES

Including

ONE HUNDRED TWENTY FOURTH RACE WEEK

Saturday, June 11, Saturday, July 16, Sunday, July 17, and Saturday August 13, 2022

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 Rule VI, Penalties at the Time of an Incident, will apply.
- 1.3 RRS 40.1 PERSONAL FLOATION DEVICES will apply.

2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing instructions will be available on the Larchmont Yacht Club site at: <https://www.larchmontyc.org/>, no later than 1800, Friday, June 10, 2022. For Race Week, they will also be posted on [Yachtscoring.com](https://www.yachtscoring.com), no later than 1800 Friday, July 15, 2022. Copies will also be available at the Race Week Hospitality desk

3 COMMUNICATION

- 3.1 Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board located on the veranda of the main clubhouse.
- 3.2 Each boat shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on VHF channel 5.
- 3.3 On the water, the race committee may make courtesy broadcasts to competitors on VHF radio.
- 3.4 While racing, From the first warning signal until the end of the last race of the day, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 The event is open to all boats of the Ideal 18 class.
- 4.2 The Summer Series consists of 3 events, Sat. June 19, Larchmont Race Week July 10 & 11, and Sat Aug. 14. To qualify for the series, a skipper must participate in Larchmont Race Week and 1 other event.
- 4.3 Eligible boats may enter by registering online at https://larchmontyachtclub.formstack.com/forms/2022_ideal18_summerseries
- 4.4 To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees..

5 CHARTERED BOATS

- 5.1 Most of the boats sailing in this event are expected to be owned by skippers' yacht clubs. Skippers are encouraged to arrange with their own clubs to sail boats owned by their clubs.
- 5.2 For skippers who are unable arrange to boats owned by their clubs, the OA and other area yacht clubs will make their Ideal 18s available for charter on a first-come basis. Boat charter must be selected during online registration. There is a \$100 per boat charter fee, in addition to the registration fee set forth in section 6.
- 5.3 Boat charters will be managed by the OA. Participants will be notified of the boat they will sail at registration. Chartered boats are provided "as is" and will include sails and all required safety equipment. Charterers are encouraged to provide their own sails and to inspect their boats prior to sailing to determine if they wish to add any spare or extra gear.
- 5.4 An additional Waiver form regarding personal injury and chartered boat responsibility must be signed at registration.
- 5.5 Competitors are responsible for ensuring their boats are in shipshape condition each day after racing.
- 5.6 To request a Charter Boat please complete forms below. A separate form must be completed for each event.
June 11 - https://larchmontyachtclub.formstack.com/forms/ideal_18_summer_series_1_charter_request_form_2022
Race Week - https://larchmontyachtclub.formstack.com/forms/ideal_18_summer_series_2_race_week_charter_request_form_2022
Aug 13 - https://larchmontyachtclub.formstack.com/forms/ideal_18_summer_series_3_charter_request_form_2022

6 FEES

The entry fee is \$75.00 each for June 11 & Aug 13. The Entry fee for Larchmont Race Week is \$100.00.

7 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Event 1: Saturday, June 11

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

Event 2: Saturday, July 16

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

Sunday, July 17

1200 Harbor Start
1255 First Warning
Race Week Awards following the completion of racing

Event 3: Saturday, August 13

1115 Competitors' Meeting and Boat Assignment
1200 Harbor Start
1255 First Warning
Series Awards following the completion of racing

8 VENUE

The racing area will be in the waters off Larchmont Harbor

9 COURSES

The course(s) to be sailed will be windward/leeward, as described in the sailing instructions.

10 SCORING

- 10.1 One completed race in any of the three events (June, July, August) will constitute a regatta for that event.
- 10.2 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 event). A skipper who competes in all three events will discard either June or August, whichever is worse.
- 10.3 Scoring for June 11 & Aug 13 will be high-point without exclusion. Scoring for Race Week will be low point without exclusion.
- 10.4 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.

11 PRIZES

- 11.1 Prizes for the series will be awarded to the top three finishers after racing on August 13.
- 11.2 Prizes for Larchmont Race Week will be awarded following racing on July 17, on the front lawn.

12 COVID-19 PROTOCOLS

Skippers and crews shall comply with the Club's current Covid-19 protocols, as posted on the Club's website. A breach of this rule shall not be grounds for protest by a boat. This changes RRS 60.1(a)

13 RISK STATEMENT

By registering for this event, the person-in-charge of each boat agrees with the following:

- 1) My crew and I recognize that sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury, sickness and disease (including communicable diseases such as Covid-19) associated with it. We have read RRS 3, 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, host club nor the race committee, nor their members will be responsible for: a) any damage to the entered boat or my other property, or b) any injury, sickness or disease (including communicable diseases such as Covid-19) 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, host club, race committee, protest committee, sponsors or any other organization or official) with respect to personal injury, sickness or disease (including communicable diseases such as Covid-19) 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, sickness or disease (including communicable diseases such as Covid-19) 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

14 FURTHER INFORMATION

Larchmont Yacht Club, 1 Woodbine Avenue, Larchmont, New York 10538.
Telephone: 914-834-2440 Website: www.larchmontyc.org Email: racecommittee@larchmontyc.org

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