



2009 Notice of Race

LNyc Keelboat Invitational Series Down the Lake

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1 DESCRIPTION

1.1 The 2009 Lake Norman Yacht Club Racing Season on the "Down the Lake" course consists of 8 Club Series Race days as listed in the 2009 Lake Norman Yacht Club Yearbook and on the web "2009 Schedule".

2 RULES

2.1 LNYC Keelboat Invitational Series races will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing 2009-2012 (RRS).

2.2 This event will use the Lake Norman Keelboat Council's Lakewide Sailing Instructions (2009-2012).

3 ELIGIBILITY

3.1 LNYC Keelboat Invitational Series races are open to LNYC members, and nonmembers invited and hosted by LNYC members.

3.2 Participants may enter by completing an entry form and waiver.

4 FUNDAMENTAL RULES AND SAFETY

4.1 Each competitor shall be familiar with the requirements of the RRS, including Part 1 "Fundamental Rules".

5 SCHEDULE

5.1 Competitors shall be prepared for a 1300 Warning Signal for the first race of each day.

5.2 No warning signal will be made after 1600.

* Please join us on LNYC's B-dock following each day of racing for refreshments and camaraderie, and a rehash of the day's racing. All are welcome.

6 SCORING

6.1 Two boats will constitute a fleet.

6.2 "Low Point Scoring" as defined by RRS Appendix A4 will be used.

6.3 "Series Scores" will be computed as stated in RRS Appendix A2 and as stated under Section 7. Additionally, RRS Appendix A9, will be in effect and is modified by deleting the last sentence.

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

7.1 Printed copies of the Lakewide Sailing Instructions will be available at the LNYC Race Management Center before the start of the first race of the season. Additional copies may be printed from the LNKC website (www.lnkc.org).

8 STANDINGS AND AWARDS

8.1 Standings

8.1.1 Standings have qualifying criteria for both the fleet and the individuals or boats within the fleet.

8.1.2 Before a fleet is considered qualified for awards, that fleet must participate in at least 50% of the Club Keelboat Series races sailed in that series.

8.1.3 In calculating the number of races required, decimals will be carried to one place. The values of 0.5 and greater will be rounded up to the nearest whole number, while 0.4 and lower will be rounded down to the nearest whole number.

8.2 Awards

8.2.1 Trophies for the Spring and Fall Series will be awarded to skippers in each qualified fleet that race at least 60% of that fleet's starts.

8.2.2 Only the following are eligible for LNYC Club Series scoring or awards:

LNYC Members

Spouses of LNYC members

Children and wards of LNYC members who are members of the LNYC Junior Program or who are 18-25 years of age and are dependents of a Club Member

8.3 Trophies

Avg. Boats	Awards
2-4	2
5 or more	3



2009 Entry Form

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Make checks payable to: LNYC Keelboat Fleet

SEPARATE ENTRY FORMS REQUIRED FOR

SPRING KEELBOAT INVITATIONAL SERIES and FALL KEELBOAT INVITATIONAL SERIES

Series (Check one): _____ Spring _____ Fall

Skipper's Name: _____

Address: _____

Skipper's Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Boat Name: _____

Boat Make/Model: _____

Overall Length: _____ Sail Number: _____

LNKC Certificate #: _____ PHRF: _____

US Sailing Membership #: _____

Fleet Registration: _____ Spinnaker _____ Non-Spinnaker

FEES

US Sailing Member \$20.00 (Membership Number Required), **Non US Sailing member** Add \$5.00

Late Registration (Any entry submitted once the series begins) add \$10.00

CONTACT

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I acknowledge that sailing is an activity that has inherent risk of damage and injury and that I am participating in this event entirely at my own risk. To the fullest extent permitted by law, I hereby waive any rights I may have to sue the race organizers (organizing authority, race committee, protest committee, host club, sponsors, or any other organization or official) involved with the event with respect to personal injury, including death, or property damage suffered by myself or my crew as a result of our participation in this event and hereby release the race organizers from any liability for such injury or damage. I also acknowledge that alcoholic beverages may be available during this event and agree that if I or any of my crew or invited guests consume these alcoholic beverages we assume all responsibility for our actions. I certify that the boat listed above is in compliance with all safety requirements and the above information is true and accurate.

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____