

# 2016 DragonFlite 95 National Championship, Oct 28-30, Bass Pro - Garland, TX.

| Pos | Skipper           | Sail | Club | Score | 1    | 2    | 3    | 4    | 5    | 6    | 7    | 8    | 9    | 10   | 11   | 12   | 13   | 14   | 15   | 16   |
|-----|-------------------|------|------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 1   | Golison, Mark     | 55   | CA   | 31.0  | 1.0  | 3.0  | 3.0  | 3.0  | 6.0  | 3.0  | 2.0  | 3.0  | 1.0  | 4.0  | 1.0  | 2.0  | 6.0  | 1.0  | 4.0  | 6.0  |
| 2   | Boell, Gary       | 71   | CA   | 39.0  | 1.0  | 6.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 9.0  | 1.0  | 4.0  | 10.0 | 3.0  | 3.0  | 3.0  | 4.0  | 2.0  | 9.0  | 1.0  | 10.0 |
| 3   | Gonsalves, Tony   | 51   | FL   | 54.0  | 1.0  | 8.0  | 12.0 | 2.0  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 13.0 | 8.0  | 5.0  | 2.0  | 6.0  | 3.0  | 4.0  | 2.0  | 9.0  | 9.0  |
| 4   | Rosenbaum, Eric   | 07   | TX   | 55.0  | 4.0  | 4.0  | 9.0  | 9.0  | 5.0  | 7.0  | 6.0  | 4.0  | 2.0  | 5.0  | 2.0  | 7.0  | 12.0 | 4.0  | 3.0  | 2.0  |
| 5   | Landeau, Steve    | 12   | GA   | 61.0  | 2.0  | 1.0  | 2.0  | 8.0  | 7.0  | 17.0 | 1.0  | 13.0 | 9.0  | 1.0  | 12.0 | 1.0  | 3.0  | 13.0 | 6.0  | 8.0  |
| 6   | Macaluso, Chris   | 03   | TX   | 75.0  | 3.0  | 19.0 | 6.0  | 11.0 | 10.0 | 10.0 | 12.0 | 1.0  | 10.0 | 6.0  | 4.0  | 5.0  | 9.0  | 3.0  | 5.0  | 3.0  |
| 7   | Bremer, Baron     | 81   | FL   | 77.0  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 4.0  | 5.0  | 11.0 | 12.0 | 8.0  | 11.0 | 4.0  | 10.0 | 9.0  | 6.0  | 5.0  | 6.0  | 12.0 | 5.0  |
| 8   | LeMahieu, Chuck   | 95   | TX   | 96.0  | 5.0  | 13.0 | 13.0 | 10.0 | 4.0  | 5.0  | 3.0  | 18.0 | 25.0 | 11.0 | 8.0  | 8.0  | 7.0  | 14.0 | 2.0  | 7.0  |
| 9   | Brower, Jerry     | 42   | WA   | 107.0 | 6.0  | 7.0  | 7.0  | 13.0 | 8.0  | 11.0 | 10.0 | 7.0  | 18.0 | 20.0 | 20.0 | 11.0 | 8.0  | 7.0  | 11.0 | 1.0  |
| 10  | Stephanz, Ron     | 127  | AL   | 114.0 | 4.0  | 5.0  | 5.0  | 16.0 | 13.0 | 4.0  | 15.0 | 2.0  | 6.0  | 16.0 | 27.0 | 20.0 | 10.0 | 10.0 | 8.0  | 17.0 |
| 11  | Cooper, Mark      | 05   | TX   | 137.0 | 2.0  | 17.0 | 30.0 | 23.0 | 3.0  | 9.0  | 9.0  | 5.0  | 12.0 | 17.0 | 28.0 | 9.0  | 14.0 | 11.0 | 13.0 | 16.0 |
| 12  | Bonard, Yann      | 28   | FRA  | 141.0 | 16.0 | 44.0 | 44.0 | 44.0 | 1.0  | 8.0  | 14.0 | 14.0 | 14.0 | 7.0  | 15.0 | 13.0 | 1.0  | 5.0  | 14.0 | 19.0 |
| 13  | Eldridge, David   | 86   | TX   | 151.0 | 4.0  | 9.0  | 18.0 | 12.0 | 18.0 | 6.0  | 5.0  | 9.0  | 15.0 | 8.0  | 14.0 | 28.0 | 21.0 | 17.0 | 16.0 | 21.0 |
| 14  | Gray, Martin      | 183  | FL   | 160.0 | 5.0  | 14.0 | 11.0 | 7.0  | 12.0 | 14.0 | 7.0  | 15.0 | 18.0 | 19.0 | 7.0  | 14.0 | 18.0 | 20.0 | 22.0 | 18.0 |
| 15  | Donaher, Barry    | 47   | AZ   | 169.0 | 11.0 | 10.0 | 8.0  | 4.0  | 14.0 | 21.0 | 24.0 | 21.0 | 27.0 | 28.0 | 23.0 | 19.0 | 11.0 | 8.0  | 7.0  | 12.0 |
| 16  | Seta, Ray         | 88   | TX   | 181.0 | 7.0  | 26.0 | 10.0 | 14.0 | 18.0 | 28.0 | 21.0 | 12.0 | 13.0 | 12.0 | 13.0 | 10.0 | 13.0 | 15.0 | 29.0 | 23.0 |
| 17  | Dantas, Mauricio  | 171  | TX   | 183.0 | 5.0  | 15.0 | 20.0 | 21.0 | 23.0 | 13.0 | 11.0 | 6.0  | 11.0 | 13.0 | 10.0 | 15.0 | 28.0 | 27.0 | 24.0 | 20.0 |
| 18  | Johnson, Graham   | 08   | AZ   | 195.0 | 3.0  | 16.0 | 22.0 | 22.0 | 15.0 | 18.0 | 18.0 | 18.0 | 16.0 | 22.0 | 5.0  | 16.0 | 15.0 | 26.0 | 26.0 | 11.0 |
| 19  | Eades, Mike       | 186  | AZ   | 195.0 | 7.0  | 20.0 | 18.0 | 29.0 | 19.0 | 22.0 | 19.0 | 16.0 | 7.0  | 15.0 | 16.0 | 26.0 | 22.0 | 12.0 | 10.0 | 14.0 |
| 20  | Rust, Andy        | 25   | KS   | 206.0 | 3.0  | 11.0 | 14.0 | 15.0 | 26.0 | 20.0 | 16.0 | 23.0 | 21.0 | 18.0 | 18.0 | 21.0 | 24.0 | 18.0 | 18.0 | 13.0 |
| 21  | Martin, Paul      | 267  | AUS  | 250.0 | 8.0  | 22.0 | 25.0 | 24.0 | 31.0 | 16.0 | 17.0 | 22.0 | 19.0 | 14.0 | 18.0 | 25.0 | 23.0 | 22.0 | 20.0 | 27.0 |
| 22  | Piper, Bob        | 65   | TX   | 251.0 | 7.0  | 28.0 | 19.0 | 6.0  | 16.0 | 29.0 | 27.0 | 34.0 | 39.0 | 29.0 | 22.0 | 18.0 | 26.0 | 19.0 | 19.0 | 15.0 |
| 23  | Sheldon, Fred     | 77   | TX   | 252.0 | 8.0  | 21.0 | 21.0 | 30.0 | 21.0 | 27.0 | 26.0 | 24.0 | 8.0  | 9.0  | 11.0 | 17.0 | 29.0 | 37.0 | 31.0 | 32.0 |
| 24  | Rottgering, Will  | 149  | TX   | 255.0 | 9.0  | 18.0 | 15.0 | 19.0 | 21.0 | 15.0 | 28.0 | 26.0 | 22.0 | 24.0 | 26.0 | 24.0 | 19.0 | 30.0 | 21.0 | 22.0 |
| 25  | McGill, Hap       | 41   | AZ   | 282.0 | 6.0  | 29.0 | 24.0 | 27.0 | 36.0 | 44.0 | 31.0 | 25.0 | 20.0 | 28.0 | 30.0 | 12.0 | 16.0 | 24.0 | 17.0 | 24.0 |
| 26  | Scott, Craig      | 52   | TX   | 305.0 | 10.0 | 23.0 | 23.0 | 28.0 | 31.0 | 19.0 | 29.0 | 27.0 | 24.0 | 25.0 | 21.0 | 22.0 | 27.0 | 28.0 | 28.0 | 31.0 |
| 27  | Garcia, Budman    | 60   | TX   | 312.0 | 9.0  | 12.0 | 16.0 | 18.0 | 28.0 | 44.0 | 32.0 | 19.0 | 29.0 | 27.0 | 33.0 | 36.0 | 44.0 | 31.0 | 32.0 | 26.0 |
| 28  | Scamehorn, Craig  | 68   | WA   | 313.0 | 14.0 | 24.0 | 21.0 | 18.0 | 20.0 | 30.0 | 40.0 | 33.0 | 33.0 | 32.0 | 19.0 | 23.0 | 17.0 | 29.0 | 34.0 | 34.0 |
| 29  | Porth, Chuck      | 90   | TX   | 320.0 | 11.0 | 37.0 | 26.0 | 20.0 | 25.0 | 23.0 | 23.0 | 30.0 | 40.0 | 31.0 | 31.0 | 33.0 | 25.0 | 25.0 | 25.0 | 25.0 |
| 30  | Gardner, Russell  | 02   | TX   | 336.0 | 12.0 | 34.0 | 27.0 | 33.0 | 34.0 | 26.0 | 22.0 | 20.0 | 31.0 | 23.0 | 29.0 | 27.0 | 34.0 | 32.0 | 23.0 | 31.0 |
| 31  | Vinson, Allan     | 158  | AZ   | 347.0 | 6.0  | 25.0 | 29.0 | 31.0 | 35.0 | 32.0 | 33.0 | 32.0 | 23.0 | 31.0 | 24.0 | 30.0 | 35.0 | 21.0 | 30.0 | 33.0 |
| 32  | Suarez, Carlos    | 63   | PUR  | 354.0 | 16.0 | 44.0 | 44.0 | 44.0 | 24.0 | 24.0 | 25.0 | 29.0 | 28.0 | 34.0 | 41.0 | 34.0 | 20.0 | 23.0 | 27.0 | 29.0 |
| 33  | Arrue, Gino       | 15   | TX   | 376.0 | 13.0 | 32.0 | 36.0 | 34.0 | 22.0 | 25.0 | 20.0 | 28.0 | 32.0 | 38.0 | 36.0 | 35.0 | 31.0 | 33.0 | 35.0 | 36.0 |
| 34  | Chong, Wilson     | 102  | CAN  | 392.0 | 12.0 | 40.0 | 34.0 | 26.0 | 27.0 | 35.0 | 44.0 | 38.0 | 31.0 | 33.0 | 35.0 | 31.0 | 32.0 | 35.0 | 33.0 | 28.0 |
| 35  | Campoverde, Fern  | 76   | TX   | 398.0 | 8.0  | 31.0 | 39.0 | 39.0 | 44.0 | 33.0 | 39.0 | 31.0 | 26.0 | 21.0 | 25.0 | 29.0 | 40.0 | 39.0 | 41.0 | 38.0 |
| 36  | Prufer, Art       | 29   | CAN  | 407.0 | 10.0 | 30.0 | 32.0 | 25.0 | 29.0 | 36.0 | 36.0 | 41.0 | 34.0 | 35.0 | 37.0 | 32.0 | 38.0 | 36.0 | 37.0 | 35.0 |
| 37  | Mendt, Diana      | 83   | TX   | 417.0 | 11.0 | 35.0 | 31.0 | 36.0 | 32.0 | 31.0 | 34.0 | 32.0 | 37.0 | 31.0 | 32.0 | 40.0 | 36.0 | 42.0 | 40.0 | 39.0 |
| 38  | Tarr, Jim         | 166  | CO   | 436.0 | 9.0  | 27.0 | 35.0 | 37.0 | 38.0 | 34.0 | 44.0 | 36.0 | 41.0 | 37.0 | 34.0 | 37.0 | 37.0 | 38.0 | 42.0 | 37.0 |
| 39  | Howell, James     | 117  | AL   | 439.0 | 13.0 | 33.0 | 40.0 | 32.0 | 33.0 | 38.0 | 38.0 | 39.0 | 38.0 | 36.0 | 39.0 | 39.0 | 30.0 | 34.0 | 36.0 | 42.0 |
| 40  | VanWolfsinkel, Ma | 56   | CA   | 444.0 | 16.0 | 44.0 | 44.0 | 44.0 | 44.0 | 44.0 | 41.0 | 44.0 | 44.0 | 44.0 | 44.0 | 44.0 | 44.0 | 16.0 | 15.0 | 4.0  |
| 41  | Campoverde, Robi  | 33   | ECU  | 455.0 | 16.0 | 38.0 | 38.0 | 38.0 | 37.0 | 39.0 | 30.0 | 35.0 | 35.0 | 40.0 | 40.0 | 38.0 | 33.0 | 40.0 | 38.0 | 41.0 |
| 42  | Mohs, Brian       | 06   | FL   | 458.0 | 10.0 | 36.0 | 33.0 | 35.0 | 39.0 | 37.0 | 35.0 | 44.0 | 36.0 | 41.0 | 38.0 | 41.0 | 39.0 | 41.0 | 39.0 | 40.0 |
| 43  | Buzzell, Allen    | 128  | NM   | 508.0 | 12.0 | 39.0 | 37.0 | 44.0 | 44.0 | 44.0 | 37.0 | 37.0 | 44.0 | 39.0 | 44.0 | 44.0 | 44.0 | 44.0 | 44.0 | 43.0 |

Chair: Chuck LeMahieu, PRO: Freddy Rocha, Float Scoring: Top Scoring: Carrie LeMahieu, Pontoon: Chris M. Steve L. October 30, 2016 Lake Ray Hubbard, TX. Robert Piper reporting

Well the regatta is over, the location is cleared and vacated and everyone is on their way home or has already made it home. So how was this last day of sailing at the 2016 DF Nationals? Interesting... A rigs all day. Not even a hint of B. One thing we had going was there was very little chop to deal with. For the most part the course was set and only had a couple of minor tweaks all day. One tweak was to flip the windward and the offset to make the course more square to the wind. That was done just before an A heat race. The A fleet skippers found it was an upwind battle to make it to the offset. That was a big challenge to a lot of skippers who were not expecting that. So race committee moved the offset down course to make it easier.

There were times where the boats were moving through the water nicely only to have the wind drop as your making that tack over to the windward mark. Skippers who had been on port, and at a disadvantage, suddenly found new openings as the Starboard boats ended up drifting down and having to tack themselves to make the mark. Thats sailing though. Something you just have to deal with it as your out on the water. And speaking of having to deal with new things on the water, I spoke to a bunch of skippers that said it was worth it to have come to the regatta just to sail in competition with their B rigs. Many had never had it on to sail with before.

Lunch today was either a bacon chicken sandwich or a beef skewer. Lots of positive feed back there also. The Texas Land and Cattle was great for hosting the regatta. After lunch we had the final race of the day. C fleet, B fleet then A to wrap things up. Well you know how it seems there is always a skipper that forgets to turn on their radio when they put their boat in the water at just about every regatta you have been to? Well that happened on this last race. I am not sure it had happened all weekend. But this last race we had the call for Boats in the Water - Clocks On. Then there is the call about 5 seconds in. Rescue Boat - Rescue Boat - skipper forgot to turn on his radio. There were 43 skippers sailing at this regatta. If you started at the bottom guess who had forgotten to turn their radio you would have had 42 skippers to guess before you finally made it to the first place skipper and winner of the regatta Mark Golison. Yup Mark was our radio man...

To wrap things up special thanks have to go out to the race PRO Freddy Rocha for flying in to run the regatta. He kept the races moving allowing us to get 16 races (48 heats) off in the three days of sailing. Chuck LeMahieu (Dragon Sailing radiosailing.net) for putting this regatta on, doing all of the leg work, Plus making sure a vast supply of parts was available all weekend, Bass Pro for the use of the grounds and the dock for the 3 day weekend. But most importantly to the two gals that did scoring. I apologize for not getting the name of the gal who spent 3 days out on a floating dock writing scores. She would work with Carrie LeMahieu who was running the computer to make sure the skippers knew who was to be on the water when. This was the first time for these two people to ever do a 3 heat scoring and they did a fantastic job!

Bob  
Some USA 42 photos at <http://www.ibextrax.com/RC2016/1028D95/>  
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Videos <https://www.youtube.com/results?q=DF95&sp=EgIIAw%253D%253D>



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