

#10 2024 MURPHY DISPATCHES

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ANNAPOLIS SPRING SAILBOAT SHOW

April 26-26, 2024

The [Annapolis Spring Sailboat Show](#) returns to the historic seaport town of Annapolis every April to showcase new and brokerage boats including catamarans, monohulls, family cruisers, daysailers, and inflatables.

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CCV SPRING SERIES, Day 2/Race 3, Middle Distance in the Harbor. It was cold. It was blowin' 13-17, gusting to 22. It was wet. And, in case anybody cares, a light rain is every bit as wet as any other rain. But, the racers raced and kudos to them, 16 boats in all. The long course was 12.7nm and the short course 10.2. This middle distance race counts toward the Southern Bay Distance Racing Series and, of course, toward the CCVR High Point Series. RESULTS: PHRF A (6 boats) 1.**Will Roberts**, REMEDY; 2.**Christian Schaumloffel**, MYRAGE; 3.**Dave Reville**, FEATHER. PHRF B/C (7 boats) 1.**John Henry**, RUMBLE; 2.**Alan Bomar**, ROUNDABOUT; 3. **Chris French**, ELIXIR. MELGES 24/VIPER (3 boats): 1.**Doug Bird**, JOYRIDE; 2.**Rusty Burshell**, THIS IS COOL; 3. **Paul Clifford**, BRD. Click on <https://ccvracing.us/ccv-race-results/> to get the full results report. Race Committee: Brian Deibler (PRO); Henry Hudgins (Signal Boat Captain); John Ritter (Official Scorer); Signals and Recorder (Catherine Ryan and Kim Deibler).

Next Sunday, April 28, 2024- Series Finale – CCV SPRING SERIES, Day 3 (Races 4 & 5) – in the Harbor. Two drop mark windward/leeward races. As per CCVR General S.I.s. Scoring for Races 4 & 5 will be PHRF Windward/Leeward ratings. Time on Distance.

Post Race Party to include presentation of the Series dailies and the **CBYRA 2023 & 2022 HIGH POINT Awards**. All clubs are invited. Come congratulate your cohorts! The post-race festivities will be hosted by CCVR at the HCY Dockside Lounge, immediately following racing.



2023 & 2022 Southern Bay HIGH POINT AWARDS Ceremony

April 28 (Sun) – following racing, 5:30pm – hosted by CCVR at HCY - SOUTH DIVISION awards presentation in conjunction with CCVR Spring Series (Day 3) racing post-series festivities

CBYRA Award Recipients : (2023)

PHRF A 1.**Doug Bird**/JOYRIDE; 2.**Leroi Lissenden**/ VOO DOO 2; 3.**Andy Armstrong**/VIRGINIA H III

PHRF B 1.**Karen Roberts**/HORNET

PHRF C 1.**Alan Bomar**/ROUNDABOUT

PHRF N 1.**Al Brazzi**/Special K

CBYRA Award Recipients : (2022)

PHRF A 1.**Neil Ford & Lis Biondi Ford**/DANGER PAWS; 2.**Pete Hunter**/WAIRERE 3.**Phil Briggs**/FEATHER

PHRF B 1.**Bob Archer**/BAD HABIT; 2.**John Lones**/ALI-RU; 3.**Bryan Davis**/BEESWAX



CRW Podium Mavens - **Southern Bay Racer Ian Hill and his crew brought Melges 32, USA 232, SITELLA, in 2nd overall at Charleston Race Week.** Finishing the three days of racing with a string of 1-3-2-3-3-1 and one point out of first, the homies turned in a solid performance across the board, Congratulations to the skipper and **Martin Casey** – Main Trimmer, **Jason Currie**-Tactician, **Joe Gibson**-Headsail Trimmer, **Sean Henry**-Bow, **Alan Nakanishi**, and **Samual Neubert**-Mast.

Click on <https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=16304> for complete CRW Results.



FBYC OPENING DAY.

The racers turned out on Saturday to crank up the season at the annual Fishing Bay Yacht Club **OPENING DAY** regatta.

RESULTS: PHRF A (4 boats): 1.**Craig Wright**, AFTERTHOUGHT; 2.**Mark Wensel**, STING; 3.**David Clark**, CORRYVRECKAN. PHRF B/C (4 boats): 1.**James Sturdy**, WENDAS; 2. **Bob Fleck**, MAD HATTER; 3.**Dennis Hannick**, GOIN'. CRUISING (3 boats): 1.**Mike Chesser**, RED SKY; 2.**Rick Peterson**, 4001.3.**Brian Holdaway**, SECOND WIND.

For complete results, click on https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/27831#_newsroom+results .

To see the happenings of Opening Day via Jon Deutsch photography, click on <https://photos.jdeutsch.com/Sailing/2024/2024-FBYC-Opening-Day/i-XdX6Zsk/A>



CLICK FOR INFO & TO ENTER:

- CCV Racing - <https://ccvracing.us/racing/> - racing Sunday in April 28
- RRYC – Typhoon Class Spring Series opens <http://rryc.org> - April
- RRYC – RRYC Spring Series April 20 & May 4 - <http://rryc.org>
- FBYC – opening of Offshore Racing – 4 consecutive Saturdays – www.fbyc.net
- Hampton Roads Hospice Regatta – One Design Division - <https://theclubspot.com/regatta/QicRLblWyE> - May 18-19
- Cape Henry Cup Race – Hospice Keelboat Division - <https://www.broadbaysailing.org/event-5478178> May 18
- YPRCC – Spring Regatta - <http://rryc.org> – May 18
- Down the Bay Race – <https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eid=16412> – May 24-25
- Southern Bay Race Week – <https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=16366> – May 30, 31, June 1, 2.
- Southern Chesapeake Bay Big Boat 2024 Schedule – just ask by email to mcbear@earthlink.net
- PBC- Cock Island Race <https://www.cockislandrace.com/> June 15



MURPHY'S LAW: *Yrs Truly, the Racing Beagle, doesn't see what all the fuss is about racing in the rain. Could be the Murphster has a distinct advantage. . . the snugly fitted fur enhance oil skins, stylishly black and tan printed and au natural earmuffs! /S/ Murphy the Racing Beagle, the sailing spirit in us all.*

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