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## Southern Bay Racing News You Can Use #610

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

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

This is a special weekend coming up – Columbus Day HOLIDAY is Monday, October 8<sup>th</sup>, the TURKEY SHOOT REGATTA is Friday-Sunday, the Annapolis Sailboat Show opens Thursday and goes through Monday and, in Hampton Roads, the 12<sup>th</sup> annual DINK VAIL REGATTA is set for Sunday with the Albacore National Championships at Hampton YC Saturday thru Monday. Have a great weekend!

\*\*\*\***TURKEY SHOOT REGATTA (Friday, October 5 – Sunday, October 7)** on the Rappahannock River (headquarters site – Yankee Point Marina): Current entries are at 75+. To enter and for info check out [www.turkeyshootregatta.com](http://www.turkeyshootregatta.com) or call event chairman Karen Knull at 804.462.7635

\*\*\*\***DINK VAIL REGATTA (Sunday, October 7) in Hampton Roads (hosted by Norfolk Yacht and Country Club)**: PHRF Class and Cruising Fleets are welcome to this 12<sup>th</sup> annual race. The sign-up deadline is TOMORROW, THIS TUESDAY- anyone interested in racing, please contact **Dick Waters at 757-489-0921 or email [rwaters1401@cox.net](mailto:rwaters1401@cox.net)** by Tuesday afternoon. The paperwork will be accepted at the Skippers Meeting on Friday. This race counts in the BBSA sponsored Southern Bay Distance Racing Series.

**Southern Bay racer TYLER MOORE is 2012 505 NORTH AMERICA CHAMPION!** *From Scuttlebutt #3684: The 2012 505 North Americans blasted onto San Francisco Bay last week without massive fanfare, with the 31 -boat fleet going about their business on the Berkeley Circle. After 11 races over 4 days (Sept. 20-23), Tyler Moore and Rob Woelfel edged out Mike Martin and Jesse Falsone for the title. Rob Woelfel lives in Tahoe. He and Tyler have sailed together twice before and this was Rob's first win. This is the 4<sup>th</sup> 505 National title for Tyler. The second team from Hampton at the NA's was Henry Amthor and Dustin Romey. They finished in 12th place ahead of some awfully good sailors.*

**Neptune's Atlantic Regatta:** There was rain and then some breeze and then some more rain, but 17 of the 18 boats that started made it to the finish line at 24<sup>th</sup> Street and the Atlantic Ocean. This was a pursuit race, where the fastest boat starts last, giving everyone else a head start. This time it was **Christian Schaumloffel's** Hobie 33, *Mirage*, that started last and finished first in 2 hours over the 15 mile course from Little Creek to the oceanfront. **RESULTS: PHRF Spinnaker (combined) (6 boats) 1.Christian Schaumloffel, Mirage; 2.Martin Casey, Bow Down; 3.Butch Patterson, Schock Full o' Nuts. PHRF Non-Spin (3 boats) 1.Leo Wardrup, Black Widow; 2.Vicki Zimmerman, Bona Dea. Cruising (9 boats) 1.J. Wright, Aria; 2.P. Doherty, Plover; 3.Bob Howell, Cymru.** Principal Race Officer – Scott Almond. This race is sponsored by Broad Bay Sailing Association.

**Flying Scot Atlantic Coast Championships, Edenton, North Carolina:** Three southern Bay teams finished in the top half of the 22 boat fleet. **Len Guenther with John Wake** took 3<sup>rd</sup> overall, **Jay Buhl with Mike Karn**

finished 4<sup>th</sup>, and **Mark Wensell with Skip Hope** finished 8<sup>th</sup>. All three teams sail out of Fishing Bay Yacht Club, Deltaville.

**Media watch:** Seems like 505s are in all the news. That's **Tyler Moore and Geoff Ewenson** on the cover of the October issue of *SAILING WORLD*. It was taken when they finished 14<sup>th</sup> among 188 at the Worlds earlier this summer in La Rochelle, France. *SAILING WORLD* features their pick of the eight "most enduring" one-designs which includes the 505.

FBYC Fall Series got in one short race Sunday in light, fluky air. **RESULTS: PHRF A (7 boats)** 1.**Craig Wright**, *Afterthought*; 2.**Rob Whittet/Steve Utley**, *Wavelength*; 3.**Sam Mitchener**, *Double Eagle*. **PHRF B (7 boats)** 1.**Miles Booth**, *Shenanigan*; 2.**Noel Clinard**, *Loonatictu*; 3.**Dennis Hannick**, *Goin'*. **PHRF C (5 boats)** 1.**Bob Fleck**, *Horizon*; 2.**Denton Roberts**, *Ardent*; 3.**Brad Miller**, *Schiehallion*. One boat, **Mike Dale's Juggernaut**, sailed non-spinnaker. Principal Race Officer – Len Guenther.

**Save \$\$\$ THIS WEEK. PHOTOBOT is offering a Fall Special on pictures.** If you raced at SOUTHERN BAY RACE WEEK, CAPE CHARLES CUP, and/or SCREWPILE LIGHTHOUSE CHALLENGE, you and your boat and your friends may be in the PhotoBoat galleries. Think about it - photos make great gifts. Use the **discount code FALL2012SALE** for 20% off any order until Columbus Day (October 8th). Click here: [Here's a link to the galleries.](#)

Dear Readers,

**There is a 3-day weekend coming up – Columbus Day is celebrated Monday, October 8<sup>th</sup> this year. So, Murphy and the staff will take a day off to honor Chris. Look for issue #6011 of SBRNYCU on Tuesday, October 9<sup>th</sup>, and have a great weekend.**

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**MURPHY'S LAW:** *Yrs Truly, the Racing Beagle's* crewmates were a bit put out after the last distance race. We missed a mark and, therefore, retired to dead last. They, my crewmates, are telling everyone it was not their fault, that "the dog" ate the sailing instruction. The indignity of it all – wrongly blamed based on a puppihood conviction for eating homework. *The Murphster* will be dialing up the best legal beagle around; this is so wrong! Ahh-oooo! /S/ *Murphy the Racing Beagle, the sailing spirit in us all.*

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