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Try sailing - it's NOT easy! - Bill Schanen, [SAILING Magazine](#)

GOT HIM! *We have not forgotten September 11, 2001. Reports are that it was our Navy Seals who actually got Bin Laden! Thank you to all the brave people, many of whom live and train here in the Southern Bay area, many of whom we know.*

REMEMBER MOTHER'S DAY IS THIS COMING SUNDAY, MAY 8th! There are Mother's Day SALES and there are Mother's Day SAILS - consider both!

SEA STAR, WHAM BAM, ROUNDABOUT, and BLACK WIDOW are CCV SPRING SERIES FLEET WINNERS. Despite the best hopes and wind mojo offerings, it was flat impossible to get a race underway Sunday, the third day of the CCV Spring Series. So, after a 2 hour and 15 minute delay, the racers and officials headed in for the party! That left the final series standings where they were after three earlier races. **RESULTS:** PHRF A (9 boats) - 1.**David Eberwine**, *Sea Star* (2-1-1); 2.**Bob Mosby**, *Cyrano* (3-2-2); 3.**Phil Briggs**, *Feather* (4-3-3). PHRF B (9 boats) - 1.**Dave Taylor**, *Wham Bam* (1-2-1); 2.**Bob Archer**, *Bad Habit* (3-1-4); 3.**Rusty Burshell**, *Cool Change* (6-3-2). PHRF C (9 BOATS) - 1.**Alan Bomar**, *Roundabout* (1-1-1); 2.**Justin Morris**, *The Hunter* (4-2-3); 3.**Bumps Eberwine**, *Spray* (3-4-4). PHRF Non-Spin (5 boats) - 1.**Leo Wardrup**, *Black Widow* (1-1-1); 2.**Mike Tate**, *Aquarius* (2-2-5); 3.**Bob Howell**, *CYMRU* (3-3-4). PRO - John McCarthy; Mark Boats - Tom and Jane Fowler, and Bill and David Gibbings. Scorer-John Ritter.

Bob Fleck in his HORIZON denominated the the S2 7.9 fleet at the Annapolis NOOD regatta this past weekend. The fleet completed 8 races and Bob won 5 of them. Three other southern Bay racers at the NOODS took third places in their fleets. **Dave McConaughy**, *USA - 90*, finished 3rd in the 14 boat J30 fleet; **Craig Wright**, *Afterthought*, was third in the 10 boat J109 fleet; and, **Chris Jankowski**, was third in the 13 boat J24 fleet.

SBRW , June 3-5, Hampton, Virginia: More than 75 skippers took advantage of the SBRW Early Bird Entry plan which closed last Monday. **SOUTHERN BAY RACE WEEK remains open for entries until Wednesday, MAY 25.** PHRF and One-Design : \$150 (racing on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday) Cruising Class: \$99 (racing on Saturday and Sunday only). Racers who are not members of US SAILING should add \$5 to their entry fees. **Enter now and avoid the late fee (\$50) which kicks in after May 25.** Click here for entry forms and regatta info www.blacksealcup.com or contact Lin McCarthy at (757) 850-4225 or mcbear@earthlink.net. *Y'all come racing!*

Racing Standout and former US SAILING Olympic Team Coach, GARY BODIE, will be inducted in the Athletic Hall of Fame of the Lower Virginia Peninsula on Sunday, May 15, in Hampton. This is the 40th Anniversary of the Hall of Fame, established in the City of Hampton in 1971. There will be a reception followed by dinner; emcee for the evening will be Scott Cash. For event and ticket information, please call (757) 727-8314

CAPE HENRY CUP - Saturday, May 15 - Broad Bay Sailing Association is organizing authority. This is a long time big boat race around fixed marks in the lower Chesapeake Bay. The possible courses are described in the Notice of Race - get a copy and give it to the boat's navigator, now. This is homework before the race that will most likely prove helpful. *If ya cain't find the marks, it's tough to round 'em!* For info (including NOR) and entry contact Scott Almond at (757) 471-2663 or go to www.broadbaysailing.org click on Racing, and follow the prompts from there.

Azalea Cup Regatta: Thirteen boats sailed in Little Bay on Saturday in the 2011 Azalea fleet. PHRF Non-Spin: 1. **Jeff Rogers**, *Halaha*; 2. **Dave Bettis**, *Surely Boo*; 3. **Tony Thornton**, *TL Sea*. Cruising: 1. **Diana Hughes**, *Study Hall*; 2. **Scott Nielsen**, *Pax*; 3. **Jim Gordon**, *Allegory II*. **Tim Dull**, *Dart*, was the only spinnaker boat out there. Event Chairman - Tim Dull.

Beat the **DOWN THE BAY** late entry fee (\$50) - get your entry in by THIS FRIDAY, May 6th. Click here

www.hamptonyc.com and then click on the DTB logo. All the entry info and contact information is there (on line entry is available, too). *Dash down the Bay - Annapolis to Hampton!*

LASER DISTRICT 11 CHAMPIONSHIP & US SINGLEHANDED CHAMPIONSHIP AREA C ELIMINATION - May 14-15 - hosted by Fishing Bay Yacht Club. www.fbyc.net

FBYC One-Design Spring Opener had 11 Flying Scots on the line Sunday. **Rob Whittemore** took first place in a tie breaker with **Len Guenther**. **Noel Clinard** finished third when tiebreaker rules were applied, putting **John Berry** in fourth.

MURPHY'S LAW: Thank you to all who have and still do protect us. Bin Laden is dead. /S/ *Murphy the Racing Beagle, the sailing spirit in us all.*

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