

Pennsylvania Governor's Cup
Susquehanna Yacht Club – Fleet 253
Long Level Pennsylvania
October 10–11, 2015

Pos	Skipper	Crew	Sail #	R1	R2	R3	Total
1	Justin Coplan	Danielle Prior, Barbara Gold	15536	1	3	1	5
2	Bob Wardwell	Mel Keen, Adam Wolnikowski	15205	2	6	7	15
3	Trevor Prior	Matt Jay, Daniel Rau	15336	TLE	2	6	18
4	Carol Park	Jim Godfrey, Sharon Slieker-Jay	14902	5	10	4	19
5	Pat Phelan	Jennifer Adams, Jessica Phelan	15131	7	7	5	19
6	Craig Thayer	Doug Axtell, Roger Slade	14645	3	8	9	20
7	Nabeel Alsalam	Jess Harrington, Tina Welsh	15142	TLE	9	2	21
8	Starling Mikell	Amy Matula, Craig Husted	15118	TLE	1	11	22
9	Kevin Kuhn	Andrew Gibbons, Tim Fouch	14365	TLE	11	3	24
10	Dick Hallagan	Lori Harman, Gareth Dammton	15555	4	13	8	25
11	Mary Keppel	Bob Keppel, Gary Hoffer	14890	8	4	13	25
12	Bob Astrove	Doug Dixon, Chris Gibbons	7603	TLE	5	12	27
13	Bill Johnson	Bill Johnson, Scott Davidson	13939	6	17	10	33
14	John Bates	Ed Cook, Mike Wertz (Sat), Barb Hill (Sun)	14525	TLE	12	15	37
15	Gordon Black	John Erhard, Mitch Trace (Sat)	15200	TLE	14	14	38
16	Lisa-Marie Lane	Jim Lane & Karen Jones	15126	TLE	15	16	41
17	Kevin Smith	Kathie Wild, AJ (Sat) and Marzana Wolnikowski(Sun)	15024	TLE	16	17	43
18	John Storey	Mike Wertz	11217	DNS	18	18	55

The Band played on at the Oktoberfest Party for the 18 Lightning competitors at the Pennsylvania Governor's Cup Regatta. During Saturday the Fleet enjoyed some late summer weather; unfortunately, the whisper of wind completely died, causing ½ the Fleet to take TLE scores. On the bright side Lisa-Marie was excited to be tied with last-year's regatta winner and 6 others. While the Band played, and more beer consumed, a 50/50 raffle was won by Bill Johnson of Havre de Grace.

On Sunday we were greeted with near perfect conditions: sunny, windy, and warm ... but without the wind. Frank Hanson and his able RC held two more races at exactly the right times to get all 18 boats across the finish lines. It was threading the needle and the RC Team did an outstanding job to get 3 races held during the weekend.

To recap a few highlights: Sunday's first race was lead by Star Mikell, Amy Mutulla, and Craig Husted from start to finish. Way to go!

The other two races had numerous lead changes with Justin Coplan, Danielle Prior, and Barbara Gold hunting the lead boats successfully to make a final pass at the finish lines. Bob Wardwell did a spectacular job during the 3rd race to re-start and work back into a 2nd overall position. Trevor Prior with his long-time crew, Daniel Rau and Matt Jay, made it look easy in the 2nd race and finished 3rd overall.

A special shout out to these folks: Tina Welsh, Mitch Trace, Marzana Wolnikowski, Mel Keen, and Adam Wolnikowski. Because of them the SYC Club hosted more Lightnings than last year.

We have a beautiful site to host this regatta and we look forward to seeing everyone again next year.