

# National Inland20 Scow Sailing Association 2025 National Championship Regatta at Chautauqua Lake Yacht Club

## *Notice of Race*

*September 12, 13 and 14, 2025 Chautauqua Lake Yacht Club, 43 East Lake Street, Lakewood, New York, 14750, [www.sailclyc.com/](http://www.sailclyc.com/)*

The Regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing for 2025-2027*. The class Scantlings (*Scantling Rules*) will apply and are available on the class web site, <http://www.inland20.com/scantling>

### **Organizing Authority**

National Inland20 Scow Sailing Association (NISSA) and Chautauqua Lake Yacht Club (CLYC).

NISSA is the governing body of the Inland20 scow.

CLYC is a premiere sailing destination on the south side of the lake with active programs for juniors and e-scows. It's facility boasts two lifts, a pool and a popular restaurant. CLYC and NISSA are working to establish an Inland20 fleet on the lake, with an Inland20 demonstration regatta hosted there in 2023.

### **Instructions**

The Regatta is open to all Inland20 Scows that meet the NISSA specifications.

All safety equipment, as required by the class rules, shall be on board while racing. Anchor and line are not required to be carried.

### **Race Format**

*(All times are Eastern Daylight Savings)*

One race will constitute the regatta. There will be up to seven races sailed, but the Race Committee may run fewer races at its discretion. On the last day of the regatta no race will be started after 12:00pm.

Racing will be windward-leeward courses with the option of a downwind finish.

### **Scoring**

The Low Point Scoring System of RRS Appendix A will apply. If 6 or more races are completed there will be a throw out.

### ***Schedule of Events***

*(All times are Eastern Daylight Savings)*

#### **Thursday afternoon September 11, 2024**

Rigging, practice, and evening registration

**\*NEW! THURSDAY I20 CLINIC LED BY AARON LYNN AND JOE EWING.(SEE BELOW)**

#### **Friday September 12, 2025**

- Registration 9:00am to 11:00am in the Clubhouse
- Skippers meeting at noon.
- Lunch on your own (feel free to bring on boat).
- Harbor gun at 12:15pm. Warning for race one at 1:15pm.
- Welcome and Buffet Dinner at 6:00pm.
- Annual Membership meeting will be held at 7pm. Participants should get their food and join the annual meeting and elections.

#### **Saturday September 13, 2025**

- Continental Breakfast 8:00am – 9:30am at Clubhouse
- Harbor Gun 9:45am
- Start of Race One 10:45am. Two races then lunch. A determination will be made before Harbor gun if lunch will be eaten on the water or at shore.
- Racing will resume after lunch, with the aim to complete three or four races by end of day.
- Dinner at Clubhouse 6:00pm

#### **Sunday September 14, 2025**

- Continental Breakfast 8:00-9:00
- Harbor Gun 9:00am.

- Start of first race of day 10:00am
- No race will start after Noon. Awards After racing

## **Awards**

Trophies will be awarded to top five finishers

## **Entry**

Entry fee via RegattaNetwork.com of \$250, plus annual membership for both skipper \$35.00 and crew \$15. Lifetime members, and those who have already paid 2025 dues, need not pay membership fees. Entry fee includes, racing, trophies, beverages all weekend (including keg beer) as well as Friday and Saturday evening dinner at the Clubhouse. Buffet Breakfast at the club Saturday and Sunday for skipper and crew is available for a one-time fee of \$75 per boat, all inclusive. There will be T-shirts for skipper and crew.

## **Registration Deadline**

August 25, 2025 6pm EDT. Registrations after the deadline will be charged an additional \$50 late fee and late registrants may not be able to select shirt size, due to production deadlines..

Registration & Payment to be made via Regatta Network.

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## **Radio**

VHF Radio will be used by the RC to communicate with competitors, on and off the water – Channel 73. Additional instructions regarding radio communication will be included in the SIs.

## **Contacts & Lodging**

### ***AirBnB and VRBO***

Extensive listings

### ***Camping and Cabins***

**Peachie's Lakeside Campground**

(716) 640-1068

**Wildwood Acres Campground**

(716) 386-1084

### ***Motels***

#### **Chautauqua Harbor Hotel**

10 Dunham Ave, Celeron, NY 14750 (2.6 Miles from CLYC)

<https://www.thechautauquaharborhotel.com/>

#### **DoubleTree By Hilton Jamestown**

150 W 4th St Jamestown, NY 14701 (6 Miles from CLYC)

<https://www.hilton.com/en/hotels/jhwdtdt-doubletree-jamestown/>

#### **Hampton Inn & Suites Jamestown**

4 W Oak Hill Rd Jamestown NY 14701 (8 Miles from CLYC)

<https://www.hilton.com/en/hotels/jhwnkhx-hampton-suites-jamestown/>

### **\*Inland 20 Clinic Sept. 11**

Join us Thursday Sept. 11 at the lifts at Chautauqua Lake Yacht Club for an Inland20 clinic with Class Champions Aaron Lynn of Wisconsin and Joe Ewing of Ohio. There will be two sessions. A morning chalk talk at 10am will be followed by two hours on the water. An afternoon chalk talk starting 2pm will be followed by two hours on the water. At least four boats will be available for on-the-water practice. Pre-registration is recommended to secure your spot on the water with our instructors. [Sign up here.](#) If you have any questions, please contact Stew Harris, NISSA vice commodore, at 202-373-2085.

### **Disclaimer**

Competitors participate in this regatta and clinic entirely at their own risk and are reminded to pay special attention to RRS 4, Decision to Race. The Chautauqua Lake Yacht Club, Race Committee, Protest Committee, sponsors, volunteers, or any other affiliated organization or official accepts no responsibility for any loss, damage, injury, death or inconvenience incurred, in conjunction with the regatta, however caused. By participating in this event, each competitor, or in the case of minors, each competitor's parent or guardian, agrees to release the

Regatta Organizers from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

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