

Broad Bay Banter

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COMMODORE'S CORNER

Looking at the BBSA history and the list of previous BBSA Commodores, I am honored that you have selected me to serve as this year's Commodore. I will work to make this year an active, enjoyable and safe sailing year. I wanted to thank Dave Hughes and last year's officer's and volunteers for navigating us through a fun year with plenty of opportunities to enjoy cruising, racing and camaraderie. I look forward to working with this year's team.

Thank you to all the people that made this year's Annual Banquet and Change of Command a great success. As always Norfolk Yacht and Country Club was a wonderful host with delicious dinners and excellent service. It was great to see a few more people on the dance floor. The pictures from the past year's sailing were great and stirred up the sea stories. Who had the most exciting Cape Charles race?

Awards given for last year:

Racing Skipper of the year: M. D Riley

Cruising Skipper of the Year: Sergio Diehl

Special Appreciation Awards: Jerry Pattenaude and Scott Almond

We are already underway for this years planning. Bucky Harrison had the cruise planning meeting and is filling the calendar. Sergio Diehl has the two week cruise schedule set with shorter legs each day and cruising grounds in the lower bay making it easy to join portions of the cruise if you can not make the entire trip. The Cape Charles Cup planning is on course with Hank Giffin at the helm. Scott Almond and the racers have already held a "Morning with Murphy" racing rules clinic and the Little Creek racers kickoff and awards meeting is scheduled for March 10th at John and Mary Berman's home.

Our next regularly scheduled meeting is scheduled for 1900 Feb 21 at Bella Italia on Laskin Rd. See you there.

Chip Jones

PHRF RACING NEWS

A couple of items to pass along from John and Lin McCarthy for events coming up in March. (You may remember the first item from the December banter.)

SPRING is coming and so is March. In our southern Bay area, there are two training opportunities for Race Committee folks, for those who want to join the Race Committee team and for anyone who wants or needs to understand race management. The US SAILING One Day Race Management Seminar hosted by Rappahannock River Yacht Club is the US SAILING course that also meets Club Race Officer Certification seminar and test requirements. The Nuts and Bolts of Race Committee, hosted at Hampton Yacht Club, is a half-day course intended to provide practical basics for newcomers and serve as a refresher for those with some RC experience.

****March 10, 2012 – US SAILING (Basic) One-Day Race Management Seminar** hosted by US SAILING and RAPPAHANNOCK RIVER YACHT CLUB (Irvington) - OPEN TO ALL; great information for all folks who want to join the race committee team. Also, meets seminar requirement for Club Race Officer Certification or renewal and will offer a test (optional to participants) that is required for CRO certification. Cost: \$50 for US Sailing member (\$95 for non-USSA members). All materials and refreshments throughout the day and lunch are included. John McCarthy is primary instructor. Click on this site http://raceadmin.ussailing.org/Race_Officers/CertificationTraining/Race_Officer_Seminars/Seminar_Calendar.htm, scroll to the March 10, 2012, One Day Race Mgt Seminar at Rappahannock River YC and click on register. Also, you may go to www.rryc.org OR contact Debbie Cycotte (RRYC) at (804) 761-3048 OR Lin McCarthy at (757) 850-4225.

****March 24, 2012 – NUTS AND BOLTS OF RACE COMMITTEE – Emphasis on Starting and Finishing Races.** OPEN TO ALL. 0900-1200 at Hampton Yacht Club (Hampton). This is a great clinic for Race Committee teams, volunteers, and anyone else interested in getting the basics down. This is a practical clinic – good for newbies as well as a refresher for race committee regulars. There is NO CHARGE for this clinic and coffee, pastries, and other refreshments are included. The clinic will be led by area race management officials John McCarthy, Buk Lawrence, and Lin McCarthy. Please do **PRE-REGISTER**, since space is limited – call or email Lin McCarthy to reserve your spot – (757) 850-4225 or mcbear@earthlink.net. Hampton Yacht Club and CCV are co-sponsors of this clinic.

News from our Racing Fleet Captain:

Congratulations goes out to M.D. Riley and his crew on Turbo's Tub for earning BBSA's 2011 Big-Boat Skipper of the Year. Among the highlights for Turbo's Tub were a 1st place in Race 2 of the Cape Charles Cup, 1st place in fleet and 1st place overall in the Neptune's Atlantic Regatta, and two 2nd places and three bullets in the highly competitive Stingray Point Regatta.

Thanks to all that participated in the Morning with Murphy Clinic held at the ODU Sailing Center on February 4th. We had a great turnout and a lot of fun discussing the different scenarios and how the RRS apply to them.

This year's Southern Bay Racing Schedule is posted on the lower right hand corner of our homepage: www.broadbaysailing.org .

Looking forward to another great season!

Scott

CRUISING NEWS

Summer Cruise – The plans for this year’s cruise were fleshed out on a cold day in February, although with Rum Punch at hand to remind us of warm days at anchor and sun downers to end the day. The plans this year are to have a sailing cruise, where each day’s mileage has been kept short, so that we may all get underway long after the sun has climbed above the horizon and with even the smallest trace of wind we can sail to the next destination in plenty of time for cocktails. The desire was to split the evenings between idyllic anchorages and marinas and yet make it as flexible as possible so each of us could decide on whether we would move on or spend a second day and still regain the group. The 2012 schedule is and I have already started to make a BBSA reservation block at the Marinas.

Leg	Date	Location	Distance	Anchor/Marina	Phone #
0	Friday, June 22, 2012	Hampton	9	Town Docks, HYC, Anchor	
1	Saturday, June 23, 2012	Cape Charles City Docks	23	City Docks	(757) 331-2357
2	Sunday, June 24, 2012	Poquoson River	21	Anchor	
3	Monday, June 25, 2012	Ware River	32	Anchor	
4	Tuesday, June 26, 2012	Deltaville	32	Doziers Regatta Point	(804) 776-6711
5	Wednesday, June 27, 2012	Carter Creek	10	Anchor	
6	Thursday, June 28, 2012	Urbana	8	Doziers	(804) 758-0000
7	Friday, June 29, 2012	Anti-Poison Creek	21	Anchor	
8	Saturday, June 30, 2012	Indian Creek Yacht & CC	6	ICY&CC	(804) 435-3414
9	Sunday, July 01, 2012	Dividing Creek	9	Anchor - Vicinity of Kroft Dinghy Dock	(757) 481-2765
10	Monday, July 02, 2012	Great Wicomico, Mill Creek	14	Anchor	
11	Tuesday, July 03, 2012	Onancock	28	Town Dock	(757) 787-7911
12	Wednesday, July 04, 2012	Reedville	28	Anchor	
13	Thursday, July 05, 2012	Corrotoman	31	Yankee Pt	(804) 462-7018
14	Friday, July 06, 2012	Jackson Creek	18	Anchor	
15	Saturday, July 07, 2012	York River Yacht Haven	32	York River Yacht Haven	(804) 642-2156
16	Sunday, July 08, 2012	Home	27		
		Total	340		
	Anchor				
	Marina				

Please call, 635-1846, or e-mail Sergio Diehl, Sergio.diehl@cox.net, if you are interested in joining us this summer and let me know what your plans are, as well as your boat specifications so that I may provide a heads up to all of the Marina’s as well as make your berthing assignment at Indian Creek Yacht & Country Club. I look forward to seeing you on the cruise.

UPCOMING EVENTS (that I am aware of):

February 21, 2012: Members Meeting at La Bella Italia Restaurant, 1065 Laskin Rd. Virginia Beach. Time: 1900 (7:00pm for those who are not military oriented).

March 10, 2012: Little Creek Sailing Association 2012 Kickoff and 2011 Awards meeting at John and Mary Bergman's house, 9570 Bay Point Drive, Norfolk, VA, from 2:00 to 5:00PM. Bring an appetizer or munchie to share, LCSA will provide beverages (coffee, iced tea, water, beer and wine). Skippers, to assist with provisioning for the meeting, please provide John (j.bergman@cox.net) with a head count of your crew that will be attending.

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

TREASURER'S CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Please send you membership renewals to this address:

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We welcome these new members into the BBSA family:

PENLEY, BRAD CAITLIN

5340 COTTAGE COURT, VIRGINIA BEACH, VA 23462
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penley.brad@gmail.com, sea.rummel@gmail.com

NAVY EOD OFFICER, EOD MOBILE UNIT 12, LITTLE CREEK
CAITLIN'S occupation:

NAVY SHIP NAVIGATOR, EWTGLANT, LITTLE CREEK
JEANNEAU 379 - "MIRELLE"

SADOWSKI, TERRY CINDY

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757-615-9469 mitphoto1@aol.com,

REGISTERED NURSE, NAVY MEDICAL CENTER, PORTSMOUTH
CINDY'S occupation:

REGISTERED NURSE, NAVY MEDICAL CENTER, PORTSMOUTH
LUGAR FAIRWINDS 27 - "FEATHER SWORD"

Burgees – Bev Borberg, 460-1051, e-mail: bevborberg@yahoo.com

Though they are off to some far corner of the globe, I am sure that burgees can be purchased at the next meeting she and Jim will be attending. The price is \$20.

BBSA Officers for 2012:

Commodore

Vice Commodore

Rear Commodore

Secretary

Treasurer

Racing Fleet Captain

Cruising Fleet Captain

One Design Fleet Captain

PHRF Representative

Chesapeake Bay Yacht Racing Delegate

Little Creek Sailing Associations Representative

Willoughby Racers Representative

Ship's Store Custodian

Sunshine Committee

Chip Jones

Ronda Borberg-Shulenburg

David Hughes

Karl Shulenburg

Jack Huenerberg

Scott Almond

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John Bergman

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