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CCV Spring Series continued yesterday (Sunday) with twenty-one (21) boats testing navigational skills and trimming techniques on a middle distance course around fixed marks in Hampton Roads Harbor. As sometimes is true, the grim conditions predicted by weather prognosticators did not happen and sailors had a pleasant day on the course, although the winds were shifty throughout. RESULTS: PHRF A (10 boats) – 1.**Sledd Shelhorse**, *Meridian X* (Farr 400); 2.**Dave Eberwine**, *Sea Star* (J36); 3.**Leroi Lissenden**, *Voodoo 2* (Tripp 38). PHRF B (6 boats) – 1.**Rusty Burshell**, *Cool Change* (J30); 2.**Ben Weeks and Michele Cochran**, *Rumble* (J29); 3.**Bob Archer**, *Bad Habit* (Pearson Flyer). PHRF C (5 boats) – 1.**Carey Hardesty**, *Lona B* (S2 7.9); 2.**Ken Copeland**, *Black Widow* (Irwin 38-1); 3.**Alan Bomar**, *roundabout* (J24). Principal Race Officer – John McCarthy; Signal Boat Captain – Brian Deibler; Official Scorer – John Ritter. **This coming Sunday, May 3, CCV Spring Series, Day 3 (Races 4&5)**, Hampton Roads Harbor, for info contact John McCarthy, 757-850-4225. This will be the final day of racing for the series.

Norfolk Yacht and Country Club (NYCC) hosts Gary Jobson. Sailing notable, Gary Jobson, was the guest speaker at the Annual NYCC Yachting Dinner on Friday evening. More than 100 attendees enjoyed Gary's presentation that covered sailing and racing ranging from far flung cruising venues to America's Cup competition.

Fishing Bay Yacht Club Spring Series gets underway. On Saturday, after a two hour postponement followed by a soaking rain, fourteen (14) boats got in two races to open the action for the series. Last week's racing was abandoned due to lack of breeze. This week the post-race gathering was around the a blazing fire in the clubhouse fireplace. The results for the day are the combined scores of the two races. J70 Class (2 boats) – 1.**Matt Braun**, *E.L.E.*; PHRF A (5 boats) – 1.**Sam Mitchener**, *Double Eagle* (J109); 2.**David Clark**, *Corryvreckan* (J105); 3.**Glenn Doncaster**, *Nanuq* (Sabre 426). PHRF B (3 boats) – 1.**Bob Fleck**, *Mad Hatter* (Olson 911S); 2.**Miles Booth**, *Shanigan* (Tartan 10). PHRF C (2 boats) – 1.**Paul Wash**, *Cheeky Monkey* (S2 7.9). Sherard Cole's *Nutcracker* was the only PHRF Non-Spin boat on the water and John Kalinowski's *Sleigh Ride*, the only Cruising boat. Mike Chesser was the Principal Race Officer. **Spring Series #3 will be May 9th.** For info www.fbyc.net

THIS THURSDAY, APRIL 30TH, LAST DAY OF SOUTHERN BAY RACE WEEK EARLY BIRD ENTRY DISCOUNT. <http://www.yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=1250> or 757-850-4225.

The Rappahannock River Typhoon Class starts Spring racing at RRYC this Wednesday, April 29th.

Southern Bay Racers pounding the highway and waterway to the National Offshore One Design (NOOD) regatta in Annapolis, May 1-3. Southern Bay and beyond racers are heading for the NOOD regatta, taking place this coming weekend in Annapolis. Among those already entered, and most likely on their way, are **Ron Medlin**, *Bash* (J24), **Latane Montague**, *Full Monty* (J70), **Ray Wulff**, *Joint Custody* (J70), **Dan & Gannan Troutman**, *Pied Piper* (J70), **Thomas Bowen**, *Reach Around* (J70); **Paul and Julie Wash**, *Cheeky Monkey* (S27.9), and, **Bob Fleck**, *Horizon* (S2 7.9). Thom Bowen had a Top 10 finish in his class at Charleston Race Week and will be racing in the J70 Class at SBRW. And, Ron Medlin, who also finished in the Top 10 (J24 class) at CRW, will be at SBRW. **NOTE:** SBRW offers **FREE storage to SBRW boats on trailers** between now (Apr 27) and SBRW (May 28) – NOOD racers, for example can drop their boats in Hampton, continue home, and return later in May for SBRW, without towing either way. All rafting and/or hoist use at SBRW regatta headquarters (HYC) as well as nearby secure trailer storage during the regatta is **complimentary**. *Y'all come racing!*
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Henry Amthor and Jesse Falsone teamed up to win their 505 fleet at the *West River Sailing Club Spring Regatta*, in Galesville, MD. Henry said it was a little windy on Saturday and cold. Sunday was fine and they took the top spot with 1-3-2-2. Congratulations!

Month of MAY brings great racing opportunities on the southern Chesapeake Bay – getcha some!

May 1-3	Fri-Sun	Annapolis NOODS
May 2	Sat	OPCYC Yankee Station Series (1)
May 3	Sun	CCV Spring Series, Day 3 (Races 4&5), Hampton Roads Harbor, John McCarthy, 757-850-4225
May 9	Sat	FBYC Spring Series #3 www.fbyc.net
May 10	Sun	MOTHERS DAY
May 16-17	Sat-Sun	<i>Laser Atlantic Coast Championships</i> , at Fishing Bay Yacht Club, www.fbyc.net
May 16-17	Sat-Sun	<i>Sunfish Mid-Atlantic Regional Championship Regatta</i> , USSCA, Hampton, VA, Jonathan Romero (757) 285-6017 or Tim Etherington (757) 690-3178.
May 16	Sat	BBSA Cape Henry Cup, Scott Almond, 757-471-2663
May 16	Sat	YPRCC Spring Regatta
May 22-23	Fri-Sat	HYC Down the Bay Race, Dave McConaughy, 757-870-4475
May 24	Sun	FBYC Spring Series #4 www.fbyc.net
May 25	Mon	MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY
May 28	Thur	Welcome and Check-in SBRW 2015

May 29-31 Fri-Sun Southern Bay Race Week <http://www.yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=1250> or 757-850-4225

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