

# **Banter**

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# **March 2017**

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#### **COMMODORE'S CORNER**

#### Jean Pattenaude, commodore@broadbaysailing.org

Although it is winter, and we are a sailing club, we have been busy learning, and seeing our friends through the cold season. The monthly meeting at Mermaid Winery was well attended. The wine and food was excellent and our guest speaker John Blais, VP Southern Bay PHRF of the Chesapeake Inc., presented an interesting slide show explaining how the PHRF ratings work and what you can do to get the best from your rating.

The training seminar at the Bold Mariner Brewery drew a huge crowd - standing room only. Jerry, from Ullman Sails gave an awesome class on what to look for on the race course.

Spring is on the way, (sailing season inching closer) so keep attending our winter training seminars so you stay safe and sail faster on the water. Please check this Banter for the class details.

Our March meeting will be on March 21<sup>st</sup> at The Big Ugly Brewery. Last year we enjoyed ourselves sampling the beer and gathering to tell our sea stories. This year our guest speaker will be Tom Brandl from Tidewater Wooden Boat Workshop. Check out the website at <a href="www.twbw.org">www.twbw.org</a> to see what their group is about. Jerry and I will miss this meeting because we are catching up with Mike and Eva on S/V Tell Tales Again, to sail in the Spanish Virgin Islands. We are excited for this opportunity and we will give you a report when we get back.

Our annual sock burning will be April 2<sup>nd</sup>, sponsored by the crew of S/V Tipsea. Eric Fee's house is such a great place to hold this, the view is beautiful! Last year the weather could not have cooperated any better, let us hope for the same this year. See the Banter for details.

**BVI 2018 Cruise** – Not that I want to think about next winter, but while everyone remembers how winter feels like, we are starting to make plans and get a contingent together from our club to sail in the BVI's the winter of 2018. The initial feedback is to go for 10 days, February 24<sup>th</sup> to March 6<sup>th</sup>. A firm date will be made when our committee meets. If you would like to be on the ground floor and help plan this cruise, please let me know at <a href="mailto:jean@leofjohnscontractor.com">jean@leofjohnscontractor.com</a> or 543-3029. I will schedule a time when we can meet and get the ball rolling.

Members without boat cruise, July 29<sup>th</sup> – It is early in the year, but I want to give advance notice, that if you do not have a boat but would like to join our cruisers for a day cruise, we have a list of boats that have volunteered to bring extra passengers along. We will set sail to hospital point, anchor, enjoy lunch and drinks and then head back to the dock. We hope to have an enjoyable day on the water and get our members out with us that we see volunteering at races and who attend our meetings, but we have not been able to cruise. Racers that have boats that are not cruise ready can also sign up. More the merrier! Please contact me at <a href="mailto:jean@leofjohnscontractor.com">jean@leofjohnscontractor.com</a> or 543-3029 to let me know if you are interested in joining us. Also, if you have a boat and have room for the possibility of additional passengers, please let me know that too. Keep your eyes on the Banter for additional information and updates as the date draws closer.

This is your club! If you have any ideas that you would like to see implemented, mention it to a board member. Have a safe and happy St. Patrick's Day!

Sail fast, sail safe! Jean

#### MARCH MEMBERSHIP MEETING



Big Ugly Brewing 1296 Battlefield Blvd S, Chesapeake, VA 23322 http://biguglybrewing.com

#### 21 March 2017/1800

## **Guest Speaker: Tom Brandl of Tidewater Wooden Boat Workshop**

Please RSVP no later than 17 March 2017 so Big Ugly and Camos can ensure enough staffing. <a href="mailto:commodore@broadbaysailing.org">commodore@broadbaysailing.org</a>

Thank you Aaron of the Big Ugly Brewery; we will have the entire bar to ourselves. Food is available from Camo's American Grill (10% off for Big Ugly Customers). You can text or call your food order in, and they will deliver to the Big Ugly. I plan to get there at 1800, and folks can wander in and order food and drink. Tom will speak at 1900. Follow the web links for more info on Big Ugly and Camo's.

#### 1800 - Brewery Opens

Order food at Camos in person, by text, or online (see below for contact information) Eat, Drink, and be Merry

#### 1900 - Speakers:

Tom Brandl Various Officers Members

Here is a little excerpt from the Tidewater Wooden Boat Workshop website on their mission and vision

#### **MISSION AND VISION**

Tidewater Wooden Boat Workshop is a nonprofit charitable and educational organization that uses wooden boatbuilding and other nautical-related activities to help disadvantaged youth in Hampton Roads develop the essential life skills that lead to a successful future.

Our vision is to establish within Hampton Roads a vibrant youth boatbuilding program, with on-water activities such as rowing, sailing and environmental science projects, which provide young men and women positive, exciting, hands-on learning opportunities in a safe, friendly, enjoyable environment. These experiences will enable them to develop the educational and life skills that increase their chances of successfully graduating high school and continuing their education or finding meaningful employment.

#### WHO WE SERVE

The target audience for our programs are young men and women, ages 12 to 18, from throughout the Hampton Roads area. While our primary focus is serving youth, challenged by unfavorable social, economic, or educational conditions, we believe that a diversity in backgrounds will positively impact all participants. Thus, our programs are open to any youth having a desire to learn the art and craft of wooden boatbuilding and improve their life skills.



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<a href="http://www.camosamericangrill.com/">http://www.camosamericangrill.com/</a>
757.410.2266

#### **RACING NEWS**

Scott Almond, <a href="mailto:racing@broadbaysailing.org">racing@broadbaysailing.org</a>
Jerry Pattenaude, <a href="mailto:onedesign@broadbaysailing.org">onedesign@broadbaysailing.org</a>

Big thanks to John Blais, Vice-President, Southern Bay, of PHRF of the Chesapeake, for giving us a nice presentation on the PHRF of the Chesapeake organization at the February BBSA meeting; great information!

The 2017 Southern Bay Racing calendar is posted on the lower right hand corner of our homepage: <a href="www.broadbaysailing.org">www.broadbaysailing.org</a>. The first big-boat races of the season are less than a month away as Little Creek starts their Wednesday Night Series on April 5<sup>th</sup> and Willoughby starts their series the next day. Registration for the Little Creek Series is April 1<sup>st</sup>. Willoughby Racers are having their registration in conjunction with the Nuts and Bolts Race Committee Workshop on March 25<sup>th</sup> at Sail Nauticus. Details are posted on our website and elsewhere in this Banter, but you don't want to miss this great workshop being taught by John McCarthy that will help you get through your turn this summer serving as the Race Committee.

#### Don't forget to finish up the following applications/renewals before the prep flag drops:

- US Sailing as a member of BBSA, you get a discount on your membership: https://www1.ussailing.org/membership/MPP/Default.aspx?ycid=108856C
- CBYRA for eligibility in their season long High Point competition; the Southern Bay has its own division (Region IV) for trophies. If you haven't done this before, give it a shot this year. There's no extra work as you're probably ALREADY racing in many of the area's CBRYA-sanctioned events (like BBSA's Cape Henry Cup, Cape Charles Cup, and Neptune's Atlantic Regatta); this just gives you the opportunity to win more trophies. Might as well, eh??

  https://www.regattanetwork.com/membermgmt/CBYRA/membership\_registration\_start.php
- PHRF of Chesapeake for your Valid Rating a necessary evil for racing (even if you are a Cruiser or a beer-can racer). <a href="http://www.phrfchesbay.org/bin/renew.php">http://www.phrfchesbay.org/bin/renew.php</a>. Two-step process; fill out the electronic application/renewal form and then use the link below it to pay online. Both new applications AND renewals must use BOTH steps (you can't just pay for a renewal without submitting the renewal form). <a href="https://put.new.pu
- CCV Their racing membership automatically enters you in all of their races for the season (except for Southern Bay Race Week); saves time, money, and headaches!! Worst case, join as a club member to get your copy of the annual racing bible (the CCV Racing Guide) to have information on every significant race in this area. <a href="http://www.ccvracing.org/Membership/membership.html">http://www.ccvracing.org/Membership/membership.html</a>. There is a link at the bottom to an online application.
- Southern Bay Race Week (June 2<sup>nd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup>) why wait to get registered in the most competitive racing event of the year?? 3 days of racing (2 for the Cruising Fleet)... take advantage of the early bird entry fee and free beverage tickets! <a href="http://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=3016">http://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=3016</a>.

#### **Upcoming dates of which to be aware:**

**25 March** – Nuts and Bolts Race Committee Workshop at Sail Nauticus (for everyone including Willoughby Racers and LCSA) - <a href="https://www.broadbaysailing.org">www.broadbaysailing.org</a>

25 March – Willoughby Racers Registration at Sail Nauticus: www.broadbaysailing.org

1 April – Little Creek Sailing Association 2016 Awards and 2017 Kick-Off Social: www.broadbaysailing.org

**5 April** – LCSA Wednesday Night Series begins

6 April – Willoughby Racers Thursday Night Series begins

If you have questions on any of the above or racing in general, please do not hesitate to contact me.

#### **Little Creek Sailing Association Wednesday Races:**

littlecreek@broadbaysailing.org

The LCSA Racing Season is right around the corner. Our First Race is Wednesday 5 April with an 1800 Race Start time.

LCSA Races start at 1800 in April and September, and start at 1830 May through August.

The LCSA 2017 Sailing Instructions can be found on the BBSA website; and all known skippers have been emailed a copy. The 2017 sailing Instructions will be very similar to last years.

For 2017 we will continue with:

- NS2 Fleet will start first, followed by NS1/Spinnaker (second start);
- "Racing Credit" for RC duties;
- Set dates for each series, regardless of weather cancellations (25 scheduled races that includes five series of five races each);
- In addition to 3 awards for each fleet, continue to include a "Fleet Champion" award to the most successful racer in each fleet (based on top 13 scores).

The 2017 LCSA Kick-off Party and 2016 Awards Ceremony will be on 1 April from 2- 5 PM at Randy and Dani Goodman's House in Virginia Beach.

Each guest (or couple) should bring an appetizer, hot dish or dessert. LCSA will provide beer, wine, soft drinks, water, paper products.

Mike Brannon will be smoking a turkey (that he raised) and bringing it, so the bar is set high.

This Party is for LCSA Skippers & Spouses and LCSA Crew members.

**Please RSVP by 18 March** (please provide names of all those attending in your party) so we can get a good head count. Send to <a href="mailto:ergoodman121@gmail.com">ergoodman121@gmail.com</a>

LCSA Skippers: Please bring a check with your dues (LCSA and BBSA) to the Kick-off Party, if you have not already paid or pay at: <a href="https://www.jotform.com/LWMCCC/bbsa-annual-membership-form">https://www.jotform.com/LWMCCC/bbsa-annual-membership-form</a>
We will also have Race Committee Sign ups. Each Skipper needs to sign a release form (provided separately).

The LCSA Race Committee Seminar on 25 March 0830 to 1200 noon at the Virginia Room; Half Moone Cruise and Conference Center Nauticus, Norfolk, VA 23510 (downtown Norfolk). This will be the only RC seminar for LCSA this year. The seminar will be presented by John McCarthy and will be very informative and fun. Request at least one member from each LCSA boat attend this seminar. Coffee, doughnuts & bagels will be provided for attendees. Sign up at: <a href="https://form.jotform.com/63483623289162">https://form.jotform.com/63483623289162</a>

Now is the time to order your 2017 PHRF from PHRF of Chesapeake, if you already have not.

We are still recruiting more boats to race with LCSA in 2017, so please invite Boat Owners from Little Creek to join us this year. Many of the skippers are also looking people that are interested in crewing on a regular basis.

Contact Randy Goodman with names and contact info.

#### Willoughby Racers Thursday Races:

<u>willoughbyracers@broadbaysailing.org</u> Check our website <a href="http://www.broadbaysailing.org/racing/willoughby.asp">http://www.broadbaysailing.org/racing/willoughby.asp</a> and our Willoughby Racers Facebook page for updates and more information.

Willoughby Racers have the following upcoming events:

- Race Committee Workshop Registration R/C sign up at Nauticus 8:30am March 25<sup>th</sup> (all WR are strongly urged to attend.) This is in place of the normal Race Committee refresher that Scott Almond normally puts on.
- Skipper/Crew meet and greet (crew looking for boats and boats looking for crew) Thursday, March 30<sup>th</sup> at Sunset Grill 6:30pm. **See flyer next page.**
- First race April 6<sup>th</sup>!!!
- Please remind everyone that they enroll online for WR at any time.

If I think of anything else I will let you know ASAP.

Thanks,
Robert Duncan
Duncan & Duncan Associates LLC
1142 Oaklawn Dr./Culpepper, VA 22701
757-348-2510 cell/540-852-0422 fax

#### From Mitch at ODU about the Opti Nationals:

ODU is hosting the 2017 Optimist Nationals and expect over 350 sailors July 24-Aug 3. We are looking for many local volunteers. We will need some help from Broad Bay members. Please forward this link to your membership. <a href="http://www.bigbluesailingacademy.com/2017usodanationals/howtovolunteer.html">http://www.bigbluesailingacademy.com/2017usodanationals/howtovolunteer.html</a>

# Willoughby Racers Skipper/Crew Meet and Greet Crew Listing Party Sunset Grill 1525 Bayville St. Norfolk o you want to learn to sail? on own a sailboat and want to race but don't know how or are short on crew? u looking to find a crew slot this season in Hampton Roads? you want to drink a few beers in celebration of the new sailing season.

The Willoughby Racers "Meet and Greet" and "Crew Listing Party" is a <u>FREE</u> annual networking event to help Willoughby sailors kick off the 2017 sailing season!!!! Gathered amongst the crowd you will find skippers looking for crew, sailors looking for boats to sail on, hoping to point you in the direction of more sailing opportunities. The party is a great opportunity to meet skippers in need of your services or crew looking for a ride. If own a sailboat and have thought about racing or need crew, you will be king of the party and should come away with a long list of willing and qualified crew.

March 30th

For more information contact Robert Duncan 757-348-2510 or email <u>Duncan1042@hotmail.com</u>

#### **BBSA Winter Training Committee Coordinator**

Happy New Year. We are only about three months until our first Wednesday or Thursday Night Races. Now is the time to Pay your LCSA & WR club dues and request a 2017 PHRF from PHRF of the Chesapeake.

We all have a lot of opportunities to attend Sailing presentations in February and March. Please forward these to your crew and have them sign up.

All of these seminars require advance sign up. Please be courteous and attend if you sign up.

As the head of the BBSA winter Training Committee, I coordinated the Sail seminar on 8 Feb and the Race Committee Seminar on 4 March, specifically for LCSA, Willoughby, and Patriot Sailing, but others are welcome.

Larry Baun coordinated the speakers for the two previous BBSA seminars in October and December.

Best wishes, Randy Goodman BBSA Winter Training Committee

<u>Date</u>	Event	Location	Registration	Reference
18-Mar-17	MURPHY NUTS & BOLTS for RACE COMMITTEE (Speaker: John McCarthy)	Hampton YC, Hampton, VA	email or call Lin McCarthy at mcbear@earthlink.net or call (757) 850-4225	
25-Mar-17	Murphy Nuts & Bolts Race Committee Seminar (Speaker: John McCarthy) BBSA Event	Sail Nauticus, Norfolk, VA	https://form.jotform.com/63483623289162	https://form.jotform.com/63483623289162



# Southern Bay Racing News You Can Use

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#### MURPHY NUTS & BOLTS for RACE COMMITTEE

Saturday, March 18, 2017 - 0900-1200 Hosted by Hampton Yacht Club

Info: Lin McCarthy, (757) 850-4225 mcbear@earthlink.net

#### MURPHY NUTS & BOLTS for RACE COMMITTEE

Saturday, March 25, 2017 - 0900-1200 Hosted by Broad Bay Sailing Association

Info: Randy Goodman ergoodman121@gmail.com

Info: Lin McCarthy, (757) 850-4225 mcbear@earthlink.net
See below for more info

#### ALL MURPHY SEMINARS AND CLINICS ARE OPEN TO ALL.

MURPHY NUTS & BOLTS FOR RACE COMMITTEE, Saturday morning, March 25, hosted by Broad Bay Sailing Association at Nauticus (downtown Norfolk). If you are serving on a Race Committee this sailing season, be it for a week-end regatta, single race, juniors, mid-week casual, or others, MURPHY NUTS & BOLTS is for you. The presentation is designed to cover the essentials of on-the-boat, on-the-water Race Committee responsibilities, including the start and the finish. John McCarthy will present this seminar on the Nuts and Bolts of Race Committee-ing in his entertaining and humorous style. Cost (\$10. per person) includes refreshments and materials. All proceeds go to US Patriot Sailing, a 501c3 non-profit with a mission of getting combat Veterans involved in competitive sailing. This seminar is for skippers, crew, and anyone else that may serve on a race committee or anyone that wants to improve their knowledge of racing. For on-line registration, click on <a href="https://form.jotform.com/63483623289162">https://form.jotform.com/63483623289162</a> or contact Randy Goodman at <a href="mailto:ergoodman121@gmail.com">ergoodman121@gmail.com</a>. This will be the only presentation of Murphy Nuts & Bolts in the Hampton Roads area this spring

#### **CRUISING NEWS**

Sergio Diehl, cruising@broadbaysailing.org

#### **BBSA Cruisers Planning Gam:**

The BBSA Cruisers met for their annual cruise planning meeting on 4 February, which was attended by 60+ sailors, the largest I have ever participated in. Thank you to everyone for coming out and making it a memorable evening, not to mention the wonderful spread





laid out by HYC. I especially want to thank the individuals and couples that came forward and volunteered to be a

cruise captain. In total, we have

planned 18 cruises, two long cruises in the Bay and a more challenging DELMARVA circumnavigation. Hopefully we have scheduled enough cruises, so that no matter what scheduling conflicts each of us may have there is at least one cruise every month that we can participate in. I have included the schedule below, but it is by far not set in stone, if you wish to add a cruise



please do not hesitate to contact me and I will gladly add it to the schedule. Now that the planning is done, it is time to execute. As we get closer to each cruise, please let the cruise captain know you plan on participating. This will make their planning a little easier, not to mention blocking sufficient slips at the individual marinas. If you were not able to attend the meeting, but wish to be included in the Cruisers group, please contact me, at <a href="mailto:Sergio.diehl@cox.net">Sergio.diehl@cox.net</a> and I will add you to the list. Now if the gods are smiling on us this year, Punxsutawney Phil was wrong and we soon will be enjoying the bay and of course the mandatory sundowners.

## **BBSA Sock Burning & Summer Sailstice Stone Soup Party**

Broad Bay Sailing Association Cruisers & Racers are invited to come wearing their last pair of socks they are going to wear, until after the summer. Plus, bring a mug of ingredients to add to the stone soup. In your RSVP, please include the ingredient that you plan to add to the soup. Please also bring a dish to share and your drink (to share?) Tea and water will be provided.

2 pm: Gathering with ingredients to add to soup. Bring a beach chair, sailing tales and enjoy Eric's backyard, Ocean View Beach. This is an OUTDOORS event - feel your sockless feet in the sand, wind in your face, sun on your skin and the sound of the Chesapeake Bay calling us back!

2:30pm: Discuss 2016 Summer Sailstice Plans, BBSA Cruising, & BBSA Racing

3pm: Sock Burning Ceremony – "Ode to the Sock Burners" (Enough with the socks, it's time to go sailing!)

Next: Soup's up – Fill your mug with the tasty Stone Soup.

#### Host

Cindy Lee Hall & Eric Fee (s/v Big E)
Mary & Joe Greblunas (s/v Tiki Rose)
Kim & Chris Schott (s/v Lio Kai)
(The Tipsea Crew)



When
Sunday, April 2nd
2pm – 6pm



#### **Where**

Eric's Backyard

464 W. Ocean View Ave, Norfolk, VA 23503
Park at the Ocean View Fishing Pier
Facing the pier, walk to the left up the beach about
50 yards.

Lost? Call Eric 757-876-5148

#### Please RSVP

(Please include in your RSVP what soup ingredient you are bringing.)

marygreblunas@yahoo.com

804-402-1181

#### **Please Bring**

- Sailing Stories
- **▼** Your Old Winter Socks
  - **J** Beach Chairs
- **L** A mug filled with ingredients for the Stone Soup
  - **L** Anything particular you would like to Drink

(beer/soda/wine/water will be provided)

An Appetizer to share

#### **Kentucky Derby Waterside Cruise May 6/7**

It's time to start thinking of spring and our first cruise of the year. Waterside Marina (757 625 3625) can fill up fast as the boating season gets underway, so it's not too early to make your reservation. Tell them it's for the BBSA/HYC cruise.

As in previous years the party takes place off the stern of Dreamtime. Each boat draws the name of "their" horse from a hat and places a \$1 bet. We will have a TV to watch the race and the winner receives the bet money. We will have a generous supply of Goombay Smash to liven up the party and we ask that you bring a snack to share. Ladies are encouraged to wear a "Kentucky Derby Hat" (men can also participate) and a prize will be awarded for the best hat.

PLEASE let us know if you plan on attending so we know how much Goombay Smash to make.

Jim and Bev Borberg S/V Dreamtime



## 2017 Cruise Schedule

Start Date	End Date	ind Date Where		Cruise Captain Phone #		Comments		
6-May	7-May	Waterside	Norfolk	Jim & Bev Borberg	(757) 581-9210	Kentucky Derby Cruise		
20-May	21-May	City Docks	Cape Charles	John & Mary Bergman	(757) 477-2738	Crabby Blues Festival		
27-May	29-May	East River	Mobjack Bay	Sergio & Misty	(757) 635-1846	Anchor Vicintity of Williams Wharf. BBQ Roy & Irene Weisert's		
17-Jun	5-Jul	Various		Sergio & Misty	(757) 635-1846			
24-Jun	25-Jun	Willoughby Bay		Joe & Mary Greblunas	(804) 402-1181	Summer Sailstice Cruise & Progressive Dinner		
24-Jun	4-Jul	DELMARVA Cruise		Jonathan Romero	(757) 285-6017	www.delmarvacruise.com		
24-Jun	8-Jul	Various		Paul Starosta	(570) 417-4096			
15-Jul	16-Jul	Sara's Creek	Glouster	Andy & Carmen Spittler	(757) 581-2082			
29-Jul	29-Jul	Hospital Point	Norfolk	Jean Pattenaude	(757)449-2157	Day Cruise, Skippers to Invite Non-Boat Owners Cruise		
4-Aug	6-Aug	The Oyster Farm Marina	Cape Charles			Clam Slam Weekend ICW HYC Power Boat Cruisers		
12-Aug	13-Aug	Ft Wool		Chip & LeMoine Jones	(757) 298-9200	Day trip to Ft. Wool, return to HYC for docktails & dinner at HYC Gazebo		
26-Aug	27-Aug	Norfolk Yacht & Country Club		Eric Fee	(757) 876-5148			
2-Sep	4-Sep	Mobjack Bay		Jerry & Jean Pattenaude	(757) 449-2157	Labor Day Cruise		
9-Sep	10-Sep	TBD		Chandler & Charlene Clark	(757) 575-8230			
23-Sep	24-Sep	Back Creek	Seaford YC	Karl & Ronda Shulenburg	(757) 374-6034	Octoberfest		
5-Oct	9-Oct	Annapolis Boat Show Weekend						
3-Nov	4-Nov	Urbana		Bob & April Kochan	(919) 740-5040	Urbana Oyster Festival		
18-Nov		Waterside	Norfolk	Jonathan Romero	` ′	Norfolk Grand Illumination		
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#### **MEMBERSHIP NEWS**

#### membership@broadbaysailing.org

**BBSA Membership:** I would like to thank everyone who have already renewed their BBSA Membership, and if applicable their membership within the Little Creek Sailing Association, Willoughby Racers or Hobie 32 Fleet. I will be closing out the 2017 Roster of Members Book during the 1<sup>st</sup> couple of weeks of March and getting the roster to the printers in order to deliver to all of you the Roster prior to the start of our serious sailing calendar. If you have not already done so, please take a minute and click the following link to renew your membership so that you will be included and that your particulars are up to date.

https://form.jotform.com/LWMCCC/bbsa-annual-membership-form

#### Ship's Store News: Bev Borberg, 757 460 1051, <a href="mailto:bevborberg@yahoo.com">bevborberg@yahoo.com</a>

Burgees - I have a lot of fresh Burgees, waiting for a home so let me know if you need one. The cost is now \$25 whether you get it directly from me or by mail. I usually bring them to most meetings, but if you do want one, just email me and I will definitely bring one to the meeting.

If you want a cap or shirt with BBSA logo and ship's name embroidered on it, contact Sean Myers, <a href="kila2351@yahoo.com">kila2351@yahoo.com</a>. Tell him Bev suggested it. He does a good job.

#### **Monthly Meeting:**

See the Flyer following the Commodore's Corner (Page 3).

#### **Classifieds:**

Bill Forrest (s/v Excalibur III) is looking for a used 150-155 genoa for his boat. His vessel is an Irwin 37' center cockpit. Text him at 757.434.4678 with info.



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Bruce J. Burton, PE President



Jack Gierhart Executive Director

www.ussailing.org

March/Early April							
5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
Daylight Savings Time 12	13	14	15	16	St. Patrick's Day 17	18 R – Murphy's Nuts and Bolts Race Committee at Hampton Yacht Club, 0900-1200	
19	20	21 M – Membership meeting. See page 4 for details.	22	23	24	25 R – Murphy's Nuts and Bolts Race Committee at Nauticus, 0900-1200 see page 11 for details	
26	27	28	29	30 R – Willoughby Racers meet and greet at Sunset Grill, 6:30pm. See page 8 for details	31	April 1 R – LCSA 2016 awards and 2017 Kickoff, 2-5 pm	
2 C – Sock Burning 2-6pm, see page 13 for details	3	4	5 R – LCSA Racing 1800	6 R – Willoughby Racers racing 1800	7	8	

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#### **BROAD BAY SAILING ASSOCIATION**

#### 2017

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

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#### **VOLUNTEERS**

#### **Elected Board Members**

**Volunteer Chairpersons** 

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