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## 88th Annual Western Michigan Yachting Association Championship Regatta Coming to Crystal Lake Yacht Club

The Crystal Lake Yacht Club (CLYC), in conjunction with the Western Michigan Yachting Association (WMYA), has announced that the 88th Annual WMYA Regatta will be held on Crystal Lake at the CLYC August 2 through August 5, 2017.

This event brings competitors from around Michigan, Indiana and Wisconsin to compete in six different classes of boats with participants ranging in age from 5 to 85. Altogether over 400 people will be attending and participating in this regatta.

Racing will be held on the west end of beautiful Crystal Lake in Frankfort, Michigan. The regatta is open to all competitors that sail one of the classes in this event. Online registration, tickets and more information may be found on wmya.org. On-site registration may be completed at Crystal Lake Yacht Club on Tuesday, August 1, 2017 from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. and Wednesday, August 2, 2017 from 8:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. A Competitor's Briefing will be held at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, August 2nd with the first fleets racing immediately after the conclusion of the meeting. Social activities are scheduled throughout the regatta with the final awards ceremony following the conclusion of the racing on Saturday, August 5, 2017.

Crystal Lake Yacht Club hosts this event once every six years. Other clubs that also host the WMYA Regatta are Torch Lake Yacht and Country Club, Bellaire, MI, Spring Lake Yacht Club, Spring Lake, MI, Muskegon Yacht Club, Muskegon, MI, White Lake Yacht Club, Whitehall, MI and Grand Rapids Yacht Club, Grand Rapids, MI.

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