



2001

***LAKE MISSION VIEJO
YACHT CLUB***

***Sailing & Social Activity
Program***

***Lake Mission Viejo Yacht Club
22555 Olympiad Road, Mission Viejo, CA 92692***



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2001 SAILING EVENTS AT LAKE MISSION VIEJO

The

Lake Mission Viejo Yacht Club

A Great Place to Sail In 2001

Annual Party

The installation of the officers for 2001 of Lake Mission Viejo Yacht Club takes place on January 13, at an annual dinner to be held this year at Balboa Yacht Club at 6:00 PM. All LMVYC members are invited to respond to the mailed invitation from the Secretary.

Season Opening Celebration:

Lake Mission Viejo Yacht Club will mark the opening of the 2001 Lake sailing season on March 18 with a Commodore's Brunch after the Opening Day ceremonies. This event is open to all Lake Association members. Following the brunch all Lake registered boats are invited to participate in the Opening Day Regatta.

Monthly Regattas:

Seven open regattas, two Invitationals, and three "special" regattas are scheduled throughout the year; each regatta normally consists of three races. The races are open to all Lake Mission Viejo registered sailboats. Several fleets, including novice, will compete. All scores accumulated in the open regattas during the year count as qualification to participate in the LMVYC Top Skipper Championship "special" regatta at the end of the season.

There are two other special regattas. The first, to be held on June 10, will be a Reverse Portsmouth, which is open to everyone in a Lake approved boat. The second special regatta, is the Turkey Regatta. This will be held on November 18, just before Thanksgiving. The prizes are fixings for a turkey dinner ! Please mark these dates on your calendar (see attached Sailing and Social Calendar). All open regattas are held on Sundays. Registration time is from 11:30 AM to 12:00 noon, and is in the Club Room.

After the races snacks and refreshments will be provided to all entrants and their families and crew in the Club Room. Entry fee for all Lake Mission Viejo regattas is \$10.00 per boat for LMVA members who do not belong to the LMVYC.

Rental Boats are available at a flat rate of \$5.00 per regatta to all LMVYC members. Elected officers are entitled to a rental boat at no charge. Regular rates apply to non members.

INVITATIONALS

This year Lake Mission Viejo Yacht Club will host two Invitational Regattas. All C-15, Lido 14, and Thistle sailors are invited to participate. Dates this year are April 8 and November 3. There will be separate starts for each class. The C-15 race on April 8 will be part of the Area J Coast Cup series which attracts competitors from all over Southern California.

Sunset Sails and Wednesday Socials:

Again in 2001, the Lake Mission Viejo Yacht Club will hold the popular Wednesday evening Sunset Sails, starting April 4 and continuing to October 24. The sailors start arriving at 4:30pm with the first of several short races starting around 5:00 pm. After sailing, everyone meets for pizza and beer or soda at Round Table Pizza located at La Paz and Marguerite.

The Wednesday races are geared to beginning and intermediate sailors. This gives Lake members the opportunity to participate in a low-key sailing event, get an introduction to race starts and course sailing, and meet some of the Yacht Club members.

Lessons for beginners are available from qualified instructors through the Lake Association's Recreational Program. Contact the Lake for a schedule of classes and fees. Graduates of the Adult and Junior sailing classes are entitled to half price membership in LMVYC for the remainder of that current year. Complimentary rentals (pending availability) for the Sunset Sails will be provided to all junior sailors who have completed sailing classes and are accompanied by their parent or club sponsor to the rental office.

Club Championship Invitational:

The LMVYC Championship will be held this year on October 14. Entry in this event is by invitation only. Points are accrued over the season by participation and placement in our regular regattas. The "Top Ten" skippers are invited to enter and compete for the Club championship. Observers are encouraged to come join the fun and ride the spectator boat to cheer on their champion. The regatta is sailed in Lake rental sailboats, which are single-handed and exchanged following each race. The winner has their name engraved on a two-foot high perpetual trophy on display in the LMVYC Trophy Case.

Winter Season Socials:

During the non-sailing winter season, Yacht Club members continue to meet each Wednesday night at around 7:15 PM at Round Table Pizza located at La Paz and Marguerite. Before this traditional Wednesday night social, Yacht Club members and others interested, meet at the Market -on -the -Lake parking lot for a "keep in shape" walk around the lake. "Red Flag" is at 6:00 PM sharp.

Election of Officers and General Meeting:

The slate of officers for 2002 will be voted on at the General Meeting to be held Wednesday, November 14 at 7:00 pm in the Club Room. All Yacht Club members are encouraged to attend. Date for the Installation of Officers for 2002 will be announced

Christmas Lights Boat Parade and Annual Christmas Party

Our final event of the year is the Yacht Club's participation in the annual Lake Mission Viejo Parade of Lights on December 8. Our large "40-foot schooner", assembled and decorated by Yacht Club members, will lead the Parade. On board the "schooner" and a Lake party boat Yacht Club members, families and friends will brave the cool night air fortified with hot chocolate and spiced apple cider. Before and after the parade we will celebrate this season of fun and friendship together in the Club Room with our annual Christmas Party, traditionally a pot luck event.

Membership:

After reading about all the fun that is scheduled for 2001 there is only one thing left to tell you and that's how you can be part of the fun. A family membership is \$50.00 for the year. The advantage of the annual membership is that you are entitled to participate in each of the club regattas and social events following the races at no additional cost. In addition members receive a special rate for rental of a Lake boat the day of a regatta. All you have to do is fill out the membership application form at the end of this packet of information and mail it along with a check for \$50.00 payable to LMVYC, to *Vivienne Savage*, Secretary. Lake Mission Viejo Yacht Club, 27531 Cenajo, Mission Viejo, CA 92691

LMVYC 2001 Sailing & Social Calendar

DATE	EVENT	REMARKS
Sunday February 25, 11:30 am	Regatta Tune-up Regatta	Open
Sunday March 18, 11:00 am	Social / Regatta Commodore's Brunch and Opening Day Regatta	Open
Wednesday April 4, 4:30 p m	First night for Wednesday Sunset Sailing	Open
Saturday, April 7, 11:30 am	Regatta C-15 Coast Cup Invitational Lido Invitational Thistle Invitational	Invitational and Lake registered boats only
Sunday April 29, 12:30pm	Regatta Spring Regatta I	Open CHILE COOKOFF
Sunday May 20, 12:30pm	Regatta Spring Regatta II	Open South of the Border Celebration
Sunday June 10, 12:30pm	Special Regatta Reverse Portsmouth	Open Family BBQ
Sunday August 5, 12:30pm	Regatta Mid-Summer Regatta	Open Hawaiian Luau
Sunday August 26, 12:30pm	Regatta LMVYC 24 th Annual Regatta	Open Western Roundup
Sunday September 23, 12:30pm	Regatta Fall Regatta	Open Potluck
Sunday October 14, 11:30 a m	Regatta Top Skippers Championship	By Invitation Only
Wednesday October 24, 4:30pm	Last night of Wednesday Sunset Sailing	Open
Saturday November 3, 11:30 am	Regatta C-15 Invitational Lido Invitational Thistle Invitational	Invitational and Lake registered boats only
Wednesday November 14, 7:00pm	General Meeting Election of Officers	LMVYC Members Only
Sunday November 18, 11:30 am	Special Regatta Turkey Regatta	Open
Saturday December 8 5:00pm	Social Christmas Parade Of Lights Annual Christmas Party	Open Pot Luck. Hors d'Oeuvres

All events are open to all LMVYC Members and LMVA Members except where noted. Additional events will be announced in the LMVYC Newsletter. For non-members of the LMVYC, an entry fee of \$10 per boat or family per event is payable to defray the costs of after-sailing food and refreshments.