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Dear Ida Lewis Distance Race 2023 Competitor;

The Ida Lewis Yacht Club Officers, members and Race Committee for the 2024 Ida Lewis Distance Race are pleased to announce the nineteenth ILDR from 16-17 August 2024, presented by Blue Nose Yacht Sales. Registration is now open!

The ILDR 2023 was a resounding success with closer competition for all participants with a second ORC class and a third class in PHRF resulting in tightened rating bands. The ILDR 2024 will again offer additional new courses, some with extra reaching legs, which can be individually assigned to each class based on the median boat speed in each class and the wind predictions for the day of the race. With that, we are restating our objective that this is a 24-hour overnight race.

For the Notice of Race and more information, visit <http://www.ilyc.org/distancerace> or contact Race Chair Anselm Richards, [distanceracechair@ilyc.org](mailto:distanceracechair@ilyc.org). Follow us on Facebook, Instagram and YouTube.

Your participation is crucial to the success of the 2024 ILDR. The ILDR Committee will continue to communicate relevant updates.

Respectfully yours,

Anselm T.W. Richards

Chair, Ida Lewis Distance Race