

MC National Championship

Lake Geneva Yacht Club, Wisconsin
August 31, September 1,2, 1998

This 27th Annual MC National Championship Regatta saw 84 sailors from six states gather at beautiful Lake Geneva to battle for National bragging rights.

Unfortunately a big high pressure produced no winds on the first day of racing and it turned into a four-race championship. Light to brisk winds prevailed and provided fair racing over the two of three days of scheduled racing. PRO Mike Sherin, Delavan, Wisconsin, provided excellent windward-leeward courses for the scheduled seven-race regatta.

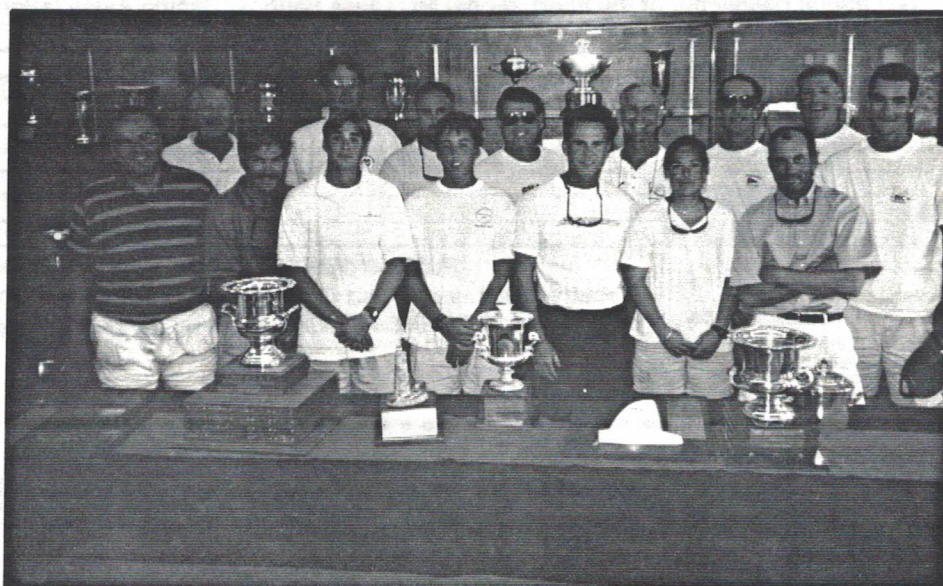
After Tuesdays three races, Justin Hood with two firsts and a second had a one point advantage over Andy Burdick. Wednesday, Justin protected his lead and won the championship.

The competition was keen providing three different race winners. Justin Hood of Zenda, Wisconsin and Melges Boat Works won the first two races, Andy Burdick of Fontana Wisconsin and Melges Boat Works captured the third race, while Jim Gluek of Pewaukee, Wisconsin and Inland Sails took the fourth race. Directors chairs suitably embroidered were awarded to the top fifteen places and to the following achievements.

Top Amateur honors were awarded to 5th place finisher Glen Walborn of Plymouth, Michigan. Katie Reese proved to be the top woman with 15th overall finish. Top Master (50-59 years old) was Hardy Will of East Troy, Wisconsin. Hardy finished 7th overall. Grand Master honors for the 60-69 year old class went to Harvey Schaefer of West Bend, Wisconsin, 22nd overall. Cameron McNeil of Spring Lake, Michigan won the Junior Division finishing 13th overall.

Single-handed honors went to Eric Hood, Pro and Gary Verplank.

Social highlight of the festivities was a moonlight cruise of Lake Geneva with dancing on the upper deck to the tunes of a great Dixieland Band.



Nationals Trophy Winners: L to R: Harvey Schaefer, Charlie Miller, Eric Hood, Jack Kern, Justin Hood, Glen Walborn, Cam McNeil, Gary Verplank, Dave Mott, Hardy Will, Katie Reese, Tim Fredman, Jim Gluek, Rick Trester, Brien Fox.

Pl	Skipper		Club	Boat	Races				Pts
					1	2	3	4	
1	Justin Hood	P	MBW	1828	1	1	2	3	5
2	Andy Burdick	P	MBW	1870	2	2	1	2	6
3	Jim Gluek	P	ISIs	1865	24	4	7	1	35
4	Eric Hood	P	NSIs	1864	3	13	15	5	36
5	Glen Walborn		SLYC/MI	1859	32	5	3	6	46
6	Gary Verplank		SLYC/MI	1777	14	8	11	21	54
7	Hardy Will	M	LBYC/MI	1818	10	23	5	23	61
8	Brian McMurray		WLYC/MI	1802	9	7	44	4	64
9	Rick Trester			1846	13	22	8	25	68
10	Tim Fredman	M	BLYC/MI	1774	26	11	20	11	68
11	Dave Mott		LHYC/MN	1687	6	19	14	33	72
12	Robert Burdick	M	PYC/MI	1845	27	10	26	9	72
13	Cameron McNeil	J	WLYC/MI	1643	11	3	52	10	76
14	Brien Fox		SLYC/MI	1852	12	6	46	12	76
15	Katie Reese	W	LGYC/MI	1827	16	31	16	13	76
16	Jason Ostbye		LMYC/MN	1670	22	27	9	19	77
17	Dave Bandstra		SLYC/MI	1361	25	29	10	16	80
18	Jamie Searles		WBYC/MN	1801	18	12	17	36	83
19	Tom Nordlie		UMYC/MN	1389	8	21	21	44	94
20	Mark Chatterton		LaCrosse	1250	4	14	61	18	97
21	Noel Neuman		WBYC/MN	1401	36	24	12	31	103
22	Harvey Schaefer	GM	CLYC/MI	1804	17	20	32	34	103
23	Jack Kern	GM	RCYC/TX	1831	40	32	4	28	104
24	Joe Levins		WBYC/MN	962	44	28	6	27	105
25	Jeff Solum		LMYC/MN	1376	35	41	23	8	107
26	Brian Heimsch		CLYC/MI	1615	31	45	28	7	111
27	Scott Caston		GRYC/MI	1754	33	17	22	41	113
28	Michael Bradshaw		LHYC/MN	970	7	15	41	51	114
29	Dan Guidinger		WBYC/MN	1440	21	53	25	17	116
30	Laurie Morrissy	W	LGYC/MI	1862	20	64	31	22	137
31	Suzi Reese	W	LGYC/MI	1788	43	54	18	24	139
32	Kyle Verplank		SLYC/MI	1666	5	34	19	DSQ	143
33	Curtiss Miller		GRYC/MI	1701	39	33	60	15	147
34	Charlie Miller	pro/GM	PYC/MI	1851	57	25	42	32	156
35	Kevin Watrous		TLYC/MI	1758	38	76	29	14	157
36	Rick Wilfert		OLYC/MI	1596	19	36	DNF	26	162
37	Ray Klemp		CLYC/MI	1868	29	58	45	30	162
38	Bob Sevey	pro/GM	LMYC/MN	1844	55	56	27	29	167
39	David Porter		LBYC/MI	1317	52	62	34	20	168
40	Dan Fink		LMYC/MI	1510	30	48	39	56	173
41	Peter Harken	GM	PYC/MI	1841	42	57	40	38	177
42	Tony Hermann	GM	PYC/MI	1707	56	43	48	36	182
43	Ed Cox		WBYC/MN	1781	41	40	57	46	184
44	Carl Pratt	M	CLYC/OH	1176	28	61	47	49	185

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Results continued.

45	Jim Pyott	GM	LGYC/WI	1679	23	DNF	13	68	186
46	Curt Bradley	MM	GRYC/MI	1842	77	16	37	61	191
47	Charlie Lind	GM	RCYC/TX	1855	34	18	55	PMS	192
48	Bob Miller	GM	DLYC/MI	1840	37	71	38	48	194
49	Robert Clayton		LBVC/WI	1160	49	42	64	39	194
50	Duane Pierson	GM	WLYC/MI	1605	69	26	49	53	197
51	Brian Hutchinson		LGYC/WI	1627	53	9	80	57	199
52	Tom Schmidt	M	LGYC/WI	1757	45	38	DNF	37	201
53	Terry Mestan	M	CLYC/WI	1616	DNF	46	24	50	203
54	Dick Duley	GM	LDSC/IA	1305	46	35	65	64	210
55	Chris Cox		WBYC/MN	1442	15	74	59	63	211
56	Chuck Nichols	MM	LGYC/WI	1746	81	30	58	43	212
57	Bill Freytag	GM	LGYC/WI	1728	60	69	43	42	214
58	Tom Wurster	GM	DLYC/MI	1853	59	65	53	45	222
59	Sid Peterson	GM	PLYC/WI	1702	54	52	36	DNC	227
60	Ryan Nordberg		TLYC/MI	1082	65	77	35	55	232
61	Rick Smith		OLYC/WI	1834	50	82	62	40	234
62	John Getsinger		LHYC/MN	1454	51	73	54	59	237
63	Don Rietz	GM	CLYC/WI	1214	47	39	70	DNC	241
64	Jim Phillip		LGYC/WI	1816	73	51	33	DNC	242
65	Dave Bedau	M	WLYC/MI	1805	58	75	51	65	249
66	Ron Stryker	M	HYC/OH	1800	67	72	50	62	251
67	Jay Pede	M	LMYC/WI	1823	78	55	78	47	258
68	Jeff Newman		WBYC/MN	1677	82	50	72	54	258
69	Devin Farley	M	LGYC/WI	1356	48	49	79	DNC	261
70	Dave Early	M	Lgyc/wi	1824	63	79	63	58	263
71	Ken Bandstra	M	GRYC/MI	1377	76	37	69	DNC	267
72	Herman van Beek	M	RCYC/TX	1521	66	70	67	66	269
73	Judy Hearn	W	CLSA/OH	1347	61	68	71	70	270
74	Steve Glawitwch	M	CLSA/OH	1797	79	67	56	69	271
75	Tony Bruskas	GM	LDSC/IA	1484	70	44	73	DNC	272
76	Douglas Stryker	GM	PLYC/WI	1515	74	47	66	DNC	272
77	Nick Newman		WBYC/MN	1505	75	60	77	60	272
78	Dan Davidson	GM		1276	68	78	76	52	274
79	Phil Weiler		CLSA/OH	894	72	59	75	71	277
80	Art Wittmack	M		1152	80	66	68	67	281
81	Jack Lane	M	LGYC/WI	1729	DNF	DNF	30	DNC	285
82	Steve Lee		LGYC/WI	1499	62	80	72	72	286
83	George Kiefer			982	64	63	DNF	DNC	297
84	Androv Carlson	GM	LGYC/WI	1354	71	81	75	DNC	312

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