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Try sailing - it's NOT easy! - Bill Schanen, [SAILING Magazine](#)

HALLOWEEN IS TUESDAY, TOMORROW, October 31st. Remember, “*Beware the Jabberwock, my son! The jaws that bite, the claws that catch! Beware the Jubjub bird, and shun the frumious Bandersnatch!*” From *Jabberwocky* by Lewis Carroll.

EASTERN STANDARD TIME RETURNS AT 2 am, SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5.

Set your clock BACK one hour and “Fall back to sleep!”

FIRST FROSTBITE RACE washed out, blown away, and cancelled for generally yucky weather. HYC Frostbite Race 2 all set for November 5. OPEN TO ALL. Racing is around fixed marks in Hampton Roads Harbor. There is racing for all PHRF fleets (spin and non-spin) as well as a Cruising Fleet for single-headsail only, no spinnakers. First warning is at high noon. The starting line is located near R N “20” (aka CCV harbor mark “H”) off Hampton Flats. Daily awards will be presented in the HYC Dockside Lounge following racing. The overall series awards will be presented at HYC Awards Night, December 5th. For the complete Notice of Race click on <http://hamptonyc.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/09/HYC-Circulars-Frostbite-2017-Final.pdf> Entries are due the day before race day. For additional info **contact: Brian Deibler (757) 715-8977**

FBYC FALL SERIES CONCLUDES. Nineteen (19) skippers and crew finished out the FBYC 2017 Fall Series on Saturday. They got in 2 races and here are the results for the day: PHRF A (6 boats): 1. **Craig Wright**, *Afterthought*; 2. **Glenn Doncaster**, *Nanuq*; 3. **Mayo Tabb**, *Excitation*. PHRF B (6 boats): 1. **Bob Fleck**, *Mad Hatter*; 2. **Dennis Hannick**, *Goin'*; 3. **Lud Kimbrough**, *Nostalgia*. PHRF C (4 boats): 1. **Paul and Julie Wash**, *Cheeky Monkey*; 2. **Burke Johnson/Hal Starke/Rick Peterson**, *Play it Again*; 3. **Brad Miller**, *Schiehallion*. PHRF Non-Spin (3 Boats): 1. **James Sturdy**, *Wendas*; 2. **Mike Dale**, *Juggernaut*. Principal Race Officer-Tom Roberts.

SOUTHERN BAY VIPER RACERS and SBRW VIPER ALUMNI at the 2017 Beacon Group Viper 640 North American Championship. There were several familiar names and faces at the 2017 Viper 640 NA's last week (Tuesday-Saturday). The event was hosted by Fort Walton Yacht Club (Fort Walton Beach, FL). After 11 races the nine Vipers with southern Bay attachments (SBRW 2017) did fine in the very competitive fifty-four (54) boat fleet. Finishing overall in the *Top 10* were Zeke Horowitz with Ian Coleman and Luke Lawrence – 4th and Mary Ewenson with Geoff Ewenson and Skip Dieball – 6th; and, Dave Nickerson with Moise Solomon and Scott Lemming – 7th. Also enjoying the Florida breezes were Jay Rhame and Peter Beardsley (12th); Henry Amthor (19th); Jonathan Colarusson and Sarah Schail (25th); Peter ill (30th), Steve Taylor (31st) and Cole Constantinea and Eleni Asimacopoulos (42nd). **For info and complete results click on <https://www.yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=2996>**

LASER RACERS!! Old Dominion University and Big Blue Sailing Academy will host the annual Turkey Bowl Shootout Series beginning this Sunday, Nov. 5. The series runs four November Sundays, ending on Nov. 26. The online registration will be available sometime this week at the Big Blue Sailing Academy webpage under the Laser Frostbite heading. \$10 per race or a series fee. 11 a.m. first start and racing until about 1:30 or, later in the year, until the fingers fall off. Meet at the Old Dominion University Sailing Center off Powhatan Avenue at the back of the parking lot between 45th and 49th streets. Racing includes a debrief with one of the very capable members of the ODU team and some coffee or tea to warm you up.

COMING UP THIS WEEKEND:

EASTERN STANDARD TIME RETURNS at 2AM ON SUNDAY, NOV 5th !

****Saturday, Nov 4 HOT-BUTTERED RUM RACE, hosted by BBSA's Willoughby Racers.** Racing will be in Willoughby Bay (aka Little Bay) and trophies will be presented at the post-race social. Skippers Meeting at 10 am (front steps of Willoughby Harbor Marina) and the first warning is at high noon. Racing is for non-spinnaker, single headsail only. OPEN TO ALL self-righting monohulls at least 20 feet long with an enclosed cabin. Entry fee: \$10 (Willoughby Racers members free if entered by noon on Friday, Nov 3rd). TO ENTER click on: www.broadbaysailing.org For additional info contact Robert Duncan at 757/348-2510 (cell) or click on willoughbyracers@broadbaysailing.org . *Go racing! Get your rum hot buttered!*

****Saturday, Nov 4 FBYC Closing Day and Winter Series 1** www.fbyc.net

****Sat – Sun, Nov 4-5 HYC Fall Fling including the traditional Fall Fling Regatta Oyster Roast** hosted this year by Tom and Debbie Ryan. Info and registration - http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/15618#_home

****Sunday, Nov 5 HYC Frostbite 2** For the complete Notice of Race click on <http://hamptonyc.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/09/HYC-Circulars-Frostbite-2017-Final.pdf> Entries are due the day before race day. For additional info contact: Brian Deibler (757) 715-8977

****Sunday, Nov 5 ODU Laser Turkey Bowl Shootout Series** opens and runs every November Sunday thru Nov 26th (see info above)

****Sunday, Nov 5 YRYC Frostbite 6 (series final)** www.yryc.org

Sometimes sailors sell their powerboats. Well known sailor and sailmaker, Kenny Saylor, has his for sale now. 1983 Mako 238 walk-around cuddy cabin, 2005 200 HP Johnson (just replaced 2 yrs ago). Great fishing, regatta support and family boat! \$8,000 OBO Kenny Saylor 757-287-3751 or ken.saylor@northsails.com

PHOTOBOAT sale (20% off) ends this WEDNESDAY, November 1st. Check out your SBRW pics at the **PHOTO BOAT on-line galleries** at <http://www.photo-boat.com/regatta-photos/2017-southern-bay-race-week> . Pictures make great gifts – get your orders in now!

SKIPJACK FOR SALE: Owners Hope to Return Her To the Bay. Anybody, group or individual, interested? The **Wilma Lee**, a classic 1940 Bay-built skipjack, is losing her captain at an Ocracoke Island non-profit. They're making a public appeal for someone to buy her and bring her back to the Chesapeake. A lot of work has been done already on this beauty. She has been brought up “. . .to Coast Guard regulations for carrying passengers, and today she can accommodate up to 42 guests. Since 2012, a commercial captain has partnered with Ocracoke Alive, and she's been used for sunset cruises and weddings, as well as educational programs for kids.” - [Read More](#) From: *Chesapeake Bay Magazine “Bay Bulletin”, Oct 25, 2017.*

MURPHY'S LAW: Yrs Truly, the Racing Beagle, wonders if a turkey went over to the spooky side and became a goblin, and began to speak nonsense, would he be a gobbledygook gobbling gobbler goblin? Say that 3 times real fast – ahooo! /S/ *Murphy the Racing Beagle, the sailing spirit in us all.*

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