



# Waterline

LAFAYETTE SAILING CLUB [www.lafayettesailingclub.net](http://www.lafayettesailingclub.net)

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## COMMODORE'S MESSAGE

Hello sailors

Another season of sailing has ended. Remembering the fun events from this season will keep my mind off the long cold winter that will be arriving soon. I still remember how hot the weather was during the Board of Governors Regatta and raft up. It is too bad we couldn't share some of the warmth with the cool spring and fall sailing.



The fall banquet at the Trails Restaurant was the last event of the year for the Club.

Good food, talking with a lot of Club members, and just being with the Lafayette Sailing Club as a group was very enjoyable.

With winter brings the first event for next year. Strictly Sail at the Chicago Navy Pier will take place January 26 – 29. This show has something for everyone. If you have not been to this show it is inside and warm! Just looking at all the new boats and products seems to ease the winter blues for me.

December 31, 2011 ends my term as Commodore. Lewie Wallace will take over for next seasons Commodore. I wish him and all the Board of Governors a successful season for running the Lafayette Sailing Club.

I want to thank everyone in the Club for the help they gave me during my year as Commodore.

As always, Nothin' but Fun!  
Kirk

## LSC Fall Banquet: In Review

The Club Congratulates the LSC Club Champ, Steve Titolo on his seamanship and tactical excellence to once again to grab the Club Champ Trophy. Steve also accepted the Club's Sportman award for his composure on and off the water. Steve sails a Finn #243 on race days and is poised and ready for all challengers.



More Spectacular moments from the Fall Banquet:



2011 Commodore Kirk Gilbert officially announced a Club Membership dues increase, which was proposed by the BOG. The membership present, then voted to accept. Tony Lavish Jr. accepted the Club Rookie of the year honors for placing 4<sup>th</sup> in racing. Ray Justice accepted the Peterson Award as being recognized by the Club for all of his extra efforts. Rex Henthorn earned 3<sup>rd</sup> place in Club Racing. Michael Rossman collected the 2<sup>nd</sup> place awards in racing. And, Lewie Wallace accepts the Commodores Burgee for 2012.



## 2012 Lafayette Sailing Club Calendar

<u>Date</u>	<u>Weekday</u>	<u>Time</u> (p.m. unless noted)	<u>Event</u>
Jan 11	Wed	7:00	BOG Meeting
Jan 26-29			Chicago Strictly Sail
Feb 8	Wed	7:00	BOG Meeting
Mar 14	Wed	7:00	BOG Meeting
Mar 15-18			Winter Mini-Cruise
Apr 11	Wed	7:00	BOG Meeting
Apr 13	Fri	6:00	SPRING CALL-OUT, Sportsman Inn
Apr 14 (rain date 15 <sup>th</sup> )	Sat	10:00 a.m.	Spring Clean-Up Day
Apr 21	Sat	12:30	Ice-Breaker
Apr 28	Sat	12:30	Ice Breaker
May 4	Fri	7:30	Moonlight Picnic & Sail
May 5	Sat	12:30	Ice Breaker
May 9	Wed	7:00	BOG Meeting
May 12	Sat	12:30	Ice Breaker
May 17-20			Spring Mini-Cruise @ Mississinewa
Jun 1	Fri	7:00	Moonlight Picnic & Sail
Jun 2	Sat	6:00	Sailing School
Jun 2	Sat	1:00	Long Distance Races (2)
Jun 8-9	Fri/Sat		Raft-Up Weekend @ Lake Freeman
Jun 9	Sat	1:00	Regatta Sat Race Series (2)
Jun 9	Sat	6:00	Sailing School
Jun 10	Sun	1:00	Regatta L D Series Races (2)
Jun 10	Sun	5:45	PAST COMMODORE'S Cocktail Party
Jun 13	Wed	7:00	BOG Meeting
Jun 16	Sat	1:00	SAT Series Races (3)
Jun 21-24			Summer Solstice Mini-Cruise @ Mississinewa
Jun 24	Sun	1:00	Sunday Series Races (3)
Jul 3 (rain date 6 <sup>th</sup> )		Dusk	THUNDER OVER LAKE FREEMAN
Jul 6	Fri	7:00	Moonlight Picnic & Sail
Jul 7-8	Sat/Sun	1:00	L D Series Races (2)
Jul 11	Wed	7:00	BOG Meeting
Jul 14-22			Summer Cruise - Door County
Jul 22	Sun	1:00	Sunday Series Races(3)
Jul 29	Sun	1:00	Sunday Series Races (3)
Aug 1			Deadline for reservations BOG Picnic

<b>Aug 3</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>7:00</b>	<b>Moonlight Picnic &amp; Sail</b>
<b>Aug 3-4</b>			<b>Raft-up Weekend – Lake Freeman</b>
<b>Aug 4</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>1:00</b>	<b>Regatta – Sat Series Races (3)</b>
<b>Aug 5</b>	<b>Sun</b>	<b>1:00</b>	<b>Regatta – Sun Series Races (2)</b>
<b>Aug 5</b>	<b>Sun</b>	<b>5:45</b>	<b>BOARD OF GOVONERS PICNIC</b>
<b>Aug 8</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>7:00</b>	<b>BOG Meeting</b>
<b>Aug 11</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>1:00</b>	<b>Saturday Series Races (3)</b>
<b>Aug 18</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>1:00</b>	<b>Saturday Series Races (3)</b>
<b>Aug 31</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>7:00</b>	<b>Moonlight Picnic &amp; Sail</b>
<b>Sep 8-9</b>	<b>Sat/Sun</b>	<b>1:00</b>	<b>Long Distance Races (2)</b>
<b>Sep 12</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>7:00</b>	<b>BOG Meeting</b>
<b>Sep 15-16</b>	<b>Sat/Sun</b>	<b>1:00</b>	<b>Make-up Races if needed</b>
<b>Sep 20-23</b>			<b>Autumn Mini-Cruise – Holland,MI</b>
<b>Sep 28</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>7:00</b>	<b>Moonlight Picnic &amp; Sail</b>
<b>Sep 29</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>1:00</b>	<b>Frost Bite Series</b>
<b>Oct 5</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>7:00</b>	<b>Moonlight Picnic &amp; Sail</b>
<b>Oct 5-6</b>	<b>Fri/Sat</b>		<b>Raft-up Weekend - Lake Freeman</b>
<b>Oct 6</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>1:00</b>	<b>Frost Bite Series</b>
<b>Oct 6</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>5:00</b>	<b>OKTOBERFEST Picnic</b>
<b>Oct 10</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>7:00</b>	<b>BOG Meeting</b>
<b>Oct 13</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>1:00</b>	<b>Frost Bite Series</b>
<b>Oct 20</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>1:00</b>	<b>Frost Bite Series</b>
<b>Oct 27</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>10:00</b>	<b>Fall Clean-up &amp; Chili Taste</b>
<b>Nov 3</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>1:00</b>	<b>Frost Bite Series</b>
<b>Nov 9</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>6:00</b>	<b>FALL BANQUET – THE TRAILS</b>
<b>Nov 14</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>7:00</b>	<b>2012 Organizational BOG meeting</b>

# Lafayette Sailing Club, Inc.

Lafayette, Indiana



## 2012 Membership Application & Renewal Form



**NOTICE: Yearly dues shall be payable on January 1<sup>st</sup> of every year.** Non-payment of dues by March 1<sup>st</sup> shall be considered as a membership resignation. A resigned membership may be regained by full payment of dues plus a late registration fee (\$50). In all cases, dues must always be paid **before** bringing boats to LSC Harbor. Those leaving boats at the LSC Harbor **over the winter** must pay their dues by **January 1<sup>st</sup>**. LSC reserves the right to refuse reinstatement of resigned memberships.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_  
 Street: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Home phone: (\_\_\_\_) - \_\_\_\_\_ Cellphone: (\_\_\_\_) - \_\_\_\_\_  
 e-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_ Married: \_\_\_\_\_ Single: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Spouse's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Children's names: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Emergency Contact Name (different from above): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Emergency Contact Address (different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

Boats sailed at Club:	TYPE / CLASS	LSC-ASSIGNED BOAT NO.*	SAIL / HULL NO. (optional)
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

*\*Note: All sailboats used/parked at LSC must have an LSC-assigned boat number affixed to the starboard side of the transom (or stern deck). Numbers are assigned by the LSC Membership Chairman.*

- HP Full memberships<sup>1</sup>** with voting rights and Harbor Privileges for those that own a sailboat kept and launched at the LSC Harbor.<sup>2</sup> (Identify boat above) (due 12/31/11 if boat left at harbor during winter – due 3/1/12 if boat not left during winter) ... **\$285.00/year<sup>3</sup>**
- New HP Full membership** (for first year members only – identify boat above) ..... **\$225.00/year**
- Full memberships<sup>4</sup>** with voting rights but no Harbor Privileges, for those that own a sailboat, but do not keep nor routinely launch their boat regularly at the LSC Harbor. .... **\$245.00/year<sup>3</sup>**
- New Full membership** (for first year members only) ..... **\$185.00/year**
- Associate membership** with neither Voting Rights nor Harbor Privileges for those newly introduced to sailing or who own a sailing craft not kept at LSC Harbor, having an interest in sailing and associating with LSC ..... **\$75.00/year<sup>5</sup>**
- New Associate membership** (for first year members only) ..... **\$55.00/year**
- Each additional** sailing craft kept on the Club grounds (identify boat above) ..... **\$85.00/year<sup>2</sup>**
- Late Registration Fee** (required to renew “expired” memberships) ..... **\$35 if paid after due plus \$5 per month thereafter until paid**

**Check enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

<sup>1</sup> HP Full Membership includes parking for one (1) sailing craft at LSC Harbor (at location approved by Harbormaster).  
<sup>2</sup> Grant of parking of any sailing craft at LSC Harbor is subject to availability and assignment by Harbormaster.  
<sup>3</sup> Less \$10.00 for each participating credit earned preceding year, not to exceed \$100.00. Please attach proof of credits. See Lafayette Sailing Club, Inc. Handbook for details.  
<sup>4</sup> Full Membership includes one (1) launch and retrieval per season, and rights to tie up in LSC Harbor during events.  
<sup>5</sup> Less \$10.00 for each participating credit earned preceding year, not to exceed \$20.00. Please attach proof of credits. See Lafayette Sailing Club, Inc. Handbook for details.

Preferred committee assignment: Racing \_\_\_ Grounds \_\_\_ Club Fleet \_\_\_ Sailing School \_\_\_ Social Events \_\_\_ Publicity/News \_\_\_

**By signing below, the applicant certifies the above information as current and accurate and agrees to participate in the functions and activities of the LSC.**

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

**Return to: Rex Henthorn, 107 Wallace Avenue, Crawfordsville IN 47933**

**Membership Sponsors for new members: Signatures of 2 Active LSC Members REQUIRED:**

Applicant proposed by: \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_  
 Action by Board of Governors: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_

LSC Application Form 2012

LSC Web Site: <http://www.lafayettesailingclub.org/>

**page 1 of 2 NOTE !! BOTH pages MUST be signed to be valid**

## INSURANCE

In accordance with regulations promulgated by the L.S.C., personal liability insurance coverage shall be a requirement of all members. By signing below, you certify that you will maintain appropriate liability insurance to cover all your activities at the Lafayette Sailing Club.

## WAIVER

On behalf of Applicant, his or her heirs, assigns, personal representatives, and guests or other persons who may be brought onto Club property by Applicant (hereinafter called "Releasers"), we hereby release, waive, discharge, covenant not to sue, and will indemnify and hold harmless the Harbor Master, Dave Fisher and Mary Kay Fisher, Lafayette Sailing Club Inc., members of its Board of Governors, its officers, agents, representatives, employees, heirs, and assigns (hereinafter called "Releasees") from any and all liability, damage, loss, claim, or cause of action, on account of, in connection with, or resulting from any and all injury to the person or property of, or resulting in the death or permanent disability of, the applicant or of those on whose behalf he or she is signing, whether or not caused by the negligence of the Releasees, or otherwise in any way related to the Releasers being on, in, aboard, and around the premises occupied by the Club and/or any vessels located upon said premises or associated with the Club, wherever such vessel may be situated. Releasers understand that latent defects may exist in the water (especially murky water), and around and upon vessels, and that moving boats on trailers and using boats on water can be an inherently dangerous activity which involves risk of serious bodily injury, death, disability or property damage to Releasers. Accordingly, Releasers assume all responsibility and liability for all such risk, including, without limitation, all risk of bodily injury, disability, death, loss of or to property, and damage due to all acts and omissions of Releasees, whether active or passive, whether or not such risks may be foreseeable, and whether or not any such injury or loss is occasioned by any act or acts of negligence by Releasees. The indemnification provided for herein shall include all costs of defending by any Releasee against any claim or cause of action made by or on behalf of or against any of Releasers, including, without limitation, Releasees' attorneys' fees.

## HARBOR PRIVILEGES

I understand, as per the Club's bylaws Section 2.10 (D) and 2.10 (E) which state in part:

Terminated members, members who have lost Harbor Privileges, or members who have resigned shall have thirty (30) days to remove that member's watercraft, trailer, and personal property from the LSC grounds and harbor. Watercraft remaining after 30 days shall be assessed a parking fee of \$5 per lineal foot per month.

Ninety (90) days after a member's resignation, termination, or loss of Harbor Privileges, any property owned by that member which remains on the LSC grounds or at the LSC harbor shall be deemed abandoned, upon which event the property (including the craft, trailer, if any, and associated equipment) may be disposed of by the Board of Governors, with income (if any) from such disposal being applied first to costs associated with the removal or disposal, and then to storage costs due.

Any sums left over shall be deemed a contribution to the Club and shall be deposited in the Club's treasury.  
(Please see bylaws for full text.)

## BY LAWS

Applicant acknowledges having read, understand, and will agree to be governed by the Lafayette Sailing Club, Inc. bylaws.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: Signature is required for membership.

The Lafayette Sailing Club Inc. bylaws are posted on our Web Site: <http://www.lafayettesailingclub.org/>. A printed copy can be requested by sending a self-addressed, stamped envelope (2 oz postage) to:

REX HENTHORN  
107 Wallace Avenue  
Crawfordsville IN 47933

# LSC 2012 Summer Cruise, Door County, WI by Jim Miller

We'll be going to Door County in July? Kirk tells me the Club cruise will be July 14-21 and a second week July 22 -28.

Saturday, July 14 Menominee  
Sunday, July 15 Cedar River  
Monday, July 16 Sister Bay  
Tuesday, July 17 Fish Creek  
Wednesday, July 18 Fish Creek  
Thursday, July 19 Egg Harbor  
Friday, July 20 Menominee  
Saturday, July 21 Menominee

Sunday, July 22 Cedar River  
Monday, July 23 Escanaba  
Tuesday, July 24 Fayette  
Wednesday, July 25 Washington Island  
Thursday, July 26 Sister Bay ?  
Friday, July 27 Menominee  
Saturday, July 28 Menominee



The second week is for guys who want a lot of sailing and not so much of the touristy stuff the wives like. In Escanaba I know where there's a brewhouse... where we can get a "sampler platter" that will be popular. Fayette is a place that was an iron smelting operation for about 20 years, right after the civil war. Today, Fayette is owned and operated by the state of Michigan... as a state historical park. Washington Island is up at the tip of Door County... and we will stop at Sister Bay

on the way back to the boat trailers. Sister Bay is the quintessential Door County stopover.



2009 Photos



