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## **Southern Bay Racing News You Can Use #986 July 6, 2020**

SBRNYCU is an independent weekly publication of southern Chesapeake Bay racing happenings.

Founded in April, 2000. Lin McCarthy, Editor

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

### **SAIL THIS COMING WEEKEND!**

**Big Boats, Small Boats, and Juniors all have a chance to get their racing game on:**

**\*\*\*Dink Vail Memorial Regatta, July 11<sup>th</sup> - THIS COMING SATURDAY.** (CBYRA # 409) Hosted by Norfolk Yacht & Country Club – Here are the latest updates as well as the link for the official NOR and SAILING INSTRUCTIONS. The race is a middle-distance race with six possible clockwise courses using CCV Harbor Marks for Spinnaker, NS (1HS) & Cruising. Starting horn at 9:30AM south of Y N “1” \$50.00 entry fee covers the non-mandatory Friday evening Skipper’s Meeting in the main Clubhouse at NYCC, regatta picnic buffet reception and awards ceremony at NYCC (1730 Saturday) for the skipper plus 4 crew, free dockage for racing boats at NYCC piers Friday and Saturday nights, and no cost guest access (skipper + 4 crew) to the NYCC facilities (outdoor pool and fitness center) Saturday after the race. Additional crew may attend the picnic and enjoy guest privileges for \$15 per head. **No entries accepted after the end of the Skippers’ Meeting. For NOR, including ENTRY Information, and SI:**  
<https://www.norfolkyacht.com/regattas>

**\*\*\*HYC ANNUAL REGATTA, July 11-12. THIS COMING Saturday & Sunday.** A real drop mark regatta on southern Bay waters. **ON LINE registration is open for Viper 640, Albacore, 505, Hampton One Design, J-24, Lightning, Sonar, and Sunfish classes.** The races will be sailed in the vicinity of Hampton Flats in Hampton Roads Harbor. The racing will start at very “civilized” times - on Saturday at 10am and on Sunday at 12:30pm. All launching, hauling, and trailer storage is provided compliments of host club HYC. Multiple windward-leeward races each day with long/short weather marks and gates to provide appropriate course distances and better racing for all fleets. **For NOTICE OF RACE please click on**  
<http://hamptonyc.com/events/hyc-annual-one-design-regatta-2020/> **TO REGISTER click on**  
<https://theclubspot.com/register/regatta/v814HGG3Jg/class> . Event Chairman – Joe Buczkowski (757) 416-9807 PRO – John McCarthy (757) 850-4225

**\*\*\*NOTE: The HYC Junior Annual Regatta will be run on the same dates, THIS COMING Saturday & Sunday, at the same venue.**  
For Notice of Race click on <http://hamptonyc.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/JUNIOR-Annual-NOR-HYC-2020.pdf> To register for the HYC Junior Regatta click on <https://theclubspot.com/register/regatta/KaPLtnjhHh/class> Regatta Chair – Max Plarr (610) 417-5529

**HAPPY 25<sup>th</sup> BIRTHDAY, SPINSHEET!!!**

**Thank you for 25 Years of being a real friend to Chesapeake Bay sailors!**

**HEY, SAILORS! SPINSHEET MAGAZINE’S JULY ISSUE is up on the website! Click here**

<https://www.spinsheet.com/read-spinsheet-online> to read and share!

**IF you have yet to pick up your 2020 CCV Racing Guide, you may do so this Wednesday, 5 – 6:30pm, July 8<sup>th</sup>, outside the HYC Sailing Center (Hampton Yacht Club, Victoria Blvd and Bridge Street, Hampton, VA). You may also join CCVR at this time. Membership includes a copy of the 2020 CCV Racing Guide.**

**2020 LEO WARDRUP MEMORIAL CAPE CHARLES CUP, August 14-16 2020 . DEADLINE for Early Registration is Friday, JULY 17<sup>th</sup>.** Tim Dull, the event registration coordinator, says that the time is drawing near to get signed up! **Note: after 17 July, late entries will not be able to order any regalia, and may only get a bag (no hat or shirt), and the \$75 entry fee goes up!** Enter now with the ability to still order additional regalia online by 17 July. There is a special \$50 entry fee for any boat and skipper that together have never entered this race before. Race info and ON LINE ENTRY can be found at [www.CCCup.net](http://www.CCCup.net).

**FBYC 4<sup>th</sup> of July Regatta Long Distance Race.** *LUCKY DOG* (skipper John Wake) and *GREY SCOT* (skipper Joe Nelson) tied for 1<sup>st</sup> place in the long distance race, open to boats 24' LOA or under. And, as a further indication of the close racing, *Billy Buff* (skipper Caroline Garrett) and *No Quarter* (skipper Jon Deutsch), tied for 3<sup>rd</sup>. Alex Alvis, race chairman, used the Portsmouth Yardstick D-PN Handicap System for scoring. A total of 7 boats started the race. Racers were invited to BYO postrace cookout fixin's and to utilize the grills and tables and chairs set up to facilitate social distancing. For complete final results click on [https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/20904#\\_newsroom+results](https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/20904#_newsroom+results)

**TOUR OF THE HARBOR CHALLENGE Update:** *Callinectes'* run on July 4<sup>th</sup>, proved a good idea. . .so far. Ben Cuker reported the fastest Corrected time – 1:49:42 – recorded to date for the Challenge. Sailors have until the end of this week, Sunday, July 12<sup>th</sup>, to beat *Callinectes* for the Third Series. So, get out there and get'er done! **Anyone can sail The TOUR THE HARBOR CHALLENGE anytime and as often as desired (record 'em all) and there is NO registration fee.** See the details at <http://hamptonyc.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/Tour-the-Harbor-Procedures-V2.pdf> **THE HARBOR TOUR CHALLENGE continues through the July 26.**

**CCVR MOONLIGHT TRIANGLE, July 18, 2020.** This race will start at CCVR Bay Mark "Y" and finish at CCVR Bay Mark "Q". The first warning will be at 1700 (5:00pm). All PHRF classes (A, B/C, and Non-Spin) as well as Cruising Fleet will be offered a start. PHRF Non-Spin may use two headsails; Cruising Fleet may use only one headsail. The course for each fleet will be signaled on the course board of the Race Committee boat in the starting area. All possible courses are listed in the NOR available at <http://ccvracing.us/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/2020-CCVR-Moonlight-Triangle-Race-NOR.pdf> For info, event chairman – Greg Cutter, 757-439-1281

**Get Your GOBBLE Goin'! The 2020 HOSPICE TURKEY SHOOT REGATTA is ON!** Here are some of the changes. The 25<sup>th</sup> edition of this event has been modified, for this year, to a One Day Event, with racing on Saturday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>. The regatta format will be a pursuit race held on Saturday, 3 October 2020, on the Rappahannock River. No spinnakers will be allowed. There are no land activities planned at present. Slips, moorings and an anchoring area on Carter Creek in Irvington will be available to those boats which choose to come on Friday evening or wish to stay later to enjoy the local surroundings. Water taxi service will not be available. Because the event has been shortened for this year, the registration fee has been reduced to \$55 which includes the popular commemorative hats, T-shirt and skippers' bags. Photos of finishing boats and the awards will be available Plans currently call for the skippers meeting and award ceremony to be conducted electronically. Join your racing cohorts for a good time on the water for a good cause! Additional information, regatta documents, real time entries list, ON LINE REGISTRATION and event contacts are all available at the Hospice Turkey Shoot event website on YachtScoring at <https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=13004>

**MURPHY'S LAW:** *Yours Truly, the Racing Beagle*, earlier this season, was on a wild ride down the Bay in a night race. It was dark and it was chilly – 'long about midnight. The skipper hollers out, "Light! Big ship! Gimme the radio!" Radio in hand, he says, "Vessel to my port – you must turn to starboard 10 degrees." The Reply: "No – you turn". Says the skipper: "I am a sailboat. Turn 10 degrees to starboard." The Reply: "No – you turn." Says the skipper: "I am racing – you must turn." The Reply: "No – you must turn - I am a lighthouse." Ahooo. /S/ *Murphy the Racing Beagle, the sailing spirit in us all.*

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