

***Detroit Regional Yacht-Racing Association
Executive Committee Meeting Summary
Bayview Yacht Club
March 13, 2008***

One Design C Course

- *The Auto Starting Horn System will be used this year.*
- *The Melges Group is interested in all DRYA Windward Leeward Races and they will possibly participate in one of the Fall Races. They were pleased with the willingness that the DRYA expressed to work with them.*

Handicapping

- *The Appeal Meeting for Otis B Driftwood was on February 25, 2008. The Appeal Board denied his appeal and the decision was posted on the DRYA Website.*

Junior Sailing

- *The Juniors had a meeting in February approving the Sailing Instructions, Scoring, Notice of Race, Course Configurations, Fees and Calendar.*
- *Dan Bracciano has agreed to Chair the Committee.*
- *The only open issue is GPYC is considering hosting the OPTI Great Lakes Championship, which would require some minor adjustments to the Calendar.*

BYC Dinosaur Series

- *There are 14 boats signed up for the three-day series that will be held June 27-29, 2008. At this point, it is not known if they plan to run it with DRYA or not.*

DRYA Executive Committee Meeting Location

- *BYC has imposed a 15% surcharge to all Credit Card Customers. The Executive Committee will continue to meet at BYC and spend the Summer collecting information to make an informed decision on alternative venues.*

DRYA Web Site

- *Work has begun on a new format for the website.*

DRYA Apparel

- *Kaye Soka has agreed to embroider garments and is working on a web page that will be linked to the DRYA site.*

Sailing 101 Seminar

- *The Seminar has been tabled because BYC is holding one that is very similar.*

Respectfully Submitted,

*Kevin Sherry
2008 Secretary*