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COMMODORE'S CORNER

Bill Barnes, commodore@broadbaysailing.org

Well, fall is here and the adult vacation seasons begins! Some of us are taking our boats to warmer climates others will take cruises to the Caribbean, while still others are looking forward to the snow skiing season.

To the best of my knowledge, with the exception of the Neptune Race being canceled due to bad weather, BBSA members had a very successful cruising and racing season. A real standout was Hank Giffin and the LWMCCC Committee, they did a magnificent job.

I do want to personally thank Andy Spittler for filling in at Septembers Meeting, thanks again Andy.

Our next scheduled meeting is October 20th, 2015, 6:00PM. Pot Luck Dinner at the Old Dominion Sailing Center. (Secretary's note: I will ensure that there is adequate beer and wine this time... promise.)

Happy sailing,
Bill Barnes

RACING NEWS

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PHRF/Big-Boat Racing News by Scott Almond

Well, Mother Nature finally caught up to us. For 11 years, we've been fortunate enough to dodge Mother's scorn (except for maybe the first year, when we didn't have enough wind to get anyone without a sub-27 handicap over the Bay-Bridge Tunnel), but this year, she picked us up on her radar and started laughing. And laugh she did... to the tune of cancelling the majority of the Neptune Festival events as well as obliterating any thoughts of 2015 ending in drought conditions. Our event chairman, Jerry Pattenaude, was able to get the last laugh (as much as someone can against Mom) as he made arrangements with our main sponsor, The Raven, to hold the skippers' meeting/social in spite of the weather and those that made the effort to attend were not disappointed. Thank you to The Raven and all the skippers that came out and congratulations to Randy Goodman on RED FROG, who was First in Class and the First to Finish... a couple of beers... (I know Dani is so proud...)!

Upcoming dates of which to be aware:

17 October - 'Round the Lights Race - OPCYC (CBYRA # 423 and Race #11 in the SBDRS) www.opcyc.org

For questions about these or any races, please do not hesitate to contact me!

Little Creek Sailing Association Wednesday Races, from Randy Goodman:

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Date (Series/Race)	Spinnaker Winner	NS-1 Winner	NS-2 Winner
September 9 (5/4)	Shock Full O' Nuts	Elixir	Kaleidoscope
September 16 (5/5)	Baserunner	Restless	Wharf Rat

Willoughby Racers Thursday Races, from Guy Sorensen:

Contact Guy at willoughbyracers@broadbaysailing.org or (757) 754-6418. Check our website <http://www.broadbaysailing.org/racing/willoughby.asp> and our Willoughby Racers Facebook page for updates and more information.

Date (Series/Race)	Spinnaker Winner	NS-1 Winner	NS-2 Winner
September 3 (Fall/6)	Melantho 2	Mortar Offer	

Wrap up of LWMCCC Awards Ceremony, by Hank Giffin:

The LWMCCC had a fun awards social at The Lagoon on 15 September, with lots of light food and cold drinks for the award winners of the second day of the race, as well as BBSA members who decided to attend.

Gloria Wardrup helped present all the awards, and it was good to see her again.

The 2016 LWMCCC is scheduled for 12 – 14 August. Please mark your calendars!

We also need some volunteers for the LWMCCC committee to help distribute the workload to run the race. Please contact Hank Giffin at [757 375 1491](tel:7573751491).

News from CBYRA Wet Notes, info provided by Scott Almond:

MEETING SEASON IS ALMOST HERE

Make sure your opinions are heard.

Now is the time to start working within your fleet and/or club to make sure your opinions are known as we head into the fall and winter meeting season. CBYRA will soon be releasing dates for scheduling meetings, the Annual General Meeting and other key organizational events. If you have thoughts or ideas about the future of CBYRA, Chesapeake Bay racing, or your organization's relationship with CBYRA and its member clubs, speak with your commodore or CBYRA delegate so that we know your needs. Feel free to contact us in the CBYRA office if you need help identifying your CBYRA rep or would like to speak to a board member. Thanks!

HELP WANTED

Volunteers Always Needed

Thanks to the few, the brave, those who have raised their hands. We are always looking for help around the office and around the bay. If you haven't yet, consider helping out, here are a few ideas:

Newsletters

Green Book Editor

Scheduling:

 One Design

 Juniors

 Cruising One Design

Handicap

Scoring

 See Above

Race Management Support for Clubs

Appeals

Please contact president@cbyra.org

SEE YOUR CREW FEATURED

CBYRA is looking for great photos

Send your best photos from this season to [Julia](#) in the office to be featured on our Facebook page throughout the year. Action shots, happy crew members and pretty boat photos will keep our spirits up during the long, cold frostbiting season.

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Wrap up of King Neptune's Atlantic Regatta, by Jerry Pattenaude:

Mother Nature trumped King Neptune and the 2015 Neptune's Atlantic Regatta was cancelled. However, we did not let that get us down and as the great Yogi Berra once said "It ain't over till it's over" so when we were given lemons we made lemonade.

The first call to order was to substitute the Skippers meeting for a Skippers social. Since we already had the trophies which were done using a copy of a beautiful painting by Marcia Hughes, we decided to offer the skippers a chance to win them. We divided them up into their respective fleets and placed a beer in front of each of the Skippers. There were no substitutes allowed unless they were the DD for the night and DD does not stand for Designated Drinker. The first to finish won their trophy and if we had enough participants they would get a second or third. We continued though all the fleets and then we lined up all the winners for the First to Finish silver platter.

Cruising 1st Place – Randy Goodman

PHRF Spinnaker 1st place – Randy Peake

PHRF Spinnaker 2nd place – Christian Schaumloffel

PHRF N 1st Place – Larry Baun

PHRF N 2nd Place – Alan Johnson

The winner of the "First to Finish" was Randy Goodman – Red Frog

Congratulations Randy on a fine "race"! You drink like a fish out of water or should I say a SEAL.

I want to thank our Sponsor "The Raven Restaurant" Bobby and Ricky. These guys are the best! They provided 1 hour of free flowing beer and wine. Boy did we keep those waitresses in shape.

We had a raffle and what good is a raffle without prizes.

Bristol finishes/ Greg Lanese provided the best varnish known to man.

West Marine provided a very nice foul weather jacket that John Atkinson won.

APS (Annapolis Performance Sailing) provided numerous gift certificates.

We all had a very nice time and I have the pictures to prove it.



Photos courtesy of Jerry Pattenaude

CRUISING NEWS

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Cruising News, from Doug and Judy Rose:

"The last scheduled cruise of the year, the Octoberfest cruise to Portsmouth, fell victim to hurricane Joaquin and one of the longest running Nor'easters in recent memory. Conditions during the weekend were only fit for ducks, so it's no wonder that all cruises and races in the Tidewater area were canceled. A few hardy souls braved the high water to gather at the OPCYC club house on Fort Monroe for beer and burgers on Saturday afternoon and thus ended the 2015 cruising season.

As cruising fleet captain for 2015, I want to extend my thanks to all those who participated in our events this year, either as cruise captain for one of the cruises, or as cruisers who came out and joined the fun. It never would have happened without all of your hard work and hard play, and my thanks to all. Start thinking of new places to go next year, because before you know it spring will be just around the corner!

Post Event Review of the Yorktown Riverwalk Cruise, from Chip and LeMoine Jones.

We had a great time with Virginia Breeze, Modus Vivendi, Coriolis, Sea Doc, Nuance, Summer Wine and Tike Rose. Chip, LeMoine and Sergio arrived on Friday to listen to the free big band sounds playing on the green, and even got to sail a little bit.

On Saturday Yorktown has a Farmers Market with excellent quality farm foods, soaps, jewelry, and specialty foods. We always manage to find a few things to buy and usually some great stocking stuffers too. Everyone else arrived throughout the day. We had two unexpected surprises with Chip's sister and her family dropping by from Richmond for a visit (they were out for a drive), and a couple that we haven't seen since 1985 from our Annapolis days. LeMoine also had a friend from high school drop by that she hasn't seen since 1979! Put out those flags, you never know who might be walking by! The cocktail party was quite lively with tons of food (hardly any hummus!) A large group went out to eat and some stayed behind to continue the party.

The ride back on Sunday was one long surf, so in summary, a great weekend.

Post event review of a Dark and Stormy Afternoon, info provided by John Scott:

When Mother Nature gives us lemons, we don't make lemonade – we make Dark and Stormy beverages! And we had plenty on Saturday, October 3, when the members of OPCYC, BBSA, and Fleet 30 got together at the OPCYC clubhouse.

Just because we could not get out on the water didn't mean we could not have a good time – near the water. Making last-minute plans, our Capt. John and the Logistics crew sent out the word that the 3 clubs were going to get together and have an old-fashioned cook-out of burgers, sausages and all the trimmings, with assorted beverages. During a bit of calm and dry weather that afternoon, the grill was set up and the food cooked out on the deck. Then we went back inside and ate and drank and ate and drank some more. There were tables full of food and coolers filled with beverages – and we kept our volunteer bar-tender, Andrea Allen, quite busy fixing Dark and Stormy drinks for hours. Once we had eaten our fill we gathered by the big screen to watch a movie, "The Perfect Storm". We members of 3 area clubs made the best of a stormy week, enjoying good company, food, drinks and entertainment with fellow boaters.

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

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I will have Burgees with me if I can attend the BBSA meeting. You can let me know by email if you would like to buy one. \$20 is cost of \$21 if mailed to you.

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.

A special offer from Sailnauticus to BBSA members (Submitted by Greg Lanese):

\$175 for annual crew level membership (no sailing experience required), or,
\$350 for an annual Captain level membership.

These memberships provide access to the boats for recreational sailing, racing, clinics, full moon sails and more.

For more information contact them at sailnauticus.org.

Free Foul Weather Jackets:

Micki and David Miller were members of BBSA for a number of years and he recently passed away. She has two yellow foul weather gear, size large and extra-large that she would like to give free to anyone who might need them. Her number is [757 481 7249](tel:7574817249)

Monthly Meeting:

October 20, 6:00pm

ODU Sailing Center, Dinner is potluck.

I promise there will be adequate beer and wine this time.



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October/Early November

4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	Columbus Day 12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20 M – Membership Meeting at ODU Sailing Center. 6:00pm Potluck	21	22	23	24 C –
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Nov 1	2	3	4	5	6	7 R – WR Hot Buttered Rum

R – More information in Racing News; M – More information in Membership News; C – More information in Cruising News

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