

2023 Lake Geneva Yacht Club



**Congratulations
Harry Melges IV**

**US SAILING
ROLEX 2021
Yachtsman of the Year**



The 2023 Yearbook is dedicated to Lake Geneva Yacht Club's E-Scow sailors, past and present, as we celebrate the centennial of this remarkable boat. For 100 years, Class E has attracted outstanding sailors — men and women who seek the challenge of top competition and value the friendships and good times this class historically fosters.



Above, Buddy Melges works on a wooden E Scow in Zenda, where his father, Harry Sr., started building boats in the 1940s. Below, nine-time Class E national champion Brian Porter, with crew Annie Rowe, Colin Rowe, and RJ Porter, powers *Full Throttle* toward the finish line. Hannah Noll photo



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Sophie Niemann won the 2022 ILYA Optimist Dinghy RWB Championship title. She was also named GLSS Sherin Optimist Skipper of the Year. Dave Berg photo

Past Commodores



1876-79	N. K. Fairbank	1960-61	Alfred W. Craven Jr.
1890	Kellogg Fairbank	1962-63	Clayton R. Gaylord
1891-93	Frank A. Woodbury	1964-65	C. B. Goes III
1894	N. K. Fairbank	1966-67	W. Francis Jacobs
1895-96	Henry H. Porter	1968-69	Donald C. Harring
1897-98	H. G. Selfridge	1970-71	John M. Perrigo
1899	Henry H. Porter	1972-73	Robert L. Frank
1900-01	George H. Taylor	1973-75	Thomas A. Lothian
1902	Jefferson Hodgkins	1975-77	George L. Kummer Jr.
1903-04	Edwin C. Norton	1977-79	George H. Kiefer Jr.
1905-06	B. F. Johnston	1979-81	Martin W. Ford
1907-09	Dr. O. L. Schmidt	1981-83	Donald P. Frankel
1910-11	F. D. Countiss	1983-85	Androv Carlson II
1912-21	Marquette A. Healy	1985-87	Ronald E. Nelson
1922-28	Col. William N. Pelouze	1987-89	William H. Sills III
1929-30	Henry H. Porter Jr.	1989-91	Irwin M. Yarmo
1931-34	Ernst C. Schmidt	1991-93	Gloria W. Melges
1935-36	John F. Perrigo	1993-95	James A. Smith
1937-38	A. F. Gartz Jr.	1995-97	John T. Porter
1939-40	Harold R. Hough	1997-99	Gerald W. Millsap
1940	Henry H. Porter III	1999-01	Michael H. Sherin
1941	E. N. McDonnell	2001-03	John J. Zils
1942-43	Philip A. Starck	2003-05	Stephen E. Schalk
1944-45	I. L. Ellwood	2005-07	Arthur Larson Jr.
1946-47	Sidney H. Bliss	2007-08	Scott Ripkey
1948-49	Arthur W. Wakeley	2008-11	Michael K. Keefe
1950-51	Melville C. Jones	2011-13	John D. Simms Jr.
1952-53	Clarence W. Sills Jr.	2013-15	F. Terrence Blanchard
1954-55	Robert G. Ferris	2015-17	Rodney W. Rieger
1956-57	Gordon Bartels	2017-19	William G. Barrett Jr.
1958-59	William H. Freytag	2019-21	John DeCarlo



Message from the Commodore

2022 saw a return to normalcy in our LGYC sailing and social programs. Isolated outbreaks of Covid still impact our membership, staff and operations, but our LGYC officers, board, members and staff continue to do a fantastic job adapting to meet our mission.

Our sailors had great success in many local and national regattas in 2022. To highlight a few accomplishments – Vincent Porter with his teams won the A-Scow and E-Scow National Championships and Bo Freytag with his young crew won the A-Scow Inland Lake Yachting Association Championship aboard *Smiles*, making him, at 22, one of the youngest ILYA A-Scow champions ever.

I would like to give a special shout-out to our youth sailors who, as GLSS President Peter Strothman reported, won every regatta they entered. At the GLSS Dinghyfest regatta, Finn Burdick and Adi LaCroix won the X fleet, Tilly Niemann won the Opti, and Owen Kohut and Bo Strothman won the Melges 15. At the ILYA Championships, Owen Kohut and Ivar Eiseman won the X Senior Fleet and Sophie Niemann won the Opti regatta. LGYC youth sailors dominated the top positions all season. Our future looks very bright!



In 2015, Buddy Melges observes as a skilled team hoists LGYC's resident E-Scow into her second-floor perch. Built in 1981 by Melges Boat Works and the last of the Melges wooden E's, the boat was owned by John Farwell (*Lorelei* I-22), then shared with Ted Brennan. Later the Farwells turned ownership over to the Brennans, *Lorelei* became *Ineptune VIII* (I-77), and was sailed by Ted and Maudie and their son Fred. In 2014, Fred Brennan donated *Ineptune VIII* to the new facility. She was meticulously restored in Zenda and is much admired by the membership. Michael Moore photo

In March 2022, Harry Melges IV received the 2021 US Sailing Rolex Yachtsman of the Year Award. Our congratulations to him. His selection was based on his outstanding 2021 record, which included two Class E-Scow National Championships (2020 was sailed in 2021), his Open Division win in the Melges 24 Gold Cup Regatta, and the Class E ILYA title for which he later received the Pillsbury Memorial Cup. Harry follows three LGYC sailors who have been so honored: In 2013, the Rolex title went to Brian Porter; and before this award was sponsored by Rolex, Jane Pegel was named US Yachtswoman of the Year in 1964, 1971, and 1972; and Harry's grandfather, Buddy Melges, was US Yachtsman of the Year in 1961, 1972, and 1978. In May 2022 Harry Melges IV finished second in the Melges 24 World Championship in Fort Lauderdale.

In early November, Chapman Petersen, a freshman at Stanford University, won the Glen S. Foster Trophy for the Inter-Collegiate Sailing Association Men's Singlehanded National Championship. Chapman is the third LGYC sailor to win this trophy: Malcolm Lamphere won it in 2015 (Yale University) and Vincent Porter won it in 2003 (Harvard University). After training in Florida, Chapman sailed in two regattas there and qualified for the 2023 Pan American Games in Chile. Good luck and good sailing!

We include a new committee in our 2023 yearbook listings. Officially launched at a party at the club last August, the Sheridan Sailing Society is designed for young members (ages 21 to 40) who will foster a love of sailing among each other and the community at large, create connections between existing and prospective members, and build a strong future for the Lake Geneva Yacht Club. Co-chairs of the committee are Laura Vogel and Sarah Lyon.

Off the water, we had a mid-year change in our Food & Beverage management - Stephanie and Jenn stepped in allowing us to seamlessly transition amid a very demanding summer of activity. Zach and his team orchestrated a delicious dining experience which was reflected in sales and members enjoying the club. As always, Michael and Lindsay were on top of everything and somehow managed to keep all the balls in the air. We are fortunate to have such a terrific team!

With great appreciation and an enormous thank you, I would like to extend special praise to our volunteer members. Your willingness, enthusiasm, time and hard work helped make the ILYA Championship regatta and our entire year successful, enjoyable and entertaining. I would like to express special thanks to Rear Commodore Kristin Gannon for her skilled orchestration of our Inland Championship in August. As sailors well know, organizing the multiple onshore facets of this huge regatta is an enormous responsibility. Three cheers for Kristin for her coordinating skills and for performing her job so well.

Each year, we dedicate our yearbook to a member or occasion that deserves recognition. I am especially pleased to dedicate the 2023 yearbook to our E-Scow sailors — past and present — as the class celebrates the centennial of its wonderful boat. There are centennial E events scheduled throughout the summer, highlighted by the National Championships in September at Madison. Our salute to Class E appears on the inside front cover and in photographs throughout the yearbook.

We have much to look forward to in 2023, culminating in again hosting the ILYA Championship regatta and the Melges 24 US Nationals as well as continuing to plan for our sesquicentennial celebration in 2024. There is much to do for all these important events and many volunteers will be needed to ensure first-class experiences.

I wish you fast sailing and good fortune in 2023.

A stylized, handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'T Freytag'. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

T Freytag

Board of Directors and Committees

OFFICERS

Commodore
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Charles R. Lamphere
Kristin M. Gannon
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Raymond Wiltgen
John DeCarlo

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2023 Expiration

Jeffrey Germanotta
Josh LaCroix
Peter Wall

2024 Expiration

Kelly Hirn
John Kivlin
Ross Lyon

2025 Expiration

Laura Vogel
Jason Thompson
Kevin Alcock

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

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Julie Navin, John DeCarlo

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SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Chair: Kristen Freytag

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SHERIDAN SAILING SOCIETY

Co-Chairs: Laura Vogel and Sarah Lyon

Jaymie Youngquist, Gordon Lamphere, Lillian Grappe, Hannah Noll, Michael Lee, Jen Burke, Clare Marlin, Brogan Conell, Chris Ponsonby, Jamie Robinson

LONG RANGE PLANNING COMMITTEE

Co-Chairs: John D. Simms Jr., Thomas J. Larimer, Steven Lyon

SAFETY COMMITTEE

Chair: Rodney W. Rieger

Jeff Brassel

RACE COMMITTEE / PRINCIPAL RACE OFFICERS

Volunteers conduct all Yacht Club races and many regattas. Club members, spouses and their families are encouraged and welcome to participate in race management as members of the race committee. Instruction is offered at all levels from novice to race officer, through seminars on shore and practical experience on the water. For information on how to become involved, contact one of the race officers.

CHIEF RACE OFFICER

Kristin M. Gannon

ASSOCIATE CHIEF RACE OFFICER / EQUIPMENT

John J. Zils

ASSOCIATE CHIEF RACE OFFICER / RACE COMMITTEE

Donald C. Holst

RACE COMMITTEE

Chair: Kristin M. Gannon

JUDGES COMMITTEE

Chair: Kristin M. Gannon

CHIEF JUDGE

Rodney W. Rieger

JUDGES

F. Terrence Blanchard, John DeCarlo, T Freytag, Christopher J. Gannon, Charles R. Lamphere, Kyle Navin, Chapman Petersen, RJ Porter, Vincent Porter, Peter Wall, Paul Wood, John J. Zils

CHIEF SCORER

Lindsay Valasek

PRINCIPAL RACE OFFICERS

William G. Barrett Jr.	Peter King	Michael Sherin
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Charles Colman	Michael Lynch	Marek Valasek
T Freytag	Roger Lyon	John J. Zils
Christopher Gannon	Gerald Millsap	
Kristin Gannon	Julie Navin	
Jordan Gray	James Phillip Jr.	
Donald C. Holst	John Porter	
Christopher Impens	Rodney W. Rieger	

FLEET CAPTAIN

Steven J. Boho

FLEET REPRESENTATIVES

Class A	T Freytag
Class E	Kyle Navin
Class C	Matthew Sexton
Class MC	Edward Stassen
Melges 24	Steven J. Boho
Melges 15	Jordan Gray
Melges 14	Josh LaCroix
Class X	Peter Strothman
Optimist Class	Lindsay Valasek
Variety Fleet	Robert Winter
Power Fleet	John D. Simms Jr.

GENERAL PHILIP H. SHERIDAN PRIZE TRUSTEES

Michael K. Keefe, Charles R. Lamphere, T Freytag

AD HOC COMMITTEE

Sesquicentennial Committee

Chair: John DeCarlo, Retiring Commodore

In anticipation of the 150th anniversary of the Lake Geneva Yacht Club and the Sheridan Prize Race, members are assisting with the multiple aspects of the celebration. To date, these include a sesquicentennial regatta and its trophies, a logo and memorabilia, displays of historical materials and related text, and social activities throughout the year. Members wishing to volunteer should contact John DeCarlo.

2023 Fleet Information

A Fleet Representative: T Freytag

Tuesday PM

I-1	White Heat	Hans Melges
I-7	Mad Cap	T Freytag
I-12	G-Force	TW Whowell / RJ Porter
I-14	Crews Control	Michael / Patrick Lynch
I-18	Smiles	Bo Freytag
I-49	Full Throttle	Vincent Porter
I-55		Kevin Tomera
I-96	White Magic	Charles R. Lamphere
I-210	Hall Pass	Bill Kercher / Bob Schroeder
I-414	Red Sky	Paul Reilly
I-760	Proper Villains	Jim Carlson

E Fleet Representative: Kyle Navin

Wednesday PM & Sunday AM

I-0	Skeleton Krew	John Lyon
I-1	White Heat	Harry Melges IV
I-2	Wide Open	Vincent Porter
I-4	Tick	Peter Wall
I-5	Untamed	Paul Lyon
I-7	Fireball	T Freytag / Nathan Freytag
I-8	Ocho!	Thomas Larimer
I-9	Rooster	Grady Strothman
I-11	5 Star	Ryan Fitzgerald / Kyle Navin
I-13	Thumbs Up	Robert Youngquist
I-35	Jpower	Jared Plummer
I-49	Full Throttle	Brian Porter / RJ Porter
I-52	Double Black Diamond	Josh LaCroix
I-59	Tres Tores	Chris Impens / John Kiefer
I-66	Marvin	Eddie Cox
I-71	Black Point	Ken Wruk
I-85	OMG	Jordan / Oliver Gray
I-88	Cor Leonis	Steven Lyon

I-101	Wahoo 5	Scott Ripkey
I-333	Big Bad Wolf	Frank A. Davenport
I-888	No Excuses	Ross Lyon
I		Shaun Sherry

C Fleet Representative: Matthew Sexton

Friday PM & Saturday AM

I-3		Patrick Lynch
I-14	Tow Truck	Michael Lynch
I-20		Cindy Crannel
I-24	White Meat	William G. Barrett Jr.
I-25	All In	Chapman / James Petersen
I-30		Matthew Sexton
I-37		Daniel Phillips
I-44	Magic	Lindsay / Marek Valasek
I-45	Stormin	Andy Burdick
I-48	Purple Haze	John DeCarlo
I-66	Stinger	Gordon / Charles R. Lamphere
I-75		Dan Kraemer Family
I-90	C-Ya	Derek Morby
I-113	Springernaken	Erick / Jaymie Youngquist
I-420		Robert Clarke
I-787		Daniel Phillips
I-808	Carpe Diem	Tom Pomierski

MC Fleet Representative: Edward Stassen

Wednesday PM & Friday PM & Saturday AM

451	Neptra	Will Snyder
1457		Dan Callahan
1629	Happy III	Larry Happ
1717	Hawkeye	J.R. Galley
1779	Scherzo	Paul Wood
1825	Loose Cannon	David Gallagher
2042	The Good Guys	John Zils

2056	Magic 8 Ball	Marek / Lindsay Valasek
2195	Aura	Chuck Thiesenhusen
2222	Seeing Double	Jason Thompson
2232	Brass Tacks	Jeff Brassel
2245		Ken Koranda
2285	MC Dara	George Flaherty
2304	Fontana Blue	Tom Cubert
2341		Steve Hirn
2345	Smiling Lion	Steven / Thomas Lyon
2347	Diane	Hannah Noll
2351	Carpe Diem	Kai Suh-Pomierski
2366	Ripple	Hannah Ripkey
2449	Shibumi	Jim / Gwen Phillip
2507	'B'	Rodney W. Rieger
2509		John DeCarlo
2528	Bulldog	Matthew Faytle
2541	Cupcake	John Tucker
2568		Henry Rolander
2573		Erik Eiseman
2575	Bluejay	Jay Jones
2609	Hammer	Grady Strothman
2622		Sam De Simone
2623	Full Charge	Gregory Wilson
2656	Sunny Side Up	Charlie / Laura Vogel
2686		Kelly Hirn
2706	Picantito	William Plant
2714	The 300	Steven J. Boho
2745	Team 45	Andy / Finn Burdick
2808	Mea Culpa	Tom Pomierski
2822	Aries	Christopher Gannon
2838	Gennesaret	Edward Stassen
2839		Tom / Victor Larimer
2855		Eddie Cox

Melges 24 Class - Fleet Representative: Steven J. Boho

Thursday & Friday PM

312	Shockwave	Steven J. / Cathy Boho
359	Mandare	Danny Crist
443	Clean Break	Roger Lyon
495	Blast	John Kivlin / William G. Barrett Jr.
603	Wicked Feet	T Freytag
616	Hocus Pocus	Kevin Alcock
685	Entente	Charles R. Lamphere
736	Guten Tag	Donald C. Holst
789	Express Lane	Frank A. Davenport
818	Chaos 24/7	John D. Simms Jr.
849	Full Throttle	Brian / RJ Porter
866	Zenda Express	Harry Melges IV

Melges 14 - Fleet Representative: Josh LaCroix

Monday PM & Wednesday AM

8	Ooocho	Victor Larimer
25	All In	Chapman Petersen
30		Matthew Sexton
34	Sweetness	Blake Deger
35	Jpower	Jack Plummer
45	Blue Lightning	Finn / Andy Burdick
52	Double Black	Josh LaCroix
65		Liam Gerard
75		Helen / William Kraemer
77		Kai Suh-Pomierski
123		Katie / Ryan Matustik
566	The Send Boys	Owen Szafran
568	Drum	Carson Hillier
584		Adler Johnston
611		Lukas / Marek Valasek
644		Erik Eiseman
658		Amelia Sexton

662		Dave Burrough
684	Here And Now	Jordan / Oliver Gray
712	Spediamo	Chloe Reger
759		Kevin Alcock
762		Charlie Krug
		Leigh Otzen

Melges 15 - Fleet Representative: Jordan Gray

Thursday PM & Saturday AM

8	Ocho !	Victor Larimer
9		Grady Strothman
30		Matthew Sexton
52		Josh LaCroix
65		Liam / Mark Gerard
72		Owen Kohut
85	Grizzly	Oliver / Jordan Gray
133		Lyon
148		Kevin Alcock
183		Lyon Family
184		Ross Lyon
318		Nancy Ewing / Chloe Reger
334		John / Chris Hummel
354		Erik Eiseman
420		Charlie Krug
808	Shake 'n Bake	Kai Suh-Pomierski
		Freytag Family

Class X - Fleet Representative: Peter Strothman

Wednesday & Monday PM

I-9	Hammer	Grady Strothman
I-14	Chevy	John Lynch
I-15	Chevrolette	Liddy Lynch
I-30	Screamin' Mimi	Amelia Sexton

I-33	Skeleton Crew	Eddie Lyon
I-35	Jpower	Jack Plummer
I-44	Magic Trix	Lukas Valasek
I-50		Adler Johnston
I-54		Colton Hibbard
I-70		Chloe Taylor
I-72	Send It	Owen Kohut
I-85	Chunky Monkey	Oliver Gray
I-86	Xtreme Sister Power	Sophie / Tilly Niemann
I-123	Respect	Finn Pecht

Optimist Class - Fleet Representative: Lindsay Valasek

Wednesday AM

3609	Bail Out	Edward Lyon
11127	Adi Punch	Adi LaCroix
14416	Jpower	Jack Plummer
14621		Sienna Hibbard
15413		Colton Hibbard
17949	Narwhal	Elle Strothman
19773	Borito	Bo Strothman
20730	GLK	Chase Swanson
21444	Magic Puff	Michael Valasek
21861		Chloe Taylor
22087		Slate Eiseman
22411		Tilly Niemann
22954		Tripp Chambers
23235		Iver Eiseman
23556	Freedom	Briggs Otzen

2022 Awards and Trophies

SPECIAL AWARDS

Aunty Jo Perpetual Trophy
To the skipper who wins the most races in the Championship Series in his or her class, within specific guidelines

Brian Porter, Class E

Marie Kramp Award
To recognize outstanding service
Kristin Gannon

Dr. and Mrs. Will F. Lyon Award
To recognize outstanding race committee service
Lindsay Valasek

Sherman Trophy
To recognize outstanding dedication, service, and loyalty to the Lake Geneva Yacht Club
Edward A. Cox III

Max E. Sherman Trophy
To the skipper over fifty years of age, in any fleet, who wins the most races in the combined series in that fleet
Steven J. Boho, Melges 24

Chatterbox Trophy
To the member or members whose powerboat is selected as the best entry in the LGYC Annual Wooden Boat Show
The Lyon Family, *Denebola*,
1927 Motor Launch
Great Lakes Boat Company
Milwaukee Yard, repowered with a Yanmar six-cylinder diesel engine

CLASS A

Sheridan Prize
Charles R. Lamphere

Series A Championship
Fred G. Hartwell Memorial Trophy
Vincent Porter

Series A Championship
Schloemer Trophy
First Owner/Skipper
Vincent Porter

H. H. Porter Memorial Trophy
Vincent Porter

Charles H. Wacker Trophy
T Freytag

Dr. Otto L. Schmidt Memorial Trophy
Paul Reilly

Spring Series Championship
Charles R. Lamphere

Fall Series Perpetual Trophy
No Series

Commodore's Challenge Cup
Hans Melges and Kyle Navin

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Gifford Trophy
No Races

Mayer-Gifford Trophy
Paul Reilly

Oak Lodge Trophy
T Freytag

Gloria Trophy
Hans Melges

Hillcrest Perpetual Trophy
Vincent Porter

I-4 Model Trophy
Vincent Porter

CLASS E

Series A Championship

Commodore Gordon Bartels Trophy

Brian Porter

Series B Championship

Dirigo Cup

Kyle Navin

Spring Series Championship

No Races

Fall Series Championship

Farwell Trophy

Steven Lyon

Bruce P. Adams Post-Season Trophy

Frank Davenport

Harry Hayner Bliss Memorial Trophy

Kyle Navin

Walter M. Colman Perpetual Trophy

Brian Porter

The Expert Challenge Cup

Josh LaCroix

Folly Prize

No Race

Frozen Asset Perpetual Trophy

Kyle Navin

A. F. Gartz Jr. Memorial Trophy

Brian Porter

H. R. Hough Trophy

Brian Porter

M. A. and H. L. Kirchschrager Perpetual Trophy

Brian Porter

Millard “Bus” Mogg Memorial Trophy

Harry Melges IV

Conrad E. Niehoff Perpetual Trophy

Brian Porter

Clarence W. Sills Trophy

Kyle Navin

Melvyn C. Spence Jr. Memorial Trophy

No Race

CLASS C

Series A Championship

Barbara Wakeley Perpetual Trophy

Gordon Lamphere

Series A Championship

First Place Crew

Barbara Bishop Trophy

Lillian Lamphere

Series A Second Place

Whitewing Trophy

Marek Valasek

Series A Third Place

Black Point – Petersen Trophy

Chapman and James Petersen

Series A Fourth Place

Adams Trophy

Matthew Sexton

Series A Fifth Place

E. P. Ellwood Trophy

William G. Barrett Jr.

Series A Best Skipper

over fifty years of age

William H. Freytag Novelty Trophy

William G. Barrett Jr.

Series B Championship

The Crest of the Wave Prize

Chapman and James Petersen

Spring Championship Series

Charles R. and Gordon Lamphere

Fall Championship Series

Rozinante Perpetual Trophy

No Series

Cameron Trophy

Marek Valasek

Cuppy Cup

No Race

Jesse E. Hall Trophy

Gordon Lamphere

Mr. and Mrs. C. Stanley Johnson**Perpetual Trophy**

No Race

Stan Johnson Jr. Memorial Trophy

No Race

L. Z. Leiter Trophy

Matthew Sexton

John J. Mitchell Trophy

Marek Valasek

Dick Novotny Perpetual Trophy

Gordon Lamphere

The Pike I-3 Trophy

Marek Valasek

Pikewood Trophy

Gordon Lamphere

Martin A. Ryerson Trophy

Matthew Sexton

Ronald E. Nelson Memorial Trophy

Gordon Lamphere

Warhawk Trophy

Chapman Petersen

Bertha Williams Memorial Trophy

No Race

CLASS MC**Series A Championship****Chalice Cup**

Jason Thompson

Series B Championship**D. K. Baxter Trophy**

Marek Valasek

Series C Championship**J. R. Galley Trophy**

Jason Thompson

Spring Series Championship**Dr. Michael F. Gannon Trophy**

Chuck Thiesenhusen

Fall Series Championship**Chuck Nichols Memorial Trophy**

Chuck Thiesenhusen

Carlson Trophy

James Phillip

Charles and Margaret Huck Trophy

Tom Pomierski

Norm Lovendahl Trophy

Jason Thompson

Marra Trophy

No Race

MC Masters Trophy

Jason Thompson

Morrissy Trophy

Charlie Vogel

Mulholland Trophy

James Phillip

Sea Hawk Trophy

Charlie Vogel

Soar with the Eagles Trophy

Jason Thompson

Stay-at-Home Trophy

No Races

MELGES 24 CLASS**Series A Championship****Simms Chaos Trophy**

Steven J. Boho

Series B Championship**Lady Catherine Trophy**

Steven J. Boho

Spring Series Championship

Frank Davenport

Fall Series Championship

Holst Cup

Steven J. Boho

Robert G. Ferris Memorial Race

Charles R. Lamphere

Commodore Hough Trophy

Charles R. Lamphere

George H. Kiefer Perpetual Trophy

Steven J. Boho

Mogg Trophy

Harry Melges IV

Mega M-20 Crew Trophy

Steven J. Boho

Class V Series B Championship Trophy

Steven J. Boho

MELGES 15 CLASS

Series A Championship

Harry A. Ripkey Championship Trophy

Owen Kohut

Series B

Owen Kohut

Fall Series

Kyle Navin

MELGES 14 CLASS

Series A Championship

Melges 14 Season Championship Trophy

Matthew Sexton

Series B Championship

Ronald P. Frankel Memorial Trophy

No Series

Youth Championship Series

Frank / Pegel Trophy

Victor Larimer

CLASS X

Series A Championship

Ernst C. Schmidt Perpetual Trophy

Owen Kohut

Series A Championship

First-Place Crew

Mike and Mark Childers Trophy

Ivar Eiseman

Series A Highest-Ranking

First-Year Skipper

Grunschel Trophy

Colton Hibbard

Series A Highest-Ranking Siblings

Checkmate Perpetual Trophy

Grady and Bo Strothman

Series A Top Girl Skipper

Mrs. Otto L. Schmidt Memorial Trophy

Sophie Niemann

Series B Championship

Owen Kohut

Series C Championship

No Series

John and Charles Anderson Trophy

Sophie Niemann

Black Point Perpetual Trophy

Owen Kohut

Blake Burton Parent Trophy

No Race

Coyote Cup

No Race

Jennette P. Fiedler Memorial Trophy

Colton Hibbard

William H. Freytag Perpetual Trophy

No Race

Bruce E. Johnson Perpetual Trophy

No Race

Edith Hodge Trophy

Owen Kohut

Hollister Perpetual Trophy

No Race

Harry J. Leahy Memorial Trophy

No Race

Top LGYC Boat, ILYA Class X**Championship****Lolly Pike Trophy**

Owen Kohut

Mr. and Mrs. James K. Lund**Perpetual Trophy**

No Race

Carol Osuhowski Perpetual Trophy

Owen Kohut

**Jeff Perrigo Perpetual Skipper
Trophy**

Finn Burdick

Sandy Perrigo Perpetual Crew**Trophy**

Adi LaCroix

Scott Perrigo Perpetual Trophy

Owen Kohut

Todd Perrigo Perpetual Trophy

No Race

Jane Wiswell Perpetual Trophy

Owen Kohut

OPTIMIST CLASS**Series A Championship****Robert J. Porter Memorial Trophy**

Jack Plummer

Series B Championship

No Series

Series A Highest-Ranking Girl**Angeline and Joan Johnson Trophy**

Tillie Niemann

Series A Day One First Place**Jane Pegel LGYC 1994 Class M****Championship Trophy**

Sophie Niemann

Series A Day Two First Place**Jane Pegel LGYC 1989 Class M****Championship Trophy**

Sophie Niemann

Series B Day One First Place**Jane Pegel 1972 Class M****Championship Trophy**

No Race

Series B Day Two First Place**Jane Pegel 1989 Class M****Championship Trophy**

No Race

WOMEN ON THE WATER**Wakewood Trophy**

Anne Brunk-Peterson

Williams Bowl

No Series

**GENEVA LAKE
SAILING SCHOOL****Simms Family Service Trophy****For exceptional service to****GLSS and its ideals**

Michael Belsley

Class X Skipper of the Year**William H. Freytag****Memorial Trophy**

Owen Kohut

Class X Crew of the Year**George M. Happ Memorial Trophy**

Ivar Eiseman

GLSS Optimist Invitational Regatta**Labanauskas Cup**

Tilly Niemann

Intra-School Regatta Opti**Labanauskas Trophy**

No Regatta

**Intra-School Regatta Class X
Shypoke Trophy**
No Regatta

Sherin Optimist Skipper of the Year
Sophie Niemann

**Class X Invitational Regatta
Water Witch Trophy,
Ernst C. Schmidt Memorial Trophy**
Finn Burdick

Perpetual Spirit Award
Finn Burdick

Andy Burdick won the MC ILYA Invitational Regatta at White Bear Yacht Club. The base of the trophy was made from wood salvaged from the old Johnson Boat Works.

Below, Vincent Porter and crew Hannah Noll, Chapman Petersen, and Tony Jewett won the 2022 Class E National Championship. Vincent also won the 2022 Class A National title. Rachel Bartel photo



2022 REGATTA WINNERS

ILYA Annual Championship, Class A

Bo Freytag

ILYA Class X Senior Championship

Owen Kohut

ILYA Optimist Dinghy RWB Championship

Sophie Niemann

ILYA MC Invitational Regatta

Andy Burdick, First Overall and
Masters Championship

ILYA E Scow Invitational Regatta

Eddie Cox

Inter-Collegiate Sailing Association Men's Singlehanded National Championship

Chapman Petersen

National Class A Scow Association Annual Championship

Vincent Porter

National Class E Scow Association National Championship

Vincent Porter

E Scow Invitational Regatta

Eddie Cox

MC Spring Tune-Up

Andy Burdick

Helly Hansen Sailing World Regatta Series, St Petersburg Steven J. Boho, Melges 24 Fleet

Spring E Scow Invitational Regatta Kyle Navin

E Scow Blue Chip RJ Porter

Melges 15 Winter Series Championship

Eddie Cox, First Overall,
Eddie Cox, Series 1 and 2
Harry Melges IV, Series 3,
Midwinter Championship

MC Midwinter Championship Marek Valasek

Melges 24 Bacardi Invitational Winter Series Corinthian Division Charles R. Lamphere

Melges 24 Class National Championship Brian Porter

GLSS Dinghyfest Finn Burdick, Class X Tilly Niemann, Optimist Owen Kohut, Melges 15

Lake Beulah Sailing School Regatta Chase Swanson, Optimist Green Fleet Tilly Niemann, Optimist RWB Fleet



Volunteers at the Lake Geneva YC registration desk at the 2022 Inland Lake Yachting Association Annual Championship. Lake Geneva will host the 2023 championship in August. Julie Navin photo

Membership Seniority

#	Member	Joined	Category
1	Harry C. Melges Jr.	1951	Senior
2	John R. Galley	1962	Senior
3	Gerald Schloemer	1964	Senior
4	Ron Schloemer	1965	Senior
5	Kent W. Shodeen	1968	Senior
6	Kirk H. Kreutzig	1969	Senior
7	Ulla E. Brunk	1971	Senior
8	James A. Smith	1973	Senior
9	Michael K. Keefe	1974	Senior
10	W. J. Goes	1975	Senior
11	Edward R. Schwinn Jr.	1975	Senior
12	Wesley E. Lindberg	1975	Senior
13	Laurie Gray Morrissy	1975	Senior
14	Gerald W. Millsap	1976	Senior
15	Charles L. Colman	1977	Senior
16	Mrs. Dean (Lois Jo) Griffith	1977	Senior
17	David Gallagher	1979	Senior
18	John T. Porter	1980	Senior
19	Holger H. Vogel	1980	Senior
20	Karl G. Otzen	1981	Senior
21	John DeCarlo, MD	1982	Senior
22	Brian Porter	1984	Regular
23	Frank A. Davenport	1984	Senior
24	Rodney W. Rieger, MD	1985	Senior
25	Daniel C. Ferguson	1985	Senior
26	James R. Phillip Jr.	1985	Senior
27	James A. Kirchschrager	1986	Senior
28	Connie Blomquist	1985	Senior
29	Marie G. Kropp-Smothers	1986	Senior
30	Arthur G. Larson Jr.	1987	Regular
31	Dr. Robert R. Youngquist	1988	Senior
32	Jeffrey C. Neal	1989	Senior
33	John J. Zils	1989	Senior

34	Barbara Philipps	1992	Senior
35	William R. Rolander Jr.	1989	Regular
36	Wayne Huerth	1991	Regular
37	Donald C. Holst, DVM	1995	Senior
38	Tim Doran	1996	Senior
39	Tony Trajkovich	1996	Regular
40	Christopher J. Impens	1996	Regular
41	Sara E. Burton Zick	1985	Regular
42	Harry Melges III	1990	Regular
43	Hans E. Melges	1992	Regular
44	Peter B. King	1987	Senior
45	Steven Lyon	1998	Regular
46	Ellen Bentsen	1998	Senior
47	William G. Barrett Jr.	1998	Regular
48	Scott H. Ripkey	1979	Regular
49	Charles A. Lemond	1999	Regular
50	Peter Wall	1991	Regular
51	Paul Wood	2000	Regular
52	Ronald Sheppard	2000	Regular
53	Steven G. Glasgow	2000	Regular
54	David Muskat	2000	Regular
55	David J. Navin	1991	Regular
56	Kurt Ripkey	1996	Regular
57	John D. Simms Jr.	2001	Regular
58	James F. Davis	2001	Regular
59	F. Terrence Blanchard	2001	Regular
60	Ken Wruk	2001	Regular
61	Craig Tomera	2001	Regular
62	Charles R. Lamphere	2001	Regular
63	Andy Burdick	1991	Regular
64	John Rolander	2002	Regular
65	T Freytag	1996	Regular
66	Martin O'Connor	2003	Regular
67	John Kivlin	2003	Regular
68	Donald Sheldon	2003	Regular

69	James C. Petersen	1996	Regular
70	Michael Gannon	2003	Regular
71	Christopher J. Gannon	2003	Regular
72	William B. Gage	2003	Regular
73	Michael Lynch	1995	Regular
74	Thomas Larimer	1994	Regular
75	Patricia Forbeck	2004	Regular
76	Douglas C. Perks	2004	Regular
77	Roger Lyon	2004	Regular
78	Stephen Hirn	2003	Regular
79	Ken Koranda	2005	Regular
80	Robert Rowe	2005	Regular
81	Jeff Brassel	2005	Regular
82	Ryan Fitzgerald	1998	Regular
83	Steven P. Schwefel	2006	Regular
84	Bradley Bell	2006	Regular
85	John Kiefer	2006	Regular
86	Steven J. Boho	2006	Regular
87	Michael Hirn	2001	Regular
88	Mark W. Jordan	2007	Non-Resident
89	Jay Jones	2007	Regular
90	Daniel E. Davies	2007	Regular
91	Bill Binn	2008	Regular
92	Mary Lahey	2008	Regular
93	Tom G. Whowell	2008	Regular
94	Jordan Gray	2009	Regular
95	Peter Strothman	2010	Regular
96	David W. Stout	2010	Regular
97	F. J. Frazier	2010	Regular
98	John Plummer	2010	Regular
99	James W. Purcell	2006	Regular
100	Catherine J. Hollister	2011	Regular
101	Thomas Pomierski	2011	Regular
102	Michael Belsley	2009	Regular
103	Dean L. Buntrock	2012	Regular

104	Edward Stassen	2012	Regular
105	Jay Wittenstrom	1993	Regular
106	James V. Riley	1978	Senior
107	Kevin Alcock	2013	Regular
108	Tom Nickols	2008	Regular
109	Erick Youngquist	2010	Regular
110	Paul Lyon	2014	Regular
111	Herbert A. Pecht III	2014	Regular
112	Anne Roberts Huerth	2014	Regular
113	Wendy Fisher	2014	Regular
114	Jim Brost	2014	Regular
115	John Lyon	2014	Regular
116	Patrick Lynch	2014	Regular
117	Jim Carlson	2014	Regular
118	Raymond Wiltgen	2014	Regular
119	Thomas Sitron	2014	Regular
120	Howard Pulsifer	2014	Non-Resident
121	William Plant	2014	Regular
122	Danny Crist	2014	Regular
123	William Snyder	2015	Regular
124	George Beukema	2015	Senior
125	Greg Baird	2015	Regular
126	Samuel Eddins	2015	Regular
127	Peter Mueller	2013	Regular
128	Tim Fischer	2015	Regular
129	Robert Glavin	2015	Regular
130	William C. Mitchell Jr.	2015	Regular
131	John Matustik	2015	Regular
132	Martha Cucco	2016	Regular
133	Mark Gerard	2016	Regular
134	Cindy Crannell	2016	Regular
135	Jeff Liljeberg	2016	Regular
136	George Flaherty	2016	Regular
137	Jeffrey Germanotta	2016	Regular
138	TW Whowell	2016	Regular

139	Ernie Hirn	2016	Regular
140	Robert J. Gee	2016	Regular
141	Elizabeth Quadracci Harned	2016	Regular
142	John Tucker	2016	Regular
143	Chuck Thiesenhusen	2016	Regular
144	Andrew Szafran	2016	Regular
145	Derek J. Morby	2016	Regular
146	Chris Randazzo	2016	Regular
147	Anne E. Brunk-Peterson	2016	Regular
148	Murray S. Peretz	2016	Regular
149	Charles T. Wegner IV	2016	Regular
150	Craig Shodeen	2016	Regular
151	Vincent Porter	2011	Regular
152	Audrey Klein-Deger	2015	Regular
153	Marek Valasek	2017	Regular
154	William Sexton	2017	Regular
155	Mark Oglesby	2017	Regular
156	Tim Heine	2017	Regular
157	Josh LaCroix	2017	Regular
158	Leigh W. Otzen	2017	Regular
159	William Huck	2017	Senior
160	Peter Provenzano	2017	Regular
161	Wes Whitmyer Jr.	2017	Regular
162	Erik Eiseman	2017	Regular
163	Patrick G. Ryan	2017	Regular
164	Kevin M. Tomera	2018	Regular
165	David Burrough	2018	Regular
166	Kit Stricker	2018	Regular
167	Edward A. Cox III	2015	Regular
168	Thomas Radtke	2015	Regular
169	Stephanie Bragg	2018	Regular
170	Jeff Johnson	2018	Regular
171	Joe Barber	2018	Regular
172	Julie Stenslie	2018	Regular
173	Clare C. Marlin	2012	Regular

174	Jaymie Youngquist	2015	Regular
175	Nathan Quist	2016	Regular
176	Larry Happ	2016	Regular
177	Greg Hamilton	2019	Regular
178	Charles Andrew Fritz IV	2019	Regular
179	Linda Tonge	2019	Regular
180	Ned Zeman	2019	Regular
181	Jeff Doubek	2019	Regular
182	Mark Bulovic	2019	Regular
183	Allen Wolf	2019	Regular
184	Erika Parise	2020	Regular
185	Thomas Cubert	2019	Regular
186	Daniel Callahan	2016	Regular
187	Dr. Ross Lyon	2014	Regular
188	Jason Thompson	2020	Regular
189	Catherine Tank	2020	Regular
190	Dan Kraemer	2017	Regular
191	Paul Reilly	2020	Regular
192	Matt Kohut	2021	Regular
193	Robert Clarke	2021	Regular
194	Brian “Bri” Porter	2019	Regular
195	Gregory Wilson	2021	Regular
196	Derek Klein	2021	Regular
197	Matthew Faytle	2021	Regular
198	William Kercher	2021	Regular
199	Robert Schroeder	2021	Regular
200	Laura Vogel	2019	Regular
201	Shirley Scholtz	1996	Regular
202	Ben Johnston	2022	Regular
203	Nancy Ewing	2022	Regular
204	Daniel Phillips	2022	Regular
205	Dan Keck	2022	Regular
206	John Hummel	2022	Regular
207	Shaun Sherry	2022	Regular
208	Christopher Shannon	2022	Regular

209	Gordon Lamphere	2018	Regular
210	Clifford Porter	2019	Regular
403	Jacob Zils	2016	Junior
404	Ava Novak	2016	Junior
405	Jack W. Stenander	2018	Junior
406	Alex Mueller	2018	Junior
407	Grayden Mott	2018	Junior
408	Isabelle Rietz	2018	Junior
409	Adler Johnston	2018	Junior
410	Colton Hibbard	2019	Junior
411	Kaylen Kaczmarek	2019	Junior
412	Jack Baldwin	2020	Junior
413	Avery Baldwin	2020	Junior
414	Cate Baldwin	2020	Junior
415	Nissana Berman	2020	Junior
416	Anne Samis	2020	Junior
417	Sophie Niemann	2020	Junior
418	Tilly Niemann	2020	Junior
419	Rick Lyons	2020	Junior
420	Quinn Claffy	2020	Junior
421	Edward “Eddie” Lyon	2021	Junior
422	Chloe Taylor	2021	Junior
423	Tripp Chambers	2022	Junior
424	Chase Swanson	2022	Junior
425	Sienna Hibbard	2022	Junior
426	Russell Fortuna	2022	Junior
427	Matthew Schloemer	2022	Junior
428	Spencer Hahn	2022	Junior
429	Joey Deutsch	2022	Junior
475	Sarah Lyon	2001	Intermediate
476	Zac Lewinski	2016	Intermediate
477	Edward T. Cox VI	2017	Intermediate
478	Jack Lakowske	2013	Intermediate
479	Hannah Noll	2018	Intermediate
480	William F. Barrett	2019	Intermediate

481	RJ Porter	2019	Intermediate
482	Christopher Ponsonby	2019	Intermediate
483	Matt Ripkey	2019	Intermediate
484	Hannah Ripkey	2019	Intermediate
485	Lindsay Neilson	2019	Intermediate
486	Brogan V. Conell	2020	Intermediate
487	Sean Kivlin	2020	Intermediate
488	Charles Vogel	2020	Intermediate
489	Ross Whitlock	2020	Intermediate
490	Dylan Freytag	2021	Intermediate
491	Nathan Freytag	2021	Intermediate
492	Michael Simms	2021	Intermediate
493	Michael Lee	2021	Intermediate
494	Gabriella Jones	2021	Intermediate
495	Maggie Kivlin	2021	Intermediate
496	Stuart Henry	2019	Intermediate
497	Cameron Desnoes	2012	Intermediate
498	Christopher Hummel	2016	Intermediate
499	Duncan Lamphere	2022	Intermediate
500	Kathryn Rowe	2022	Intermediate
501	Kelly Peterson	2022	Intermediate
502	Parker Michel	2022	Intermediate
601	Mrs. William B. (Maggie) Gage Sr.	1978	Honorary Life
602	Mrs. Theodore (Pat) Francis	1980	Honorary Life
603	Mrs. Elizabeth (Bink) Nelson	1975	Honorary Life
604	Martin W. Ford	1970	Honorary Service
605	William H. Sills III	1962	Honorary Life
606	Beverly Kummer	1959	Honorary Life
607	Helen Sherry	1992	Honorary Service
608	Thomas L. Schmidt	1975	Honorary Service
609	Robert G. Winter	1970	Honorary Service
610	Jane Pegel	1955	Honorary Life
611	Mrs. William H. (Christy) Pope	1967	Honorary Life
612	Mrs. William H. (Joan) Freytag	1964	Honorary Life
613	David B. Williams	1976	Honorary Service

614	Michael Sherin	1984	Honorary Service
615	Daniel F. Barker	1996	Honorary Service
701	Robert Chanson	2000	Associate
702	Sylvia Navin	2005	Associate
703	Dawn Marie Mancuso Licht	2005	Associate
704	Robert Tschurtz	2006	Associate
705	Brian Jahns	2007	Associate
706	Joseph A. Hays	2007	Associate
707	Andrew J. Kubicko Jr.	2007	Associate
708	Rick Vondersitt	2008	Associate
709	Dale Gustafson	2010	Associate
710	Tom Stuhley	2010	Associate
711	Terry Daniels	2011	Associate
712	Sidney “Skip” Bliss	2011	Associate
713	James Maher	2011	Associate
714	Charles Marlas	2011	Associate
715	Jay Hicks	2008	Associate
716	John Cara	2011	Associate
717	Pat Frazier	2012	Associate
718	David Brown	2011	Associate
719	Robert Clow Jr.	2008	Associate
720	Dennis Kellar	2012	Associate
721	Alan Bosworth	2013	Associate
722	Sharon Larson	2013	Associate
723	Charles Mudd Jr.	2014	Associate
724	Ruth Parsons	2014	Associate
725	Ann Drury	2014	Associate
726	Mary Beth Gray	2014	Associate
727	Betsy Hamlin	2014	Associate
728	Robert Zeman	2014	Associate
729	Liz Lombardo Stark	2014	Associate
730	John A. Doubek	2015	Associate
731	Jeffrey Parkhill	2015	Associate
732	William Grunow III	2015	Associate
733	Jacob Chanson	2015	Associate

734	Tyler Daniels	2015	Associate
735	Kevin D'Aprile	2015	Associate
736	Thomas Keefe	2015	Associate
737	Bradley Fideler	2015	Associate
738	Aaron Roth	2015	Associate
739	Todd Mintz	2015	Associate
740	Dan Pecora	2015	Associate
741	Steve Pope	2015	Associate
742	David Anderson	2015	Associate
743	Charles Johnston	2015	Associate
744	Brent Brodeski	2015	Associate
745	Richard C. Crandall Jr.	2015	Associate
746	Alec Gizzi	2015	Associate
747	William L. Prester	2015	Associate
748	Tom Dine	2016	Associate
749	Jo Strobel	2016	Associate
750	Tony Fiscelli	2016	Associate
751	Eileen Fleer	2016	Associate
752	John D. Cobb	2016	Associate
753	Daniel Schuld	2016	Associate
754	Mary Kay Frazier	2016	Associate
755	Gary Neilson	2016	Associate
756	Joseph A. Lanzito	2016	Associate
757	Janis Hartley	2016	Associate
758	Marc Lifshin	2016	Associate
759	Ernst A. Cornielsen	2016	Associate
760	Robert M. Ahern	2016	Associate
761	Jodi Boudart	2016	Associate
762	Martin Pankau	2016	Associate
763	Ann Callison	2016	Associate
764	Cheri Brost	2015	Associate
765	Grace Hanny	2016	Associate
766	Michael (Mac) Corey	2016	Associate
767	Frank Catalano	2016	Associate
768	Dana Conroy	2016	Associate

769	Michael Lazzaroni	2016	Associate
770	Mark Carani	2017	Associate
771	Roger L. O'Neill	2017	Associate
772	Leanne M. Sanders	2017	Associate
773	Dave Fiedler	2017	Associate
774	Peter V. Krug	2017	Associate
775	Peter Bulgarelli	2017	Associate
776	Greg Trapani	2017	Associate
777	Todd Lentz	2017	Associate
778	Joan Stafslie	2017	Associate
779	Alan Heine	2017	Associate
780	Michael Goetsch	2017	Associate
781	John Johnston	2017	Associate
782	Laureen Cassidy	2017	Associate
783	William Ring	2017	Associate
784	Marquerite Compton	2018	Associate
785	David Parkhill	2018	Associate
786	Martin Hogan	2018	Associate
787	Nick Kallergis	2018	Associate
788	Keith Pozulp	2018	Associate
789	Tom Bachmann	2018	Associate
790	Sam De Simone	2018	Associate
791	Tina Trahan	2018	Associate
792	John Humphrey	2018	Associate
793	Julie Johnston	2018	Associate
794	Scott Lyons	2019	Associate
795	John Engerman	2019	Associate
796	Steve Beers	2019	Associate
797	Paul Clausius	2019	Associate
798	Gina Marie Ross	2019	Associate
799	Alastair Cumming	2019	Associate
800	Honey Skinner	2019	Associate
801	John Hamilton	2019	Associate
802	Gregory Brown	2020	Associate
803	Jeffrey Mulder	2020	Associate

804	Jamie Collins	2020	Associate
805	Jes Christensen	2020	Associate
806	Brian Stearns	2020	Associate
807	Linda Sandor	2020	Associate
808	Daniel Hodgman	2021	Associate
809	David Donnersberger MD	2021	Associate
810	Tyler Knudsvig	2021	Associate
811	Ryan Hurley	2021	Associate
812	Archibald Loch	2021	Associate
813	Melva Breitenstein	2021	Associate
814	Penny McGrail	2021	Associate
815	Christopher Hill	2021	Associate
816	Richard Gulliver	2021	Associate
817	Albert MacDonald	2021	Associate
818	Jon Abrahamovich	2022	Associate
819	Paul Marishkanish	2022	Associate
820	Kris Larsen	2022	Associate
821	Patricia A. Borg	2022	Associate
822	Kenneth Schooley	2022	Associate
823	Cindy Milojevic	2022	Associate
824	Todd Heine	2022	Associate
825	Garth Chambers	2022	Associate
826	Edward O'Reilly	2022	Associate



X-Boats racing in the GLSS Dinghyfest. Michael Moore photo

Membership Alphabetical

#	Member	Joined	Category
818	Jon Abrahamovich	2022	Associate
760	Robert M. Ahern	2016	Associate
107	Kevin Alcock	2013	Regular
742	David Anderson	2015	Associate
789	Tom Bachmann	2018	Associate
125	Greg Baird	2015	Regular
413	Avery Baldwin	2020	Junior
414	Cate Baldwin	2020	Junior
412	Jack Baldwin	2020	Junior
171	Joe Barber	2018	Regular
615	Daniel F. Barker	1996	Honorary Service
480	William F. Barrett	2019	Intermediate
47	William G. Barrett Jr.	1998	Regular
796	Steve Beers	2019	Associate
84	Bradley Bell	2006	Regular
102	Michael Belsley	2009	Regular
46	Ellen Bentsen	1998	Senior
415	Nissana Berman	2020	Junior
124	George Beukema	2015	Senior
91	Bill Binn	2008	Regular
59	F. Terrence Blanchard	2001	Regular
712	Sidney “Skip” Bliss	2011	Associate
28	Connie Blomquist	1985	Senior
86	Steven J. Boho	2006	Regular
821	Patricia A. Borg	2022	Associate
721	Alan Bosworth	2013	Associate
761	Jodi Boudart	2016	Associate
169	Stephanie Bragg	2018	Regular
81	Jeff Brassel	2005	Regular
813	Melva Breitenstein	2021	Associate
744	Brent Brodeski	2015	Associate
764	Cheri Brost	2015	Associate
114	Jim Brost	2014	Regular

718	David Brown	2011	Associate
802	Gregory Brown	2020	Associate
7	Ulla E. Brunk	1971	Senior
147	Anne E. Brunk-Peterson	2016	Regular
775	Peter Bulgarelli	2017	Associate
182	Mark Bulovic	2019	Regular
103	Dean L. Buntrock	2012	Regular
63	Andy Burdick	1991	Regular
165	David Burrough	2018	Regular
186	Daniel Callahan	2016	Regular
763	Ann Callison	2016	Associate
716	John Cara	2011	Associate
770	Mark Carani	2017	Associate
117	Jim Carlson	2014	Regular
782	Laureen Cassidy	2017	Associate
767	Frank Catalano	2016	Associate
825	Garth Chambers	2022	Associate
423	Tripp Chambers	2022	Junior
733	Jacob Chanson	2015	Associate
701	Robert Chanson	2000	Associate
805	Jes Christensen	2020	Associate
420	Quinn Claffy	2020	Junior
193	Robert Clarke	2021	Regular
797	Paul Clausius	2019	Associate
719	Robert Clow Jr.	2008	Associate
752	John D. Cobb	2016	Associate
804	Jamie Collins	2020	Associate
15	Charles L. Colman	1977	Senior
784	Marquerite Compton	2018	Associate
486	Brogan V. Conell	2020	Intermediate
768	Dana Conroy	2016	Associate
766	Michael (Mac) Corey	2016	Associate
759	Ernst A. Cornielsen	2016	Associate
167	Edward A. Cox III	2015	Regular
477	Edward T. Cox VI	2017	Intermediate
745	Richard C. Crandall Jr.	2015	Associate

134	Cindy Crannell	2016	Regular
122	Danny Crist	2014	Regular
185	Thomas Cubert	2019	Regular
132	Martha Cucco	2016	Regular
799	Alastair Cumming	2019	Associate
711	Terry Daniels	2011	Associate
734	Tyler Daniels	2015	Associate
735	Kevin D'Aprile	2015	Associate
23	Frank A. Davenport	1984	Senior
90	Daniel E. Davies	2007	Regular
58	James F. Davis	2001	Regular
21	John DeCarlo, MD	1982	Senior
790	Sam De Simone	2018	Associate
497	Cameron Desnoes	2012	Intermediate
429	Joey Deutsch	2022	Junior
748	Tom Dine	2016	Associate
809	David Donnersberger MD	2021	Associate
38	Tim Doran	1996	Senior
181	Jeff Doubek	2019	Regular
730	John A. Doubek	2015	Associate
725	Ann Drury	2014	Associate
126	Samuel Eddins	2015	Regular
162	Erik Eiseman	2017	Regular
795	John Engerman	2019	Associate
203	Nancy Ewing	2022	Regular
197	Matthew Faytle	2021	Regular
25	Daniel C. Ferguson	1985	Senior
737	Bradley Fideler	2015	Associate
773	Dave Fiedler	2017	Associate
750	Tony Fiscelli	2016	Associate
128	Tim Fischer	2015	Regular
113	Wendy Fisher	2014	Regular
82	Ryan Fitzgerald	1998	Regular
136	George Flaherty	2016	Regular
751	Eileen Fleeer	2016	Associate
75	Patricia Forbeck	2004	Regular

604	Martin W. Ford	1970	Honorary Service
426	Russell Fortuna	2022	Junior
602	Mrs. Theodore (Pat) Francis	1980	Honorary Life
97	F. J. Frazier	2010	Regular
754	Mary Kay Frazier	2016	Associate
717	Pat Frazier	2012	Associate
490	Dylan Freytag	2021	Intermediate
491	Nathan Freytag	2021	Intermediate
612	Mrs. William H. (Joan) Freytag	1964	Honorary Life
65	T Freytag	1996	Regular
178	Charles Andrew Fritz IV	2019	Regular
72	William B. Gage	2003	Regular
601	Mrs. William B. (Maggie) Gage Sr.	1978	Honorary Life
17	David Gallagher	1979	Senior
2	John R. Galley	1962	Senior
71	Christopher J. Gannon	2003	Regular
70	Michael Gannon	2003	Regular
140	Robert J. Gee	2016	Regular
133	Mark Gerard	2016	Regular
137	Jeffrey Germanotta	2016	Regular
746	Alec Gizzi	2015	Associate
53	Steven G. Glasgow	2000	Regular
129	Robert Glavin	2015	Regular
10	W. J. Goes	1975	Senior
780	Michael Goetsch	2017	Associate
94	Jordan Gray	2009	Regular
726	Mary Beth Gray	2014	Associate
16	Mrs. Dean (Lois Jo) Griffith	1977	Senior
732	William Grunow III	2015	Associate
816	Richard Gulliver	2021	Associate
709	Dale Gustafson	2010	Associate
428	Spencer Hahn	2022	Junior
177	Greg Hamilton	2019	Regular
801	John Hamilton	2019	Associate
727	Betsy Hamlin	2014	Associate
765	Grace Hanny	2016	Associate

176	Larry Happ	2016	Regular
141	Elizabeth Quadracci Harned	2016	Regular
757	Janis Hartley	2016	Associate
706	Joseph A. Hays	2007	Associate
779	Alan Heine	2017	Associate
156	Tim Heine	2017	Regular
824	Todd Heine	2022	Associate
496	Stuart Henry	2019	Intermediate
410	Colton Hibbard	2019	Junior
425	Sienna Hibbard	2022	Junior
715	Jay Hicks	2008	Associate
815	Christopher Hill	2021	Associate
139	Ernie Hirn	2016	Regular
87	Michael Hirn	2001	Regular
78	Stephen Hirn	2003	Regular
808	Daniel Hodgman	2021	Associate
786	Martin Hogan	2018	Associate
100	Catherine J. Hollister	2011	Regular
37	Donald C. Holst, DVM	1995	Senior
159	William Huck	2017	Senior
112	Anne Roberts Huerth	2014	Regular
36	Wayne Huerth	1991	Regular
498	Christopher Hummel	2016	Intermediate
206	John Hummel	2022	Regular
792	John Humphrey	2018	Associate
811	Ryan Hurley	2021	Associate
40	Christopher J. Impens	1996	Regular
705	Brian Jahns	2007	Associate
170	Jeff Johnson	2018	Regular
409	Adler Johnston	2018	Junior
202	Ben Johnston	2022	Regular
743	Charles Johnston	2015	Associate
781	John Johnston	2017	Associate
793	Julie Johnston	2018	Associate
494	Gabriella Jones	2021	Intermediate
89	Jay Jones	2007	Regular

88	Mark W. Jordan	2007	Non-Resident
411	Kaylen Kaczmarek	2019	Junior
787	Nick Kallergis	2018	Associate
205	Dan Keck	2022	Regular
9	Michael K. Keefe	1974	Senior
736	Thomas Keefe	2015	Associate
720	Dennis Kellar	2012	Associate
198	William Kercher	2021	Regular
85	John Kiefer	2006	Regular
44	Peter B. King	1987	Senior
27	James A. Kirchschrager	1986	Senior
67	John Kivlin	2003	Regular
495	Maggie Kivlin	2021	Intermediate
487	Sean Kivlin	2020	Intermediate
196	Derek Klein	2021	Regular
152	Audrey Klein-Deger	2015	Regular
810	Tyler Knudsvig	2021	Associate
192	Matt Kohut	2021	Regular
79	Ken Koranda	2005	Regular
190	Dan Kraemer	2017	Regular
6	Kirk H. Kreutzig	1969	Senior
29	Marie G. Kropp-Smothers	1986	Senior
774	Peter V. Krug	2017	Associate
707	Andrew J. Kubicsko Jr.	2007	Associate
606	Beverly Kummer	1959	Honorary Life
157	Josh LaCroix	2017	Regular
92	Mary Lahey	2008	Regular
478	Jack Lakowske	2013	Intermediate
62	Charles R. Lamphere	2001	Regular
499	Duncan Lamphere	2022	Intermediate
209	Gordon Lamphere	2018	Regular
756	Joseph A. Lanzito	2016	Associate
74	Thomas Larimer	1994	Regular
820	Kris Larsen	2022	Associate
722	Sharon Larson	2013	Associate
30	Arthur G. Larson Jr.	1987	Regular

769	Michael Lazzaroni	2016	Associate
493	Michael Lee	2021	Intermediate
49	Charles A. Lemond	1999	Regular
777	Todd Lentz	2017	Associate
476	Zac Lewinski	2016	Intermediate
703	Dawn Marie Mancuso Licht	2005	Associate
758	Marc Lifshin	2016	Associate
135	Jeff Liljeberg	2016	Regular
12	Wesley E. Lindberg	1975	Senior
812	Archibald Loch	2021	Associate
73	Michael Lynch	1995	Regular
116	Patrick Lynch	2014	Regular
421	Edward “Eddie” Lyon	2021	Junior
115	John Lyon	2014	Regular
110	Paul Lyon	2014	Regular
77	Roger Lyon	2004	Regular
187	Dr. Ross Lyon	2014	Regular
475	Sarah Lyon	2001	Intermediate
45	Steven Lyon	1998	Regular
419	Rick Lyons	2020	Junior
794	Scott Lyons	2019	Associate
817	Albert MacDonald	2021	Associate
713	James Maher	2011	Associate
819	Paul Marishkanish	2022	Associate
714	Charles Marlas	2011	Associate
173	Clare C. Marlin	2012	Regular
131	John Matustik	2015	Regular
814	Penny McGrail	2021	Associate
43	Hans E. Melges	1992	Regular
1	Harry C. Melges Jr.	1951	Senior
42	Harry Melges III	1990	Regular
502	Parker Michel	2022	Intermediate
14	Gerald W. Millsap	1976	Senior
823	Cindy Milojevic	2022	Associate
739	Todd Mintz	2015	Associate
130	William C. Mitchell Jr.	2015	Regular

145	Derek J. Morby	2016	Regular
13	Laurie Gray Morrissy	1975	Senior
407	Grayden Mott	2018	Junior
723	Charles Mudd Jr.	2014	Associate
406	Alex Mueller	2018	Junior
127	Peter Mueller	2013	Regular
803	Jeffrey Mulder	2020	Associate
54	David Muskat	2000	Regular
55	David J. Navin	1991	Regular
702	Sylvia Navin	2005	Associate
32	Jeffrey C. Neal	1989	Senior
755	Gary Neilson	2016	Associate
485	Lindsay Neilson	2019	Intermediate
603	Mrs. Elizabeth (Bink) Nelson	1975	Honorary Life
108	Tom Nickols	2008	Regular
417	Sophie Niemann	2020	Junior
418	Tilly Niemann	2020	Junior
479	Hannah Noll	2018	Intermediate
404	Ava Novak	2016	Junior
66	Martin O'Connor	2003	Regular
155	Mark Oglesby	2017	Regular
771	Roger L. O'Neill	2017	Associate
826	Edward O'Reilly	2022	Associate
20	Karl G. Otzen	1981	Senior
158	Leigh W. Otzen	2017	Regular
762	Martin Pankau	2016	Associate
184	Erika Parise	2020	Regular
785	David Parkhill	2018	Associate
731	Jeffrey Parkhill	2015	Associate
724	Ruth Parsons	2014	Associate
111	Herbert A. Pecht III	2014	Regular
740	Dan Pecora	2015	Associate
610	Jane Pegel	1955	Honorary Life
148	Murray S. Peretz	2016	Regular
76	Douglas C. Perks	2004	Regular
69	James C. Petersen	1996	Regular

501	Kelly Peterson	2022	Intermediate
34	Barbara Philipps	1992	Senior
26	James R. Phillip Jr.	1985	Senior
204	Daniel Phillips	2022	Regular
121	William Plant	2014	Regular
98	John Plummer	2010	Regular
101	Thomas Pomierski	2011	Regular
482	Christopher Ponsonby	2019	Intermediate
741	Steve Pope	2015	Associate
611	Mrs. William H. (Christy) Pope	1967	Honorary Life
22	Brian Porter	1984	Regular
194	Brian “Bri” Porter	2019	Regular
210	Clifford Porter	2019	Regular
18	John T. Porter	1980	Senior
481	RJ Porter	2019	Intermediate
151	Vincent Porter	2011	Regular
788	Keith Pozulp	2018	Associate
747	William L. Prester	2015	Associate
160	Peter Provenzano	2017	Regular
120	Howard Pulsifer	2014	Non-Resident
99	James W. Purcell	2006	Regular
175	Nathan Quist	2016	Regular
168	Thomas Radtke	2015	Regular
146	Chris Randazzo	2016	Regular
191	Paul Reilly	2020	Regular
24	Rodney W. Rieger, MD	1985	Senior
408	Isabelle Rietz	2018	Junior
106	James V. Riley	1978	Senior
783	William Ring	2017	Associate
484	Hannah Ripkey	2019	Intermediate
56	Kurt Ripkey	1996	Regular
483	Matt Ripkey	2019	Intermediate
48	Scott H. Ripkey	1979	Regular
64	John Rolander	2002	Regular
35	William R. Rolander Jr.	1989	Regular
798	Gina Marie Ross	2019	Associate

738	Aaron Roth	2015	Associate
500	Kathryn Rowe	2022	Intermediate
80	Robert Rowe	2005	Regular
163	Patrick G. Ryan	2017	Regular
416	Anne Samis	2020	Junior
772	Leanne M. Sanders	2017	Associate
807	Linda Sandor	2020	Associate
3	Gerald Schloemer	1964	Senior
427	Matthew Schloemer	2022	Junior
4	Ron Schloemer	1965	Senior
608	Thomas L. Schmidt	1975	Honorary Service
201	Shirley Scholtz	1996	Regular
822	Kenneth Schooley	2022	Associate
199	Robert Schroeder	2021	Regular
753	Daniel Schuld	2016	Associate
83	Steven P. Schwefel	2006	Regular
11	Edward R. Schwinn Jr.	1975	Senior
154	William Sexton	2017	Regular
208	Christopher Shannon	2022	Regular
68	Donald Sheldon	2003	Regular
52	Ronald Sheppard	2000	Regular
614	Michael Sherin	1984	Honorary Service
607	Helen Sherry	1992	Honorary Service
207	Shaun Sherry	2022	Regular
150	Craig Shodeen	2016	Regular
5	Kent W. Shodeen	1968	Senior
605	William H. Sills III	1962	Honorary Life
492	Michael Simms	2021	Intermediate
57	John D. Simms Jr.	2001	Regular
119	Thomas Sitron	2014	Regular
800	Honey Skinner	2019	Associate
8	James A. Smith	1973	Senior
123	William Snyder	2015	Regular
778	Joan Stafslie	2017	Associate
729	Liz Lombardo Stark	2014	Associate
104	Edward Stassen	2012	Regular

806	Brian Stearns	2020	Associate
405	Jack W. Stenander	2018	Junior
172	Julie Stenslie	2018	Regular
96	David W. Stout	2010	Regular
166	Kit Stricker	2018	Regular
749	Jo Strobel	2016	Associate
95	Peter Strothman	2010	Regular
710	Tom Stuhley	2010	Associate
424	Chase Swanson	2022	Junior
144	Andrew Szafran	2016	Regular
189	Catherine Tank	2020	Regular
422	Chloe Taylor	2021	Junior
143	Chuck Thiesenhusen	2016	Regular
188	Jason Thompson	2020	Regular
61	Craig Tomera	2001	Regular
164	Kevin M. Tomera	2018	Regular
179	Linda Tonge	2019	Regular
791	Tina Trahan	2018	Associate
39	Tony Trajkovich	1996	Regular
776	Greg Trapani	2017	Associate
704	Robert Tschurtz	2006	Associate
142	John Tucker	2016	Regular
153	Marek Valasek	2017	Regular
488	Charles Vogel	2020	Intermediate
19	Holger H. Vogel	1980	Senior
200	Laura Vogel	2019	Regular
708	Rick Vondersitt	2008	Associate
50	Peter Wall	1991	Regular
149	Charles T. Wegner IV	2016	Regular
489	Ross Whitlock	2020	Intermediate
161	Wes Whitmyer Jr.	2017	Regular
93	Tom G. Whowell	2008	Regular
138	TW Whowell	2016	Regular
613	David B. Williams	1976	Honorary Service
195	Gregory Wilson	2021	Regular
118	Raymond Wiltgen	2014	Regular

609	Robert G. Winter	1970	Honorary Service
105	Jay Wittenstrom	1993	Regular
183	Allen Wolf	2019	Regular
51	Paul Wood	2000	Regular
60	Ken Wruk	2001	Regular
31	Dr. Robert R. Youngquist	1988	Senior
109	Erick Youngquist	2010	Regular
174	Jaymie Youngquist	2015	Regular
180	Ned Zeman	2019	Regular
728	Robert Zeman	2014	Associate
41	Sara E. Burton Zick	1985	Regular
403	Jacob Zils	2016	Junior
33	John J. Zils	1989	Senior



Owen Kohut and Ivar Eiseman, shown here at the GLSS Dinghyfest, won the Inland Lake Yachting Association Class X Senior Championship in Iowa. Michael Moore photo

History of the Lake Geneva Yacht Club

The Yacht Club Begins

In August 1874, residents of the Wisconsin town of Geneva (as it was then known) and elsewhere on Geneva Lake welcomed Lieutenant General Philip H. Sheridan, the famous Civil War army officer, who since 1869 had been stationed in Chicago as commander of the Department of the Missouri and who in 1871 had coordinated military relief efforts during the Great Chicago Fire.

To celebrate his stay, General Sheridan's hosts selected August 31 for a yacht race named in his honor, and they raised \$200 by popular subscription for an appropriate trophy. The actual Sheridan Prize, designed and built by the Chicago firm of Giles Bro. & Co., would not be completed for more than a year, but the promise of an annual competition with its elegant award was enough to generate great interest and lay the groundwork for establishing a yacht club.

According to the Lake Geneva Herald, the excitement surrounding the inaugural race "was of the keenest kind." The fleet consisted of seven boats of various lengths known as sandbaggers, and the newspaper described the course as "a double triangular race, being 3 miles South from Whiting House pier, then 2 miles East into Button's Bay, then North to the place of starting, then repeat, being nearly 16 miles, besides tacking." General Sheridan observed the race from the judges' boat. The winner on corrected time was the 21-foot topsail sloop *Nettie*, sailed by Billy Woods, master of a local passenger and freight schooner. *Nettie*'s owner was Julian Sidney Rumsey, a pioneer Chicagoan, successful grain merchant, past mayor of the city, and a founding member and former president of the Chicago Board of Trade. Newspapers reported that *Nettie*'s victory was greeted with "great cheering by friends and screeching of steam whistles."

On April 29, 1876, the year of the nation's centennial, a small group of boat owners and enthusiasts gathered at the Whiting House, the popular hotel at the foot of Broad Street, to establish what they initially called the Geneva Lake Yacht Club. Those present adopted a constitution and bylaws, determined sailing rules and regulations, enrolled 18 yachts, elected more than 40 members, and chose Chicago industrialist Nathaniel Kellogg Fairbank as their first commodore. They also memorialized the year 1874 not only as the date of the first Sheridan Prize Race but as the official founding date of the new club.

In May, the Geneva Lake Yacht Club elected 16 more members, one of whom was General Sheridan, and in August the club held the Sheridan Race for the first time under its auspices and rules. The winner was *Geneva*, owned by General A. C. Ducat, and General Sheridan presented the new trophy, a handsome and detailed 10-inch sterling silver model of the sandbagger *Nettie*.

In 1891, the Yacht Club reorganized and was incorporated in 1894 under its new name, the Lake Geneva Yacht Club. In 1902 (some accounts say earlier), it merged with the West End Yacht Club based in Fontana.

Early Boats, Scows, and the Classes Today

Sailing craft on Geneva Lake in the late 1800s varied in length and rig, but most were called sandbaggers – broad-beamed, open, shallow-draft sloops that had evolved from workboats. Sandbaggers carried huge spreads of canvas and 50-pound sandbags for ballast that the crew shifted with each tack. According to one early report, most boats sailed with a “plucky” crew of ten or more, known for their “skill, courage, genius, alertness, and agility.”

By 1895, the Lake Geneva Yacht Club’s fleet included nine 25-foot sandbaggers, fourteen 21-foot sandbaggers, four 18-footers, twelve 15-footers, several “less strenuous” catboats in the 15- to 25-foot range, 11 steamers, and two launches. By the end of the decade, however, the design scene on Geneva Lake had changed drastically as the sandbagger type was pushed to near extinction by the Inland Lake Yachting Association’s longer, narrower, lighter boats that were easier to handle, required fewer crew, and, as one writer expressed it, were “balanced to a nicety.”

At a Yacht Club meeting on August 21, 1899, the Sheridan Prize trustees, who govern the event, adopted a new rule for the Sheridan Prize Race stating that all boats in the competition must be classified as Class A within the Inland Lake Yachting Association rules. Five Class A boats (sometimes called 20-footers for their measurement rating) showed up for the 1899 Sheridan, and Benjamin Carpenter and his fellow owners, sailing their gaff-rigged centerboarder *Algonquin*, were the first to win the Sheridan Prize in a scow. Since then, the Sheridan Prize Race has been held in the 38-foot Class A except from 1975 through 1978, when the A fleet was all but dormant and the trustees invited the 28-foot Class E to race.

In March 2013, the Sheridan Prize trustees added an amendment to the Trust Agreement of 1969 and stated that the race shall be sailed in One-Design Class A Scows as defined by the National Class A Scow Association. They also clarified eligibility requirements and defined the course: a start at the Yacht Club with the fleet sailing a windward course, if possible, to either Fontana or Lake Geneva, then to a mark at the other end of the lake, then to the Yacht Club to finish.

In 2016, the Sheridan Prize Trustees honored the request of Charles Colman to race his new replica sandbagger *Tattler II*, named for the winner of the Sheridan Prize Race in 1892. Colman’s boat and her plucky crew completed the course, crossing the finishing line after the A-boats to great cheering and applause.

Sailboats on Geneva Lake have undergone numerous refinements since 1902, when bilge boards and double rudders came into widespread use. New classes

differed from one another primarily in length and sail plan. Of the two original ILYA classes, A and B, the 32-foot Class B disappeared in about 15 years. By the mid-1920s, the classes racing at the Yacht Club were the 38-foot A, the 28-foot E (new on the scene and “bound to become very popular”), the 20-foot C (sanctioned by the ILYA in August 1905 to race in 1906), and the 24-foot centerboard sloop called Class X, which disappeared from the roster by the end of the decade. During the years that followed the gaff rig lost popularity, hiking straps replaced the need to “ride the boards,” and materials and techniques evolved as builders and sailmakers continued to experiment.

The Yacht Club’s calendar today includes fleet races for Class A, Class E, Class C, Class MC, Melges 24, Melges 15, Melges 14, Class X (a junior boat, known initially as a Cub), and the Optimist Dinghy. A popular new competition that started in 2018 is the Women on the Water program, a joint effort with the Geneva Lake Sailing School, which supplied its 23-foot Sonars for the series. LGYC racing schedules may also feature national championships, invitational regattas, and the multi-class ILYA Annual Championship. On the last Saturday in August, if conditions permit, the Yacht Club holds the annual Sheridan Prize Race.

The Inland Lake Yachting Association

In January 1898, delegates from 17 clubs in Illinois, Indiana, Minnesota, and Wisconsin met in Milwaukee and established the Inland Lake Yachting Association (ILYA). Its purpose was to “encourage and promote yachting and interlake racing on the inland lakes of the West under uniform rules of measurement, classification, racing, and sailing.” The new organization formulated a set of rules for two classes to race without handicap, which fostered the rapid development of scows. The Lake Geneva Yacht Club is an ILYA founding member (i.e., a participant at the organizational meeting at the White Bear Yacht Club in Minnesota in 1897) and a charter member (a participant at the Milwaukee meeting in 1898).

In the early years of the ILYA, only one boat from a class in each of the member clubs could compete in the Annual Championship Regatta, which after 1902 was to be held only at Oshkosh. In 1905, so that more boats could compete on a variety of lakes, eight yacht clubs in southeastern Wisconsin and northern Illinois formed the Northwestern Regatta Association (NRA), which adopted the specifications of the ILYA scows but allowed unlimited entries for its own annual regatta. The first three Northwestern regattas were sailed on Geneva Lake. In 1913, the president of the ILYA and the commodore of the Northwestern Regatta Association was Dr. Otto L. Schmidt, a trustee of the Lake Geneva Yacht Club and its past commodore. He and others sought to consolidate the ILYA and the NRA, and after the joint regattas of 1915 in Oshkosh and discussions “to consider the advisability of such a union” the two organizations merged in 1916.

In the mid-1930s, the ILYA oversaw the development of a boat for young sailors, which became the popular 16-foot Cub. In 1940, the Lake Geneva Yacht Club was

host to the ILYA's first Cub championship regatta. At its 1947 meeting, the ILYA changed the boat's name from Cub to Class X.

For more than 100 years, the Inland Lake Yachting Association and its Annual Championship Regatta have been central to the enjoyment of the sport for LGYC sailors. The ILYA fostered the design of local scow classes, established these classes as the area's primary racing boats, oversaw development of non-scow types, and today continues to govern and promote competition and encourage excellence in training and race management throughout its member clubs. Since 1900, the Lake Geneva Yacht Club has hosted the ILYA Annual Championship 19 times. To access ILYA racing records, visit the Inland's website, www.ilya.org.

Geneva Lake Sailing School

In the late 1930s LGYC officers decided that the Yacht Club should offer young people regular well-designed educational programs on sailing technique, seamanship, and safety. In 1938, with the encouragement of Commodore A. F. Gartz Jr. and Secretary-Treasurer and Past Commodore Ernst C. Schmidt, the Yacht Club hired Jerome Kiple as the first instructor of the Lake Geneva Yacht Club Sailing School, and in 1939 the club hired George Herbert Taylor for the post. Taylor, who had been a member of the US water polo and breaststroke teams at the 1920 Olympic Games in Antwerp, used his own A scow and a rejuvenated Marconi-rigged 24-foot Class X centerboarder for instruction. By the end of the season, Taylor had 40 students, and the Yacht Club bought additional boats for the program and received others as gifts.

Many members were active participants in the ongoing progress of the Sailing School, and Ernst Schmidt continued to play a critical role in its positive development with his counsel, help, and financial support. In 1953, with the guidance of attorney William H. Freytag Sr., the School reorganized and was incorporated as the Geneva Lake Sailing School, Inc., and the Yacht Club and the Sailing School became separate but supportive entities. In 1991, the Sailing School's office and classrooms moved to a small building just west of the Yacht Club. In the summer of 2015, the Sailing School and the Yacht Club moved into new premises, with the first floor of the shared facility devoted to Sailing School activities in space designed to enable its programs to flourish.

Thanks to the teaching skills of many instructors and directors and the efforts of dedicated boards of directors, today's Geneva Lake Sailing School is a respected community resource that provides quality sailing education and diversified programs for children, high-school students, and adults. The staff includes full-time Executive Director Marek Valasek, who represented Slovakia in the Finn Class at the 1996 Olympics, and coaches and certified instructors who oversee beginning and intermediate sailing camps. In 2016, GLSS launched the Buddy Melges Racing Team program to promote youth sailing at local, regional, national, and international levels in the Optimist Dinghy and other classes. The GLSS fleet includes

prams, Optimist Dinghies, Club 420s, Class X, O'pen Bics, Windsurfers, Melges 14s, Melges 15s, Sonars, Lasers, Wing Sails, and powerboats for the coaches.

Flagships

Race Committee boats have been essential in conducting the Yacht Club's busy racing schedule, and most of the early boats used for this purpose were owned by members. The club bought its two most recent boats specifically for Race Committee duty. The first of these, delivered in 1941 and named *Flagship*, was 24 feet overall and built by the Lyman Boat Works in Sandusky, Ohio. The current Race Committee boat, launched in 1978, is *Flagship II*, a fiberglass Wasque 26 lobster-boat design built by Vineyard Yachts Inc., in Vineyard Haven, Massachusetts.

Excellence in Sailing and Service

In the years since 1874, the membership of Lake Geneva Yacht Club has progressed from a small group of boat owners, many of whom used professional crews aboard their sandbaggers, to a membership with an impressive record of successful competition at local, regional, interscholastic, intercollegiate, national, and international levels, including the Pan American Games, the Olympic Games, and the America's Cup. Each year, the Awards and Trophies section of the yearbook records the achievements of those who have excelled during the previous year. The club's history is rich with the names of the men and women who continue to inspire us with their sailing ability and for their volunteer service to the sport at every level.

Clubhouses and the Buddy Melges Sailing Center

With the consolidation of the Lake Geneva Yacht Club and the West End Yacht Club and a combined membership of more than 100, the time was right to construct a clubhouse. In 1906, Kellogg Fairbank, the son of the first commodore, N. K. Fairbank, and commodore himself in 1890, agreed to lease property he owned at Cedar Point to the Yacht Club for \$500 a year. To support the project, members subscribed to a building fund. "The season of 1906 holds promise of being the most successful and enthusiastic in the history of the Lake Geneva Yacht Club," stated text in the yearbook. "The year marks the first in the history of our own clubhouse, a home which is the culmination of great labor and many disappointments in the past, and now the strong factor in the future of the club. Its ideal location on Cedar Point, assures us the support of every resident on the lake, a spot which could not have been better chosen in its neutrality to everyone's interests." The new two-story building, set on the lakefront in wooded surroundings, featured generous verandas and some sleeping accommodations. Toward the end of the lease, Yacht Club officers requested changes to the financial arrangement, but their negotiations were unsuccessful. In 1916, Kellogg Fairbank chose not to renew the Yacht Club's lease on the property. The members moved out of the building, fleets held races from members' piers, and the club was homeless for the next decade.

In 1926, members identified property in Linn Township, directly across the lake from the mouth of Williams Bay, and formed a holding company, the Yacht Club Corporation of Lake Geneva, to raise sufficient capital for the purchase and improvements. The corporation renovated the two-story “modest residence” that had been built in 1878, leased it to the Yacht Club for \$800 a year, installed piers, slips, and other facilities, and in 1927 on the west side of the property built the Geneva Lake Boat Repair and Storage Company (renamed the Geneva Lake Boat Company in 1931). In 1941, for financial reasons, the stockholders of the Yacht Club Corporation of Lake Geneva voted to conclude its affairs, and the mortgage holder, Ernst C. Schmidt, secretary and treasurer of the Lake Geneva Yacht Club, assumed ownership. The Yacht Club continued to lease the property. In the 1960s, the Geneva Lake Boat Company bought the property it had been leasing from Ernst Schmidt, a purchase that included the Yacht Club. In 1967, at the end of their lease with the Boat Company, the Yacht Club and Sailing School constructed a two-story building on land donated to the Sailing School by Honorary Commodore Schmidt. The building, just east of the Boat Company, had a total enclosed area of 4,310 square feet plus a partial basement and crawl space. The property had approximately 112 feet of lake frontage and extended from the lake to South Lake Shore Drive. The new combined clubhouse and school was ready in time for the 1969 season. The Yacht Club leased its facilities from the Sailing School.

In 1974, the Lake Geneva Yacht Club celebrated its centennial and published a commemorative book on its history, edited by Harold S. Hamlin Jr. The club also hosted the ILYA Annual Championship Regatta; its racing sailors donated six centennial crew trophies to the ILYA; and it held the 100th Sheridan Prize Race on August 31, “the great race of our Club,” as it had been described decades before.

In 1988, to protect their limited lakefront and create a family-oriented sailing center as a legacy for the 21st century, Sailing School and Yacht Club members took “a bold step into the future” and voted to buy the buildings and property of the Geneva Lake Boat Company, which included approximately 148 feet of lake frontage. In the fall of 1989, Past Commodore Thomas A. Lothian and Sailing School President Michael H. Sherin, both members of the LGYC board of directors, organized fellow volunteers and devoted thousands of hours to improvements on the property. (So industrious were Tom Lothian and Mike Sherin that members affectionately called them the T & M Construction Company.) The work included a new seawall, two new hoists, a launching ramp, landscaping, and the removal of the exterior of the boat company’s large blue metal building. Its interior office partitions, plus a new roof, siding, and fittings, became the Sailing School office and classrooms in 1991. In 1996, the Geneva Lake Sailing School and the Lake Geneva Yacht Club agreed to transfer the ownership of the property from the Sailing School to the Yacht Club, contingent upon a new lease, which was signed by both parties in 2002.

In 2013, the members and Boards of Directors of the Lake Geneva Yacht Club and the Geneva Lake Sailing School approved plans for the construction of a new shared facility. The agreement between the two organizations regarding the use, operation, and financial viability of the proposed and existing facilities on the property was signed in January 2013 by Thomas Freytag, as President of the Geneva Lake Sailing School, and John D. Simms Jr., as Commodore of the Lake Geneva Yacht Club. The agreement called for the Yacht Club to retain ownership and management of the property and for the Sailing School to construct and own the building, leasing part of it to the club. An Operations Committee, with members from both the Yacht Club and the Sailing School appointed by the Commodore, maintains oversight on the agreement, which is governed by contracts that supersede existing Bylaws and Regulations. Construction began in October 2014 soon after the September demolition of the club and school buildings.

The new facility contains approximately 12,000 square feet of space. The entry includes an LGYC historical display and the Inland Lake Yachting Association's Hall of Fame exhibit, which salutes the outstanding sailing achievements and contributions to the sport of individuals from member clubs. The Sailing School, its office, and six indoor and outdoor classrooms occupy the first floor and its immediate exterior. The Yacht Club and its social areas, office, dining room, and trophy and photographic displays are on the second floor. An upstairs deck provides more than 3,000 additional square feet of space.

The entire property, which consists of the Lake Geneva Yacht Club, the Geneva Lake Sailing School, and approximately eight acres of land and structures from South Lake Shore Drive to the lakefront and between the east and west boundaries, has been designated the Buddy Melges Sailing Center in honor of Yacht Club member and former Sailing School student, instructor, and president, Harry C. "Buddy" Melges Jr., one of the world's most accomplished and respected sailors.

Celebrating Class E: "Arnold Meyer's Masterpiece"

In 1923, Dr. Otto L. Schmidt, past LGYC Commodore and then ILYA President, appointed a committee to design what would become the 28-foot E-Scow — what Tom Hodgson refers to in his ILYA history as "Arnold Meyer's Masterpiece." Lake Geneva's first E-Scow sailors were Ralph Isham and James Rawleigh, both of whom raced in the inaugural 10-boat Class E fleet at the 1925 Inland Lake Yachting Association Annual Championship on Geneva Lake. The first official Class E National Championship Regatta was in 1959, and in 1964, at Muskegan Yacht Club, Bill Grunow outsailed a fleet of 40 boats to become the first LGYC sailor to bring home the National Championship trophy. His crew? Buddy Melges (Grunow called him "my man up forward"), Gloria Melges, and Melita Grunow. Later, Buddy Melges, as skipper, won the National Championship five times.

Articles of Incorporation of the Lake Geneva Yacht Club, Inc.

These Articles of Incorporation of the Lake Geneva Yacht Club, Inc., duly adopted pursuant to the authority and provisions of Chapter 181 of the Wisconsin Statutes, replace the existing Articles of Incorporation and any amendments thereto.

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the corporation is Lake Geneva Yacht Club, Inc. ("Club").

ARTICLE II - PURPOSES

The Club is organized and shall be operated primarily for the enjoyment and support of the sport of sailboat racing by Club members, their families, and guests. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the Club shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. To accomplish these purposes, the Club shall conduct races and regattas; shall train members for service on race committees and protest committees and for other race management duties; shall provide buildings, grounds, and equipment to support the Club's programs; shall encourage compliance with recognized principles of sportsmanship and fair play; shall encourage a spirit of volunteerism among members in support of the Club's programs; may teach sailing and racing; may promote and support development and study of the history of the Club and sailing on Geneva Lake; may foster and promote understanding of environmental responsibility; and may provide for other activities related to the Club's purposes.

ARTICLE III - MEMBERS

Categories of membership, rights and responsibilities of members, and other provisions concerning membership shall be stated in the Club's Bylaws.

ARTICLE IV - BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Corporate powers shall be exercised by a Board of Directors in conformity with policy established by the membership. The authority and responsibilities of the Board, including direction of the management of the affairs of the Club, shall be stated in the Bylaws. The Bylaws shall also state the number of Directors and the manner in which they shall be elected.

ARTICLE V - REGISTERED AGENT

The name and address of the registered agent and registered office of the Club at the time of the adoption of these Articles of Incorporation is Michael K. Keefe, 1250 South Lake Shore Drive, Fontana, Wisconsin 53125.

ARTICLE VI - PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal office of the Club at the time of the adoption of these Articles of Incorporation is 1250 South Lake Shore Drive, Fontana, Wisconsin 53125.

ARTICLE VII - DISSOLUTION

The Club may be dissolved or merged with another organization only upon the affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the entire membership of the Board of Directors and also the affirmative vote, at a Regular or Special Membership Meeting, of at least two-thirds of the members present or represented by proxy and eligible to vote. Written notice of the meetings of the Board and of the Club

membership at which dissolution or merger will be discussed shall be mailed to each member at least 30 days before the meeting. Upon dissolution, the Board shall pay the Club's liabilities and dispose of its assets to support the Club's purposes, or transfer them to another organization or organizations having the same or similar purposes as those of the Club.

ARTICLE VIII - ADOPTION, AMENDMENT, OR RESTATEMENT OF ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OR BYLAWS

Articles of Incorporation may be adopted, and these Articles of Incorporation may be amended or restated at a Regular or Special Membership Meeting upon the affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the members present or represented by proxy and eligible to vote. The Club Bylaws may be amended only as provided in those Bylaws.

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify, pursuant to Section 181.1006(8) of the Wisconsin Statutes, that the foregoing Articles of Incorporation contain amendments to the Club's Articles of Incorporation requiring approval by the members. The members adopted the Articles of Incorporation on September 5, 2009, in accordance with Section 181.1003 of the Wisconsin Statutes.

Executed as of the 5th day of September, 2009.
Michael K. Keefe, Commodore



A-Scows preparing to round the mark - 1940's Walter Colman photo

Bylaws of the Lake Geneva Yacht Club, Inc.

These Bylaws should be read in conjunction with the Articles of Incorporation of the Lake Geneva Yacht Club, Inc.

ARTICLE I - BURGEE

The distinguishing flag of the Club shall be a triangular burgee with three vertical stripes of equal width colored alternately black, red, and black.

ARTICLE II - MEMBERSHIP

Section 1 Qualifications Persons interested in the purposes and activities of the Club may apply for membership.

Section 2 Application An application for membership must be in writing and submitted to the Membership Committee for evaluation and then to the Board of Directors for consideration. Applications are subject to any maximum membership limit or other requirements established by the Board. Approved applicants will then enter an affirmation period after which the Board will vote on whether to reaffirm the membership in compliance with review criteria. Before the Board's reaffirmation decision, two persons who are Regular, Senior, Intermediate, Honorary Life or Honorary Service members must sign the application. Reaffirmation requires that the applicant be in good standing in compliance with Club policies.

Section 3 Membership Categories Membership categories are Regular, Senior, Intermediate, Junior, Honorary, Nonresident, Crew, Military Service, Associate, and Off-Season Dining.

Section 4 Member's Family Membership in the Club, together with appropriate privileges, shall be considered joint for persons married or in civil union and shall extend to their unmarried children who are less than 26 years of age on January 1st of the calendar year. This applies to a Regular, Senior, Intermediate, Junior, Honorary, Nonresident, and Associate Member.

As a joint membership, there shall be (a) one account number, one seniority membership number, and joint responsibility for charges, fees and dues, and (b) one-member status for any allocated facility. Dues level shall be determined by the age of the older member and, as applicable in movement between membership categories, the length of the membership of the older member.

Section 5 Membership Category Definitions

Regular Member: a member of any age who is currently participating as an owner, regularly helming or regularly crewing or has historically participated in a sailing program, or regularly serving on the Race Committee.

Senior Member: a member who has reached or will reach the age of 65 before January 1 of the current year and has been a Club member in the combined membership categories of Regular, Intermediate and/or Junior for at least 25 years.

Intermediate Member: a member who is currently participating in the sport of sailing and has reached or will reach the age of 21 before January 1 of the current year and is not more than 32 years of age.

Junior Member: a member who is currently participating in the sport of sailing and will not reach the age of 21 before January 1 of the current year.

Honorary Service Member: a member with a record of service to the Club on whose behalf a petition with a résumé of that person's service has been signed by three Regular or Senior Members, submitted to the Board and approved by two-thirds of the Board Members present. No application for the membership is required. Honorary Service Members shall be limited to ten, exclusive of Honorary Life Members. An Honorary Service Member shall not be liable for initiation fees, dues or assessments.

Honorary Life Member: Effective 05/28/2016, the surviving spouse of a Commodore, Vice Commodore, Rear Commodore, or Senior Member who has been a member for 25 consecutive years. No application for the membership is required. An Honorary Life Member shall not be liable for initiation fees, dues or assessments. The rights and privileges of then-existing Honorary Life Members shall be maintained.

Non-Resident Member: a member who does not have a residence within a 150-mile radius of the Club. No further applications for this category shall be accepted after 05/28/2016. The rights and privileges of then-existing Non-Resident Members shall be maintained.

Crew Member: a person who is granted a temporary Crew Membership for a time determined by the Board in order to compete in a US SAILING or other event for which membership is required, or for another approved purpose.

Military Service Member: a member in good standing serving on active duty in the military forces of the United States of America and normally unable to participate in the activities of the Club. The member will be exempt from payment of dues and assessments while on active duty and during the remainder of the year in which such duty is completed.

Associate Member: a member desiring to participate in the activities of the Club and to support its purposes and who may develop an interest in competitive sailing. This category of membership may be limited by the Board of Directors to a percentage of the Club's membership.

Off-Season Dining Member: individuals who have expressed interest in the purposes and activities of the Lake Geneva Yacht Club may apply for an Off-Season Dining Membership, valid between October 1st and April 30th. This category may be limited by the Board of Directors to a percentage of the club's membership. Yearly reapplication and approval is required.

Section 6 Change of Membership Category

A member's request for a change of membership category shall be submitted to the Membership Committee for consideration and recommendation to the Board for approval. An Associate Member may request a change to Regular membership by applying as provided in Section 2.

Section 7 Membership Privileges

Regular, Senior, Intermediate, Honorary Service and Honorary Life Members may hold elected office and vote at Club meetings, subject to the limitation of one vote per family at the Membership Meetings described in Article VII. If both members

of a joint Regular, Senior, Intermediate, Honorary Service and Honorary Life membership simultaneously hold elected office and/or participate in Committees described in Article VIII, they may each vote. Regular, Senior, Intermediate, Honorary Service, Honorary Life and Junior Members have full use of the Club as stated below and in the Club Regulations. They may participate in any sailing or social event provided by the Club and will be eligible to receive trophies and other awards, may represent the Club in Inland Lake Yachting Association events or others for which Club membership may be required, may keep boats on the Club premises for a fee determined by the Board, may receive newsletters and notices, and may participate in other activities and make use of other facilities and services that may be provided by the Club. Privileges of Non-Resident and Associate Members are as stated in the Club Regulations.

Section 8 Family Separations

If members become divorced or legally separated, the membership of each person shall continue for the remainder of the current year. Either person may apply for membership to take effect the following year and upon acceptance any initiation fee shall be waived. Upon the passing of a married member or member in a civil union, who is in good standing, the surviving person's membership shall continue including retaining the seniority and the same dues level of their current membership for the remainder of the year. At the beginning of the next calendar year, the surviving person can apply to continue membership in an appropriate membership category following the process in Article II Section 6 Change of Membership Category.

Section 9 Resignation

A single member, one married member or member in a civil union, who are in good standing, may resign by giving written notice to the Secretary, who shall report its receipt to the Board. If the membership account has outstanding dues or other charges, the resignation shall be accepted subject to any conditions placed by the Board on the collection of the unpaid charges.

In the instance that the other married member or member in a civil union wishes to continue membership, they can request to continue membership in the appropriate membership category following the process in Article II Section 6 Change of Membership Category.

Section 10 Suspension or Expulsion

The Board of Directors may suspend any or all privileges of membership or expel a member for violation of any Club Bylaw, Regulation, or other rule, or for unsportsmanlike conduct or other misconduct that may harm the Club, either materially or in reputation, or that is contrary or harmful to its purposes. Written notice of the meeting of the Board at which such action may be taken shall be mailed or sent electronically to the member at least 30 days before the meeting, and the member shall be given an opportunity to attend and defend himself or herself. A proposal to take such action shall require the affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the entire membership of the Board.

ARTICLE III - MEMBERSHIP AUTHORITY

The Club membership shall determine the general direction of the Club in conformity with the statement of purposes in the Articles of Incorporation, elect officers and other members of the Board of Directors, and take other action consistent with these Bylaws.

ARTICLE IV - OFFICERS

The officers of the club shall be Commodore, Vice Commodore, Rear Commodore, Secretary, and Treasurer.

Section 1 Commodore

The Commodore is the senior officer of the Club. He or she shall be in overall charge of its general operations and shall chair all meetings of the Club membership, Board of Directors, and Executive Committee. The Commodore shall be an *ex officio* member of all committees named in the Bylaws, make the appointments provided for in the Bylaws, and make reports at Membership and Board meetings. The Commodore or his or her delegate shall represent the Club at meetings of the Inland Lake Yachting Association and other organizations of which the Club is a member.

Section 2 Vice Commodore

The Vice Commodore shall be responsible for the operation and maintenance of the Club's buildings, grounds, and on-shore facilities and equipment, and shall prepare an operating budget for these activities for consideration by the Treasurer, Executive Committee, and Board of Directors. The Vice Commodore shall assist the Commodore in the discharge of his or her duties, represent the Commodore in the latter's absence, and make reports at Membership and Board meetings.

Section 3 Rear Commodore

The Rear Commodore shall be responsible for the arrangement and conduct of all Club activities on the water and the operation and maintenance of Club watercraft, and shall prepare an operating budget for these activities for consideration by the Treasurer, Executive Committee, and Board of Directors. The Rear Commodore shall assist the Commodore and Vice Commodore in the discharge of their duties; represent the Vice Commodore in the latter's absence, or the Commodore and the Vice Commodore in the absence of both; and make reports at Membership and Board meetings.

Section 4 Secretary

The Secretary shall take and maintain an accurate record of the meetings of the Membership, Board of Directors, and Executive Committee; manage Club correspondence; have custody of and preserve all deeds, mortgages, and other documents; oversee the Club's business communications; and maintain all official records including the membership roll, official race results, and inventory and records of the Club's perpetual trophies. The Secretary shall also be responsible for public relations and shall perform other duties normally incumbent upon the office or assigned by the Commodore or Board of Directors.

Section 5 Treasurer

The Treasurer shall be responsible for the financial operations of the Club; prepare the annual budget for consideration by the Executive Committee and Board of Directors; have custody of the funds of the Club; prepare notices of dues, fee assessments, and other charges; pay all bills properly contracted for by the Club; make a full financial report at the Annual Meeting; submit other financial reports to the Board; and perform other duties normally incumbent upon the office or assigned by the Commodore or Board of Directors.

Section 6 Election and Terms of Service

To be eligible for election, a person nominated for office shall have been a Club member for at least three years. Officers shall be elected at the Annual Meeting to

serve one-year terms of service and shall assume the duties of their offices on the day following the Annual Meeting.

Section 7 Vacancies

In the event of a vacancy in the office of Commodore, the Board of Directors shall elect a Past Commodore not currently an officer to be Acting Commodore to perform the duties of the office. In the event of a vacancy in one of the other four offices, the Board shall elect a Club member other than an officer to be an acting officer to perform the duties of the office. An acting officer shall serve until officers have been elected at the next Annual Meeting and have assumed their duties.

Section 8 Removal from Office

The Board of Directors may remove an officer from office for any of the reasons listed in Article II, Section 10. Written notice of the meeting of the Board at which such action may be taken shall be mailed or sent electronically to the officer at least 30 days before the meeting, and the officer shall be given an opportunity to attend and defend himself or herself. The officer may be removed by the affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the entire membership of the Board.

ARTICLE V - BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Section 1 Authority and Responsibilities

The Board of Directors shall implement decisions made at Membership Meetings; oversee the management of the Club's property, finances, programs, and staff; approve the annual budget; and establish and annually review Regulations concerning the administration of Club programs and other activities in connection with the Articles of Incorporation and these Bylaws. However, except in an emergency that threatens the safety of persons or property, any proposed expenditure of more than \$10,000 not included in the annual budget shall require the affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the entire membership of the Board. Board members shall actively participate in Club affairs and regularly attend Board and Membership meetings.

Section 2 Membership

The Board of Directors shall have 15 members. Six shall be the five elected officers and the last Commodore who completed his or her last term in office, all of whom shall be *ex officio* members. The other nine directors shall be members elected by the membership. At least nine directors shall be active participants in the Club's sailing program as a helmsperson, crew, judge, or Race Committee member.

Section 3 Meetings of Directors

The Board of Directors shall meet at least quarterly each year. Eight directors shall constitute a quorum for Board meetings. The Commodore may call additional Board meetings that he or she considers necessary, and shall call meetings requested in writing by at least three directors. Written notice of each meeting shall be mailed or sent electronically to the directors at least ten days before the meeting date. Board members may participate in discussions and vote by video or audio conference. Club members may attend Board meetings as observers, except when the Commodore closes the meeting to observers for discussion of personnel, salaries, or other confidential matters. Minutes of Board meetings, except minutes of closed meetings, shall be published regularly and made available to Club members.

Section 4 Election of Directors and Terms of Service

To be eligible for election, a person nominated for membership on the Board of Directors shall have been a Regular, Senior, Intermediate or Honorary Club member, in good standing, for at least three years. Members of the Board who are not officers shall be elected at the Annual Meeting to serve three-year terms of service, and shall assume their duties on the day following the Annual Meeting. Terms shall be staggered so that three directors are elected each year. After serving a full term, a director may not be re-elected or appointed within a period of one year.

Section 5 Removal of Directors from Board Membership

The Board of Directors may remove a director from the Board for any of the reasons listed in Article II, Section 10. If a director fails to attend two consecutive meetings of the Board without prior notice of good cause to the Secretary, four or more members of the Executive Committee may recommend that the director be removed from the Board. At least 30 days before a meeting called to consider removal, notice shall be given to the director concerned, and the director shall be given an opportunity to attend and defend himself or herself. The Board may remove the director from Board membership by the affirmative vote of at least eight members.

Section 6 Vacancies

When a vacancy arises on the Board of Directors among members who are not officers, it may be filled or left vacant by the Commodore at his or her discretion. If left vacant, it shall be filled at the next Annual Meeting for any unexpired term.

ARTICLE VI - NOMINATION OF OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

Section 1 Nominations by the Nominating Committee

The Nominating Committee shall nominate a member of the Club for each office and Board of Directors membership to be acted on at the Annual Meeting. Nominations shall be posted on the Club Notice Board on or before August 15 with a notice by the Secretary that the nominees are qualified as required by these Bylaws.

Section 2 Nominations by Members

Any ten members of the Club having voting privileges may together nominate other candidates for any office or Board of Directors membership. The nominations shall be signed by the members concerned and posted on the Club Notice Board at least six days before the Annual Meeting. A notice by the Secretary that the nominees are qualified as required by these Bylaws shall be posted before the meeting.

ARTICLE VII - MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS

Section 1 Regular Membership Meetings and Annual Meeting

Two regular meetings of the Club membership shall be held each year, the first in May and the second on the Saturday preceding Labor Day. The latter shall be the Annual Meeting of the Club for the election of officers and directors and the transaction of other business presented. Written notice of each meeting shall be mailed or sent electronically to each member at least 30 days before the meeting.

Section 2 Special Membership Meetings

At the discretion of the Commodore, or upon written request from ten or more members to the Commodore, the Commodore shall call a special meeting of the membership. Written notice of a special meeting, including the time, place, and

agenda, shall be mailed or sent electronically to each member at least 15 days (30 days when Section 4, below, applies) before the meeting.

Section 3 Membership Meeting Quorum

Twenty members of the Club present or represented by proxy at a membership meeting shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. However, any lesser number of members may adjourn the meeting to a fixed place, day, and time, and notice of the adjourned meeting shall be mailed promptly to each member and posted on the Club Notice Board.

Section 4 Voting

Voting at all membership meetings shall be in person, except for instances which in-person meetings cannot be held due to local or national emergencies, as stipulated by the Executive Committee. In the instance of such emergencies, membership meetings can be held by video or audio conference. Voting by mail ballot shall not be permitted. However, voting by proxy shall be permitted to decide on the acquisition or disposal of Club property having a value of \$50,000 or more, or on a matter that the Board of Directors, by the affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of its members present, has decided is appropriate for proxy voting. No member may exercise more than five proxies. The provisions of Section 2 of this Article apply to any membership meeting that will involve proxy voting. The procedure to be followed by a member wishing to authorize another member to serve as proxy is specified in the Club Regulations.

Section 5 Parliamentary Authority and Order of Business

Meetings shall be conducted in compliance with the Club Bylaws or, in matters not covered there, by *Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised*, with the following Order of Business: Call to Order, Approval of Minutes, Reports of Officers, Reports of Committees, Unfinished Business, New Business, Election of Officers, Miscellaneous, and Adjournment.

ARTICLE VIII - COMMITTEES

Section 1 Executive Committee

The Executive Committee shall consist of the five elected officers and the last Commodore who completed his or her last term in office. The committee shall be responsible for the day-to-day operation of the Club and shall implement instructions of the Board of Directors, monitor the activities of other committees and staff, recommend an annual budget to the Board, and regularly monitor compliance with the budget. The committee shall meet as determined by the Commodore. When clearly necessary, the committee may act on behalf of the Board by unanimous vote of all committee members, but only if a special meeting of the Board prior to its next scheduled meeting is not feasible or practical. The action shall be consistent with the Club's purposes and these Bylaws, and the committee shall report it to the Board at its next regular meeting for approval or repeal.

Section 2 Race Committee

The Race Committee shall consist of the Rear Commodore as chairman, a Chief Race Officer appointed by the Commodore on the recommendation of the Rear Commodore, and members appointed by the Chief Race Officer who are qualified to conduct Club races. The committee shall be responsible for the conduct of all Club races and for training and scheduling race management personnel.

Section 3 Judges Committee

The Judges Committee shall consist of the Rear Commodore as chairman, a Chief Judge appointed by the Commodore on the recommendation of the Rear Commodore, and members appointed by the Chief Judge who are qualified to serve as judges. The Chief Judge shall form protest committees, schedule protest hearings as needed, and organize the training of Club members to serve as judges.

Section 4 House, Grounds, and Waterfront Committee

The House, Grounds, and Waterfront Committee shall consist of the Vice Commodore as chairman and members appointed by the Vice Commodore who are qualified for service. The committee shall be responsible for the operation and upkeep of all Club buildings and land-based facilities and grounds, and shall recommend to the Board of Directors rules for use of the Club property by members and their guests.

Section 5 Membership Committee

The Membership Committee shall consist of a chairman and members appointed by the Commodore. The committee shall review all applications for Club membership and transfer between membership categories, and shall forward its recommendations to the Board of Directors for action.

Section 6 Nominating Committee

Before August 1 of each year, the Executive Committee shall appoint and post the names of a Nominating Committee consisting of a chairman and two other members, none of whom shall be Club officers or directors. The chairman and at least one other member shall be active participants in the Club's sailing program as a helmsperson, crew, judge, or Race Committee member. The committee shall nominate a member of the Club for each office and Board of Directors membership for election at the Annual Meeting. The nominations shall be reported to the Secretary in time for posting on August 15 with a notice by the Secretary that the nominees are qualified as required by these Bylaws.

Section 7 Finance Committee

The Finance Committee shall consist of the Treasurer and a chairman and two other members appointed by the Commodore. The committee shall assist the Treasurer in the performance of his or her duties, assist in the preparation of an annual budget, recommend investment policy to the Board of Directors, select outside auditors, regularly review the overall financial condition of the Club, stay informed of governmental regulations that affect the Club's finances, and make recommendations to the Board and Club membership for strengthening the Club's financial condition.

Section 8 Long-Range Planning Committee

The Long-Range Planning Committee shall consist of a chairman and three members appointed by the Commodore. Considering the five- to ten-year period ahead, the committee shall identify potential opportunities and challenges, study alternative courses of action and their potential consequences, develop goals to help guide Club programming and fund-raising priorities, and make recommendations to the Board of Directors and Club membership for action.

Section 9 Social Committee

The Social Committee shall consist of a chairman appointed by the Commodore and members appointed by the chairman. The committee shall plan and organize an annual program of social events for members and visiting sailors who attend

regattas conducted by the Club. The committee shall coordinate planning of social events with fleet captains, regatta chairmen, the Membership Committee, the Geneva Lake Sailing School, and the Club Manager to provide a variety of events for the membership as a whole or for groups of members, and to prevent conflicting dates. The social program should help members become better acquainted, especially new members, and ensure that visiting sailors feel welcome.

Section 10 Publications and Communications Committee

The Publications and Communications Committee shall consist of a chairman appointed by the Commodore and members appointed by the chairman. The committee shall manage the publication of the annual Yearbook and Membership Roster and other publications or printed matter, and oversee the design and content of the Club website, and other Club communications.

Section 11 Trophy Committee

The Trophy Committee shall consist of a chairman appointed by the Commodore and members appointed by the chairman. The committee shall purchase trophies for club racing and regattas organized by the Club; be responsible for the annual maintenance, engraving, and return of trophies owned by the Club; and arrange the display of trophies for presentation at regattas organized by the Club and at the annual Trophy Presentation.

Section 12 History and Archives Committee

The History and Archives Committee shall consist of a chairman appointed by the Commodore and members appointed by the chairman. The committee shall plan and implement systems for the collection, preservation, retention, and storage or display of Club records, photographs, paintings, books, artifacts, and other objects of historical importance or interest, such as governing documents, deeds, minutes, trophy deeds of gift, race results, and important financial records.

Section 13 Merchandise Committee

The Merchandise Committee shall consist of a chairman appointed by the Commodore and members appointed by the chairman. The committee shall arrange with the Club Manager for the acquisition and sale to members of various items of clothing, the Club burgee, and other merchandise of interest to members.

Section 14 Ad Hoc Committees

The Commodore may create ad hoc committees and appoint their members as he or she considers desirable in particular circumstances. In doing so, the Commodore shall prepare a written description of the responsibilities and, when necessary, the authority of the Committee.

ARTICLE IX - FLEET REPRESENTATIVES, COUNCIL, CAPTAIN

Section 1 Fleet Representatives

No later than Labor Day of each year, each one-design fleet, any PHRF fleet, and the Power Fleet shall report to the Commodore the name of one of its members who will be its Fleet Representative. Each representative shall be a member of the Fleet Council and shall serve for one year beginning October 1. The Commodore may appoint a Fleet Representative for a fleet that has not named one.

Section 2 Fleet Council

The Fleet Council shall meet when necessary to discuss matters of mutual interest, make recommendations for Board consideration, and act on decisions

of the Board. Annually before December 31, the Council shall propose to the Rear Commodore the following year's schedule for Club races and any regattas requested by fleets.

Section 3 Fleet Captain

The Commodore shall appoint one member of the Fleet Council to be its chairman and Fleet Captain, to represent the Fleet Council at Board of Directors meetings and to report on fleet activities and other relevant matters at the Annual Meeting.

ARTICLE X - COMPETITION IN CLUB RACES

Section 1 Eligibility

To be eligible to compete in Club races, a boat's helmsperson and owner shall be a Regular, Senior, Intermediate, Junior, Honorary Service or Honorary Life Club member in good standing. A boat failing to comply with this requirement may be disqualified, subject to a hearing, in races sailed when not in compliance, and shall be barred from further competition until in compliance.

Section 2 Registration

A boat owned or controlled wholly or in part by one or more Club members wishing to compete in Club races shall be enrolled in a fleet by being registered with the Secretary. Except with prior approval of the chairman of the Race Committee, an unregistered boat may not compete in Club races or represent the Club in other events.

Section 3 Racing Rules

Club races shall be governed by *The Racing Rules of Sailing* published by World Sailing, the prescriptions of the United States Sailing Association, class rules, and the Club Sailing Instructions.

Section 4 Trophies, Prizes, and Awards

Trophies, prizes, and awards shall be presented in recognition of racing achievement or service to the Club. Perpetual trophies may be donated to the Club if approved by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE XI - STAFF

Section 1 Executive Secretary

An Executive Secretary may be employed by the Executive Committee upon the recommendation of the Commodore and shall report directly to the Commodore. The Board of Directors shall determine the Executive Secretary's duties and compensation.

Section 2 Club Manager

A Club Manager may be employed by the Executive Committee upon the recommendation of the Vice Commodore and shall report directly to the Vice Commodore. The Board of Directors shall determine the Manager's duties and compensation.

Section 3 Other Staff

Other staff necessary for the Club's operations may be employed within the limitations of the annual budget.

ARTICLE XII - FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS OF MEMBERS

The financial obligations of members, including initiation fees, membership dues, charges for goods and services purchased from the Club, and penalties for late

payment, shall be as stated in the Club Regulations. Special assessments may be levied on members for specific purposes, but only after being approved at a Regular or Special Membership Meeting by the affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the members present or represented by proxy and eligible to vote. A proposal to authorize an assessment or to discuss matters that would involve an assessment shall be in writing and mailed to members at least 30 days before the meeting at which it will be considered.

ARTICLE XIII - LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY

Section 1 Liability of Directors and Officers

Except as otherwise provided by law, no director or officer shall be liable to the Club, or any person asserting rights on behalf of the Club, its creditors, or any other person, for damages, settlements, fees, fines, penalties or other monetary liabilities arising from a breach of, or failure to perform, any duty resulting solely from his or her status as a director or officer, unless the person asserting liability proves that the breach or failure to perform constitutes (a) a willful failure to deal fairly with the Club in connection with a matter in which the director or officer has a material conflict of interest; (b) a violation of criminal law, unless the director or officer had reasonable cause to believe his or her conduct was lawful or no reasonable cause to believe his or her conduct was unlawful; (c) a transaction from which the director or officer derived an improper personal profit or benefit; or (d) willful misconduct.

Section 2 Indemnity of Directors and Officers

The Club shall indemnify a director or officer, to the extent he or she has been successful on the merits or otherwise in the defense of any threatened, pending or completed civil, criminal, administrative or investigative action, suit, arbitration or other proceeding, whether formal or informal, which involves foreign, federal, state or local law and which is brought by or in the right of the Club or by any other person, for all reasonable expenses, including fees, costs, charges, disbursements and attorney fees, incurred in the proceeding, provided the director or officer was a party because he or she is a director or officer of the Club, and in all other cases, the Club shall indemnify a director or officer against liability, including judgments, settlements, penalties, assessment, forfeitures, fines, including any excise tax assessed with respect to an employee benefit plan, and reasonable expenses, incurred by the director or officer in the proceeding, provided the director or officer was a party because he or she is a director or officer of the Club, unless the liability was incurred because the director or officer breached or failed to perform a duty he or she owes to the Club and the breach or failure to perform constitutes (a) a willful failure to deal fairly with the Club in connection with the matter in which the director or officer has a material conflict of interest; (b) a violation of criminal law, unless the director or officer had reasonable cause to believe that his or her conduct was lawful or no reasonable cause to believe that his or her conduct was unlawful; (c) a transaction from which the director or officer derived an improper personal profit or benefit; or (d) willful misconduct.

The termination of a proceeding by judgment, order, settlement or conviction, or upon a plea of no contest or an equivalent plea, shall not, by itself, create a presumption that indemnification of the director or officer is not required under this bylaw. No indemnification is required under this bylaw to the extent the officer or director has previously received indemnification, reimbursement or allowance of expenses from any person, including the Club, in connection with the same proceeding. Determination of whether indemnification is required under

this bylaw shall be made by the means provided pursuant to Section 181.0873 of the Wisconsin Statutes.

The Club, by its Board of Directors, may indemnify in a like manner, or with any limitations, any employee or agent of the Club who is not a director or officer with respect to any action taken or not taken in his or her capacity as such employee or agent. The foregoing rights of indemnification shall be in addition to all rights to which directors, officers, employees or agents may be entitled as a matter of law, by resolution of the board of directors, or by written agreement with the Club. All terms used in this Section 5.2 for which a definition is provided in Section 181.0871 of the Wisconsin Statutes and not otherwise herein defined shall have the meaning set forth in said statute.

ARTICLE XIV - FISCAL YEAR

The Club's fiscal year shall be the calendar year.

ARTICLE XV - AMENDMENTS

These Bylaws may be amended only by the membership. A proposal to amend the Bylaws shall be considered at the next Regular Membership Meeting, and the Secretary shall mail or send electronically written notice of the proposal to the membership at least 30 days before the date of the meeting. The Bylaws may be amended only by the affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the membership in attendance or represented by proxy and eligible to vote.



This 1940s photo from the John Meyer Collection shows A-Scows at the LGYC pier: I-40, Mel Jones; I-44, the Clifford brothers; I-77, Fred Gartz.

Regulations Related to Bylaws

ARTICLE II - MEMBERSHIP

Section 3 Membership Categories

The Lake Geneva Yacht Club and the Geneva Lake Sailing School are two separate organizations. Membership in either organization does not automatically imply membership in the other organization.

Section 4 Member's Family

Parents of Junior Members do not enjoy privileges associated with club membership, unless they are members in their own right.

Section 6 Change of Membership Category

Members are able to convert to Regular Membership provided that they have shown an interest in or have historically participated in the sailing program. (See below). The membership request should be submitted through the normal membership application process.

Regular Members are able to convert to a different membership category upon submission of a request to the Membership Committee and approval of that request by the Board of Directors.

Section 7 Membership Privileges

Regular Members

Regular members shall be limited to members who are currently participating or have historically participated in the sailing program by purchasing a sail boat, regularly crewing, or serving on the Race Committee. Regular members shall have voting privileges and shall be eligible to hold office in accordance with the Bylaws. Regular members shall have boat launching privileges, shall be eligible for a boat slip, subject to the regulations below, and to store boats on-site at storage rates set by the Board of Directors. Regular members shall be eligible for preferred car parking and dining reservations as may be provided by the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors may limit the number of Regular members. As of June 6, 2015, that number shall be 175.

Senior Members

Senior membership shall be available to any regular member who applies for such membership and has met the requirements as set forth in the Bylaws. Senior members have voting privileges and shall be eligible to hold office in accordance with the Bylaws. Senior members shall have boat launching privileges, shall be eligible for a boat slip, subject to the regulations below, and to store boats on-site at storage rates set by the Board of Directors. Senior members shall be eligible for preferred car parking and preferred dining reservations as may be provided by the Board of Directors.

Intermediate Members

Intermediate membership shall be subject to the age requirements as set forth in the Bylaws. Intermediate members shall have the all of the privileges of a Regular member except for eligibility for boat slips and preferred car parking.

Associate Members

Associate members shall not have voting privileges, shall not be eligible to hold office in accordance with the Bylaws nor may they act as helmsperson for

an official Club race. Associate members shall not be eligible for a boat slip. Associate members may store boats on-site, subject to availability, at the storage rates set by the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors may limit the number of Associate members. As of December 5, 2015, that number shall be limited to 50% of the voting members at the time any such Associate member may be approved. Associate members shall not be eligible for preferred car parking and dining reservations.

Associate Members shall have boat launching privileges. Associate Members who own a power boat are required to attend LGYC power boating orientation to provide instruction on how to operate a power boat around the Club and while watching races.

Off-Season Dining Member

Off-Season Dining Memberships valid between October 1 and April 30, shall be available to individuals who have expressed interest in the purposes and activities of the Lake Geneva Yacht Club and complete an Off-Season Dining Membership application for approval by the Membership Committee. Off-Season Dining Members shall not have voting privileges nor shall they be eligible to hold office. The Board of Directors may limit the number of Off-Season Dining Members. As of October 1 2018, that number shall be limited to 30% of the voting members at the time any such Off-Season Dining Member may be approved. An Off-Season Dining Member shall be liable for a membership fee set by the Board. If Off-Season Dining Members elect to convert their membership to another membership category they must reapply through the standard application process and will be subject to full initiation fees. The Board of Directors reserves the right to restrict and regulate this category of membership.

Non-resident Members

Non-resident members shall be subject to the residency requirements as set forth in the Bylaws. Non-resident members shall have all of the privileges of a Regular member. Non-resident members shall not be included in "Seniority" with Regular and Senior members, but rather shall be included in a separate category of Non-resident members. No further applications for this category will be accepted effective May 28, 2016.

Geneva Lake Sailing School Instructors

Sailing School instructors have no special benefits regarding membership, boat storage, racing, scoring, or trophies.

Non-members

Non-members may purchase club items.

Boat Launching Privileges

Members using boat-launching privileges must follow the guidelines outlined to all members. The Board of Directors may limit the number of and/or frequency of member boat launching as well as trailer parking and storage. Members must be cognizant of the sailing schedule (i.e. no launching during pre-race rigging, etc.). Launching and docking priority shall be given first to racing sailboats, then pleasure sailboats, and then motor boats. Power yachts shall use only the windward side of the piers and shall not restrict the sailing yachts in any way. Members should obtain and observe the power boating guidelines available through the Club Manager.

ARTICLE V - BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Section 3 Meetings of Directors

Board meetings are open to the general membership. Meeting dates are posted on the LGYC website. Members are welcome to attend.

Section 4 Election of Directors and Terms of Service

Board meeting minutes should reflect attendance as outlined by the Bylaws.

ARTICLE X - COMPETITION IN CLUB RACES

Section 1 Eligibility

Members may petition the Board of Directors to form new fleets. The Rear Commodore may propose dissolution of a fleet when the fleet fails to participate in scheduled races or the number of registered boats in that fleet is less than three.

Section 4 Trophies, Prizes, and Awards

Polished perpetual trophies, prizes and awards shall be returned to the club office by June 15th following the year they were awarded.

Winners of the following perpetual trophies, prizes, and award will continue to have their names engraved on the trophies and may have their pictures taken with the trophy at the club; however the trophies are not to leave the club due their historical significance, condition, and importance. Jointly, the Trophy Committee and History and Archives Committee shall bring to the Board of Directors for approval any additions or deletions of any perpetual trophies, prizes, and awards to this list. Sheridan Prize (Class A); Charles H. Wacker Trophy (Class A); Dr. Otto L. Schmidt (Class A); H.H. Porter Trophy (calligraphy book) (Class A); I-4 Model (Class A); Folly Prize (Class E); The Expert Challenge Cup (Class E); A.F. Gartz Jr. Memorial Trophy (Class E); Dirigo Trophy (Class E); L.Z. Leiter Trophy (Class C); Whitewing Trophy (Class C); Shadyside Cannon (Sonar).

ARTICLE XII - FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS OF MEMBERS

All Dues and Fees are determined by the Board of Directors in connection with the approval of the annual budget. Regular, Senior, Associate and Intermediate members are also subject to a minimum annual restaurant charge. Once members have paid their minimum annual restaurant charge they will not be required to commit to any additional restaurant charges that year. For the purpose of membership classification, effective May 28, 2016, ages shall be determined as of January 1 of the current year. Effective January 1, 2016, members shall be billed monthly for 1/12 of the annual dues. New member dues shall be billed and payable following approval of application for membership. Wisconsin sales tax shall be added to all dues and fees.

An Initiation Fee is to accompany Application for Membership for all applicants over age 32. Applicants who were previously members will pay the difference between the current Initiation Fee of the Membership Category for which they are joining and the Initiation Fee(s) previously paid. Members in good standing moving from intermediate to regular membership are not required to pay an additional Initiation Fee. For those under age 32 there is no Initiation Fee. Initiation Fee is waived for surviving spouse following death and for divorced spouse if joining the year following the divorce.

Membership Dues shall be determined and billed as directed by the Board of Directors as noted above. The following guidelines are currently in effect.

Senior Member: Dues are approximately 2/3 of the Regular Member dues.

Intermediate Member: Dues shall be as determined by the Board.

Nonresident Member: Dues are approximately 1/2 of the Regular Member dues.

Junior Member: Dues are approximately 1/5 of Regular Member dues. Payment shall be included with the Application for Membership. Dues are billed in full in January. Junior Member parents are not allowed to purchase alcohol.

Boat Storage

Storage Fees shall be determined and billed as directed by the Board of Directors. The following guidelines are currently in effect.

Summer and Winter Dry Land Storage

Summer Season (May 1-November 1)

Fees for racing classes shall be based on boat length. Cruise/non-racing boats have a separate fee. If a yacht has multiple owners, all owners must be members. Responsibility for dry land storage charges for a multiple-owner yacht is determined by her owners; i.e., bill one or bill all equally.

For those storing multiple racing boats, the most expensive is charged at full rate, the next most expensive is given a 10% discount, and all others are given a 15% discount.

Partial Season Boat Storage

Mooring charge billed monthly is 50% of Full Season; charges billed weekly are 30% of the monthly charge.

Indoor Summer Boat Storage

Fees are determined as noted above for powerboats with in/out privileges, for non-use storage, for summer trailer storage, and for iceboat storage.

Winter Season (November 1-May 1)

Fees are based on the length of the boat. Outside winter storage is 1/2 the inside storage rate. Boats owned by non-members are charged double the member rate. Winter shore station storage charges for non-members are twice the member rate.

Regulations Relating to Club Boat Slips

The objective of having slips rented at the LGYC is to provide its members with affordable access to Lake Geneva and foster our core objective of competitive sailing. Boat slips will be made available to regular or senior members only, at a fee determined by the Board of Directors on a seasonal basis. 2023 fee is \$4000 plus tax. The Vice Commodore will initially maintain current slips assignment to regular or senior members in good standing who have rented a slip during the previous season. Members renting slips from the previous year will be invoiced in April of each year. All slip fees must be paid and a signed copy of these regulations must be received within 30 days of the invoice date or the slip rental may be forfeited.

If a current slip renter surrenders their slip, they have a one-time option to pay \$500 to be placed on the top of the wait list and remain on the wait list until

the next slip becomes available to them. If there is already a member who has surrendered a slip, the second person surrendering will be number two on the list and so forth. If the opportunity to rent the slip is declined, the member may have their name removed from the wait list or pay \$500 to exercise a one-time option to remain on the wait list, in present queue until the next slip becomes available to them. The space will be offered to the next qualified member on the list.

The waiting list will be maintained by the Vice Commodore and the Executive Secretary and will be open only to regular and senior members in good standing. Good Standing: For purposes of this regulation, good standing shall mean the member's account shall not be more than 30 days past due. Members not in good standing may be removed from the wait list and may forfeit their assigned slip.

The maximum boat size is 28 feet and 11,000 pounds. Members are encouraged to put their boats on lifts. Boats weighing over 5,500 pounds and all powerboats are required to use lifts. All costs associated with lift and platform, procurement, installation, removal, utilities, maintenance and storage are the slip renter's responsibility. Boats not on a lift are required to be properly moored with dock lines, snubbers and spring lines to help minimize damage to the piers. All damages incurred due to inadequate mooring will be billed to the member. No canopies are allowed.

The slip rented by a LGYC member at the LGYC pier is non-transferable. The LGYC slip and the LGYC pier may be used only by the slip-renting member and by said member's guests. If at any time the slip or pier is used for financial gain, it shall result in immediate termination of the use of the LGYC slip by that member. Except for unusual circumstances that are approved in advance by the Vice Commodore, no slip may be occupied by a boat that is not registered in the member's name. Temporary slip mooring arrangements may be permitted by the Vice Commodore for unique circumstances such as regattas and boat shows, etc. Failure to meet the requirements set forth above will result in a written notification to the member. Compliance shall be required within 10 days or the member will be required to forfeit the rented slip and any paid fees. If a member's boat is removed for non-compliance it will be removed at the owner's expense.

Approved by Board of Directors on February 1, 2014

Reciprocity

LGYC extends reciprocal privileges to Yacht Club members of clubs that allow the same privileges to our members.

Reciprocal Members must present either their current Club membership card or a letter of introduction from their Club. Once reciprocity is verified, Reciprocal Members may use the facilities 5 times during the season of Memorial Day to Labor Day. Reciprocal Members may charge restaurant, bar, and clothing and shall pay at the time of purchase by credit card. LGYC does not bill back to the reciprocal member's home Club. LGYC reserves the right to restrict and to regulate this privilege.

Membership at the LGYC includes the privilege of visiting other clubs that recognize LGYC as a Reciprocal Club. It is advisable that the LGYC Member contact any club they plan to visit in advance. LGYC Members may charge at Reciprocal Clubs and shall pay at the time of purchase.

Special Member Services

Trophy engraving, US Sailing membership, etc., will be billed to members with no additional surcharges.

Credit Card Payments

Credit cards shall be charged at the time of billing. Statements shall be stamped "Paid by Credit Card."

Intermediate, Non-Resident, Junior and Associate Members are required to have a credit card on file with the Club Office. Credit cards will be charged for any amounts which are 30 days past due.

Accounts Receivable

Terms: Net 30 days: Billing monthly; a late fee of \$25 will be charged each month on any account with a balance over 60 days past due.

After 60 days: Any member whose account is past due 60 days will not be scored in LGYC racing until said account is brought current by payment in full and said member so advises the Treasurer or accountant, who, in turn, shall promptly so advise the scorer. Resumption of scoring is not retroactive.

After 90 days: All "charge" privileges are removed and member will be put on a COD basis and posted as a past due account.

After 120 days: Member will be referred to the Board of Directors for appropriate action. The Board may enter into a payment plan and may require posting of a credit card for all future account charges. The Board may expel the member, pursuant to the Bylaws. Following expulsion, the Board may proceed to collection activities through a collection agency or attorney, as it deems appropriate. Action may be posted. An account shall not be turned over to a collection agency until a member has been expelled.

LGYC charges to regattas

The Club as a whole should not subsidize specific regattas, which should be self-supporting. A daily rate for the use of the Flagship will be determined by the Board of Directors based on driver's salary, gas, and maintenance costs. For GLSS regattas, the daily rate is based only on salary and gas. Utility and maintenance charges for the Clubhouse are determined by the Board of Directors.

Authority to Enter Into Various Agreements

When entering into various agreements in connection with the operation of its facilities and related activities, including but not limited to service and maintenance agreements, entertainment, catering, insurance contract and agreements and agreements related to the purchase or improvement of capital assets, the Club Manager, Treasurer, or Commodore are authorized to sign such contracts and agreements to the extent included in the approved annual budget, subject to the following limitations:

The Club Manager is authorized to enter into such contracts and agreements for service and maintenance, catering and entertainment, not to exceed \$1,000 subject to prior approval by the Treasurer. The Treasurer is authorized to enter into any such agreement, not to exceed \$5,000. The Commodore is also so authorized in the absence of the Treasurer. The Commodore and Treasurer are authorized to jointly enter into any contract in excess of \$5,000 but not to exceed \$10,000. Any contract in excess of \$10,000 must be approved by the Board of Directors whether

or not it is included in the approved annual budget.

POLICIES RELATED TO HOUSE, GROUNDS, and WATERFRONT RULES

Building Rule - Alcoholic Beverages

All alcoholic beverages will be distributed according to Wisconsin State Statutes.

Grounds Rule 7 - Alcoholic Beverages

No alcoholic beverages will be given away on the last day of a regatta.

Maple Hills Association (property to the east of LGYC)

LGYC and GLSS boats are requested to stay clear of the mooring area at Maple Hills. LGYC may not use Maple Hills pier or bouys for mooring boats. There will be no eating, playing, swimming, etc. by LGYC members or their guests at the Maple Hills pier or elsewhere. Effective September 2016, Maple Hills members may not use the LGYC launch ramp.

OTHER POLICIES

Boat Driver

Boat 2 driver may go out on the water alone.

Trophies

As determined by the Board of Directors and as stated in deeds of gift, some active trophies of historic significance remain at the Yacht Club. Trophies that are inactive or that the Board has retired also reside at the Yacht Club unless otherwise stated in deeds of gift or directed by the Board.

Guest Sailing Policy (Provisional Racing Guidelines)

Guests must be invited to participate in the “Provisional Racing” by an existing LGYC member who is currently in good standing with the membership. Guests may participate in no more than three races per season. Guests must have a discussion with the Fleet Captain prior to their first race to ensure the guest is aware of the “fleet history/status” and to prevent any potential problems of interfering with race series results. Guests will sail with full rights outlined in the LGYC Sailing Instructions (SI), but must “duck out” prior to the finish to avoid any confusion to the LGYC members. Guests shall not be considered in determining minimum fleet size for race scoring as prescribed in SI 17.1. Guests will not be scored for the time he/she is not a member, and shall not be scored retroactively should they join LGYC at a later date.

Sail Number Allocation Procedure

Only members of the Lake Geneva Yacht Club will be assigned “I” (ILYA lake designation) numbers for classes A, E, C, and X (and any other fleets that the ILYA may include in this program.)

Each member may be assigned one number to be used in all fleets. The member must own a boat in one of the designated fleets. If a member owns more than one boat in any fleet, additional numbers may be assigned for that fleet only.

Numbers may be loaned on an **annual basis** if the member loaning the number agrees in writing to the Secretary (on the LGYC Board of Directors) or the Executive Secretary. The LGYC office will maintain a record of number assignments and waiting list for number assignments.

If the member does not own and race a boat in any of the designated fleets for a period of five years, with the exception of a past Commodore, the number automatically will be released or assigned to the next person on the waiting list.

If a member has been inducted into the National Sailing Hall of Fame, the member may ask that their number be held for use by their direct descendants or retired from use.

If the membership is discontinued for any reason, the number that it held will become available first to any active membership that is a direct descendent of the discontinued membership, then to other memberships on the basis of the waiting list. This policy is retroactive for four years; i.e., if a yacht has not raced during the past four years, she may race in the fifth year to retain her number.

HOUSE RULES

House Rules enable members of the Lake Geneva Yacht Club (LGYC) and Geneva Lake Sailing School (GLSS) to fully enjoy our facilities with minimum inconvenience to themselves, other members, and our neighbors. Please bring these rules to the attention of your family and guests. The conduct of family members and guests is the responsibility of the member. Everyone's cooperation is expected and appreciated.

1. Club hours will be posted on the Official Notice Board.
2. The LGYC and the GLSS will not be held responsible or liable for loss or damage to any private property that may be brought to the clubhouse, grounds and premises. Boats are stored at owner's risk.
3. Amendments and changes to House Rules will be posted on the Official Notice Board.
4. While participating in GLSS events and classes, children will be under the supervision of the GLSS. At all other times, children should be under the supervision of their parents or other adults selected by their parents. LGYC assumes no responsibility for the safety of our young people.
5. No pets are allowed in the clubhouse or on the grounds at any time.
6. Members may reserve LGYC facilities for private entertainment. All such reservations should be made with the Operations Manager and are subject to approval of the Executive Committee.
7. Comments and suggestions should be made to the Operations Manager or to any member of the House, Grounds, and Waterfront Committee.

Building

1. The clubhouse is a smoke-free environment.
2. The LGYC telephone is to be used for Yacht Club and Sailing School business only.
3. The office is private and to be used only by Yacht Club and Sailing School officials and Race Committee personnel.
4. Bathing suits may not be worn in the clubhouse. Men shall wear shirts in the clubhouse. Bare feet are not allowed. Hats should not be worn during dinner service in the dining room (carpeted area).
5. No one under the age of 21 will be served alcoholic beverages.
6. No one under the age of 21 without adequate supervision shall be allowed in the bar area while alcoholic beverages are being served.
7. No flammable or toxic liquids may be stored in the clubhouse or other buildings by members or guests.

Grounds

1. All federal, state, county and village ordinances, rules and regulations applying to the use, operation, ownership and safety of boats and equipment shall apply to the waterfront and piers of LGYC.
2. Space available for parking is limited. Please cooperate.
3. Trailers shall be parked in assigned spaces only.
4. Unlicensed motor vehicles are not permitted on LGYC property.
5. Only persons holding a valid driver's license may operate a motor vehicle on the premises.
6. No picnicking shall be allowed on LGYC grounds while the kitchen is open.
7. No alcoholic beverages shall be consumed anywhere on LGYC grounds but the restaurant and bar area during posted hours except for regattas and special social functions.
8. It is in violation of our liquor license for members or guests to bring on the premises or consume on the premises any liquor not purchased from LGYC.
9. All flammable or hazardous materials by necessity present on boats in assigned dry storage spaces must be in proper containers in compliance with all state and federal regulations. This includes fuel lubricants and batteries. No other flammable, corrosive, or hazardous substances shall be stored on the premises by members or guests.
10. All vessels and equipment shall be removed from the LGYC storage lot and waterfront by November 1 and may not be returned until after April 30, unless arrangements have been made for inside or outside storage with the Operations Manager. To accommodate regattas, members may also be asked to relocate vessels on the property or temporarily completely remove them from the property. Any yacht not so moved may be moved by the LGYC or its agents at the owner's expense and risk incurring storage charges.
11. LGYC is not responsible for members' yachts, equipment, or personal gear of any kind, nor is it responsible for their personal safety.

Property Use Grounds Guidelines

With the increase in membership in the last few years, we have seen an increase in activity around the property. To provide a safe environment for both people and their boats, we are implementing regulations.

- All buildings will be locked utilizing a keypad entry system. All members with boats/trailers will have access to the code to enter buildings.
- Anyone under the age of 16 will require adult permission/supervision to enter buildings 1, 2 and 3.
- Building 4, under the supervision of GLSS, will restrict access but allow Junior and Senior Sailors whose boats are dry stored there to gain access when they intend to sail.
- During off sailing hours when it's dark, all access to the property South of the Club will be off limits to those under the age of 16.
- Those under the age of 16 require permission/supervision to access grounds South of the Club except while passing on the driveway

Waterfront

1. Members shall not block access to the hoists at any time unless they are waiting to launch or come out. Please have crew members on hand to hoist quickly and return vehicle and trailer to their assigned space without delay.
2. After launching, members should move their boats down the pier to make room for others.
3. All skippers are requested to rig their boats and leave the pier area as quickly as possible after launching. When returning, skippers are requested to limit

their mooring to the time necessary to de-rig and hoist their boats from the water.

4. No boats may use neighboring piers at any time without special permission from the neighbors.
 5. Hoists should be "tied down" when not in use.
 6. Power yachts shall use only the windward side of the piers and shall not restrict the sailing yachts in any way.
 7. Sails must not be hung on the flagpole. Sails should be attended if spread on the grass.
 8. Launching and docking priority shall be given first to racing sailboats, then pleasure sailboats, and then motor boats.
 9. Please be aware there is no lifeguard on duty. Swim at your own risk.
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This drawing by Ted Brennan appeared on the cover of a 1966 issue of the Class E magazine. It shows E-Scows behind the second Lake Geneva Yacht Club clubhouse.

Geneva Lake Sailing School

Geneva Lake Sailing School is dedicated to enhancing personal development through teaching the skills of sailing. We provide the means to advance sailors to their full potential resulting in life-long enjoyment of the sport of sailing and racing. We are committed to creating an atmosphere where sportsmanship, teamwork, and competitive spirit can all be enjoyed. GLSS sailors are winners when they try to do their best.

For more than 80 years, the Geneva Lake Sailing School has served the community with youth sailing programs that emphasize self-reliance and confidence. Today, our diverse classes provide an opportunity for individuals of all ages to start sailing, develop their skills, and ultimately compete at the highest local and national levels. In recent years GLSS expanded its keel-boat programs to providing sailing opportunities to people of all ages.

The GLSS staff is led by Executive Director Marek Valasek, a former Olympic sailor with more than two decades of experience running comprehensive sailing programs. Our coaches and instructors are certified by US Sailing and are GLSS graduates and sailors from the area. Thanks to the state-of-the-art Buddy Melges Sailing Center, we can continue our teaching traditions in a modern facility that offers an outstanding learning environment.



Team Geneva - X Inland Championship 2022 Clear Lake, Iowa. Lindsay Valasek photo

In 2016, GLSS started the Buddy Melges Sailing Team, a racing program held during the off-season months that promotes youth sailing at regional, national, and international levels in the Optimist Dinghy and ILCA (Laser) classes. Below is a list and brief description of GLSS programs.

Geneva Lake Sailing School Youth Programs

KinderPram (ages 4-6) is an easy introduction to sailing. This unique program is a safe, interactive experience requiring one adult parent or guardian to accompany each student enrolled. Students ride in Prams along with an instructor and engage in land-based nautical lessons and games to learn new skills.

Pram Camp (ages 7-10) and **420 Camp** (ages 11-17) are great options for beginner-to-intermediate level sailors. Students work together to learn and refine points of sail, boat rigging, terminology, and basic steering skills.

Opti Camp (ages 8-11) Opti Camp is a beginner/intermediate level sailing course for kids who have completed Pram Camp or a similar program. Participants start sailing Optimist Dinghies on their own and learn how to steer all points of sail to master going around a simple triangle course. After the completion of this course the sailors will be ready to continue in either the Optimist Learn to Race program or the Youth Reachers.

Optimist Learn to Race (ages 8-13) takes over where Opti Camp leaves off. It is the perfect next step for young sailors who are interested in learning the fundamentals of racing and are getting ready to join the Optimist Race Team. Coaching is provided at regional regattas.

Youth Reachers (ages 8-12) and **Teen Reachers** (ages 13-18) are intermediate to advanced-level classes. Racing rules are introduced and the focus is on fun while building lifelong sailing skills. Boats used in the class include O'pen Bics, 420s, Sonars, Windsurfers, and Paddle Boards and this year we will be adding Wing Sails to our offering.

Optimist Race Team (ages 8-15) is a summer-long advanced sailing program offering a positive team setting where young sailors can learn and apply advanced racing skills. Our curriculum stresses advanced boat handling, sail trim, techniques, race strategy, and tactics. Drills both on and off the water will prepare sailors for local regattas where we will provide coaching.

X-Boat Race Team (ages 8-16) is a classic summer-long program which offers racers daily challenges through drills, lessons, social activities, and competition from club and regatta racing. The X-Boat racing curriculum stresses advanced boat handling and sail trim techniques, race strategy and tactical introductions, and sportsmanship.

Singlehanded Race Team (ages 12-18) is a program created for sailors who want to experience the thrill of sailing in a high-performance boat. Open to Melges 14 and ILCA (formerly Laser) classes, the Singlehanded Race Team offers an opportunity to get together and sail in a safe and structured environment with emphasis on fun and getting better. The ILCA and Melges 14 sailing platforms with three different sized sails allow for the power of the boat to be adjusted to conditions and the weight of the students as they progress. Sailors must provide their own boat for this course.

Melges 15 Program (ages 9-17) is our newest offering that sprang from an immediate success of the M15 “Boat of the Year.” The doublehander with asymmetrical spinnaker became an official ILYA class in just a couple of years since introduction. GLSS Melges 15 program will cater to youth sailors, providing lessons on Thursdays and Fridays. The Sailing School has purchased six M15s to support those sailors who do not own the boat. The fleet is also available for charter for LGYC races and selected regattas.

GLSS Adult and Family Sailing Opportunities

Women on the Water (WOW) is a program launched in 2018 to encourage women with any type of sailing experience to sail. WOW participates in the LGYC Thursday Night Race Series in Sonars. In 2020 the WOW program expanded to offer training for novice sailors and racing teams alike.

Geneva Lake Sailing Tour is a three-hour sail, skippered by one of our experienced sailing instructors. You are welcome to try as a skipper or crew, or you can simply sit back and enjoy the ride. The time will also include rigging lessons and basic sailing terminology. Families with children are welcome. GLSS members including LGYC members who have not opted out of the GLSS monthly contribution, are eligible for a 10% discount of the Lake Sailing Tour.

US Sailing Basic Keelboat Certification is either two full weekends or nine individual classes. This is a complete course for anyone interested in a comprehensive course to learn how to sail with confidence. Following US Sailing’s curriculum and taught by a certified US Sailing keelboat instructor, this is a 27-hour course. Each session is documented in an official US Sailing Logbook.

Boat Charters are for skippers with a keelboat certification or verifiable sailing resume. Sailors can charter our Sonar for a sail on the lake. Families with children are welcome. GLSS members, including LGYC members who have not opted out of the GLSS contribution, are eligible for a \$50 discount off the Sonar charter.

The logo features the year '2022' in a large, bold, black font. The '0' is replaced by a circular emblem containing a stylized sailboat on a blue and white background, with the text 'LAKE GENEVA YC' curved around the bottom. Above the '20' is a red and black flag, and above the '22' is a white flag with the letters 'I L Y A' in red. Below the year, the word 'CHAMPIONSHIP' is written in a large, bold, black font.



Lake Geneva Yacht Club hosted the 2022 Inland Lake Yachting Association Annual Championship last August for just under 200 boats in classes A, C, E, and MC. The 2023 Inland is scheduled for LGYC, August 16 - 20, the 20th time Lake Geneva has held the event. Hannah Noll photo

Inland Lakes Yachting Association Inland Championship Lake Geneva Yacht Club - August 2022

Class A First Place I-18 *Smiles*: Skipper Bo Freytag

Crew left to right: Harry Melges IV, Ripley Shelley, Bo, Ryan Ripkey,
Alex Vondersitt, Brit Vondersitt, Finn Rowe Hannah Noel photo



Schedule of Events LGYC 2023

GLSS MELGES 15 REGATTA	MAY 13-14
E SPRING REGATTA	MAY 20-21
LGYC SPRING MEETING	MAY 27
BACK TO THE LAKE CELEBRATION	MAY 27
4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION	JULY 1
GLSS DINGHYFEST	JULY 10-14
ILYA X INLAND	JULY 30-AUGUST 2
WOODEN BOAT AND CAR SHOW	AUGUST 6
ILYA ANNUAL CHAMPIONSHIP	AUGUST 16-20
SHERIDAN PRIZE RACE.....	AUGUST 26
CHARLES H. WACKER RACE	SEPTEMBER 2
LGYC ANNUAL MEETING	SEPTEMBER 2
TROPHY DINNER.....	SEPTEMBER 2
OLD GUARD RACE	SEPTEMBER 10
M24 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP	OCTOBER 6-8



In November, Chapman Petersen, a freshman at Stanford University, won the 2022 Inter-Collegiate Sailing Association Men's Singlehanded National Championship title. In February 2023, he qualified to compete in the Pan American Games. Ben Schill photo

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