

Lake Massabesic Fall Regatta  
 Massabesic Yacht Club – Fleet 273  
 Auburn, New Hampshire  
 September 16–17, 2017

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Pos	Boat	Club	Sail#	HelmName	CrewName	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5	R6	Total
1	Pura Vita	Massabesic	1449	Eli Matson	Toby Frank, Son Matson, Dave Rodgers	2	2	3	1	4	2	14
2	Miss Demeanor	Bow Lake	15239	Bob Shapiro	Jim Lerner, Nate Legere	3	1	2	6	1	3	16
3	White Squall	Massabesic	14072	Ted Hardenbergh	Tommy Hardenbaugh, John Hardenbergh	1	5	1	7	8	4	26
4	Infinite Sloop	Bow Lake	14577	Rob Donle	Josh Pfosi, Guillaume Joffrees	4	6	4	4	2	6	26
5		Massabesic	14273	Rob Merchant	Luke Merchant, Jenn	9	4	5	5	6	1	30
6	Starthrower	Susquehanna YC	14156	Kevin Smith	Kelly Leckemby, Michele	6	3	7	3	3	8	30
7			14277	Peter Browne	Laurn, Aran	5	7	6	9	5	5	37
8	Spitfire	Massabesic	14525	John Bates	Bret Gifford, Walter Colontuano, ??	8	10/DSQ	9	2	7	7	43
9	El Chuchi	UNH Sailing	14287	Thomas Bouchard	Tim Readdean, Anya George	7	8	8	8	9	10/DNF	50

2017 Lake Massabesic regatta won by with Toby Frank on Saturday, and Dave Rodgers and Eli's son on Sunday. **Congratulations** in very tough conditions! Second place to the team of Bob Shapiro, Jim Lerner and Nathan Alfred Legere from Bow Lake. Tie for third place between Ted Hardenbergh (with sons John and Tommy) and Rob Donle with Josh Pfosi and Guillaume Joffres. Bow Lake takes second and fourth place! University of New Hampshire sailors Thomas Bouchard, Anya George and Tim Readden improved from last week and are heading to Malletts Bay on a few weeks. Awesome to have young sailors in the class! Wild and wooly drifting, especially in the last race with peak gusts of 1.

Sunday Marine Police kicked two boats off the lake before the first start. Intense negotiations from the race committee and they were allowed back on the water with a verbal waiver. Thank goodness the MP are keeping us safe! Perhaps the marine police should have read New Hampshire law section 270-E:4 Exemptions From Registration, "II. Vessels registered in another state or country temporarily using the waters of this state for not more than 30 consecutive days." Of course that didn't apply to those who lived in NH but either weren't registered or left their stickers at home in the kitchen. But we won't tell...