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2008 C NATIONALS  
LAKE GENEVA YACHT CLUB

2008 CLASS C NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP REGATTA  
LAKE GENEVA YACHT CLUB  
June 13-15, 2008

The 2008 C Scow National Championship Regatta is fast approaching - get your registration in soon. [MELGES Performance Sailboats](#), our event sponsor, will provide two caps with the event logo free of charge to the first 50 boats to register. LGYC will assign boat parking based on the date your registration is received. Sooner is better than later!

Racing: Two races are planned each day, conditions permitting.

Social: Thursday - Appetizers  
Friday - Barbecue  
Saturday - Buffet Dinner. Band after Dinner  
Sunday - Lunch and Trophies

Don't miss this incredible event. This will be the highlight of the 2008 C Scow sailing season. \$25.00 late charge applies after 6/1. Don't forget the NCSSA will pay the registration for skippers under 25 (excludes meals). Register now!

For further information go to [www.lgyc.com](http://www.lgyc.com). See you on June 13th.

### Krechs win Upper Tune Upper

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Tim and Bre Krech sailing their first event since their World Championship last October won the 2008 Upper Tune Upper in dramatic fashion. The regatta was won in literally the last foot of racing!

A small but highly competitive fleet began racing on Saturday morning. Two W2+s were sailed in the morning in 8 to 15 mph of breeze. In Race 1, Team Mud M-25 jumped to the lead right off the start. They were followed by the Krechs M-20, and Tony Jewett M-55. These three teams held position for the first lap and a half. The Krechs caught Mud on the final downwind, but didn't cross them until the last beat where the lead changed a couple times. In the end M-25 won by a couple of boat lengths followed by M-20, M-55, M-17 Jason Ostbye, and W-9 Scott Helms.

Race 2 started with M-55 leading the first leg until the M-17 team took over on the first downwind, never to relinquish the lead again. The next six boats jostled for position as the breeze strengthened - M-55, M-25, M-20, W-9, M-11 Craig Johnson, and M-9 Scott Colesworthy. The final leeward mark rounding was a jumbled mess. As the pack went upwind for the final time M-9 and M-11 sailed great beats as positions 2 through 7 flipped. In the end M-17 won followed by M-9, M-11, W-9 and M-55.

Race 3 was started after lunch in the forecasted building breeze. Winds were in the 20's at the start and strengthening. The RC abandoned the race before the first leg was completed. Some boats had capsized, and with water temps just over 50 degrees, it was the correct decision as winds built into the 30's. At the end of Day 1, M-17 held a 3 point lead over a three-way tie for 2nd with M-25, M-20 and M-55.

Day 2 belonged to the Krechs. The RC set up a WM2 to get as many races in as possible. They didn't disappoint as three races were completed before noon in 15mph breeze with brisk, clear skies. M-20 lead Race 3 from gun to gun. They were followed by M-17, M-25, W-9, and LP-1 Ben Burgum. Race 4 followed a similar formula with M-20 winning followed by M-17, M-25, M-55 and LP-1.

Race 5 began with M-17 holding a one point lead over M-20. The sailing was tight throughout with M-17 leading for most of the race and M-20 a few places back. The final leeward mark rounding saw five boats packed together (M-17, M-25, W-9, M-55 and M-20). In the last leg at least 3 boats could've claimed the lead at some point. Heading into the finish line M-17, M-20 and M-25 all charged up together on starboard and shot the line at once. As one spectator later described it, it was the closest finish he'd ever seen - three

boats finished within 3 feet of each other! The call was M-20, M-17 and M-25. The Krechs foot victory over M-17 gave them a tie in points and the edge in the tie-breaker.

Final standings listed below. Thanks to the UMYC for the their hospitality.

SAIL SKIPPER

- 1 M-20 TIM KRECH
- 2 M-17 JASON OSTBYE
- 3 M-25 CHRIS ANDERT
- 4 M-55 TONY JEWETT
- 5 W-9 SCOTT HELMS
- 6 LP-1 BEN BURGUM
- 7 M-11 CRAIG JOHNSON
- 8 M-9 SCOTT COLESWORTHY
- 9 M-177 JIM BELTZ



## **C Boaters! Come to the Big Party on Okauchee**

The Okauchee Lake C Fleet welcomes all ILYA C sailors to join them in a weekend of famous Okauchee hospitality July 17th through 20th with great competition, excellent trophies, maximized sailing using time based racing, fun parties and plenty of private housing at OLYC member homes. The Okauchee sailing area is basically round, providing excellent courses no matter the wind direction. Okauchee is not too big nor too small, but just right!

Make this the year! Deals like this come along once in a lifetime! The ILYA Board has approved free registration (to competitors registering before the July 6th early entry deadline) to the following competitors:

- Sailors who are skippering in their first adult ILYA event.
- Sailors aged 25 or younger.

Continuing the tradition from years past Nagawicka 2006 (Old vs. Young) Clear Lake 2007 (East vs. West), special prizes will be made daily to lucky member(s) of that day's winning team. This year it's "Team Okauchee" vs. "The Other Guys and Gals". Prizes will be

awarded based on overall participation and the results of the "top ten" for the day.

The Yacht Club will be the center of activity for launching, take out, lunches, competitors briefing, parties, awards ceremonies, post race informal socializing, etc. Whether competitors are privately housed or not, our intention is each competitor will moor their boat at a club member's home. This will create a convenient environment and a way to renew old friendships or create new ones.

Our clubhouse includes showers, and our new double paved driveway makes launch and take out a breeze! Your entry fee includes a "happy hour"- or two for competitors on Friday and Saturday evenings.

Lunches will be provided each day. Friday evening, the famous Okauchee YC fish fry will be served. Saturday night will be an informal gathering at the clubhouse with "heavy hors d'ouvres" and pizza. Two hours after race time on Friday and Saturday, lucky members of the winning "team" will be awarded prizes based on the days results.

A chalk talk with the topic being "Strategies for Successful Regattas" will be hosted by Quantum sails at the clubhouse. This event is scheduled for 7:00 on Thursday. This is intended to provide assistance to all competitors, but will be especially helpful to those who are not long time regatta attendees.

Notice of Race, Registration form and participants already registered are found on the ILYA web site.

## 2008 NCSSA Membership

The National C Scow Sailing Association (NCSSA) needs you!

Please support your class association and its activities by submitting your membership dues today. You can pay your dues online now via PayPal using your *credit card* or *PayPal* account

Go to the [cscow.org](http://cscow.org) [MEMBERSHIP](#) page now to sign up.

Thank you

## National C Scow Sailing Association

### Upcoming C-Scow Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Regatta/Event</u>	<u>Yacht Club</u>
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6/7-6/8	Midwestern Invitational Regatta	Long Lake YC
6/7-6/8	Hog Wild Regatta	Clear Lake YC
6/13-6/15	<b><u>National Championship</u></b>	<u>Lake Geneva YC</u>
6/26-6/27	Over "40" Regatta	Pewaukee YC
7/18-7/20	<u>ILYA Invitational</u>	<u>Okauchee YC</u>
7/26-7/27	Wallwork Regatta	Pelican Lake YC
7/26-7/27	Aquatennial Regatta	Calhoun YC
8/1-8/3	Inter-Lakes Regatta	Minnetonka YC
8/7-8/9	WYA Champs	Grand Rapids YC
8/14-8/16	<b>Inland Championship</b>	<u>Okoboji YC</u>