

2023 E-SCOW NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP & 100 YEAR CELEBRATION



Lake Mendota, September 6 - 10, 2023

Hosted by the Mendota Yacht Club

Sailing Headquarters: Marshall Park

Social Headquarters: The Edgewater Event Website: escow100.org

110+ Sailboats Racing In One Group!
Boats Line Up In a 1 Mile Starting Line

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Join Us - Capture the Excitement From Water & Land

We invite you to join us on a spectator boat for an up-close view of this unique event. On land at Marshall Park, meet sailing enthusiasts, athletes, and experts eager to share insights on the sport, strategies, and thrill of competitive sailing. Capture personal stories that bring your coverage to life.

Madison - Wind, Waves, & Fun

The big water of Lake Mendota provides ideal conditions for competitive sailing and fun waves. Madison boasts excellent cuisine, vibrant nightlife, and a fantastic atmosphere. The Mendota Yacht Club and regatta organizers are proud to host Madison's biggest and most exciting regatta, the 100-year anniversary E Scow Nationals.

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100th Anniversary of the E-Scow National Championship

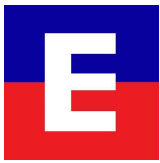
- High performance, flat bottom fiberglass hull.
- Known for its impressive speed and acceleration on the water with speeds of 20 mph.
- This magnificent inland racing machine is not for novices, requiring 3-4 experienced sailors as crew, with a mast 30 feet off the deck, and 575 sq. ft. of sail and 28 feet long.
- Manufactured by Melges Performance Racing in Zenda, WI.
- As of early August, 110 E-Scows have registered for the Sept 6-10 Regatta. Practice September 6 and racing September 7-10.
- Besides 10 Mendota E-Scows competing, other U.S. clubs racing are from Iowa, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Illinois, Indiana, New Jersey, New York, Michigan, South Carolina, Colorado and Florida.
- Top sailors like Harry Melges IV (Rolex 2021 Yachtsman of the Year, current helmsman on AMERICAN MAGIC AC Team, Helmsman for Quantum Racing TP52 Racing Series, Melges 24 Champion), the late Harry (Buddy) Melges (America's Cup winning skipper, Olympic Gold Medalist), Harry Melges III (Melges 24, Melges 32, Soling, European 5.5 Meter, Ice Sailing Championships), Brian Porter (Rolex 2013 Yachtsman of the Year), Bill Allen (Olympic Gold Medalist), and Gordy Bowers, (U.S. Olympic Coach and Champion Sailor), are associated with this 100 year old class.
- E-Scow teams include sailors who have competed and won at all levels of the sport including; America's Cup, Olympics, World Championships, Mendota Yacht Club Championships, Inland Lake Yachting Association (ILYA), off-shore MORC races, collegiate All-Americans and youth champions.

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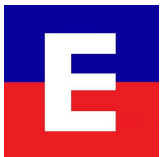
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Racing & Social Schedule

WEDNESDAY, SEPT 6	THURSDAY, SEPT 6	FRIDAY, SEPT 8	SATURDAY, SEPT 9	SUNDAY, SEPT 10
Registration & Practice Marshall Park	Racing Day One Marshall Park Social Hour*	Racing Day Two Marshall Park Social @ Edgewater*	Racing Day Three Marshall Park Social @ Edgewater*	Racing Day Four Awards Ceremony Marshall Park
10 am – 7 pm: Registration 3 pm: Practice Race 4:30 pm: Social Hour	7:45- 8:30 am: Registration 10:30 am: Competitors' Briefing 12:30 pm: Two Races After Racing: Social Hour* <i>*Private, ticketed event Contact Deb 608 347 3513</i>	11 am: Two Races 6:30 pm: Social Edgewater* <i>*Private, ticketed event Contact Deb 608 347 3513</i>	11 am: Two Races 6:30 pm: Social Edgewater* Speakers, Silent Auction <i>*Private, ticketed event Contact Deb 608 347 3513</i>	11 am: Two Races After Racing: Awards Presentation





Notables

Gary Jobson - Numerous Sailing Championships including 1977 America's Cup Win with Ted Turner, Author of 21 Books, 31-Year ESPN America's Cup Commentator, Emmy Award Winning Film & Television Producer, National Sailing Hall of Fame. Latest Book: *A Century of Racing E-Scows*

Gary will be in Madison from Friday to early Sunday morning. Contact Deb 608-347-3513 to arrange an interview.

Notable Registered Competitors

Bill Barnett (Serving on Race Committee) - Represented US at 470 World Championship

Jeff Bonanni T-73, Little Silver, NJ - All American Honorable mention - Laser Radial Grand Prix Champion

Tom Burton M-9, Excelsior, MN - First Sears Cup, Pacific Coast Sloop Champion, Douglas Cup Champion, two time TransPac.

Petey Crawford II-1, Wayzata, MN - Melges 32 World Champion, C&C 30 NA Champions and US National Champion, Farr 40 East Coast Champion.

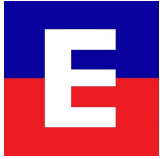
Augie Dale V-51, Pewaukee, WI - Two time All American - Multiple College National champion.

Rob Evans M-1, Excelsior, MN - Olympic campaign in Flying Dutchman, WISSA Snow & Ice Surfing World Champion.

Carl Horrocks - 49er Olympic Campaign.

Peter Hurley, Barnegat Bay, NJ - Laser Radial national champion, second in Laser Masters World Championship three times, first ILCA7 European Master Championship.

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Kevin Jewett, Charleston, SC - Olympic campaign in windsurfing and 49er, Jack Brown All American -College national Champion.

Clay Johnson T-18, Holmdale, NJ - All American - Laser Nationals and North American Champion, Laser Pan Am Games - Laser Olympic Campaign.

Russ Lucas BH-8, Barnegat Bay, NJ - Duck Boat World Championship.

Bruce Martinson M-9, Excelsior, MN - Second place four times at Laser Master World Championship, judge at World Sailing Olympic Class Cup events, and Olympic test events.

Scott Munn GL-7, Denver, CO - 8 man rowing Olympian, first place World Champion Rowing.

Dave Navin I-II, Fontana, WI - America's Cup-Heart of America, Champion Commodore Cup, Champion Admiral Cup, Nite Iceboat Champion.

Kyle Navin I-II, Fontana, WI- Top Rookie Nite Iceboat Nationals, Melges 24 National Champion.

Brian Porter I-49, Fontana, WI - Rolex Yachtsman of the year, multiple Melges 24 National, North American, and Melges 24 World Champion, Key West race week champion, & Boat of the Week.

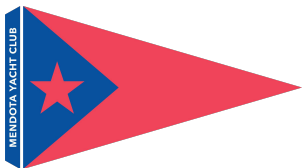
Lance Puccio H-11, Madison, WI - America's Cup Champion, Heart of America, Grinder.

Kyle Rogachenko T-76, Yardley, PA - First place Youth Radial Worlds - Laser Olympic Campaign.

Sam Rogers M-42, Deephaven, MN - Honorable mention All American - Melges 32 World Champion.

Robbie Wilkins SC-55, Lexington, SC - Multiple first place Y Flyer National and North American Championships.

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About Mendota Yacht Club

The Mendota Yacht Club was first organized in 1903 but can trace its origins to 1870. In 1933, the club held the 36th Annual ILYA Championship, and has hosted 14 ILYA Annual Championships since then, including the 2012 Championship. The most recent was in 2003. Today's membership includes sailing champions at the national levels in many one-design classes, including a member winning The Mallory Cup, a two-time Olympic medalist, and many have competed as crew of America's Cup campaigns, as well as on the collegiate level and international off-shore ocean racing circuits.

The club also founded a sailing school and in 1992 organized the Madison Youth Sailing Foundation (MYSF) offering classes to children 7-12 year at the Maple Bluff Boathouse. The club has taken leadership roles promoting public waterfront facilities, sailing school and community sailing centers and has hosted over 20 ILYA and national championship regattas.

Throughout the years, the club's purpose has remained true to that vision of its founders — to promote the sport of sailing and the good things that go along with it.

