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## **Southern Bay Racing News You Can Use # 381**

SBRNYCU is an independent weekly publication of southern Chesapeake Bay racing happenings. Founded in April, 2000.

**AH - ROOOOOOOOOOOOOOO!** Beagle wins **Best in Show** at Westminster in Madison Square Garden! Murphy delighted by Uno's howling success! (Further comments from *Murphy, The Racing Beagle*, in this issue.)

**Special info for J/24 racers:** Southern Bay Race Week 2008 will be an event in the **J/24 District 6 World Championship Qualifying Series**. There will be racing at SBRW on May 30-31, and June 1, in Hampton, VA. For info call (757) 850-4225 or check out the event website at [www.blacksealcup.com](http://www.blacksealcup.com) Get those J/24s ready to go!

**CASH FLOW, WHITE BOAT, ROUNDABOUT, VIRGINIA H - all winners in 2007 CBYRA High Point.** The South Division of the Region 4 (southern Chesapeake Bay area) CBYRA High Point standings are scored and posted at the CBYRA website. The information posted shows the calculations and lists all those who qualified for the final standings. Here are the awards winners by Class: PHRF A (10 qualifiers)- 1.*Cash Flow*, **Lloyd Griffin**; 2.*Cyrano*, **Bob Mosby**; 3.*Feather*, **Phil Briggs**. PHRF B (10 qualifiers) - 1.*White Boat*, **Dave McConaughy**; 2.*Bad Habit*, **Bob Archer**; 3.*Radio Flyer*, **Dennis Hannick**. PHRF C (7 qualifiers) - 1.*Roundabout*, **Alan Bomar**; 2.*The Hunter*, **Justin Morris**; 3.*Spray*, **Bumps Eberwine**. PHRF Non-Spin (12 qualifiers) - 1.*Virginia H*, **Andy Armstrong**; 2.*Impulse*, **Tom Peddy**; 3.*Midnight Mistress*, **Jake Brodersen**. Tom Roberts calculated the scoring for the South Division, in which 39 race boats did a sufficient number of races to be scored. And, Bob Thomas is working on the North Division standings, which will be posted as soon as possible. [www.cbyra.org](http://www.cbyra.org)

**CBYRA Region 4 Awards Dinner - Saturday, March 1, 2008, 5:30pm-welcome socializing; 6:30pm-dinner; 7:00pm-awards presentations.** Fishing Bay Yacht Club in the Main Clubhouse, upstairs by the fireplace. Awards will be presented for Region 4 PHRF, One-Design, and Juniors. Dress is casual. Dinner including refreshments = \$18 (juniors-\$14) For more details contact Tom Roberts at (804) 843-2682 or email at [tjroberts2@cox.net](mailto:tjroberts2@cox.net) Reservations are necessary and would be appreciated before Sunday, February 24.

**ST PETE NOODS - final day of racing is today (Sunday):** After two days of racing, *Mirage* (**Christian Schaumloffel**, VA Beach) is tied in points with two other boats for first place in the Hobie 33 fleet. **Bob Fleck** (Front Royal, VA) leaves the dock this morning in 2nd place in the S2 7.9 class. **Chris Elliott** (Edenton, NC) is in 4th in the J/24 fleet. And, Chesapeake pro **Terry Hutchinson** has overcome an 11th on super light air Day One to move to the head of the 49 boat Melges 24 fleet with a 1st and a 2nd on Day Two. The North Carolina contingent sailing Ultimate 20s is led by **Marriott/McGrath** (Charlotte) in 2nd place. Today is the final day of racing.

**On Monday, February 18, we celebrate PRESIDENTS' DAY and George Washington's birthday on Friday, February 22.** Make even a Monday better by spending your holiday under your boat, smoothing that bottom!

**Regatta Watch: SBRW Early Bird** - Another southern Bay racer who knows a good deal (spelled f-r-e-e d-r-i-n-k t-i-c-k-e-t-s), has completed his entry for Southern Bay Race Week (May 30-31 and June 1). **Brad Miller**, from Hanover, VA, will be racing his Beneteau First 305, *Schiehallion*. Leading the Elliott 770 one-design pack is **Lance Ryley**. He is the first to enter and will be bringing *RockIt* down from Boston, MA.

**DAVE PERRY Cometh:** This Friday and Saturday is the weekend of the Dave Perry program hosted in Richmond by Fishing Bay Yacht Club and the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. Perry is an acknowledged expert on the rules. He will talk Rules and Tactics and, on Friday night, will discuss his experience on the Sweden AC boat, *Victory Challenge* (he was Rules Advisor and Afterguard Coach). For details and registration info, contact Noel Clinard at [ncclinard@hunton.com](mailto:ncclinard@hunton.com) or go to the FBYC website [www.fbyc.net](http://www.fbyc.net)

### **MARCH [Sailboat Racers'] MADNESS:**

March 1 Saturday CBYRA Region 4 Awards Dinner - contact Tom Roberts at (804) 843-2682  
 March 15 Saturday CCV Race Management Clinic, FREE - 0900-1200 at HYC - call John McCarthy (757)

**850-4225**

March 26 Wednesday FBYC Crew Training (classroom) begins - go to [www.fbyc.net](http://www.fbyc.net)  
 March 30 Sunday FBYC Crew Training (on-the-water) begins - go to [www.fbyc.net](http://www.fbyc.net)  
 April 1 Tuesday CCV Rules Clinic and distribution of *2008 CCV Racing Guide* - 6:30pm, Mariners' Museum

**OPCYC has Saturday mornings covered:** Old Point Comfort Yacht Club will offer Saturday morning racing beginning April 5, and extending through the Spring, Summer, and Fall. The Yankee Station Regatta is OPEN TO ALL who want to do some JAM (Jib and Main) racing. For info contact Dennis Miner at (757)867-1028. It is a great way to forget to cut the grass!

**CBYRA**, working hard to make their website more user friendly, notified all their members last week that the site would be down for a short period while much needed upgrades were put in place. It's up now. And, there will be more improvements coming throughout the year. If at anytime you need to contact CBYRA directly, you may contact Beth Kahr, Executive Director, at (410) 269-1194. Think what sailboat racing on the Bay would be like without sail numbers - that's one of many services CBYRA performs for racers.

**GOLD STARS:** You get a gold star if you have done all of the following paperwork for the upcoming season: #1-joined US Sailing; #2-joined CBYRA; #3-if appropriate, gotten your PHRF valid rating for 2008; #4-joined your local yacht club/sailing association (eg: BBSA, CCV, DYC, ESYCC, FBYC, GPYC, HYC, LYC, NNSA, NYCC, OBSA, OPCYC, PBC, PRYC, RRYC, SYC, UCYC, WRYP, WYCC, YPYC, YRYC); #5-had the courage to ask for your boatyard bill.

**MURPHY'S LAW:** *Yrs Truly, The Racing Beagle*, has been advising Cousin Uno ever since he was a pup on his prance and dance. He nailed it last week at the Westminster Dog Show - got the biggest trophy there, Best in Show. As soon as he finishes the talk show circuit and writes his book, he intends to come down to go after some real trophies... and those Poodle Groupies! /S/ *Murphy the Racing Beagle, the sailing spirit in us all.*

Dear Readers,

*This issue of SBRNYCU comes to you on Sunday instead of the usual Monday, because Murphy had to leave early this morning to go to Uno's Homecoming Tickertape Parade. ARF!*

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