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Website link: **Broad Bay Sailing Association**

COMMODORE'S CORNER

Guy Sorensen, commodore@broadbaysailing.org

It is time to go sailing! Things are in full swing throughout Broad Bay Sailing Association and I for one am ready. Little Creek starts their race season April 4th and judging by the attendance at the Kick Off Party there will be some spirited competition this year! Willoughby Racers will be starting their race season on April 5th. The Willoughby bunch has already mentioned something about the Bold Mariner Cup, held July 7th and bringing the Cup back home to Willoughby Harbor. The BBSA Cape Henry Cup is scheduled for May 19th free of charge to our membership! This is also a CCV distance series race so get signed up now! Traditionally the winds favor this event. I have it on good authority that we will have excellent wind and weather for this event, Scott Almond said he will turn the wind on to 15 knots at 1000 hours on the morning of the event and shut them off in the early evening. When pressed, Scott said we will have 78-degree temperatures as well. Mr. Almond would not say what direction the winds will be out of, he didn't want to give any unfair advantages.

There are lots of racing opportunities available to every level of competitors in our Association. I encourage you all to take advantage of the wonderful opportunities offered to or members in our racing fleets, it will be the most fun you will have at 6 knots!

The first cruise of the year is coming up. The 1st cruise is the 27-Apr 29-Apr to the Yorktown River Walk. This will be hosted by our Cruising Fleet Captains, Ed & Aimee Darling. Yorktown is a wonderful place to sail to and is steeped in early American history. It is just a short walk up the Tobacco trail to the Historic Battle Fields where our nations Independence was secured when General George Washington, with the help of our allies, defeated Lord Charles Cornwallis and his British armies. Once you've had your fill of history the River Walk offer some wonderful dining and shopping opportunities. I hope you all can join us on this event. The BLT at the Yorktown Pub is worth the trip alone!

Our April membership meeting will be held on April 24th on board the Schooner Virginia. Boarding is at 1800 and departure is 1830. We are limited to 50 people so if you would like to join us register early. I suspect this will fill up very quickly. The jotform for registration is

<u>https://form.jotform.com/80808045554155</u>. This will be a pot luck event so please bring a little something to share with our fellow sailors. We will have beer, wine and soft drinks available thanks to the coffee tin fund. We will also be passing the hat to tip the crew at the end of the event to show our appreciation. The anticipated length of the cruise is 1.5-2 hours depending on the conditions. This is a very special opportunity for BBSA and we are looking forward to having many more trips aboard this beautiful sailing vessel.

So my friends we have made it through another winter and our sailing season is knocking on the companion way hatch but we have one more official activity to do before we can really embrace it! The Annual BBSA Sock Burning Party! This year's event is going to be hosted by Cindy Lee. Cindy lives at 722 West Ocean View Ave, on the Chesapeake Bay side. Start time for this is 1530 on Sunday, April 8th. I ask that you guys bring something to share as we burn socks and share sea stories from years gone by. Your favorite finger food and/or whatever liquid refreshments you care for would be appreciated. I don't know about you but I am ready to put on the flip flops and get out of these socks!!

So make some friends and take them sailing! See you on the water! Guy

RACING NEWS

Scott Almond, racing@broadbaysailing.org
Jerry Pattenaude, onedesign@broadbaysailing.org

PHRF of the Chesapeake rating application/renewal; check. US Sailing membership renewal; check. CBYRA membership renewal; check. If you haven't done so already, don't put off signing up for our LCSA Wednesday Night Series or our Willoughby Racers Thursday Night Series for some fun, after-work, beer can racing. Randy Goodman and Robert Duncan are the bus drivers for these series, respectively. Notices of race and details (as well as scoring) for these are on our website: www.broadbaysailing.org. The 2018 Southern Bay racing schedule is posted on the lower right hand corner of our homepage.

The Cape Henry Cup/May Potluck Dinner and Awards Presentation:

The Cape Henry Cup race will be sailed on **Saturday, May 19**th. This is the first of four CBYRA-sanctioned races sponsored by BBSA this year and Race #2 in the Southern Bay Distance Racing Series (SBDRS). All members are urged to participate in this race which was first sailed in May 1974. **The \$25 entry fee is WAIVED for BBSA members!!** Registration for members couldn't be easier. Go to our website (link below) and use the online registration! On the following Tuesday, the 22nd, one of our famous pot luck dinners will feature the presentation of the Cape Henry Cup and the other awards for the race. The meeting will be held at the Breezeway Cafe at Rebel Marina (due to ODU hosting the 2018 ICSA Spring National Championships). Mark your calendars for both of these events. Details on the dinner will be found in the May Banter. Online registration and the Notice of Race are on the BBSA website and the Sailing Instructions will soon be posted as well.

Also on the horizon... You want to start thinking about registering for the most competitive racing event in the area, Southern Bay Race Week. Their lineup is solid: 3 days of racing and 4 parties! Racing in the Cruising Fleet features 2 days of racing for a reduced entry fee. You're not going to want to miss this (or the early bird discount before April 30th)... what are you waiting for?? https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=4427

Upcoming dates of which to be aware:

22 April – CCV Spring Series Race #3 - CBYRA Event #401 and Race 1 in the Southern Bay Distance Racing Series (SBDRS) – http://ccvracing.us/

30 April – Early Bird Deadline for Southern Bay Race Week –

https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=4427

19 May – BBSA Cape Henry Cup - CBYRA Event #403 and Race 2 in the SBDRS – www.broadbaysailing.org

23 May – Entry deadline for 69th Down the Bay Race – CBYRA Event #404 and Race 3 in the SBDRS – https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=4556

For questions on anything related to racing (or to talk about the Yankees home game playoff schedule), please do not hesitate to contact me!

Dinghy Racing, By Jerry Pattenaude:

The annual BBSA small boat regatta will be held on the last full weekend in June which will be June 24th - 25th. Our annual regatta which in recent past years has been a one-day regatta, will be combined with NYCC's Wolcott Memorial regatta which is normally just a Sunday race. We did this last year due to weather and it proved to be a success so we are going to replicate that. (Hopefully with better weather conditions) This does allow us to get in a day of racing if one day were to be a blow out. We will be using NYCC facilities which means we will be using their ramps to launch and we have access to the pool, restaurant, and bar. So, bring along the family for a day or two of fun in the sun. We wouldn't want to hog all the fun on the water.

We should have a good turnout. I keep hearing about the up and coming Comet class and I look forward to seeing them out on the water and all the nostalgia that goes with it. This is also the Wolcott Memorial HOD regatta so I anticipate a good showing of Hamptons which is another boat with a lot of history and the Flying Juniors.

The Laser fleet will make a showing with perhaps our local celebrity, Rob Suhay, (Guinness Book of World Record holder of the longest distance sailed on a Laser, until last year) along with a new comer to this area, Karl Anacker from Louisville Sailing Club. I would like see some of the Sunfish out there because there are quite a few of you in that fleet. Anybody out there that can follow up on this? Our Hobie fleet of catamarans that aren't traveling will be joining in on the fun! There will be an open fleet which allows for many of us to bring whatever we have and get out on the water.

After Saturday's race we can lounge around, frolic in the pool, and share stories of the day's events on the water. No BS.

After Sunday's racing, there will be beer, hot dogs and hamburgers served by our host, NYCC. There will be an entry fee of \$10.00 per BBSA sailor, \$15.00 for non-members. This will go towards offsetting the cost of the regatta. Extra dinner tickets can be purchased for 10.00. Since the Hampton One Design portion is sponsored by Eddie Wolcott, there is no charge for the Hampton class.

We will also present the awards on Sunday. A first-place trophy will be awarded to any class with 3 boats. A second-place trophy will be awarded to any class with 5 boats or more. The annual Broad Bay Bucket is back in circulation. This beautiful, large silver bucket will be awarded to the winner of the class with the largest number of starters.

NOR - See attachment (next page).

NOTICE OF RACE

Norfolk Yacht & Country Club Wolcott Memorial Regatta Norfolk, Virginia

June 23-24, 2018

This regatta is named for Edward W. Wolcott, multiple National Champion in the Hampton One-Design Class, sailing enthusiast, and benefactor to our community.

Dates of Regatta: June 23-24, 2018

Host Club: Norfolk Yacht & Country Club.

Rules: This regatta will be governed by the "rules" as defined in the International Sailing Federation Racing Rules of Sailing (the "RRS") as adopted by the United States Sailing Association.

Entry Due: Entry is due by 10:00 a.m. on the day of the race. This time may be extended in the discretion of the Race Committee. The entry form will require the boat owner/skipper to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing and the other rules that govern the regatta, including the Sailing Instructions.

Entry Fee: NONE

Contact for information: Eddie Wolcott, Jr. 757-434-7324; wolcott@wolriv.com

Classes: Outside course: Hampton One-Design, Flying Juniors

Races: A Skipper's Meeting will be held at 9:45 a.m. Three (3) races or more are scheduled with the first warning signal at 11:00 a.m. and for the Hampton One Design Class, any combination of races can be used to make up past regattas as announced at the Skipper's Meeting.

Rendezvous: Racing is planned to be on an outside course west of ODU off of Bolling Avenue light in the Elizabeth River, and/or on an inside course at the mouth of the Lafayette River. Location of the course(s) will depend on specific wind conditions.

Courses: The Sailing Instructions will describe or illustrate the course options and indicates how these will be signaled by the Race Committee. It is anticipated that courses will consist of one or more triangles with windward leeward components.

Awards: Awards will be presented at approximately 5:00 p.m.

Sailing Instructions: Sailing Instructions for the regatta will be issued on the day of the race. Amendments to the Sailing Instructions will be made on the official notice board by 0945 on the day of the race or at the Skipper's Meeting.

Little Creek Sailing Association Wednesday Races:

littlecreek@broadbaysailing.org

LCSA Face Book Page: https://www.facebook.com/groups/250807138384289

1) The LCSA 2017 Awards ceremony was held on Saturday March 31, 2018.

Congratulations to the following skippers and boat Crews:

Chris French – ELIXIR – 2017 LCSA Spinnaker Fleet Champion

1st place Series 1

1st place Series 2

1st place Series 3

1st place Series 5

Jay Thompson – Restless – 2017 LCSA Non-Spin 1 Fleet Champion

1st place Series 1

1st place Series 2

2nd place Series 3

2nd place Series 4

1st place Series 5

Chris Whatley - Kaleidoscope - 2017 LCSA Non-Spin 2 Fleet Champion

2nd place Series 1

1st place Series 2

2nd place Series 3

3rd place Series 4

1st place Series 5

2) LCSA racing starts on 4 April 2018.

Here is the 2018 schedule. Five series of five scheduled races each. No racing on Wednesday July 4th.

	Race 1	Race 2	Race 3	Race 4	Race 5
Series 1	Apr 4	Apr 11	Apr 18	Apr 25	May 02
Series 2	May 9	May 16	May 23	May 30	Jun 6
Series 3	Jun 13	Jun 20	Jun 27	Jul 11	Jul 18
Series 4	Jul 25	Aug 1	Aug 8	Aug 15	Aug 22
Series 5	Aug 29	Sep 5	Sep 12	Sep 19	Sep 26

Races start at 1830, except in April and September, when they start at 1800.

3) As of April 1st, the LCSA Race Committee schedule is:

First Name	Last Name	Boat Name	Race Committee Date
Robert	Howell	PEGASUS	(Series 1; Race 1) - 4 April 18
Carl	Gade	Black Widow	(Series 1; Race 2) - 11 April 18
Don	Larsson	AKVAVIT	(Series 1; Race 3) - 18 April 18
Chris	French	Elixir	(Series 1; Race 4) - 25 April 18
Claude	Speed	Iris	(Series 1; Race 5) - 2 May 18
Larry	Baun	BaseRunner	(Series 2; Race 1) - 9 May 18
Chris	Whately	kaleidoscope	(Series 2; Race 2) - 16 May 18
Lawrence	Lewandowski	Lew's Cruise	(Series 2; Race 3) - 23 May 18
Butch	Patterson	Schock Full 'O' Nuts	(Series 2; Race 4) - 30 May 18
Randy	Goodman	Red Frog	(Series 2; Race 5) - 6 June 18
Andy	Spittler	Wharf Rat	(Series 3; Race 1) - 13 June 18
Jay	Thompson	Restless	(Series 3; Race 2) - 20 June 18

Bill	Judge	Cool Change	(Series 3; Race 3) - 27 June 18	
Mike	Brannon	Virginia Lee	(Series 3; Race 4) - 11 July 18	
Michael	Veraldi	Quicky	(Series 3; Race 5) - 18 July 18	
hank	Giffin	Coeur d" Alene	(Series 4; Race 1) - 25 July 18	
Ryan	Markham	Sans Souci	(Series 4; Race 2) - 1 August 18	;
Robert	Engel	Evening Star	(Series 4; Race 3) - 8 August 18	;

- **4)** LCSA has gone to all online registration this year, to include:
 - A) Submit a 2018 LCSA Entry Form and liability waiver:

https://form.jotform.com/80395807954166

- B) Pay BBSA and LCSA entry fees:
- https://www.jotform.com/LWMCCC/bbsa-annual-membership-form
- C) Sign up for a Race Committee (RC) boat slot:

https://form.jotform.com/80391358854162

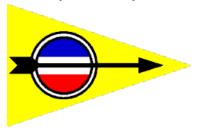
D) request a PHRF from PHRF of the Chesapeake at: http://www.phrfchesbay.org/

Additionally, for Wednesday Night Racing at Little Creek, **Protests and Requests for Redress shall be submitted using an online protest form** found at https://form.jotform.com/71423945654158. Alternatively Protests or Requests for Redress may be submitted to the race committee in writing (specifics, including protest time limits are included in the 2018 LCSA Sailing Instructions).

Willoughby Racers Thursday Races:

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

Comet State Championship, Information provided by Jonathan Romero:



Old Point Comfort Yacht Club

2018 Comet Fleet State Championship & OPYCY Dinghy Regatta Saturday, April 7, 2018

NOTICE of RACE

Organizing Authority: The organizing authority is the Old Point Comfort Yacht Club.

Where: Old Point Comfort Yacht Club, Fort Monroe, Hampton, Va.

When: Saturday April 7, 2018

Rules: The race will be governed by the ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing for 2017-2020, and by the Sailing Instructions.

Eligibility: The regatta is open to any Comet Sailboat, and to all other dinghies 22 feet or less. Boats may sign up for the regatta on the morning of the regatta, with membership forms available at registration.

Registration: Boats may enter by signing up online at http://opcyc.org. Registration will also be available on the first day of racing between 0830 and 0900 hours in the main clubhouse of OPCYC.

Skippers Meeting: 0900 at Launch Site

Participants under 18 must have the waiver signed by a parent or guardian.

Entry Fee: \$40.00 if registered online, \$45 day of the race.

Sailing Instructions: Sailing Instructions will be available online at http://opcyc.org/main/. SI's will also be available day of race.

Races: It is our intention to attempt to run 5 races with 2 races constituting a regatta. No races will start after 4pm on Saturday.

Racing Area: The racing area will be at Mill Creek, between the Old Point Comfort Yacht Club and the Hampton Roads Bridge-Tunnel (HRBT). If this site proves inadequate, we will move the course to the Strawberry Banks area of Hampton Roads, which is just west of the HRBT.

Courses: Courses will be a windward/leeward, triangle, Gold Cup, or a combination of all courses. Map of the area is online at http://opcyc.org/main/

Scoring: Scoring will be the Low-Point Scoring System of Appendix A of the ISAF racing rules, with no throw out races.

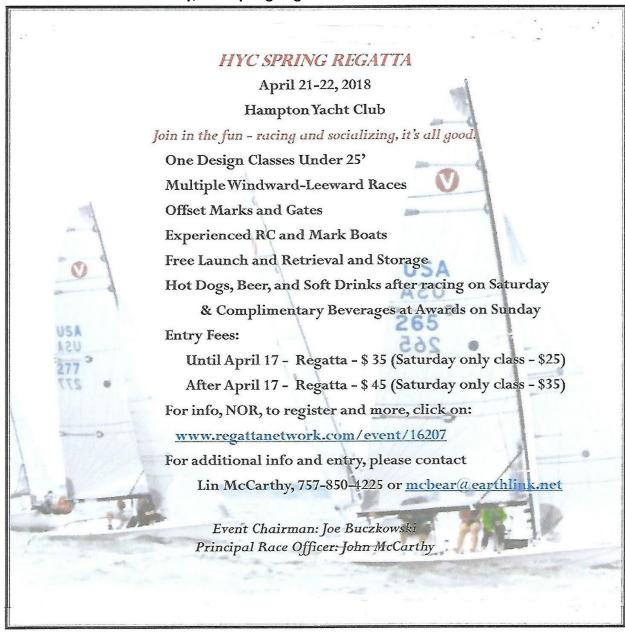
Lunch: Hamburgers and Hot Dogs on the grill, cold drinks, chips, potato salad, cold slaw, baked beans and desert.

Awards: Awards to be given at the conclusion of the regatta.

Further Information: Tim Etherington at (757) 690-3178 or at tim.etherington@gmail.com.

Risk: Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during, or after the regatta.

From John and Lin McCarthy, HYC Spring Regatta and SBRW:





May 31 (Opening Night Welcome) thru June 3, 2018 (The weekend AFTER Memorial Day weekend.)

Southern Bay Race Week 2018 is closer than you think. All of the event information as well as on-line registration is available by clicking on:

https://www.yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=4427 or contact Lin McCarthy at (757) 850-4225, email mcbear@earthlink.net

The SBRW 2018 fleet is forming and there will plenty of racing and party-ing for everyone. There are separate Divisions (with multiple fleets in each) for PHRF, Cruising, Multihull, and One-Design. Here's the SBRW regatta racing format, and, below that, entry fee info.

Racing for PHRF, One Design, Multihull, & Cruising Divisions:

PHRF DIVISION: Racing Friday and Sunday will be windward/leeward courses in the harbor.

- Multiple weather marks and gates
- Non-Spin may use double-headsails
- Goal = a 6-race series (3-1-2)

Saturday will be the SBRW Distance Race in the Bay starting off Buckroe and finishing at Fort Monroe.

- Unique course with multiple options to shorten
- Finish at Fort Monroe seawall

ONE DESIGN DIVISION: All racing will be windward/leeward courses in the harbor.

- Courses will include offset marks and gates
- Short courses with multiple races run each day
- Five (5) boats required for a separate class start

Each OD Class must have at least 5 boats entered and paid by May 17th

MULTIHULL DIVISION: Race all three days in the Bay off Buckroe / Salt Ponds.

- Friday will be two middle distance races
- Saturday will be the SBRW Distance Race
- Sunday will be one middle distance race
- The Multihull Division must have at least 5 boats entered and paid by April 30th

CRUISING DIVISION: Race Saturday and Sunday only in the Bay off Buckroe/Salt Ponds

- Saturday will be the SBRW Distance Race
- Sunday will be one middle distance race

SOUTHERN BAY RACE WEEK entry fees are listed here below. Notice the special rate (racing Saturday and Sunday only) for the CRUISING DIVISION.

PHRF, ONE DESIGN, & MULTIHULL FLEETS (Fri/Sat/Sun):

Early Bird = \$155.

Entries after April 30th = \$170.

CRUISING FLEET (Sat/Sun only):

Early Bird = \$84.

Entries after April 30th = \$ 99.

SPECIAL LOYALTY DISCOUNT: (For all fleets) All 2017 SBRW returnees deduct \$25 from each above fee.

Don't let the **Early Bird discount** slip by you - April 30th is the last day you will be able to save \$15 on the rate and get 10 fee drink tickets!

Y'ALL COME RACING!



Dave Hughes and the *Jammin'* crew will be at SBRW 2018 along with other BBSA **already**-Early Birdentries (as of March): Larry Baun, *BaseRunner*; Hank Giffin, *Coeur d' Alene*; Claude Speed, *Iris*; Andy Spittler, *Wharf Rat*; Ken Copeland, *Black Widow*; Bob Hausmann, *Bobinski*; and, Mike Veraldi, *Quicky*.

Upcoming CCV events available to BBSA members:

Introduction to Sailboat Racing

Learn the basics of operating a race boat gaining the confidence to get you and your crew on the starting line.





Make Checks payable to: Cruising Club of Virginia For more information visit us online: www.ccvracing.us

CCV Racing Clinic

This clinic is offered to boat owners and crew who are interested in learning more about local sailboat racing. We will cover the core aspects of the sport providing a more experienced foundation for you to build your racing skills on. The clinic is a 1/2 day classroom (refreshments & snacks provided) and an on the water day with an experienced skipper mentoring you on your boat. Some of the basics covered:

- ▶ The Starting Line / Marks
- Rules When Boats Intersect
- Crew Building
- The Basics of Boat Handicapping

This event is first come, first serve and space is limited. RSVP by April 15th 2018.

When: April 28th 2018

Where: Tom Brady Sailing Center

529 Bridge Street Hampton VA

Time: 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Cost: \$20 / skipper or free with a

2018 CCV crew membership

POC: Bobby Whitehouse - CCV Commodore

757-218-9376 / 757-965-5775 bwhitehouse@ccvracing.org

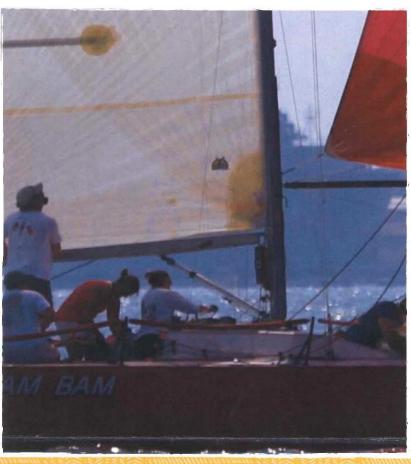
Mail: Cruising Club of Virginia

PO Box 3409 Hampton VA 23669 Payment accepted via mail or at https://ccvracing.us/training/ Contact Us Today!

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CCV Racing - Since 1964 Let's go racing in 2018!

4 week classroom and on the water introduction to sailing!

This course has been the first step for over 100 new sailors in the Chesapeake Bay. Learn the basic principals of crew responsibilities, sailing language, knot tying and much more.

Tuesday's May 1st - 22nd Classroom 6:30-8:30

Wednesday's May 2nd - 23rd On The Water 5:00-7:00

Tom Brady Sailing Center 529 Bridge Street Hampton VA 23669

Cost \$85.00 and includes CCV Membership, Crew Connection and the 2018 CCV Racing Guide.

Contact: training@ccvracing.us

Online registration and payment at http://ccvracing.us/training/





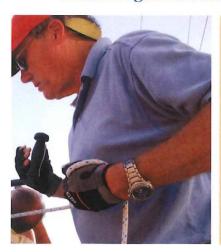




CCV Advanced Training

Contact: training@ccvracing.us

Online registration and payment: http://ccvracing.us/training/



CCV Advanced Crew Training Course

Tom Brady Sailing Center 529 Bridge Street Hampton VA 23669

Monday's July 9-July 23 Classroom 7:00-8:30 Wednesday's July 11-July 25 On the Water 5:30-8:30

Advanced training in sail trim and race management from the middle of the boat. Main, genoa/jib, spinnaker trim, sheet handling and crew management \$45 Members \$85 Non-Members
Includes CCV Membership and the 2018 CCV Racing Guide

CRUISING NEWS

Ed and Aimee Darling, cruising@broadbaysailing.org

Ahoy Cruisers!

Cruising time is right around the corner! We have a full schedule of cruises planned for this year starting the end of this month and going right on through to the end of November. There is something (and some destination) scheduled for everyone-even you die-hard racers who may want to give cruising a try. Take a look at the cruise calendar which is posted on the BBSA website and let the appropriate cruise captain know that you plan to attend.

Following is information about the first few cruises scheduled as well as the BBSA two-week cruise in June. Please consider joining in for all or part of any or all of these cruises!

NOTE: The May 12-13 Poquoson River cruise has been cancelled.

Yorktown River Walk Cruise, 27-29 April

We are kicking off the cruising season with a sail to Yorktown River Walk on April 27-29. It is a great sail to a fun location. The marina is in good shape, can accommodate large boats, and has excellent facilities. Yorktown is loaded with history, cute restaurants, and even a beach! And, for all you Pirates, bring your pirate garb, as it is the weekend that the Pirates invade Yorktown. Plus, Saturday is the Farmers Market with a variety of vendors, live music, and food trucks. It is a fun weekend for both kids and adults! Ed and I will be hosting cocktail hour at our boat Saturday evening around 5:00. Please call Riverwalk Landing Marina at (757)890-3500 to reserve a slip. Let us know if you are interested! Contact Aimee at amjoseph9@gmail.com or Ed at <a href="mailto:

Ed & Aimee Darling

Norfolk Waterside Cruise, 5-6 May

CHANGE IN PLANS FOR Norfolk Waterside Cruise, 5-6 May. We, Jim and Bev Borberg have sponsored a Kentucky Derby Party or Cinco de Mayo party for about 13 years. However, we were between boats and Sergio and Misty graciously said they would do the cruise. However, we will be closing on our new boat the middle of April so will be at the dock with Dreamtime III ready to party. Party starts at 5:00, because the race is usually around 6:30.

Mint Juleps have not been popular, so Capt. Jim will make his famous Goombay Punch. Each boat draws the name of their horse and places a \$1 bet. Everyone is encouraged to wear a Kentucky Derby style hat and a prize will be awarded for the best (men can complete, in fact Sergio was one of the winners last year).

Bring a small appetizer, drinks are furnished by us. This race will give you the Greatest 2 minutes in Sports for the year.

Let us know if you are coming so we will be sure and have enough drinks. Jim gnsailn@yahoo.com

Norfolk Harborfest Cruise, 8-10 June:

It is not too early to start thinking about Harborfest as it will be here before you know it and the organizers would like to get a jump on this year's activities. If you are interested in participating, whether anchoring at Hospital Point or mooring along with other festivalgoers, please give me a call, (757) 729-1990 or e-mail at flyingblueyes@hotmail.com and I will forward you all of the paperwork and instructions for this year's event. Please provide me an RSVP no later than 30 April in order to get everything submitted to the organizers. I plan, as I have for the last few years, to anchor out at Hospital Point, please join me or if you prefer, you also can reserve a slip at Tidewater Yacht if you choose not to moor in Freemason.

Capt. John Scott S/V Summer Wine

Salty Dawgs Have Fun! Join Us this Summer!

If you are headed up the coast this summer, two great rallies can add to the fun (and safety) of your adventure. The Salty Dawg Sailing Association is inviting all sailors to join a cruise-in-company from the Chesapeake to Maine and then a second rally from Maine to Nova Scotia.

Enjoy the cool weather, beauty, and flavors of Maine and then escape the lobster pots to journey to the land of Celtic music on Nova Scotia's Cape Breton. Some cruisers will join us in the Chesapeake Bay and follow the route of both rallies to the Bras d'Or Lakes. Others will join us along the way.

The Salty Dawg Rally to Maine will leave the Chesapeake Bay on July 10; the Rally to Nova Scotia will leave Rockland, ME on August 8. Stops along the way to enjoy quaint villages, local cuisine, and maritime lore are part of each rally. Registration is now open for both events. For more information, visit the Salty Dawg Sailing Association web site at http://www.saltydawgsailing.org. Sign up now!

Aimee & Ed Darling Cruising Fleet Captains



42nd ANNUAL NORFOLK HARBORFEST®

June 8th - 10th, 2018

DAWANA JENNINGS MEMORIAL YACHT CLUB RENDEZVOUS

FREEMASON HARBOR - SCHEDULE OF EVENTS HOSTED BY TOWN POINT YACHT CLUB

FRIDAY - JUNE 8th, 2018:

Parade of Sail Underway— "Starboard Fleet" (all docking boats/clubs escorting tall

ships.) Muster (by yacht club) at Sewell's Point Anchorage "K" off the Navy Base. (see "Parade of Sail instructions" and Parade Order and Parade Route documents in your skipper's bag. Additionally, refer to your navigational charts for details of the waterway.)

RADIO CONTACT: Preston Carraway, Starboard Fleet Parade Commander

VHF Channel 74 will be monitored by Starboard Fleet Parade Commander for ALL

PRIVATE VESSELS AND YACHT CLUB (DOCKING) VESSELS.
VHF Channels 72 & 69 are reserved for TALL SHIP communications only.

1200 (noon) Parade of Sail enters Downtown / Town Point Park -

Docking commences following parade

1230 -1400 (2pm) RENDEZVOUS BOATS (BY YACHT CLUB) WILL BE DOCKING in Freemason

Harbor - (just North of Nauticus & Pier Pointe Condominiums)

NOTE: Continue monitoring Channel 74 for docking instructions PLEASE BE PATIENT AS WE SAFELY DOCK ALL VESSELS

1400 (2 pm) Docking Concluded

1200-2300 (Noon-11pm) Harborfest Exhibits / Shows / Entertainment / Food – Refer to official program for details

1900-2200 (7-10 pm) DOCK PARTY -Boater Pavilion at Pagoda - Freemason Harbor

Wristbands NOT required Snacks/Sodas/Water will be provided.

"Harborfest's Got Talent" Bring your best voice, your instrument and your talent to

share on the Freemason Boater Pavilion Stage.

SATURDAY - JUNE 9th, 2018:

1200-2300 (Noon-11pm) Harborfest Exhibits / Shows / Entertainment / Food

1900-2100 (7-9 pm) FIREWORKS COOKOUT POT LUCK Dock Party-

Boater Pavilion at Pagoda – Freemason Harbor Hamburgers/Hotdogs/fixings will be provided.

Please provide a dish or dessert or beverage to share to round out the cookout menu.

2130 (9:30 pm) Fireworks - Elizabeth River

SUNDAY - JUNE 10th, 2018:

Wristbands required

0930 - 1130 DOCKSIDE HOT BREAKFAST BUFFET - Hot food bar - Coffee - Juice - Water -

and famous BLOODY MARY CONTEST

Wristbands required -Bring your favorite 'bloody' concoction to win fabulous prizes!

ČĽUB(S) ANNOUNCÉMENTS AND PRESENTATÍONS

BEST DRESSED BOAT AWARDS – Dress your vessel for the occasion and win!

12 Noon All vessels able to leave Freemason Harbor (No early departures, please)

1200-2000 (Noon-8pm) Harborfest Exhibits / Shows / Entertainment / Food – Refer to official program for details

YACHT CLUB RENDEZVOUS / HARBORFEST

DOCK SHOP AND ADDITIONAL TICKETS: (while supplies last)

\$10 Per Person Extra Saturday Cookout

\$12 Per Person Extra Sunday Breakfast Buffet Tickets \$17 Norfolk Harborfest 2018 T-Shirt \$17 Norfolk Harborfest 2018 Boater Bag \$17 Norfolk Harborfest 2018 Burgee/Flag

\$75 Per Package Boater Package:

(Fri Dock party/2 tickets Sat/Party & Sunday Brunch / 1 Bag / 1 Burgee / 2 T shirts - No Docking)



42nd ANNUAL NORFOLK HARBORFEST®

June 8th - 10th, 2018

DAWANA JENNINGS MEMORIAL YACHT CLUB RENDEZVOUS

FREEMASON HARBOR - GENERAL BOATER INFORMATION HOSTED BY TOWN POINT YACHT CLUB

Arrival: Friday, June 8th, 2018. - Freemason 'RAFT-OUT' docking.

No electric or water provided.

(Note: Final docking plan will be released by June 1st and emailed to each participant.)

Departure: Sunday, June 10th, 2018 - <u>AFTER 1200</u> (12 Noon)**

(**Please -No exceptions - ADVANCED NOTICE REQUIRED)

OR Anytime - Monday June 11th, 2018

Docking Flags: Docking flags MUST be displayed at all times.

Rendezvous Director: Peter Briggs

Email: pbriggs@uapc.com

Communications Channels: Parade of Sail (Rendezvous Boaters) – VHF Channel 74

Docking (Rendezvous Boaters) – VHF Channel 74

Showers / Heads: Shower facilities are available at Waterside Marina Facility.

Portable restrooms are also available near the Pagoda and throughout the festival

grounds.

Engine/Generator Hours: For the enjoyment of all boaters and their guests,

Engines and/or generators MAY NOT be run except as follows:

Friday – June 8th
Saturday – June 9th
Sunday – June 10th
1400 (2 pm) – 1700 (5 pm)
1400 (2 pm) – 1700 (5 pm)
1100 (10 am) – 1300 (1 pm)

***PLEASE DO NOT RUN ENGINES OR GENERATORS AFTER 1700 (5 P.M.) ***

Trash: Trash must be placed in designated locations on the city grounds for pick up no later than

0800 (8 am) Saturday and 0800 (8 am) Sunday.

Ice: Ice Vendors will be selling bags of ice AT THE PAVILION - on a regular scheduled basis

throughout the weekend. See "ICE SALES" SCHEDULE posted at the Pavilion.

Parking: No parking on site at any time.

Animals: Please do not bring any animals/pets to Norfolk Harborfest. Animals are not

permitted on the grounds of Norfolk Harborfest at any time.

Alcohol: Please do NOT leave your boat with any glass containers. Beverages are

available for purchase at the Pagoda and throughout the festival grounds.

Security: Norfolk Police will be randomly patrolling from Friday, June 8th, 2018-through

Sunday, June 10th, 2018 - REPORT ANY AND ALL EMERGENCIES - CALL 911.

No hoat access will be permitted to enter any dock except with reservation.

No boat access will be permitted to enter any dock except with reservation and displaying a docking flag. Norfolk Harborfest safety boats will patrol and

monitor access to the docks.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR QUESTIONS EMAIL PETER BRIGGS

pbriggs@uapc.com or Call at (757) 438-4663.



42nd ANNUAL NORFOLK HARBORFEST® 2018 DAWANA JENNINGS MEMORIAL 'YACHT CLUB RENDEZVOUS' June 8th -10th, 2018 HOSTED BY TOWN POINT YACHT CLUB

MAY 1st DEADLINE !!!!

ALL YACHT CLUBS...ALL BOATERS – sail and power - are invited to the 42nd Annual Harborfest – Yacht Club Rendezvous

'CRUISER'S PARTY' starting Friday, June 8th through Sunday, June 10th in downtown Norfolk. The "Rendezvous Fleet" (members of yacht clubs) will be docked in the historical FREEMASON HARBOR.

**IMPORTANT NOTE: INDIVIDUAL BOATER REGISTRATIONS MUST BE SENT TO YOUR YACHT CLUB REPRESENTATIVE. YACHT CLUB REPRESENTATIVES WILL SEND IN THEIR PARTICIPATING VESSELS AND REGISTRATION INFORMATION (see last page) TO TOWN POINT YACHT CLUB BY MAY 1ST.

<u>'BOATER PAVILION'</u> - ALL Yacht Club Rendezvous' activities will be held under the pavilion at the Freemason Pier. Complete with: STAGE - TABLES - CHAIRS & FANS - and, our own area for entertainment, food and fun for Rendezvous boaters and their guests. Bring your chairs, coolers, and your 'crew' throughout the whole weekend to enjoy the shaded retreat to chill down in the 'Pavilion'!!

ALL CLUB 'HARBORFEST'S GOT TALENT! DOCK PARTY! -Fri. June 8th -7-9 p.m.-In the 'Rendezvous Pavilion' Stage.Are you a singer, dancer, comedian? Come share your songs, your dance and your talent! Bring your entire crew. Stage/Microphone/ Snacks/Sodas/Water will be provided. (no wristbands req.)

ALL CLUB 'POT LUCK' COOKOUT AND FIREWORKS PARTY!-

Sat. June 9th -7-9 p.m.-In the 'Rendezvous Pavilion'. Burgers/Hotdogs Provided. Bring your favorite "side dish", dessert, beverage, or other dish to share with the Rendezvous boaters. We'll then be ready for the fireworks display starting at 9:30.

(*Wristbands Required. Two (2) Wristbands will be provided in your skipper's bag.)

HOT BREAKFAST BUFFET and BLOODY MARY CONTEST -

Sunday, June 10th - 9:30 until noon under the "Pavilion". YUMMM! Bring your favorite 'Bloody Mary Brew' (to be judged by the boaters) and win fabulous prizes!

(*Wristbands Required. Two (2) Wristbands will be provided in your skipper's bag.)

SKIPPER'S MEETING: Scheduled for Wednesday, May 9th, 2018 – Location to be determined. Additional information regarding the location of the Skipper's meeting will be sent out under a separate document. Club Commodores or Fleet Captains are encouraged to be represented at the Skipper's Party to receive your ALL of YOUR boater's Docking Flags, Parade of Sail Order, Docking Chart, Boater Bags and other information regarding their participation.

ONLY \$100 PER BOAT!! - Includes UP TO 4 days/nights docking; (2) Harborfest T-shirts; (1) Burgee; (1) Boater Bag; Shower facilities (available at Waterside Marina); PLUS Five (5) distinctive boating events and parties...and MORE!

Other docking and non-docking packages available.

PARADE OF SAIL - will get underway beginning at 0900 Hrs., Friday, June 8th in the Elizabeth River off Craney Island and will be proceeding up the historic Elizabeth River to arrive in Downtown Norfolk by 1200 (noon). Detailed Parade Instructions are attached and will also be included in your skipper's bag. (Note: All boats docking in Freemason will need to exit the harbor during the Parade of Sail so that pre-arranged docking plans can be completed following the parade.)

DON'T FORGET TO DECORATE YOUR BOAT FOR 'BEST IN SHOW' PRIZES!!!

Please REGISTER THROUGH YOUR YACHT CLUB REPRESENTATIVE

Use the attached registration form to reserve your 'slip'.

Contact your yacht club representative OR Peter Briggs at pbriggs@uapc.com
or 757-438-4663 for more information.

DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION IS MAY 1st - FIRST COME - FIRST SERVED!

Two Week Cruise Itinerary, by John Scott:







SAILING THROUGH TIME A Historical Cruise

Date: Saturday, June16, 2018 thru Sunday, July 1, 2018

Come sail with us as we navigate through the past and present up our nation's river, the **Potomac River**, to our nation's capital, Washington DC. Explore and visit historical points of interests along the Potomac River that are a part of our nation's beginnings while enjoying great sights, eats and drinks with friends and fellow sailors.

ITINERARY:

Sat. June 16: Departure Home Port for Jackson Creek

(Anchorage or Deltaville Marina (804)776-9812 or Fishing Bay Marina (804)776-6800)

Sun. June 17: Reedville/Mill Creek

(Anchorage or The Crazy Crab Marina (804)453-6789)

Mon. June 18-Tues. June 19: <u>Tall Timbers</u>

(Anchorage or Tall Timbers Marina (301)994-1508)

Wed. June 20: Port Tobacco

(Anchorage only)

Thu. June 21: Mattawomen Creek

(Anchorage or Sweden Port Marina (301)743-7613)

Fri. June 22-Sat. June 23: Capital Yacht Club

(Anchorage or Capital Yacht Club Marina (410) 269-5219)

Facilities available at marina for \$16 a day

Sun. June 24-Mon. June 25: National Harbor

(Anchorage or National Harbor Marina (301)749-1582)

Tue. June 26: Colonial Beach

(Anchorage or Colonial Beach Yacht Center (804)224-7230)

Yes it's HOT!! HOT!! HOT!! and.....we are going to have a BEACH PARTY!! Hosted by friends of Cindy Lee Hall & Eric Fee, Tanya and Fred Howe







(more info on this to follow)

Wed. June 27: St. Mary's

(Anchorage at Horseshoe Bend or Dennis Point Marina (301) 994-2288)

Thu. June 28-Fri. June 29: Indian Creek Yacht Club (ICYC)

(Anchorage or Indian Creek Yacht Club Marina (804)435-1340) Buy 1 night get 2nd night free at the Yacht Club Facilities at the Yacht Club and swimming pool

Sat. June 30: Broad Creek Deltaville

(Anchorage or Zimmerman's Marina (804)776-0367or Dozier's Yachting Center (804)776-8400)

Sun. July 1: Return to Home Port

I hope everyone who is planning on joining us finds this information useful and for those that have yet to decide that it sparks more interest to lean you closer to hop aboard.

Please use this information to make any and all reservations as marinas do fill up quickly during this time of year.

For more Information Contact: Capt. John Scott

EMAIL: flyingblueyes@hotmail.com

BBSA/HYC Cruise Calendar				
Dates	Destination	Captain(s)		
April 27-29	Yorktown River Walk	Ed & Aimee Darling		
May 5-6	Norfolk Waterside	Sergio Diehl & Misty Smith		
May 12-13	Poquoson River-Anchor Cancelled	Eric & Cathy Brinsfield		
May 19-20	York River Yacht Haven Gloucester Point	John & Mary Bergman		
May 26-28	TBD-Memorial Day	Scot Nielsen		
June 8-10	Norfolk-Harborfest	John Scott		
June 16-July 1	Two Week Summer Cruise to Washington DC	John Scott		
June 23-24	Summer Sailstice Progressive Dinner	Joe & Mary Greblunas		
July 4	Cape Charles City Docks	Tim Dull		
July 14-15	Norfolk Yacht Club Family Cruise	Jonathon Romero		
July 21-22	Willoughby Bay Raft-Up	Scott Nielsen		
July 27-29	Norfolk Yacht Club Seafood Buffet& Norfolk Tides Game Saturday	John Scott		
July 28-29	Willoughby Bay Family Raft-Up	Jonathon Romero		
Aug 3-5	Oyster Farm "Suck & Shuck" Cape Charles	Sergio Diehl & Misty Smith		
Aug 11-12	Oyster Farm-Cape Charles Cup			
Aug 18-19	York River Yacht Haven-Gloucester Pt "Bloody Mary Cruise"	The Spittlers & Speeds		
Aug 25-26	Norfolk Yacht Club	Eric Fee		
Sept 1-3	Mobjack Bay East River Labor Day Cruise	Scott Nielsen		
Sept 15-16	Deep Creek James River	Joel & Donna Penne		
Sept 22-23	Seaford Yacht Club	Karl & Ronda Shulenburg		
Oct 13-14	Chisman Creek	Jim & Susan Currie		
Nov 16-18	Grand Illumination Cruise Waterside	Jonathon Romero		

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

membership@broadbaysailing.org

Membership Renewal Notice:

All, the time has come for me to get the roster to the printers and mailed out before the sailing season is really upon us. Mother Nature has not been cooperating of late and truthfully it is still down right chilly out there. I wish to thank everyone who has already renewed their BBSA Membership and to ask all of you that haven't yet to renew your BBSA membership in order for me to get your data into our book. Additionally, please do not forget to sign up for one of the Intra-Club Racing groups.

In an effort to make this easier on everyone, I have included a link below to register. Payment may be made via Credit Card (via a secure PayPal Link) or if you prefer you may opt to pay by check and mail your payment to:

BBSA

1417 Shoveller Ave.

Virginia Beach, Va. 23454

Highlights regarding the 2018 Renewal:

- 1. Annual Dues remain at \$35.00 which per our by-laws are due on 1 January
- 2. Intra-Club Sailing Organization, which this year will also include Hobie Fleet 32, and the dues are as follows:
 - a. Little Creek Sailing Association \$20.00
 - b. Willoughby Racers \$45.00
 - c. Hobie 32 Fleet -\$35.00
- 3. BBSA Burgee \$25.00 You may order a new burgee to replace the old burgee on line as well.

Please take a minute click on the link and complete the form.

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

Thank you,

Sergio

Ship's Store News: Bev Borberg, (757)460-1051, bevborberg@yahoo.com

The weather seems to be cooperating and so we all are looking forward to boating! Please check the condition of your Burgee and if you need a new one I can mail your one \$25 or I usually go to the BBSA meetings and will have some with me. The cost is the same for mailing or hand delivered. See you on the water.

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

BBSA Name Tags:

Now is your opportunity to order a name tag. It has the BBSA Burgee on it along with your name and, if applicable, your boat name. If this is your first order, you get 2 for free. If it's a replacement, then it's \$10/each. The next order will take place in May. Here is a link to the order form: https://form.jotform.com/71134870954157



Please email Mary Greblunas at marygreblunas@yahoo.com with any questions.

Eric Brinsfield wants capture BBSA events!

Over the past year or so, I have served as the "unofficial" photographer for BBSA events. By the end of this year, I realized that I only had pictures from events in which I participated. Thanks to Jerry Pattenaude and Eric Fee, I was able to fill in many of the gaps when I produced the banquet slide show.

For this year, if you would like to have someone come to a specific BBSA event and take pictures, let me know. If I am available (not sailing), I will try to come. If I am not available, I will see if we can find another volunteer. Many members already take lots of photos, so I may be able to just recognize those people and steal some shots. I can be reached at Eric.brinsfield@meridiananalytics.com

Images from the March membership meeting at The Big Ugly Brewery:



Volunteer and Internship Opportunities at Nauticus:







CLASSIFIEDS

Still waiting for your ads!

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April

Easter 01	02	03	04 R – LCSA Racing Begins, 1800 Start	05 R — Willoughby Racers Racing Begins	06	07 R – Comet State Championship, 9:00 am
08 M – Sock Burning at Cindy Lee and Eric Fee's place, 3:30 pm	09	10	11 R – LCSA Racing 1800 Start	12 R – Willoughby Racers Racing	13	14
15	16	17	18 R – LCSA Racing 1800 Start	19 R – Willoughby Racers Racing	20	21 R – HYC Spring Regatta
22 R – HYC Spring Regatta	23	24 M – BBSA Schooner Virginia Cruise (Membership Meeting)	25 R – LCSA Racing 1800 Start	26 R – Willoughby Racers Racing	27 C – Cruise to Riverwalk in Yorktown (BBSA Secretary's B-day probably should get him something nice)	28 C – Cruise to Riverwalk in Yorktown R – CCV Race Clinic at HYC. 12:00 – 4:00 pm
29 C – Cruise to Riverwalk in Yorktown	30	01	02	03	04	05

R – More information in Racing News; M – More information in Membership News (or Commodore's Corner); C – More information in Cruising News

May

29	30	01	02 R – LCSA Racing	03 R – Willoughby Racers Racing	04	05 C – Kentucky Derby Cruise to Waterside
06 C – Kentucky Derby Cruise to Waterside	07	08	09 R – LCSA Racing	R – Willoughby Racers Racing	11	12
13	14	15	16 R – LCSA Racing	17 R – Willoughby Racers Racing	18	19 R – Cape Henry Cup C – York River Yacht Haven Cruise
20 C – York River Yacht Haven Cruise	21	M – Membership Meeting at Rebel Marine, 1830	R – LCSA Racing	R – Willoughby Racers Racing	25	26 C – Memorial Day Cruise
27 C – Memorial Day Cruise	Memorial Day 28 C – Memorial Day Cruise	29	30 R – LCSA Racing	R – SBRW Skipper's Meeting (No Willoughby Racers Race)	01	02

R – More information in Racing News; M – More information in Membership News (or Commodore's Corner); C – More information in Cruising News