

**NOTICE OF RACE**  
**Lake Eustis Sailing Club**  
**United States Wayfarer National Championship**  
**19<sup>th</sup> Wayfarer Midwinter Regatta**  
**February 2<sup>nd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

**ORGANIZING AUTHORITY:**

The United States Wayfarer Association ([www.uswayfarer.org](http://www.uswayfarer.org))

**HOST ORGANIZATION:**

Lake Eustis Sailing Club located at 1310 CR 452, Eustis, FL 32726. The Club is approximately 40 miles northwest of Orlando ([www.lescfl.com](http://www.lescfl.com))

(Note: this regatta coincides with an Melges MC regatta being held at the Club)

**ENTRIES and ELIGIBILITY:**

The Regatta is open to all paid up members of the Wayfarer Class.

There will be two separate classes, which will race together but be scored separately:

- **The Spinnaker Class** — which will conform to the rules of the Wayfarer Class with both skipper and crew required, and
- **The Non-Spinnaker Class** — which may be single- or double-handed, and in which the use of spinnakers is prohibited. Single-handed entries are not eligible for the Ian Proctor Trophy

**RULES:**

The race will be governed by The Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020, and the Wayfarer Class Rules.

Radio use:

- Signal flags and sound signals will be the sole means used by the Race Committee to communicate with the competitors.
- There shall be a designated Race Committee channel. Competitors may not monitor, nor have radio tuned to this channel.
- There shall be a designated competitors channel as a safety and emergency channel. Competitors may and are encouraged to carry a radio tuned to this channel. Competitors may transmit only to report safety or emergency matters, or to report that they are retiring.
- A cell phone may be carried, but may be used only for emergency purposes.
- The penalty for breaking this rule is disqualification from the regatta, or such lesser penalty as may be determined.

(Clarifies Rule 35.3 Wayfarer International Class Rules and LESC Rules).

**SCHEDULE of EVENTS:**

NOTE: All times below are tentative — check the Official Notice Board at the southwest corner of the LESC Clubhouse for updates.

Thursday February 1<sup>st</sup>

1300 Practice Races  
1300-1700 Registration  
1730-1830 US Wayfarers Annual Meeting

Friday February 2<sup>nd</sup>

0730 Continental Breakfast  
0900-1000 Registration  
1000 Skippers Meeting  
1130 Warning Signal for first race of the day  
TBD Lunch at the Clubhouse  
TBD Warning Signal for first race of the afternoon  
After Racing Pizza at the Club (\$10 collected at Registration)

Saturday February 3<sup>rd</sup>

0730 Continental Breakfast  
1000 Warning Signal for first race of the day  
TBD Lunch at Clubhouse  
TBD Warning Signal for first race of the afternoon  
After Racing Dinner at Clubhouse (with MC Train Wreck participants)

Sunday February 4<sup>th</sup>

0730 Continental Breakfast  
0900 Warning Signal for first race of the day  
NOTE: No warning signal after 1230  
TBD Lunch and Awards

**REGISTRATION:**

Boat registration is \$80 if you notify us by January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018. Entries after that date are \$90. Registration is available online at [www.RegattaRegistration.com](http://www.RegattaRegistration.com). Boat registration includes breakfast on all three days and dinner on Saturday evening for both skipper and crew. Payment is to be made in US funds only (LESC can now accept credit cards for payment).

The honor system continues: If you let Dave or Pat know before January 1<sup>st</sup> that you are coming plus what your meal requirements will be you can pay \$80 (plus meals) when you get here. Include your name, boat number and email address in your pre-registration.

Lunches for skipper and crew for Friday and Saturday and for guests may be purchased at \$8 each, and guests may purchase Saturday dinner at \$15 if ordered before January 1<sup>st</sup> - after that date, additional lunches and dinners cannot be guaranteed.

**QUESTIONS/INQUIRIES/PRE-REGISTRATION:**

Regatta Co-Chairs:

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Patricia Kuntz [patkuntz16@yahoo.com](mailto:patkuntz16@yahoo.com) 315-415-5828

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605 East 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Mount Dora, Fl. 32757

**SCORING:**

The Low Point Scoring System will apply with one throw-out if four (4) or more races are sailed (changes RRS A2). One completed race will constitute a regatta.

**TROPHIES:**

Keeper trophies will be awarded for the top three finishers in each class. In addition, the Ian Proctor Perpetual Trophy will be awarded to the top finisher.

**LODGING:**

Camping is allowed on the grounds of the Club (on the north side of building) with showers and toilets available in the Clubhouse. Please declare intent to camp at the regatta registration site, or in an email ([patkuntz16@yahoo.com](mailto:patkuntz16@yahoo.com)) – first come, first served!

Up to eight (8) RVs less than 30ft long are also permitted by town zoning on Club grounds. Please indicate intent to RV in an email ([patkuntz16@yahoo.com](mailto:patkuntz16@yahoo.com)).

Please note that, per zoning regulations, camping and RVs are permitted on the Club's grounds only from the day before the start of the regatta to the day after the end of the regatta.

**HOTELS/MOTELS:**

Name	Location	Toll Free	Local
Best Western	Tavares (5 miles)	800-780-7234	352-253-2378
Hampton Inn	Mount Dora (7 miles)	800-426-7866	352-383-4267
Holiday Inn Express	Tavares (5 miles)		352-741-1600
Inn on the Green	Tavares (5 miles)		352-343-6373
Quality Inn	Mount Dora (7 miles)		352-383-3400

[note: you must use promo code "LESC" to receive discounts]

Please check the club website, [www.lescfl.com](http://www.lescfl.com), for the latest hotel updates.

**LOCAL ATTRACTIONS/INFORMATION:**

Lake County: [www.lakecountyfl.gov](http://www.lakecountyfl.gov) – then "Visitors"

Eustis: [www.eustischamber.org](http://www.eustischamber.org)

Mount Dora: [www.mountdora.com](http://www.mountdora.com)

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