Lake Lansing Tune-Up Regatta

Lansing Sailing Club Haslett, MI 5/21/22

			Sail								
Final Finish	Skipper	Crew	number	Race 1	Race 2	Race 3	Race 4	Race 5	Race 6	Total	After Throwout
1	Matt Morin	Kevin Morin, Marcie Morin	313	4	2	1	2	2	1	8	6
2	John Morley	Gary Reinheimer, Alex Morley	15630	1	1	2	1	3	2	9	8
3	Abby Allen	Sam Monique, Luke Strickland	15511	2	3	4	4	1	3	15	11
4	Michael Kovalchick	Michael, Tony	15363	7	5	5	3	4	4	21	14
5	George Siegle	Will Severin, Lisa Peereboom	14760	3	4	6	5	7	5	27	20
6	Terry Hart	Gloriana Gomez, Avie Krauss	14933	6	6	3	7	8	6	30	22
7	Lars Peereboom	Keith Hayes	Ohm	5	8	7	6	5	8	34	26
8	Kaylyn Froeschle	Melisssa Hedland, Christine Weber	14022	8	7	8	8	6	7	36	28







Lansing Sailing Club Fleet 387 Lightning Regatta 2022

What do you do when you wake up and see a bullseye of thunderstorms training toward your regatta? You hitch your Lightning up and go sail! Eight boats and 24 sailors optimistically said "yes" to the event even AFTER looking at a ridiculous radar.

As sailors arrived at the club, we were in a full-on downpour with thunder, and crews took refuge in the clubhouse. Two years ago, LSC invested in a full set of weather panels for our outdoor pavilion style club (like at your favorite beachside restaurant), for our high school and collegiate teams who sail in the cold in the spring and fall and this upgrade was welcomed as everyone gathered inside to wait out the weather with coffee and muffins.

Racing on the water was equally as nutty, once the storms left, with winds and course changing sometimes 180 degrees multiple times in one race! Sailors got off six races; but the first race was thrown out due to an issue at the finish line with course changes. The wind was decent 5-10 mph with occasional gustiness when the storms in the area approached but went around Lansing. Because more storms were forecast, the fleet opted to sail all six races in succession.

LSC junior sailor Michael Kovalchick and crew Michael and Troy, took home Ye Olde Silver Platter – a wood Lightning transom perpetual trophy given to the top LSC boat, in this case, 4th place.

Third place went to Abby Allen, another junior sailed boat with her crew Sam Monique and Luke Strickland.

Second place went to John Morley with crew Gary Reinheimer and Alex Morley. And top honors for first place went to Matt Morin with Kevin Morin and Marcie Morin on 313.

Sailors enjoyed a prize raffle with some fun Lightning-inspired gifts and lunch (served a little late at 3:30pm!)