



# 2020 Canadian Optimist Dinghy Championships

## Lunenburg Yacht Club

### Nova Scotia





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## ***Building on very successful 2008, 2011 and 2014 Opti Nationals***

- Top 15 & Under event in Canada with 120 competitors, 100+ volunteers, 30 coaches.
- Great sailing conditions – sun and wind!
- Regatta targetted as much for mid-fleet racers as it is for those vying for international regattas selection.
- Lots of fun!!







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***Recognized by Sail Canada for excellence in event management more often than any other club in the country***

- Extremely successful past youth events at LYC:
  - Youth Worlds 2002
  - Optimist Nationals 2008, 2011 and 2014
  - Annual Sail Fest regatta
  - 2019 C420 Canadian National Championships
  - Sail East 2018
- And many other events including Sonar North Americans in 2014, Sonar Worlds in 2017 and Canadian Women's Keelboat Championships in 2017





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## ***Raced in the pristine waters of Mahone Bay***

- Reliable afternoon sea breeze.
- NO shipping lanes; low traffic generally.
- Clean.
- STUNNING!!





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## *Lunenburg Yacht Club is dedicated to the regatta*

- The kids take over!
- All the facilities are available – NO "NO GO ZONES."
- Plenty of room for boats, trailers and competitors.
- Come well in advance of regatta if you wish...we'd love to host you!
- Beautiful setting with full service restaurant.
- Spectator boats.







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## ***Lunenburg Yacht Club has undergone major upgrades***

- Expanded and generally level boat yard
- Paved ramp
- New floating wharfs – expanded capacity
- Very well suited for regatta hosting





## ***A Full Schedule***

- Breakfast/lunch provided daily, three regatta dinners.
- Fantastic daily boat wash by the Lunenburg Fire Department.
- Daily kids events like magicians, music, story telling, movies, RC Laser racing, games and fireworks.
- Post race discussions with past Olympians and America's Cup participants such as Phil Gow, Andreas Josenhans, Glen Dexter, Lisa Ross and Paul Tingley.







## ***Local Area Full of Fun Activities***

- Towns of Lunenburg and Mahone Bay nearby – Picturesque, great restaurants and shops.
- Bluenose II
- Whale watching, Deep Sea Fishing, Sea Kayaking among many activities
- Beautiful beaches
- Plenty of Hotels, Inns and Cottages for rent
- A GREAT family vacation!

