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Get your Monday morning cup of coffee and click here https://vimeo.com/173178816 to see *Uncharted Waters*. This is a look at the **US Olympic Team** sailors from a close-in perspective as they compete in the trials in hopes of sailing for the USA in Brazil. Sperry and US Sailing teamed up on the film and *Scuttlebutt Sailing News 4618*, *July 6*, *2016 issue*, posted the link. Enjoy!

NEW!! Racing Rules of Sailing, 2017 - 2020 are available at

http://www.sailing.org/tools/documents/WorldSailingRRS20172020-[20946].pdf RRS 2017-2020 will not take effect until January 1, 2017. The current rules remain in effect through December 31, 2016. US Sailing members will receive a free copy of the new rules, probably in the near future.

23rd Annual SCREWPILE LIGHTHOUSE CHALLENGE REGATTA (July 15 through 17) THIS COMING WEEKEND! Thursday, July 14th is check-in at regatta headquarters (Holiday Inn Solomons, Patuxent Concourse). Racing will be Friday, July 15th through Sunday, July 17th. The regatta format offers windward-leeward race courses on Friday and Sunday, with the SPLC Distance Race on Saturday. First warning on Friday is at high noon, while it is at 1030 on Saturday and Sunday For regatta documents, entry list, scratch sheet, ON-LINE registration and lots more click on www.yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=1663 or http://screwpile.net/

18thANNUAL SOUTHERN CHESAPEAKE LEUKEMIA CUP REGATTA. For the 60 boats entered in the 2016 Leukemia Cup, 57 raced and everyone had two days of pleasant sailing conditions. Nine (9) fleets completed 5 races over Saturday and Sunday. Fishing Bay Yacht Club hosted the racers for the event. RESULTS: J70 (7 boats) – 1.Latane Montague, Full Monty; 2.Mike Karn, Inconceivable; 3.Jon Deutsch, No Quarter. PHRF A (7 boats) – 1.Leroi Lissenden, Voodoo 2; 2.Sam Mitchener, Double Eagle; 3.Craig Wright, Afterthought. PHRF B (8 boats) – 1.Bob Fleck, Mad Hatter; 2.Dennis Hannick, Goin'; 3.Austin Powers, Blew By You. PHRF C (4 boats) – 1.William Bomar, Racing Tide; 2.Alan Bomar, roundabout; 3.Paul and Julie Wash, Cheeky Monkey. PHRF Non-Spin (4 boats) – 1.Mike Dale, Juggemaut; 2.James Snowa, Dixie Rose; 3.Alan Johnson, Seeker. Cape Dory Typhoon (4 boats) – 1.Roger Gaby, Cream Puff; 2.Ned Crockett, Ladybug; 3.Stan Coloff, Phantom. Cruising 1 (7 boats) – 1.Robert DeLong, Temptress; 2.Jim Morrison, Pleione; 3.Booty Baker, Klimax. Cruising 2 (9 boats) – 1.Kevin Hartz, Veritas; 2.Mac Ward, Carmella; 3.Tom Martin, Wild Rose. Classics (7 boats) – 1.Dick Cole, Nutcracker; 2.Russ Seltzer, Joie De Vie; 3.Allan Heyward, Ilmatar. Alan Bomar-Event Chairman; Lud Kimbrough-Principal Race Officer. Details at www.yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?elD=1573

Greg and Carie Cutter and Justin and Elizabeth Morris were fleet winners at the Annual HYC Doublehanded Race. The husband and wife teams, Cutter and Morris, won the PHRF fleet and the Sonar fleets respectively. The Briggs Brothers, Scott and Glenn, took Phil Briggs' Feather to a 2nd place finish and Ben Cuker and crew in Callinectes were 3rd in the 6 boat fleet. Among the 3 Sonars racing, Ron Thompson and crew finished 2nd. The racing was in Hampton Roads Harbor on Sunday afternoon. Breezes were moderate, but shifty, requiring the sailors constant attention to sail trim as they navigated the multiple leg course around fixed marks. Race Officers were Rich Wilcox and Catherine Ryan. Complete results will be posted at http://hamptonyc.com/yachting/racing/2015-phrf-racing-results/

2nd ANNUAL WILLOUGHBY CHALLENGE will be hosted by Norfolk Yacht and Country Club Saturday, July 16th. THIS COMING SATURDAY! Two classes (PHRF NS and Cruising) will start off Sewells Point in Hampton Roads and

finish at the mouth of the Lafayette River. The registration fee includes a skippers' reception on Friday, July 15th, a picnic buffet reception and awards ceremony for skippers and crews after the race, free dockage for racing boats at NYCC Friday night and Saturday night, and free access to the NYCC outdoor swimming pool Saturday after the race. Info and online registration at www.norfolkyacht.com under Yachting. *Racing, food, awards, docking and a swimming pool – what's not to like?!!*

Broad Bay Sailing Association (BBSA) turned out 23 boats Saturday morning to race for bragging rights within the club. Boats from the BBSA Little Creek SA and from the BBSA Willoughby Racers groups met in the middle, in neutral waters, off Norfolk's West Ocean View to compete in the inaugural race for the BBSA Broad Bay Sailing Cup. When it came time to tally the group standings, a tie between Willoughby and Little Creek was broken in Willoughby's favor. Willoughby boats had two 1st place finishers to Little Creek's one. FLEET WINNERS WERE: Spinnaker (6 boats) – Mike Veraldi, Quicky (LC); Non-Spinnaker 1 (9 boats) – Ben Ritger, Blew J (WR); Non-Spinnaker 2 (9 boats) – Robert Duncan, Oh Sheet (WR). Principal Race Officer-Scott Almond For complete results click on "BBSA Broad Bay Sailing Cup" at http://www.broadbaysailing.org/racing/index.asp

NEW!! HYC ANNUAL MASTERS RACE now has racing for all ages – young and old, neophites and experienced, whippersnappers and old dogs. No spinnakers, no double headsail rigs, single headsail only. In addition to the **Masters**Fleet (everyone on the boat must be 60 years old or better and the boat must be 10 years old or better), newly added is the
Youngsters Fleet (skippers, crew, and boats can be *any* age). Each fleet will receive appropriate place awards.

However, the winner of the Masters Fleet will receive the **Masters Trophy**. And, the new **Grand Masters Trophy** will be awarded to the Masters Fleet boat with the crew averaging the oldest (and wisest) in age. Free beer, soft drinks, and munchies for racers in the HYC Dockside Lounge after the race. Entry form and fee (\$25 / \$30 for non-USSA members) due by 11:30am on race day. Mail or bring entry to: Race Committee (Tom Brady Masters Race), Hampton Yacht Club, 4707 Victoria Boulevard, Hampton 23669 SKIPPERS MEETING-high noon, HYC lounge, on race day; courses, starting times, and fleet splits (if any) will be announced at this time. Notice of Race available at http://hamptonyc.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/09/HYC-Circulars-Masters-2016.pdf Awards will be presented at the HYC Annual Awards Night on December 6th. Bring crew, family and friends – this is going to be a summer highlight!

SAVE SOME MOOLAH!!! EARLY ENTRY DEADLINE is FRIDAY, JULY 22nd for the *LEO WARDRUP MEMORIAL CAPE CHARLES CUP (LWMCCC) (August 13-14)*. Early enter fee is \$95, but after the 22nd, fee jumps to \$115. And, there is a special entry fee (\$50) for 1st year boats. Easy Online Entry Form https://form.jotform.com/52634636061150 For info, click on www.CCCup.net or call Event Chairman, Randy Goodman at (757) 348-7921.

SUNFISH RACERS – Get ready! The **2016 Mid-Atlantic Sunfish Championship #1** will be sailed in two weeks (Saturday-Sunday, **July 23-24**) right here on the southern Bay. Old Point Comfort Yacht Club at Fort Monroe in Hampton, VA, will host the event. This is a "worlds qualifier" event. Click on https://www.sunfishclass.org/regattas/regatta-details/1594/ for NOR and contacts.

MURPHY'S LAW: Yrs Truly, the Racing Beagle, has petitioned the Olympic Committee to add a Beagle-athon to the event schedule. It would include points for: highest pitched howl, quickest dock dash, longest dock to boat leap, most pieces of line chewed within a time limit, most pats from attending crewmates and, finally, the pole vault (beagle jumps over a pole that is laying on the dock without touching it with any paw.) The Murphster is all in to win the gold! /S/ Murphy the Racing Beagle, the sailing spirit in us all.

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