



Important Sailing News

Dear Ensign Fleet 31 Sailor,

April 2026

Well...all I can say, "I hope the snow piles are gone by the time we put our Ensigns in for the season."

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Welcome Back! **The Horsburgh Trophy Race from LCYC - Mackinac Island - LCYC** is back and scheduled for **July 10-11, 2026**. We encourage everyone to **reserve your rooms** on the Island since it is a very busy time of the summer.

Historically this has been a very fun Ensign activity for all ages. A Friday evening reception is planned at the Mackinac Island Yacht Club, 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm for **only** crews and immediate family members. Included in this mailing is the sign-up sheet for the Race and the reception. It would be helpful if you could sign up early so we can plan accordingly with a head count.

2026 LCYC Regatta – The LCYC Regatta is scheduled to its traditional week of the summer, July 29-31, 2026.

Fleet 31 Meeting – Will be held the opening morning of the Regatta, Wednesday July 29, 2026, at 10:00 AM.

Fleet Dues- Included is the **Fleet 31 Membership** dues schedule. The fees are listed for Racing Boat Owner, Boat Owner, and Regular Members. In addition, we appreciate your Donations to the fleet that help fund the racing program, youth sailing, and hosting invitational regattas.

LCYC Mooring Fee – A reminder that there is a \$100.00 summer mooring fee for a mooring buoy at the club. The mooring buoys are on a first-come basis. There is no fee for Saturday race use or for the three-day regatta.

The lake water levels last fall and winter were very low

www.ensignfleet31.com – We will be updating our website with this year's schedule and information. Last year's Trophy winners are listed to refresh your memory of the competition.

Enclosed Forms – Enclosed are the regular forms to be filled out and included with your dues payment.

For planning purposes, please indicate on the Dues Form if you plan to participate in the Horsburgh Trophy Race on the annual LCYC Regetta.

We look forward to seeing everyone on the Les Cheneaux waters and we hope we will have a great turn out for the Horsburgh race to Mackinac Island. Get your crews together!

Best Regards,

Jason Dunn
Ensign Fleet 31, Commodore