

Broad Bay Banter

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Commodore's Corner

First thing I want to do is send a 'Big Thank You' to Captain Brook Smith of the American Rover for a wonderful evening cruise last month. Eighty BBSA members were onboard and all seemed to be having a great time. The conditions were perfect for sailing.

Next I want to welcome the Willoughby Racers who have joined BBSA this year. Welcome and we look forward to meeting you and hope you take part in the BBSA activities.

Our next meeting will be a potluck dinner held at the Old Dominion University Sailing Center. At this meeting we will present the awards for the Cape Henry Cup Race. Remember, there is no entry fee for BBSA members to race in the Cape Henry Cup. Hope to see you on the water.

This past weekend I had the opportunity to go to some of the Volvo sponsored events in Annapolis for the Volvo Ocean Race. It was a fun filled weekend for me. Paul Cayard, skipper of Black Pearl (Pirates of the Caribbean), was the guest speaker at one of the dinners I attended. I had the opportunity to meet him and have my picture taken with him. Ladies, what a thrill. And, since I am name dropping, Gary Jobson was also at the dinner plus other important people (like the Swedish Ambassador), but none as important as Paul Cayard.

I also met Grant Wharington, skipper of Brunel the Australian entry, when we invited him to come aboard Penta Gone II to try out the new Volvo IPS propulsion system. I also met some of the crew members aboard ABN Amro Two. I am amazed at these young men. Some had no ocean racing experience at all.

Sunday, we watched the start from a sight seeing boat that Volvo sponsored. I wish you all could have been there with me. It was such a thrilling and exciting weekend.

I hope I will see you on the water for the Cape Henry Race and at the next meeting (May 23rd) at the Old Dominion Sailing Center.

Judy Rose
BBSA Commodore

Pot Luck Dinner - Cape Henry Cup Awards Presentation, Tuesday May 23rd

Our May Pot Luck Dinner will be held on Tuesday the 23rd at the Old Dominion University Sailing Center. Award winners in the Cape Henry Cup Race will be invited to share our feast and receive their well deserved awards. Sea stories at **6:30pm** will be followed by dinner and awards.

Come on out to the sailing center, check out the excellent facilities on the Elizabeth River and drool over the numerous dingies mounted on dollies ready to go. Look over the sailing team's trophies and All American awards, and, while you are at it, enjoy the good company while watching the setting sun.

Please bring a salad, dessert, or covered dish to share. Wine, beer, and soft drinks will be available for a small donation.

Racing News

The racing season has begun! Late May and early June offer many opportunities to get involved in the local racing scene including BBSA's first regatta of the year and Southern Bay Race Week, one of the highlights of the summer. The Cape Henry Cup is on May 20th and the \$25 entry fee is WAIVED for all BBSA members. Registration for members has never been EASIER: simply click on the event from the home page and use the online registration form! There will be starts for all PHRF classes (please be sure your boat's equipment category is 4P as shown on your valid rating certificate) as well as a Cruising Class start. Sailing Instructions as well as the Notice of Race are available to download from the lower right corner of our home page: www.broadbaysailing.org. The Cape Henry Cup is the first race in this year's Chesapeake Bay Distance Racing Series. Upcoming dates of which to be aware:

May 20 - Cape Henry Cup - CBYRA-Sanctioned Race #405

May 21 - CCV Spring Series #5 & #6 - www.ccvracing.org

June 2-4 - Southern Bay Race Week - www.blacksealcup.com

Gary Newton
Racing Fleet Captain

Cruising News

By Jim and Bev Borberg

Waterside Cruise

The first cruise of the year was off and running last weekend with the Kentucky Derby party complete with Mint Juleps, betting and a Beautiful Hat contest. The weather Saturday couldn't have been better. It was warm and sunny with a light breeze. Getting into the Sprints we even sang My Old Kentucky Home while looking at the race on the TV. Not a beautiful sound but fun.

"Adorable" Art Quarnstrom won first place in the hat contest with Ginger Harrison receiving the second place award. Dinner at Outback Steak House and Sunday a rough and windy ride back but we did sail after we passed Fort Wool. Looking forward to Memorial weekend cruise now.

Those attending were Beach Magic (Chris and Bill Beach), Bay Dreamer (Mary and John Bergman), Wind Walker (Charlie and Kathy Roberts), Rhumba (Sancy and Frits Isham), Q2 (Marie and Art Quarnstrom), Life Is Good (Sergio Diehl, Misty Smith, Megan and Scott Almond), Restless VIII (Sonny Smith), Options (Paul Starosta and Nora Robertson), Dreamtime (Bev and Jim Borberg) and by land yacht, Ginger and Phil Harrison, & Jewel and Don Snyder.

Beverly Borberg

Memorial Day Cruise

The Memorial Day cruise will take place May 27, 28 and 29. Saturday the 27th the cruise will dock at Riverwalk Landing, just east of the Coleman Bridge on the south shore of the York River at historic Yorktown. Reservations for 8 to 10 boats have been tentatively made with the dock master, but you need to confirm your spot by calling 757-890-3370, dockmaster@yorkcounty.gov. Mention that you are cruising with BBSA.

Dinner will be at Nick's Riverwalk Restaurant, and if you plan on joining the group, please call or email Doug Rose rose55@cox.net (send a copy to Jim Borberg gnsailn@yahoo.com) so we can secure adequate space. We presently have six boats signed up.

Events which will take place at Riverwalk Landing on Saturday are a classic car show from 9:00 AM until 4:00 PM and several concerts by various groups from 11:00 AM until 9:30 PM. All free of charge. Also miniature golf is available as well as the historical buildings that can be visited.

Sunday the 28th we will depart for Mobjack Bay (weather permitting) and anchor overnight in one of the rivers. Destination to be determined by the forecast. Dinner and happy hour on board.

Monday, homeward bound! Don't wait until the last minute to join the fun...call now.

Doug Rose

Cruise Week(s)

It's time to make your reservations for the One and Two Week Cruises. See the schedule below.

There are many good times planned that you won't want to miss. On our way through Tangiers we plan to stop for lunch and get out before the mosquitoes get us. At Dennis Pt Marina you can try your skill at putting the ring on the nail after a few beers. We will have a BBQ at the home of Dave Junkins (friend of the schooner race). Bring your meat and a dish to share. If you like crabs don't miss the Coan River Marina where we will have a crab and beer feast put on by the marina. When you make your reservations let me know at george@treiber.hrcoxmail.com (send a copy to Jim Borberg at gnsainl@yahoo.com) and be sure to tell them you are with BBSA. Looking forward to cruising with you - - George Treiber

Two Week Cruise

Jun 24 Concrete Ships (If the weather is bad alternate arrangements will be made)		Cape Charles	Eat aboard	24
Jun 25 Piankatank #15		Horse Point	Eat aboard	30
Jun 26 Indian Creek		Anchor	Eat aboard	18
Jun 27 Sommers Cove	800-967-3474 Bryan	Crisfield	Lunch Tangiers Dinner Out	33
Jun 28 Dennis Pt Marina	301-994-2288 Jimmer	Carthagen Cr	Restaurant	28
Jun 29 Spring Cove Marina	410-326-2161 Terry	Solomons	Restaurant	35
Jun 30 Knapps Narrows Marina	410-886-2720 Hattie	Knapps Narrows	Restaurant	30
July 1 Shaw Bay		Miles River	Eat Aboard	16
July 2 White Hall Creek	Home of Dave Junkins	White Hall Bay	BBQ	25
Reservations not required	Cell 443-994-5214 Home 410-757-6631		Anchor	
July 3 Dun Cove		Harris Creek	Eat Aboard	30
July 4 Solomons	Anchor	Solomons	Restaurant	30
July 5 Coan River Marina	804-529-6767 Gary	Coan River	Crab & Beer Feast	32
July 6 Reedville Marina	804-453-3047 Charles	Cockrell Cr.	Crazy Crab	25
July 7 Jackson Creek	Anchor		Eat aboard	22
July 8 Back Creek	Anchor		Eat Aboard	28
July 9 Home	All good things must end			23

One Week Cruise

July 1 Concrete Ships (If the weather is bad alternate arrangements will be made)		Cape Charles	Eat aboard	24
July 2 Piankatank #15	Anchor	Horse Point	Eat aboard	30
July 3 Indian Creek		Anchor	Eat aboard	18
July 4 Pt Lookout Marina	301-872-5000 Sam	Smith Creek	Spinnakers	32
July 5 5 Coan River Marina	804-529-6767 Gary	Coan River	Crab & Beer Feast	18
July 6 Reedville Marina	804-453-3047 Charles	Cockrell Cr.	Crazy Crab	25
July 7 Jackson Creek	Anchor		Eat aboard	22
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Labor Day Cruise to Mobjack Bay

Anchorage Saturday and Sunday evenings will be in one of the rivers... details will follow soon as we are getting familiar with the area and our options.

Scott and Megan Almond

One Design News

Tuesday Night Small Boat Racing

Informal yet organized fun races will be held on Willoughby Bay every Tuesday evening beginning on May 23, 2006.

Where: Public boat ramp @ Willoughby Time: 1800

Bring your boat, whatever it is, along with your enthusiasm for sailing. Young and old, novice and experienced. What a great mix! See you the water! Pass the word. For additional information call Jerry Pattenaude at 543-3029 or Emory Nemeth at 549-1788.

Jerry Pattenaude

Little Creek Sailing Association

LCSA ran the 5th race of the first series of races. The previous two races were abandoned due to lack of wind and strong incoming currents.

This past Wednesday night there was 12 – 9 knots of wind still with a strong incoming current, but not enough to stop the race. Doug and Judy Rose aboard Mariah with the help of Hank Giffin (new BBSA member) ran the committee boat.

All classes were sent off to the Little Creek Entrance buoy for a port rounding back to the start and then back to Little Creek Entrance buoy and then from there off to the Little Creek Fishing Marker then back to the start/finish.

Sam Jesselson aboard ToBayGo was the first to cross the starting line. He had a great start. ToBayGo and Restless VIII shut out Small Potato who had to come about and restart. From the Committee Boat it was a great start.

On the way back to the finish line, Sonny Smith and crew aboard Sonny's new boat, Restless VIII, were the first to cross followed by Turbo's Tub, ToBayGo, DreamTime, Small Potato, Seal, Southern Style, Trouble, Beck-in-Call II, San Souci, and finally Blue Destiny.

The final results for the Racing Class: Small Potato;
Non-spin 1: Restless VIII, Turbo's Tub and DreamTime.
Non-spin 2: Southern Style.

Good job everyone. From the committee boat it looked like a fun race. See you next week on the water.

Judy Rose

Ship's Store

Show your colors by flying the  Broad Bay burgee.

Contact Bev Borberg at BBSA meetings or at 460-1051. Buy one now while the price is still \$15.00. When we replenish our inventory the price will surely rise.

Membership News

We welcome

Ignacio Casares and Carmen Alez in S2 9.2A "Marola"
Keith Carson and Marci Brown with MORGAN 24 - "PEARL"
Wayne Diviney who sails HUNTER 33 - "SONG SUNG BLUE"
Hank and Stevie Giffin and CREALOCK 37 - "COLUR d'ALENE"
David and Ellen Midkiff in BRISTOL 33 - "SKIMMER II"
John (Shrek) Monacci with J24 - "BB"

Their profiles are on roster page 28 below. Please print it (at 90%, cut it, and place it in your roster.

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