

2017 DF95 Blowout

March 11 – 12, 2017

Hosted by TRYC (club # 10)

Chuck LeMahieu reporting

Once again, thanks to everyone for making this event a pleasure to do! Y'all were fantastic and your patience with our battle with setting good courses and trying to get races off in the face of fairly poor conditions was fantastic.

We try and set a high standard for regatta management, and everyone was really great at rolling with what Mother Nature dealt us!

That was our 19th annual Blowout, and our first one with DF95s!

I am confident that this event will grow in years to come and that it continues to be a great sailing event and a really fun time where we can come together with new and old friends!

I wanted to take a second to thank the folks behind the scenes who really made this work!

- Carrie LeMahieu , for her second RD experience in a big regatta, delivered a great even handed performance and was able to adapt to some very challenging conditions and folks sailing in the heat of battle... its why I married her obviously!!
- Jan Scott, Chauncey Piper, and Vicky Balun - Awesome committee work and keeping things running smoothly, simply fantastic!! Great volunteers are getting harder and harder to find... our ladies were the best !
- Chris Macaulso, Griffin Orr, & Mauricio Dantas Chase - awesome chase boat duty and clean up. It may not seem like it but at our location getting these things done means so much and they deserve a lot of thanks for the extra effort!
- Eric Rosenbaum - for his admin work behind the scenes
- Scott Self - for helping us have an alternative venue , and weathering the fire drill we had with the weather!

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