



LIGHTNING CLASS 2010 GREAT LAKES CHAMPIONSHIP

JULY 10-11, 2010

NORTH CAPE YACHT CLUB

LA SALLE, MI

NOTICE OF RACE



1. RULES

- 1.1 This regatta will be governed by the rules as set forth in the current edition of the *Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)*, the prescriptions of US Sailing, the International Lightning Class Association Constitution, By-Laws and Specifications, this Notice of Race, and the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.2 Where a conflict exists between this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions, the Sailing Instructions will govern.
- 1.3 This regatta is classified as an ISAF Category A event.
- 1.4 The ILCA rule entitled “**INFORMATION, Rule 8, Race Conduct, Part (d)**” will not apply. Courses will be configured as shown in the Sailing Instructions “Attachment” and courses may be shortened or changed

2. ELIGIBILITY

This regatta is open to all registered and dues-paying members of the International Lightning Class Association

3. ENTRY FEE – REGISTRATION

- 3.1 All eligible yachts may register by mailing an entry form with payment to:
NCYC One Design Regatta

Send to: North Cape Championships, 2638 Talmadge Rd Toledo, OH 43606

Entries with payment should be received by mail before Friday, July 2, 2010, to qualify for the discounted fee.

Late entries will be accepted by mail before Friday, July 9, or in person at the registration table at North Cape Yacht Club until 9 pm, Friday, July 9.

Regatta fee is \$65 if received with registration form on or before Friday, July 2, 2010.

Late entry fee is \$75 if received after Friday July 2, 2010.

Copies of this Notice of Race and the Entry Form can be obtained online at www.ncyc.net under Great Lakes Regatta July 10-11, 2010

4. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Date	Event	Time
July 9, 2010	Late Registration at NCYC	1900 – 2300 hrs
July 10, 2010	Continental Breakfast	0730 – 0900 hrs
	Skippers' Meeting	1100 hrs
	Warning Signal – Race 1	1130 hrs

Additional races to follow
No race will start after 1700 hrs

Dinner and Party at NCYC 1800 hrs

July 11, 2010 Continental Breakfast 0730 – 0900 hrs

Warning Signal – First Race of the Day 1000 hrs

Additional races to follow

No race will start after 1400 hrs

Awards presentation at NCYC immediately after scoring and protests

5.SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available at North Cape Yacht Club to all registered competitors on Friday, July 9, 2010.

6. VENUE

Directions to North Cape Yacht Club are available on the website at <http://www.ncyc.net/newNCYC/GLchampionships/index.htm>

7. RACING AREA

Racing will take place on the waters of Lake Erie off the North Cape Yacht Club/Toledo Beach Marina cut. The Lightning fleet will sail **north** of the marina entrance/marker.

8. COURSES

Courses will be windward/leeward or triangle courses. Further details will be provided in the Sailing Instructions.

9. SCORING

9.1 The Low Point Scoring System (RRS Appendix A) will be used except that each boat's total score will be the sum of her scores for all races. This changes RRS Appendix A2.

Five races are scheduled. Two races must be completed to constitute a series.

10. PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded to the top five competitors.

11.DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in this 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 or death sustained in connection with, or prior to, during, or after this regatta.

12.For further information, contact:

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