

43rd Annual LTYC Mayor's Cup



Sept 25-27, 2020
Lake Townsend Yacht Club
Greensboro, NC

NOTICE OF RACES

Special Notices (Covid 19):

Please come to the regatta and have fun!

We all need to work together to have a safe regatta which will require:

Practice social distancing in accordance with published NC guidelines.

Wearing a mask will be required while on docks and in the vicinity of others.

In accordance with NC 2.5 guidelines, there will be a 50 participant limit. Register early! Registration will not be available at the site! Beach boat launching will not be available.

Skippers meeting will be via Zoom online as noted in the NOR.

Please print your own sailing instructions from the LTYC website. We will not be able to "hand" these out.

Notices and communications will be posted on the official notice board on the side of the storage building at the marina. A set of SI's will be posted, available for taking photos with phones. Please do not touch these.

There are no scheduled socials (sorry).

Please see attached LTYC operating procedures for race days for additional information.

Now, on to the regular NOR:

Lake Townsend Yacht Club invites you to the 2020 Mayor's Cup Regatta at Lake Townsend, just north of Greensboro, NC. Lake Townsend is a gem of a lake with easy course access and minimal motorboat. Come join the fun! Compete to get your name on the Bryan or Mayor's Cup perpetual trophies!

1 RULES

The Regatta will be governed by the *rules* as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).

2 ELIGIBILITY AND CREW

All classes of sailboats with active US Sailing Portsmouth numbers are invited to compete. All boats must have a number on their mainsail.

3 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Please check the official notice board on the side of the storage shed for any announcements and official notifications. We will not be able to conduct meetings to make group announcements.

Friday, Sept. 27

1300-1800 Tune-up sailing - check in at Marina office before launching. An additional launch fee may be required for sailing on Friday.
Boats may be rigged and left overnight
Notify Marina office of name and phone number if leaving overnight.

19:30 Skippers meeting **online** via Zoom meeting, see below:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5251030115?pwd=MDN2QmtMbHVIS2NTbjUzV3VmQU4rQT09>

LTYC will send this link out with SI's so you don't have to type it all.

Saturday, Sept 28

1130 1st Warning signal – Additional races to follow

Sunday, Sept 29

1030 1st Warning signal – Additional races to follow
No warning signal will be made after 1430.
Awards will be announced online after the even and mailed to the winners!

4 REGISTRATION

Register online at <http://laketownsendyachtclub.com/racing/MayorsCup.asp>
To register by mail, please see the form and mailing address attached to this NOR

Cost for the regatta is \$25.00 which includes:

- U.S. Sailing members will receive a \$5 discount
- No social events (Covid 19). We will do what we can safely and legally

5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS AND CHECK-IN

Sailing Instructions and NOR will be posted on the LTYC website by Sept 20, 2020 at <http://laketownsendyachtclub.com> .

6 VENUE

Lake Townsend Marina: 6332 Townsend Rd., Brown Summit, NC 27214.

7 NUMBER OF RACES:

Five (5) races are scheduled with one (1) race constituting a regatta.

8 COURSES

Courses to be sailed as described in the Sailing Instructions.

9 SCORING

Classes with four (4) or more boats will be scored as one-design classes. Open monohull and open multihull classes will be scored if more than 4 boats register for each class. If fewer than 4 monohulls and 4 multihulls register, one open class will be scored. Open monohull and open multihull classes and Bryan Cup will be scored using wind-adjusted Portsmouth handicaps. No scores will be excluded.

10 PRIZES

Trophies will be awarded based on the number of boats in a class that start at least one race. The **Mayor's Cup** is awarded to the winner of the one design class with the highest number of boats that start in at least one race. This trophy honors the City of Greensboro and its over 40 years of support of sailing in the Piedmont. The **Bryan Cup** is awarded to the winner with the highest average number of boats defeated per race in its start (excluding the Mayor's Cup class). This trophy honors Joseph Bryan and the Bryan family for their generosity to the City of Greensboro.

11 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during or after the regatta.

ACCOMODATIONS

Contact AnnMarie Covington at 336-266-5919 or hobieone57@yahoo.com for information.

12 CLEAN REGATTA

- 12.1 We are proud to announce that we have joined the race to restore ocean health with Sailors for the Sea's Clean Regatta program. Protecting our local waters is very important to this regatta and we ask for your help in this effort.
- 12.2 On shore, separate your trash and place recyclables in the appropriate recycling containers which will be available near the ranger station.
- 12.3 We are working to eliminate single use plastics. Utilize reusable water bottles and coffee cups by bringing your own to the regatta.
- 12.4 Please help up leave Lake Townsend Park in better shape than when we arrive by picking up any and all trash that you find. This includes the shoreline and while on the water.

13 QUESTIONS

Contact Robert Bouknight, Regatta Chair at robertb1958@gmail.com .

2020 Mayor's Cup Entry Form

SKIPPER & CREW

Skipper's Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Skipper's Email: _____

Skipper's Address: _____
(Street) (City) (State) (ZIP)

US Sailing Member #: _____ Crew Name(s): _____

BOAT

Class: _____ Sail Number: _____

Boat Name: _____ Club: _____

Regatta Fee Options: (Check **ONE**)

Regular – No Discounts	\$25	_____
US Sailing Member	\$20	_____
Junior Skipper (18 & under) FREE!	\$ 0	_____

Online payment:

By mail or online at <http://laketownsendyachtclub.com/racing/MayorsCup.asp>

Mail-In Registration: Send check (Payable to **LTYC**) and this Registration Form to:

LTYC, Attn: Mayor's Cup Registration, PO Box 4002, Greensboro, NC 27407-4002

Online registration is greatly preferred.