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## **Southern Bay Racing News You Can Use #663**

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Try sailing - it's NOT easy! - Bill Schanen, SAILING Magazine

HYC Frostbite Series opens under sunny skies and with moderate, pleasant breezes. A steady breeze diminished near the finish line and was replaced by one that brought the back of the fleet up to the leaders. Sixteen (16) boats enjoyed the day and got the frostbiting underway. RESULTS: PHRF A (4 boats) – 1.Bumps Eberwine, Sea Star; 2.Christian Schaumloffel, Mirage; 3.Phil Briggs, Feather. PHRF B(11 boats) – 1.Ben Cuker, Callinectes; 2.Bill Gibbings, Jonathan; 3.Rusty Burshell, Cool Change. Alan Bomar's Roundabout was the only PHRF C boat on the course. Principal Race Officer – Brian Deibler.

HYC Frostbite 2 is set for this coming Sunday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>. OPEN TO ALL with racing for all PHRF classes as well as a Cruising fleet. Format is a single race around fixed marks each Sunday in Hampton Roads harbor. First warning is planned for noon each Sunday through November 24th. Entry fees: \$60 for entire Series (\$70 for non-members of USSA); \$25 (\$30 non-USSA) for each single race. Entries and fees are due the day before race day; submit to: Race Committee (Frostbite Series/Race) Hampton Yacht Club, 4707 Victoria Blvd, Hampton, VA 23669 Daily awards are presented following each race. For info contact Brian Deibler, 757-715-8977.

Save \$10, Race, and Partake of Hot-Buttered Rum. THIS COMING SATURDAY, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, is the annual HOT-BUTTERED RUM RACE, hosted by the BBSA Willoughby Racers. OPEN TO ALL mono-hulls at least 20 feet long, self-righting, with an enclosed cabin. Racing is in Willoughby Bay, aka Little Bay. All classes will race non-spinnaker, single headsail only. Save the \$10 by registering before high noon on Friday, Nov 1<sup>st</sup>. The post-race Hot-Buttered Rum will be served and trophies presented while exchanging war stories at the Breezeway Café at Rebel Marine. Register on line at <a href="www.broadbaysailing.org">www.broadbaysailing.org</a> or mail a standard CBYRA entry form to: Rick Perkins at 620 Reef Key, Virginia Beach, VA 23452. Skippers Meeting on Race Day at 10:00AM in vicinity of Willoughby Harbor Marina Office – First Flag at high noon (12:00). For more details, info, and/or to register, contact Rick Perkins at 757-647-7528.

Congratulations are in order for Gary Bodie, named recipient of the US SAILING

President's Award as well as the Gay Lynn Award for Team Racing. Gary, a member of

Hampton Yacht Club and former Head Coach of the US Olympic Team, has been recognized for his service as
the US representative to ISAF and for his extensive contributions to team racing. Gary is acknowledged as

the man who simplified and organized the team-racing playbook. He is credited with having made team racing a popular form of competitive racing that continues to grow and prosper. Gary was announced as recipient of the Gay Lynn Award for Team Racing in early October at the Hinman Regatta (US Team Racing Championships). The US Sailing President's Award was announced just last week at the US Sailing Annual General Meeting in Captiva, FL. CONGRATLATIONS, Gary Bodie!

TALL SHIP COMING FOR VISIT. Thursday, November 7, 2013 the unique and majestic 99-year old Norwegian tall sailing ship *HNoMS Statsraad Lehmkuhl* is scheduled to arrive at approximately 8am in Downtown Norfolk, docking at Otter Berth next to Waterside. The ship will depart around noon on Monday, November 11, 2013. Arrival and departure times are approximate and are subject to change. The public is invited to tour the ship starting Friday, November 8th thru Sunday, November 10th from 10am – 4pm daily. Ship tours are free and open to the public. The *Statsraad Lehmkuhl* is sailed by the Royal NorwegianNaval Academy's first year officer cadets who are participating in leadership training and teambuilding during the trip.

**Watch out for** *DIABLO***! Greg, Carie and Alex Cutter**'s "new to them" Andrews 28 Hull #4 is under a big boat cover in the HYC dry storage area. After a lot of discussions and hand wringing the Cutters decided on the new name, *Diablo*, and logo – look for it to on the boat and on the southern Bay race course this coming Spring.

**FBYC Closing Day Race**: Twenty-two (22) boats took to the water Saturday for one final turn. This was a pursuit race and reports are that the wind built to 15-25 kts out of the SW over the course of the race. Awards were presented to two fleets, spinnaker and non-spinnaker. RESULTS: Spinnaker Fleet (17 boats) – 1. Cheeky Monkey- Paul & Julie Ann Wash; 2. Morningtide - Russ Collins; 3. Nanuq- Glenn Doncaster. Fleet Non-Spinnaker (5 boats):1. Red Sky- Doug Anderson; 2. Juggernaut - Mike Dale.

**FBYC has finalized their Fall Series Scoring** and the PHRF B standings changed from the preliminary standings announced last week to: <u>PHRF B</u> 1.**Bob Fleck**, *Mad Hatter*; 2.**Dennis Hannick**, *Mad Hatter*; 3.**Miles Booth**, *Shenanigan*.

## **COMING IN NOVEMBER:**

Nov 2 Sat	BBSA Willoughby Hot Buttered Rum Race – Rick Perkins, 757.647.7528
Nov 3 Sun	EASTERN STANDARD TIME resumes – 2am
Nov 3 Sun	HYC Frostbite Series #2- Brian Deibler, 757.715.8977
Nov 9 Sat	CCV Awards Party and Year End Bash - Dixon Wilde, 732.814.9170
Nov 10 Sun	HYC Frostbite Series #3- Brian Deibler, 757.715.8977
Nov 11 Mon	VETERANS DAY
Nov 16 Sat	Flt 71/HYC J24 Regatta- Alan Bomar, 757.810.4518
Nov 17 Sun	HYC Frostbite Series #4- Brian Deibler, 757.715.8977

Nov 24 Sun HYC Frostbite Series #5– Brian Deibler, 757.715.8977

Nov 28 Thur THANKSGIVING DAY

**Dec 1 Sun HYC 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Gaboon Race –** Phil Briggs, 757.723.5477

**Movies. Jimmy Schools** shares that the new Robert Redford sailing film, *ALL IS LOST*, will be at the Naro Theatre in Norfolk on November 8<sup>th</sup>. A very realistic story of a solo sailor surviving at sea. The promo says it is scarier than *The Perfect Storm*. And, while not involving sailboats, *CAPTAIN PHILLIPS*, based on the American ship hijacking by Somali Pirates, starring Tom Hanks, is gripping, to say the least. It is showing now almost everywhere. Seeing it on an I-MAX screen adds to the experience.

Cruising Club of Virginia (CCV) Awards Party and Year End Bash. November 9<sup>th</sup>, 7pm – midnight at Hampton Yacht Club. Award presentations, cocktails, heavy hors d'oeuvres, cash bar (free wine and keg beer while supply lasts). Music and dancing with "Aftermath". Ticket costs = \$50 per person. Info, tickets, etc. – call Dixon Wilde 732-814-9170.

Looking for a waterfront dining spot– new, but familiar. The *GRANDVIEW ISLAND GRILL* has opened on the shore of the Bay at Grandview (north Hampton). After a complete rebuilding, the new owners have a delightful, cozy, beautifully located spot. Casual dining (indoors and out), bar, booths and tables, all with views of the Chesapeake Bay. Directions – East on Mercury Blvd, to Fox Hill Road, to Beach Road (through Fox Hill community), to State Park Drive. The Grandview Island Grill is located at the end of State Park Drive on Grandview Island, right on the edge of the Chesapeake Bay. Open 11am to 11pm, serving lunch and dinner daily. (757) 788-8800.

**MURPHY'S LAW:** Yrs Truly, the Racing Beagle, reminds everyone that Halloween is this coming Thursday. The world will be crawlin' with all kinds of ghosties and goblins. Four-legged fur people enjoy costuming up and searching for treats too. Golden retriever Tucker, of the sailing Flowe Family, is already sporting orange and black stripes, going as a tiger (and a test for temporary hair-color)! The Murphster will be disguised as an empty beer tankard, looking for a refill. Ahhhh-ooooo! /S/ Murphy the Racing Beagle, the sailing spirit in us all.

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