



## Lake Yacht Racing Association, founded 1884.

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### "Timely *newsbytes* from the Lake Yacht Racing Association"

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Planning for this years Annual Regatta is well under way at RCYC. The tentative schedule of events has been posted on the LYRA website and the NOR will follow soon. Many classes have been contacted about participation so if your class or division plans on having a championship or qualifier please contact RCYC with the details. This is LYRA's 125th year and RCYC is planning a full racing and social calendar. Please consider attending.

[Schedule of Events](#)

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Please, if you won a LYRA Perpetual Trophy last summer at Whitby it is your responsibility to have it returned in time for presentation at RCYC. The perpetuals are very important to LYRA and they need to be presented at the awards ceremony this summer.

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Match Racing News,

On behalf of the Organizing Authority for the Stolze Cup, LYRA Match Racing Championships.

**The Stolze Cup, LYRA Match Racing Championships** will be hosted by the Royal Canadian Yacht Club July 18-19th and will be sailed in Sonars on Toronto harbour.

The OA is please to announce David Pelling IU will be the Chief Umpire. The event has applied for grade 3 status and may be re-graded when there is clear reason to do so.

Please find the NOR and Request For Invitation (RFI) both linked and attached for your convenience:

[http://www.rcyc.ca/LinkClick.aspx?link=Stolze\\_NOR\\_2009\\_v2.pdf&tabid=119&mid=526](http://www.rcyc.ca/LinkClick.aspx?link=Stolze_NOR_2009_v2.pdf&tabid=119&mid=526)

<http://www.rcyc.ca/LinkClick.aspx?link=The+Stolze+Cup+-+Registration+Form.doc&tabid=119&mid=526>

RCYC site: <http://www.rcyc.ca>

Events: <http://www.rcyc.ca/Sailing/Regattas/tabid/119/Default.aspx>

RFIs will be accepted until the May 15th deadline. The first round of invitations will be issued May 20th. For consideration please send your request complete with ISAF Sailor ID, Open or Woman's ranking and your sailing bio/resume to [pwickwire@hotmail.com](mailto:pwickwire@hotmail.com).

Once the field is established the OA will make every effort to see that housing is available to visiting competitors. As the event is midsummer on the island, the option of staying on member yachts may appeal to teams. This will be worked out.

For LYRA, this event is the official qualifier for promotion to the [Richardson Trophy Regatta](#). The top finishing LYRA team will be earn the 1st LYRA invitation to the Richardson Trophy Regatta. The Richardson Trophy Regatta will be hosted by Wayzata Yacht Club, October 8-11th.

Sincerely,

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On behalf of the OA for the Stolze Cup, LYRA Match Racing Championships

Royal Canadian Yacht Club

Toronto, Ontario

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Annual Regatta at Whitby Yacht Club

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