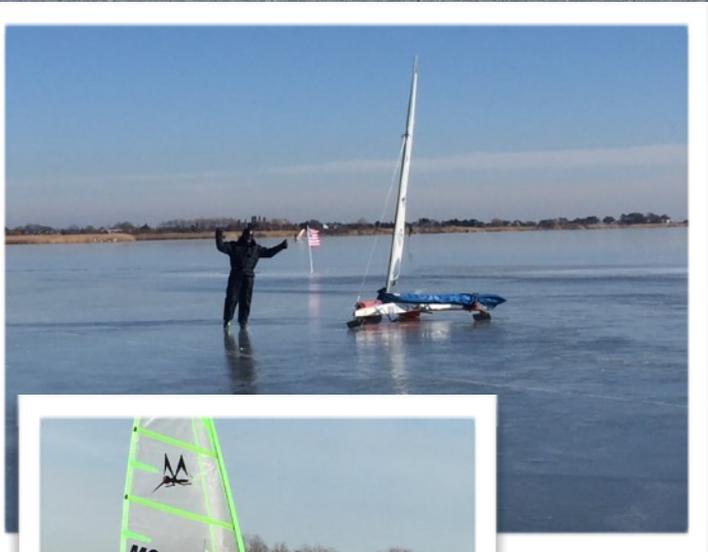




# LAKE RONKONKOMA Iceboat and Yacht Club

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**Message from the Commodore:**  
Well so far this year the "Ice Gods" have given us favorable local ice. Best in the last three years. Mecox, Ronkonkoma and Swan Pond have been sailed numerous times. Unfortunately the January thaw has put a hold on future local sailing.

After many delays in finding a suitable location to hold the NA's, Lake Charlevoix in Michigan finally came through. Club members Scott Valentine, Pete Truesdell, Chris Miller, and Hank Kaiser made the long trip. All did well in their races and enjoyed the camaraderie of DN sailors from around the world. We'll get a debriefing from them at our February 6th meeting.

Also of note was Chris Miller's 4th place finish in the Doc Fellows Regatta that was held up in Cape Cod MA.

Let all hope for a return of colder temps in order to refreeze our ponds and lakes. The season is still young. Think Ice!!

Hope to see you





Mecox: Photos submitted by Lee, Warren, Chris,,  
Doug etc. MIYC & LRIBYC Members enjoy L.I.  
Ice

Very nice ice 10-14 W 20+ boats and others

Sail.	Skipper.	R1.	R2.	R3.
R4				
5415.	Chris Miller.	1.	1.	1.
1.				
5249.	Doug Adams.	2.	2.	2.
2.				
107	Hank Kaiser.	3.	3.	3.
3.				
543	Hunter Rainis.	dns.	4.	4.
4.				

I would like to thank all the cruisers and others out sailing today for giving us room to race and looking out for us on the course. Visibility on the DN is not the best and we are doing our best to look out for Everyone out on the ice. Safety is of primary

Importance. Hope everyone had as much fun as we did..We are fortunate to have such a beautiful place to sail. Thanks to the Halseys ,Chris and the other locals.Doug Adams Vice Commodore LRIB&YC



Photos: Doug Adams

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NORTH AMERICAN DN CHAMPIONSHIPS

CHARLEVOIX, MICHIGAN

Congratulations are in order to our club members that made the long trip to Michigan to attend the NA regatta.

Results has Chris Miller in 28th place out of 42 in the Gold fleet. His top finish was an 8th place.

In the silver fleet:

Pete Truesdell came in 19th, Scott Valentine 29th and Hank Kaiser 33rd in the field of 41. Both Pete and Scott came in 3rd in one of the races. Outstanding! Ralph

## CIYC - Bantam CT

Congratulations to all who raced in the 2018 Lloyd Young Regatta. We had great ice conditions and strong SSW winds.

### Hi-Rig results:

Tony Bosco scored first in the Hi-Rig series followed by **Rich Batista** in second place. **George Neyssen** blew out the clew on his mainsail which forced him to withdraw during the second race. At that point he was in the lead position after a win in the first race.

### Lo-Rig results:

**Fred Greis** won first place in the Lo-Rig series as well as first place in the J14 class followed by **Mike Acebo** in his J14. Dave Danielson won first place in the Nite class followed by Al Horrocks in second place.

Special thanks are in order to Bob Lee and Ted Bent for helping me with the Race Committee duties.

We had a terrific day!

Bill Caddy

Commodore



Think Ice



**"Go fast, take chances and LET IT RIP!!"**

**C**

Chris Miller