


PRESS RELEASE

7th annual CHANCERY REGATTA 2015

July 4, Saturday
Annual CHANCERY REGATTA –
friendly, non-competitive yachting race on Lake Muskoka
for promotion of sailing as an aspect of green philosophy.
Both savvy and just recreational sailors are invited.
Sailboats of any types, classes and sizes
are welcome to join.

Details at www.ChanceryArt.com/REGATTA

- On Saturday, July 4, right before noon, all sailboats meet at the South Bay of [Muskoka Lake](#) circling around the [Eleanor Island](#) (coordinates: 44°59'0"N & 79°23'25"W). No landing on the island, though – it is Canadian heritage, ecological pride, famous bird nesting sanctuary...
- At noon, on the bell signal, Regatta **starts**: all boats begin to race around several islands towards the Taboo Resort – for your guidance, print a chart from the Regatta webpage 🗺️
- **Race** is *non-competitive* – sail in your most pleasant pace. Under usual conditions the race will take about one hour from start to finish. If you find yourself far behind – cut corners...
- If wind is very light – omit all turns around the islands and sail *directly* to Taboo
- Obey [boating rules](#) to avoid collisions
- **Dock** your boat at Taboo; give a hand to other boaters to land safely
- After the last boat of the Regatta has safely arrived, **get together** on the dock and greet each other with a drink of Champaign. Thus, do not forget to bring a bottle to share it with other sailors
- **Sailboat Show.** Invite other sailors and the Taboo guests on board; enlighten them regarding the history of your sailboat; show photos and maybe even play videos of your past sailing adventures
- Stay for **lunch** together in Taboo at the [Boathouse Bar & Grill](#) with beautiful Muskoka Lake view and exceptional casual [menu](#)



© 2012 by Douglas P. Lee, Sailing (fragments), Acrylic on canvas, 24" x 18"

Chancery Regatta

Saturday, July 4, 2015
Muskoka Lake, ON

Your Sails Matter™

- show your support of "green" tack
- all sailboats are welcome
- friendly, non-competitive regatta
- start at noon from Eleanor Island
- finish in Taboo, lunch together
- free registration on-line

ChanceryArt.com/REGATTA
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*"The only possible teacher
except torture is fine art"*
Bernard Shaw
The Doctor's Dilemma

From the Freudian view, arts derive from the same source as fantasies and dreams, and have the same purpose – to reduce tension in the soul. This applies to both creation and perception of the art, regardless of modality – painting, sculpture, literature, music, dance, etc. Thus, in some respects artists are not special – like the rest of us, they have the same narcissistic desires and fantasies, rather shameful to share under our cultural restraints. But unlike us, artists have a very special gift – they are able to exhibit their fantasies in a skilful, camouflaged way, and to attract us first with the external, formal side of their work. It traps us, provoking a preliminary, properly aesthetic pleasure, turning our internal "censor" off guard. And then, it enables us to enjoy our own deep prohibited fantasies – projected on the art – without shame and self-blame, with revealing catharsis. How are artists able to do this? It's their mystic secret; it's art.

*"...The one thing which may
in some degree reconcile the
cultured person with life –
scientific and artistic enjoyment..."*
Eduard von Hartmann
Philosophy of the Unconscious

Chancery Art Gallery is a commercial gallery which offers solo and group exhibitions of contemporary fine art and acts as the artist's agent with exclusivity limited to Muskoka district of Ontario, Canada.

The gallery is affiliated with a psychology office on premises – www.PrivateCounseling.ca Occasionally, for "artist-in-crisis" a psychological consultation is offered *pro-bono*.

The gallery's mission:
*"Piece of pie to the artists,
Peace of mind to the rest of us"*

Dr. Lena Kolobow
owner & director

Dr. Paul Ivanoff
curator

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Chancery Regatta is annual philanthropic project founded in 2009 by *Chancery Art Gallery* with intention to promote *sailing* as an aspect of "green philosophy"

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