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Greetings from the Fleet Captain Sail

Welcome to SYC Sailing Activities for 2007. Whether your interests lean toward cruising, or racing, or both, SYC offers a broad spectrum of sailing events that you may enjoy.

The Cruising events are under the leadership of Chris Warner, Cruising Activities Chairman. Cruising events will start in January with the first mini-cruise to Port Madison. There are five such cruises (no racing) for those who simply like to be on the water with friends. However, if you prefer boating after the weather gets a bit warmer, you will not want to miss the weekend Cruise and Snoozes and the Fall Equinox Regatta to Gig Harbor. For extended cruising and adventure, the Commodore's Cruise and the Sunshine Coast Cruise provide the opportunity to visit some favorite Gulf Islands destinations with your friends, as well as some spectacular, but less-visited areas to the north. Both power and sail boaters are invited to these events.

Sailboat Dinners are scheduled for the second Thursday every second month. They feature speakers and topics of interest to sailors; this is a great place to meet other SYC sailors too.

Brian Watkins returns as Racing Activities Chairman for 2007. Distance racers will want to participate in the Tri-Island Series, and buoy racers will want to put both the SOCKS and the Star & Bar Regattas on their calendars. For a great way to end the week, try the Kirkland Friday Night Series. Remember, too, that the Mini-12 Fleet is now 20 boats strong and races on Sundays in the winter and Tuesday evenings in the summer.

2007 is the fourth year that SYC offers a Cruiser/Racer Class for a more relaxed racing experience. The C/R Class will appeal to owners of family-oriented boats that are not competitive for current PHRF racing, but whose owners and crews would like to test their skills against similar boats (lightweight "hotrods" need not apply). Take only the crew that you need to sail your boat and keep your party in the cockpit (although not required) to better enjoy the occasion. Cruiser/Racers can decide whether to use flying sails during the event, and their ratings will be adjusted accordingly. Cruising class handicaps can include adjustments for (e.g.) less-than-optimal sails, roller furling equipment, bottom condition, etc., and the experience of the skipper (for more information, contact Mike Milburn PHRF-NW handicapper); starts will be provided for this class in the Tri-Point Series, Mark Mayer, and Gig Harbor races. Boats with favorable cruising class rating adjustments and with "hiking" crews will owe the fleet a six-pack.

In 2007, the Sailboat Committee will continue to work hard on Race Committee issues. We will be working with other clubs in an effort to educate Race Committee members and interested sailors in some of the finer points of race administration.

Through the efforts of a new Race Administration committee at PIYA, we will be certifying our member's knowledge of race administration and judging. If you have ever wondered about what happens on the upper deck of the Portage Bay, please join us.

The Sailboat Committee Meetings are at 7 P.M. on the first Thursday of each month (excepting May). Whatever your interest in sailing, we want you to come and join in. When you get involved, you will have more fun.

Bruce Campbell
Fleet Captain, Sail

Sailboat Activity Calendar

January

- 6-7 Power/Sail mini cruise:
Port Madison
- 7 Sailboat Committee Mtg.
- 14 Sailboat Dinner

February

- 1 Sailboat Committee Mtg.
- 8 Sailboat Dinner

March

- 1 Sailboat Committee Mtg.
- 14 Sailboat Dinner
- 24-25 Power/Sail mini cruise:
Gig Harbor

April

- 5 Sailboat Committee Mtg.
- 12 Sailboat Dinner
- 21-22 Protection Island/Double Bluff
(Tri-Island Race #1)
- 21-22 Power/Sail mini cruise:
Port Ludlow
- 28 SYC Jack and Jill

May

- 5 Opening Day
- 6 Mark Mayer Race (Sunday)
- 10 Sailboat Committee Mtg.
- 12 Vashon Island / Pt. Robinson
(Tri-Island Race #2)
- 19-20 SOCKS Regatta
- 19-20 Power/Sail mini cruise:
Poulsbo Viking Fest

June

- 2 Blake Island
(Tri-Island Race #3)
- 7 Sailboat Committee Mtg.
- 8 Anthony's/SYC Race Series
(Friday nights 6/8 through
8/24; no race June 29)
- 9 Leukemia Cup
- 14 Sailboat Dinner
- 23-24 SYC Cruise 'n Snooze A/B

July

- *** (No Sailboat meeting or
Sailboat dinner in July)
- 23-28 Commodore's Cruise
- 7/29-8/4 Sunshine Coast Cruise

August

- *** (No Sailboat meeting or
Sailboat dinner in August)
- 24 Last Anthony's/SYC race
- 18-19 NW Junior Olympics

September

- 6 Sailboat Committee Mtg.
- 8-9 Cruise 'n Snooze C/D
- 13 Sailboat Dinner
- 15-16 Star & Bar Regatta
- 22-23 Fall Equinox Regatta

October

- 4 Sailboat Committee Mtg.
- 5 SYC Annual Meeting
- 11 Sailboat Dinner
- 27-28 Seattle Big Boat Series

November

- 1 Sailboat Committee Mtg.
- 2-4 Grand Prix Invitational Regatta
- 8 Sailboat Dinner
- 16 Sailboat Awards Banquet

December

- 7 Sailboat Committee Mtg.
- 13 Power/Sail Gift Exchange

Race Registration Procedure

Online Registration

Online race registration is available at the SYC race registration website. You can click on the link from the front page of the SYC website (www.seattleyachtclub.org) or go directly to the registration site at <http://www.seattleyachtclub.org/registersail>. The site is secure for credit card transactions.

Entry Forms

Race entry forms are available at the SYC Portage Bay Club House front desk. Please return your completed form with entry fees to the attention of the Sailing Office at the Seattle Yacht Club.

Deadlines

Registrations must be submitted online or received by the Seattle Yacht Club at the main clubhouse by close of business (normally 1730 hours) on the entry deadline for each race. The deadline is typically the Wednesday preceding the race unless otherwise indicated in the Notice of Race. Registrations received after the deadline will be assessed a \$20 late fee.

Cancellations

To withdraw, please call the SYC Sailing Director. See below for contact information.

Season Fee Package

A season fee of \$195 is available for SYC Jack & Jill, Tri-Island Series, Mark Mayer, and Star & Bar. The deadline for getting a season fee is the deadline for the first race included in the package. Contact the SYC Sailing Director to receive your individual pass code with which to register for each race online. **REGISTRATION FOR EACH RACE IS STILL REQUIRED.** Race registration deadlines and late fees apply.

Contact

For questions, comments, season packages, or cancellations, please call or e-mail the SYC Sailing Director, Brian Ledbetter, in the SYC Sailing Office. Phone: 206.328.7009. Fax: 206.324.8784. E-mail: brianl@seattleyachtclub.org

Registration Checklist

Date	Event	Cruiser/ Racer	Fee	Deadline	Enter
April 21-22	Tri-Island #1: Protection Island	Yes	\$45 ^{1,2}	April 18	<input type="checkbox"/>
April 28	SYC Jack and Jill	No	\$30 ¹	April 25	<input type="checkbox"/>
May 6	Mark Mayer	Yes	no fee	none	<input type="checkbox"/>
May 12	Tri-Island #2: Vashon Island	Yes	\$45 ^{1,2}	May 9	<input type="checkbox"/>
May 19-20	S.O.C.K.S. Junior Single-handed Single-handed Double-handed Keelboat	No	\$25 \$40 \$50 \$60	May 16	<input type="checkbox"/>
June 2	Tri-Island #3: Blake Island	Yes	\$45 ^{1,2}	May 30	<input type="checkbox"/>
June 8 – Aug. 24	Anthony's / SYC Race Series (Friday nights)	No	\$60	June 6	<input type="checkbox"/>
June 9	Leukemia Cup	Yes	\$100	None	<input type="checkbox"/>
June 23-24	Cruise & Snooze A/B	Yes	\$40	June 20	<input type="checkbox"/>
July 23-28	Commodore's Cruise	Yes	TBD	July 18	<input type="checkbox"/>
July 29 – Aug. 4	Sunshine Coast Cruise	Yes	TBD	July 25	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sept. 8-9	Cruise & Snooze C/D	Yes	\$40	Sept. 5	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sept. 15-16	Star & Bar Regatta	No	\$75 ¹	Sept. 12	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sept. 22-23	Fall Equinox Regatta	Yes	\$40	Sept. 19	<input type="checkbox"/>
Oct. 27-28	Seattle Big Boat Series	No	TBD	Oct. 24	<input type="checkbox"/>
Nov. 2-4	Grand Prix Invitational Boats under 30' 30' to 39' 40' and over	No	\$125 \$150 \$175	Oct. 31	<input type="checkbox"/>

¹A season fee for SYC Jack & Jill, the Tri-Island Series, Mark Mayer, and Star & Bar is available for \$195.

²Tri-Island Series registration is available for \$100. Cruiser/Racer Class registration is \$30 for each race or \$60 for the series.

SYC General Notice of Race

A Notice of Race may be amended by the SYC General Notice of Race. To the extent the SYC General Notice of Race conflicts with a Notice of Race, the Notice of Race takes precedence.

1 Rules

- 1.1 Races will be governed by the “rules” as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (“RRS”).
- 1.2 RRS 51 “Moving Ballast” is amended by adding: “A boat rated by PHRF Northwest in consideration of water ballast will be allowed to use water ballast as rated.”
- 1.3 RRS 31.2 is amended by adding: “Boats which cause damage to the race committee boat while on station shall be subject to protest by the race committee and shall be liable for any damages.”

2 Eligibility and Entry

- 2.1 To enter an event, entrants must register by entry form at the Seattle Yacht Club or online at www.seattleyachtclub.org/registersail and pay appropriate fees by the registration deadline. Registration after the deadline may be accepted at the discretion of the race organizers and may require an additional late fee.
- 2.2 For boats racing in PHRF-NW classes, it is the responsibility of the entrants to ensure that the correct rating for their boat is listed in the PHRF-NW roster or supplement by 1200 hours on the Wednesday preceding a race. Boats racing without a PHRF-NW certificate will not be scored. No entry fees will be refunded.

3 Safety and Responsibility

- 3.1 Occasionally, sailboat racing has resulted in injury or loss of life. All competitors in SYC events participate entirely at their own risk. The organizing authority, SYC, will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after a race. It is the responsibility of each skipper to competently inform their crew of the risks of sailboat racing, to make sure their crew understands and accepts those risks, to decide whether their crew is competent and their equipment adequate for the event, and to decide whether to start or continue in a race.
- 3.2 Boats must comply with the then current Pacific Internal Yachting Association (PIYA) Special Regulations Governing Minimum Equipment and Accommodation Standards according to the race category requirement specified in the notice of race. The text of the PIYA regulation is available from SYC, other PIYA member yacht clubs, and the PIYA web site at <http://www.ussailing.net/piya>.
- 3.3 Boats must be operated in accordance with the Puget Sound Sailboat Safety Regulations, as available in the SYC Race Book.
- 3.4 Boats must be operated in accordance with the then current US Coast Guard Vessel Traffic Service (VTS) Regulations.

- 3.5 The Race Committee may inspect a boat or its equipment at any time before or after racing for compliance with safety requirements.

4 Time

- 4.1 The official race time shall be the local time, either Pacific Standard Time or Pacific Daylight Time.
- 4.2 Time limits indicated in the Notice of Race are the maximum allowable time from each boat’s starting signal to her finish time, or a time of day. Boats that do not finish within their time limit will be scored DNF.

5 Identification

- 5.1 A boat wishing to use sails with numbers different from her own must notify the SYC Sailing Director by the registration deadline or her time of registration, whichever is later.

6 Changes in Rating

- 6.1 A change in a boat’s rating will take effect on the day it is recorded by the rating agency. Changes are not retroactive. When a boat’s rating changes between races that are part of a series, the boat shall remain in the same class in which she started the series for the remaining races in the series.

7 Scoring

- 7.1 A boat that did not start (DNC, DNS, OCS), did not finish (DNF), retired after starting, retired after finishing (RAF), or is disqualified (DSQ, DNE, DGM, BFD) will be scored the number of finishers plus one. This changes RRS Appendix A4.2 and A9.

8 Sailing Instructions

- 8.1 Sailing Instructions will be available by the Thursday before the race on the SYC web site at <http://www.seattleyachtclub.org> or, if not available on the web site, on the notice board at the SYC Portage Bay clubhouse lower entrance.

SYC Sailboat Racing Program

With events ranging from one-design championships, to the mid-distance and longer-distance Tri-Island races, Seattle Yacht Club actively promotes racing here in the great Northwest. In this section:

- Overview of Sailboat Racing Events
- SYC Protection Island Race
- SYC Jack & Jill Race
- SYC Mark Mayer Regatta
- SYC Vashon Island Race
- SYC S.O.C.K.S. Regatta
- SYC Blake Island Race
- Anthony's / SYC Kirkland Friday Night Series
- SYC Star & Bar Regatta
- SYC Grand Prix Invitational Regatta
- Deception Twelve Class Fleet

Overview of Sailboat Racing Events

Tri-Island Series

The SYC Tri-Island series continues the tradition of offering longer courses to test your stamina and strategic knowledge of Puget Sound. Winning a Tri-Island, or the shorter Tri-Point race, will place your yacht's name on one of the most prestigious trophies in the club. At the end of the series, the club will open its doors to all those who have participated for an awards party. A shorter Cruiser/Racer Class and course will be offered for each race.

Protection Island / Double Bluff

The Protection Island course provides our longest race for the year, with several challenging decision points on the course and the opportunity to experience more wind, waves, and current than normal. The short course to Double Bluff now offers a new destination with new challenges and opportunities. Start off Shilshole, head north toward Admiralty Inlet, round your mark, and finish back at Shilshole.

Vashon Island / Point Robinson

The Vashon Island course is one of the most popular races with several distinct racing phases. Get ahead and go for a breakaway, or if not so fortunate, hope to bring the wind to your competitors waiting at the next corner. The short course to Point Robinson now lets you go a little farther than in previous years and face your decisions from a slightly different angle. These tactical courses will take you south with scenic views of Elliott Bay and Mt. Rainier.

Blake Island

The third race in the series takes the Tri-Island racers around Blake Island. Whether you're testing your mettle or rolling the dice, you select which way to round the island.

Jack and Jill

The SYC Jack and Jill race is the lead-off event for the five-race Puget Sound Jack & Jill Series. Each event is sponsored by a different yacht club. Competing in three or more of the races qualifies you for the series overall. The overall award is presented at the SYC awards banquet at the end of the season.

Mark Mayer Regatta

The Mark Mayer Race is coordinated with the Opening Day weekend. The course is just north of the Evergreen Point Bridge on Lake Washington. A post-race party will be held at the SYC clubhouse.

SOCKS One-Design Regatta

The Seattle One-Design, Centerboard, and Keelboat Regatta celebrates tight buoy racing. May is a great month for sailing on Puget Sound with sunshine and consistent wind. Make sure your one-design class is signed up early! Each night will feature a post-race party.

Anthony's / SYC Kirkland Friday Night Series

SYC and co-sponsor Anthony's Homeport host Friday evening racing. This fun series, which begins in June and runs through August, rewards consistency and participation. Sailboats of all types and performance are encouraged. Several PHRF classes and one multi-hull class compete on an around-the-buoy course. First warning is 7:05 pm at a starting line off Kirkland. Awards presentations follow at Anthony's.

Star & Bar Regatta

This two-day regatta tests around-the-buoy racing skills, with September providing a good chance for dependable wind and warm weather on the last weekend of the summer. Classes for both one-design and PHRF will be available. Post-race parties at Shilshole each day after racing.

Grand Prix Invitational

The season's racing activities culminate with the 30th Annual Grand Prix Invitational Regatta. Boats must qualify for this prestigious invitation-only event. Qualification criteria can be found in the Notice of Race. You have several chances to qualify, so get out there and give it a shot. The Grand Prix puts a premium on all aspects of racing by featuring both buoy and distance racing over a three-day period with parties every evening. What a great way to wrap up the racing season!

Notice of Race SYC Protection Island Race

Date: April 21, 2007 (Saturday)

Location: Northern Puget Sound, Admiralty Inlet, and Straits of Juan de Fuca. The start and finish will be in Shilshole Bay in the area between Meadow Point and the Shilshole Bay Approach Buoy.

Course:

- Long Course: Start by leaving the start mark to port, round Protection Island to starboard, and finish leaving the finish mark to port.
- Short Course: (Open to boats rating 75 and slower) Start by leaving the start mark to port, round the buoy off Double Bluff to port, and finish by leaving the finish mark to port.
- Cruiser/Racer Course: Start by leaving the start mark to port, round a temporary mark located off Edmonds at approximately 47° 53.0' N, 122° 24.0' W (47.88N 122.40W) to port, and finish leaving the finish mark to port.

Time of First Warning: 0900 hours

Time Limits:

- Long Course: 30 hours
- Short Course: 12 hours
- Cruiser/Racer Course: 8 hours

Classes to Race: PHRF-NW classes, including a Cruiser/Racer Class.

Safety Requirement:

- Long Course: PIYA Category II
- Short Course: PIYA Category III
- Cruiser/Racer Course: PIYA Category III

Other Provisions:

- Notice of Race amended by the SYC General Notice of Race.
- The Short Course is available to boats rating 75 and slower.
- A shortened course option will be available for boats that take their time at their rounding mark. Boats using the shortened course option will be considered finishers and will be scored in class and overall based on their time and the distance for the shortened course starting immediately behind boats finishing the full course.
- This race is part of the SYC Tri-Island Series. There will be no scoring exclusions for the series. This changes RRS A2.

Awards: 1st place overall on each course. For the SYC Tri-Island Series, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd overall per course and 1st in class. Awards will be presented at the awards party, noted below.

Social Activities: Participants are welcome to gather post-race at the CYC clubhouse bar for a little "Lying and Bragging." The Tri-Island Series awards party will be held at the SYC Portage Bay clubhouse on Saturday, June 2, at 1900 hours.

Registration Deadline: April 18, 2007 (Wednesday)

Registration Fee:

- \$45 (or \$100 for SYC Tri-Island / Tri-Point Series)
- Cruiser/Racer Class entry \$30 (or \$60 for the series)

Event Chairpersons:

- Phil Calvert, 206-910-7977, phil.calvert@comcast.net
- Mike Milburn, 206-780-2525, milburn69802@msn.com

Notice of Race SYC Jack & Jill Race

Date: April 28, 2007 (Saturday)

Location: Puget Sound in the vicinity of Shilshole Bay. The start will be in Shilshole Bay in the area between Meadow Point and the Shilshole Bay Approach Buoy.

Course: The courses will be as designated in the Sailing Instructions.

Skipper's Meeting: 1030 hours at CYC Shilshole clubhouse

Time of First Warning: 1200 hours

Time Limit: The time limit will be defined in the Sailing Instructions and will not exceed 6 hours.

Classes to Race: PHRF-NW classes. There will be a flying sails class and a non-flying sails class. You may decide your class at the skippers meeting. This allows you to decide whether you would like to fly your spinnaker depending on the wind strength the day of the race. Final class breaks will be determined at the skippers meeting.

Safety Requirement: PIYA Category III

Other Provisions:

- Notice of Race amended by the SYC General Notice of Race.
- Two crew, one male and one female, are required. Children 12 or under are allowed on board, but may not help.
- No auto pilots or wind vanes are allowed.
- All crew must wear a USCG certified personal flotation device while racing.

Awards: 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in class

Social Activities: All competitors are invited to attend the awards presentation at the SYC Port Madison Outstation after racing.

Registration Deadline: April 25, 2007 (Wednesday)

Registration Fee: \$30

Event Chairperson: Brian Watkins, 206-276-1445, brianw@avanade.com

Notice of Race SYC Mark Mayer Regatta

Date: May 6, 2007 (Sunday)

Location: Lake Washington in the vicinity of Sand Point. The start and finish will be in the area between Webster Point, Hunts Point, and Sand Point.

Course: One buoy race will be sailed. The courses will be as designated in the Sailing Instructions.

Time of First Warning: 1200 hours

Time Limit: 2 hours

Classes to Race: PHRF-NW and Cruiser/Racer Class

Safety Requirement: US Coast Guard regulations

Other Provisions: Notice of Race amended by the SYC General Notice of Race.

Awards: 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in class

Social Activities: Party on Dock 0 following return to dock.

Registration Deadline: May 2, 2007 (Wednesday)

Registration Fee: Free

Event Chairperson: Dan Krier, 206-323-2405, dan@marinesc.com

Notice of Race SYC Vashon Island Race

Date: May 12, 2007 (Saturday)

Location: Puget Sound. The start and finish will be in Shilshole Bay in the area between Meadow Point and the Shilshole Bay Approach Buoy.

Course:

- Long Course: Start by leaving the start mark to port, round Maury Island to starboard, round Vashon Island to starboard, and finish leaving the finish mark to port.
- Short Course: (Open to boats rating 75 and slower) Start by leaving the start mark to port, round a temporary buoy immediately north of Point Robinson at approximately 47° 24.0' N, 122° 23.0' W, and finish by leaving the finish mark to port.
- Cruiser/Racer Course: Start by leaving the start mark to port, round Blakely Rocks ("K") to port, round the Duwamish Head Light ("D") to port, and finish by leaving the finish mark to port.

Time of First Warning: 0900 hours

Time Limit:

- Long Course: 19 hours
- Short Course: 12 hours
- Cruiser/Racer Course: 6 hours

Classes to Race: PHRF-NW classes, including a Cruiser/Racer Class.

Safety Requirements:

- Long Courses: PIYA Category II
- Short Course: PIYA Category III
- Cruiser/Racer Course: PIYA Category III

Other Provisions:

- Notice of Race amended by the SYC General Notice of Race.
- The Short Course is available to boats rating 75 and slower.
- This race is part of the SYC Tri-Island Series. There will be no scoring exclusions for the series. This changes RRS A2.

Awards: 1st place overall on each course. For the SYC Tri-Island Series, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd overall per course and 1st in class. Awards will be presented at the awards party, noted below.

Social Activities: Participants are welcome to gather post-race at the CYC clubhouse bar for a little "Lying and Bragging." The Tri-Island Series awards party will be held at the SYC Portage Bay clubhouse on Saturday, June 2, at 1900 hours.

Registration Deadline: May 9, 2007 (Wednesday)

Registration Fee:

- \$45 (or \$100 for SYC Tri-Island Series)
- Cruiser/Racer Class Entry \$30 (or \$60 for the series)

Event Chairpersons:

- Phil Calvert, 206-910-7977, phil.calvert@comcast.net
- Mike Milburn, 206-780-2525, milburn69802@msn.com

Notice of Race SYC S.O.C.K.S. Regatta

(Seattle One-Design, Centerboard, and Keelboat Series)

Dates: May 19-20, 2007 (Saturday and Sunday)

Location: Puget Sound in the vicinity of Shilshole Bay

Course: Multiple buoy races may be sailed each day. The courses will be as designated in the Sailing Instructions.

Skipper's Meeting: 0930 hours at CYC Shilshole clubhouse (Saturday only).

Time of First Warning:

- Saturday: 1100 hours
- Sunday: 1030 hours

Time Limit: The time limit will be defined in the Sailing Instructions and will not exceed 2 hours per race.

Classes to Race: One design classes, as follows:

- Keelboat classes may include Melges 24, J-24, J-22, Thunderbird, Star, Santana 20, Olson 30, Hobie 33, Etchells, Holder 20, San Juan 24, and other keelboat classes 36 feet and under with a minimum of 7 boats registered.
- Centerboard classes may include Tasar, Laser, Laser Radial, International 14, 49er, Lido, Thistle, Europe Dinghy, Finn, Byte, and other centerboard classes with a minimum of 5 boats registered.

Safety Requirement: One-design class rules and US Coast Guard regulations.

Other Provisions: Notice of Race amended by the SYC General Notice of Race.

Awards: 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in class

Social Activities: Party on Saturday and awards on Sunday at the CYC Shilshole clubhouse after racing.

Registration Deadline: May 16, 2007 (Wednesday)

Registration Fee:

Junior single-handed (age < 18): \$25

Single-handed: \$40

Double-handed: \$50

Keelboat: \$60

Event Chairperson: Brian Watkins, 206-276-1445, brianw@avanade.com

Notice of Race SYC Blake Island Race

Date: June 2, 2007 (Saturday)

Location: Puget Sound. The start and finish will be in Shilshole Bay in the area between Meadow Point and the Shilshole Bay Approach Buoy.

Course:

- Long Course: Start by leaving the starting mark to port, round Blake Island to port or starboard, and finish leaving the finishing mark to port.
- Short Course: Same as Long Course.
- Racer/Cruiser Course: Same as Long Course, however, if the Race Committee displays flag "S" at the warning signal, start by leaving the start mark to port, round Decatur Reef Lighted Buoy 2 off Restoration Point (LL #16835) to port, and finish leaving the finishing mark to port.

Time of First Warning: 0900 hours

Time Limits:

- Long Course: 8 hours
- Short Course: 8 hours
- Cruiser/Racer Class course: 6 hours

Classes to Race: PHRF-NW classes, including a Cruiser/Racer Class.

Safety Requirement: PIYA Category III

Other Provisions:

- Notice of Race amended by the SYC General Notice of Race.
- The Short Course is available to boats rating 75 and slower.
- This race is part of the SYC Tri-Island Series. There will be no scoring exclusions for the series. This changes RRS A2.

Awards: 1st place overall on each course. For the SYC Tri-Island Series, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd overall per course and 1st in class. Awards will be presented at the awards party, noted below.

Social Activities: The Tri-Island Series awards party will be held at the SYC Portage Bay clubhouse on Saturday, June 2, at 1900 hours.

Registration Deadline: May 30, 2007 (Wednesday)

Registration Fee:

- \$45 (or \$100 for SYC Tri-Island Series)
- Cruiser/Racer Class Entry \$30 (or \$60 for the series)

Event Chairpersons:

- Phil Calvert, 206-910-7977, phil.calvert@comcast.net
- Mike Milburn, 206-780-2525, milburn69802@msn.com

Notice of Race Anthony's / SYC Kirkland Friday Night Series

Dates: June 8, 2007, through August 24, 2007 (Friday evenings). No race June 29.

Location: Lake Washington in the vicinity of Moss Bay. The start and finish will be off the Kirkland waterfront.

Course: The course will be as designated in the Sailing Instructions.

Time of First Warning: 1905 hours each day

Time Limit: 2 hours for each race

Classes to Race: PHRF-NW classes

Safety Requirement: US Coast Guard regulations

Other Provisions:

- Notice of Race amended by the SYC General Notice of Race.
- RRS 60.1 "Right to protest and request redress" will be deleted. Boats that may have broken a rule in RRS Part 2 are still required to comply with RRS 44.1 "Taking a Penalty" and 44.2 "Two-Turns Penalty."
- Series scoring will use a high point system.
- Registration will be available through Anthony's Kirkland location. There is no additional fee for late registration.

Awards: Please join us in the Kirkland Anthony's lounge following each night's race for a video and awards ceremony.

Registration Deadline: June 6, 2007 (Wednesday)

Registration Fee: \$60

Event Chairpersons:

- Michael Hendrick, 206-948-5455, mike@hendrick.net
- Chris Hofius, 206-817-8006, sunsailor21@hotmail.com

Notice of Race SYC Star & Bar Regatta

Date: September 15-16, 2007 (Saturday and Sunday)

Location: Puget Sound in the vicinity of Shilshole Bay and the area north of Meadow Point.

Course: Up to four buoy races may be sailed each day. The courses will be as designated in the Sailing Instructions.

Time of First Warning: 1000 hours each day

Time Limit: The time limit will be defined in the Sailing Instructions and will not exceed 2 hours per race.

Classes to Race: PHRF-NW and one-design keelboat classes

Safety Requirement: PIYA Category III for PHRF-NW classes, applicable one-design rules, and US Coast Guard regulations.

Other Provisions: Notice of Race amended by the SYC General Notice of Race.

Awards: 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in class

Social Activities: Parties after each day of racing at CYC Shilshole clubhouse.

Registration Deadline: September 12, 2007 (Wednesday)

Registration Fee: \$75

Event Chairperson: Brian Watkins, 206-276-1445, brianw@avanade.com

Notice of Race SYC Grand Prix Invitational Regatta

Dates: November 2-4, 2007 (Friday, Saturday, and Sunday)

Location: Puget Sound. The start and finish of each race will be in the vicinity of Shilshole Bay and the area north of Meadow Point.

Course: One or more buoy or mid-distance races may be sailed each day. The courses will be as designated in the Sailing Instructions.

Time of First Warning:

- Friday: 1330 hours
- Saturday and Sunday: 1000 hours

Time Limit: The time limit will be defined in the Sailing Instructions and will not exceed 8 hours per race.

Classes to Race: PHRF-NW classes

Safety Requirement: PIYA Category III

Other Provisions:

- Notice of Race amended by the SYC General Notice of Race.
- Only boats that qualify and are invited, at the discretion of the event chairpersons, will be eligible to register and compete. Boats may qualify based on their performance in selected races in the prior year. For more information, see the Qualifying Events section, below. Boats may also qualify at the discretion of the event chairpersons.
- Permanent trophy recognition will be awarded for accomplishments in each class, instead of classes and divisions.
- The race committee will have on-the-water discretion to run one or more races each day according to conditions.

Awards: 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in class

Social Activities: There will be parties after racing on Friday and Saturday at the CYC Shilshole clubhouse. The awards party will be after racing on Sunday at the SYC Portage Bay clubhouse.

Registration Deadline: October 31, 2007 (Wednesday)

Registration Fee:

- Less than 30': \$125
- 30' to 39': \$150
- 40' and over: \$175

Event Chairperson: Roger Pawley, 425-827-3965, sailrap@msn.com

Qualifying Events:

Seattle Yacht Club Events (1st, 2nd or 3rd in class)

- SYC Protection Island/Double Bluff
- SYC Blake Island
- SYC Vashon Island/Point Robinson
- SYC SOCKS Regatta (Keelboats)
- SYC Jack & Jill
- SYC Star & Bar Regatta
- SYC Grand Prix (prior year)

Other PIYA Events (1st, 2nd, and 3rd in class)

- SSSS South Sound Series
- CYC Center Sound Series
- WVYC Southern Straits
- RVYC Swiftsure
- Swiftsure Lightship Classic
- Cape Flattery
- Unlimited Flattery
- Juan de Fuca
- Unlimited Juan de Fuca
- Whidbey Island Race Week
- Van Isle 360 / SIN

Other PIYA Events (1st in class)

- TYC Vashon Island
- DYC Duwamish Head
- OYC Toliva Shoal
- GHYC Islands Race
- STYC Blakely Rock Benefit Race
- CYC Blakely Rock
- CYC Possession Point
- CYC Pully Point
- CYC PSSR
- SNSYC RIPS Canadian Race Week
- CYC PSSC
- CYCE Foul Weather Bluff
- OIYC Round the County
- RVYC Thrash Regatta
- SBYC Trans-Puget
- AYC Windermere Cup
- BYC PITCH
- VARC Opener Regatta
- VARC Closer Regatta (prior year)

Deception Twelve Class Fleet

SYC Deception Class 2007 Race Calendar

Date	Day	Time	Event	Committee
NOVEMBER 2006				
11/5/2006	Sunday	1:00	Early Winter Series 1	USA 6
11/12/2006	Sunday	1:00	Early Winter Series 2	USA 7
11/17/2006	Friday	5:30	SYC Annual Sailboat Awards Banquet	
11/19/2006	Sunday	1:00	Early Winter Series 3	USA 8
11/26/2006	Sunday	1:00	Early Winter Series 4	USA 9
DECEMBER 2006				
12/3/2006	Sunday	1:00	Early Winter Series 5	USA 10
12/10/2006	Sunday	1:00	Early Winter Series 6	USA 11
JANUARY 2007				
1/7/2007	Sunday	1:00	Winter Series 1 *OA 2007 Counter Series	USA 12
1/14/2007	Sunday	1:00	Winter Series 2	USA 13
1/21/2007	Sunday	1:00	Winter Series 3	USA 14
1/28/2007	Sunday	1:00	Winter Series 4	USA 15
FEBRUARY 2007				
2/4/2007	Sunday	1:00	Winter Series 5	USA 16
2/11/2007	Sunday	1:00	Fun Race TBD	USA 17
2/18/2007	Sunday	1:00	Optional Team / Match Race	
2/25/2007	Sunday	1:00	Optional Team / Match Race	
MARCH 2007				
3/4/2007	Sunday	1:00	Early Spring Series 1 *OA 2007 Counter Series	USA 18
3/11/2007	Sunday	1:00	Early Spring Series 2	USA 19
3/18/2007	Sunday	1:00	Early Spring Series 3	USA 20
3/25/2007	Sunday	1:00	Early Spring Series 4	USA 21
APRIL 2007				
4/1/2007	Sunday	1:00	Early Spring Series 5	USA 1
4/15/2007	Sunday	1:00	Fun Race TBD	USA 2
4/17/2007	Tuesday	6:00	Spring Evening Series 1 * OA 2007 Counter Series	USA 3
4/24/2007	Tuesday	6:00	Spring Evening Series 2	USA 4
4/29/2007	Sunday	2:00	Regatta Team Race Practice	

Date	Day	Time	Event	Committee
MAY 2007				
5/1/2007	Tuesday	6:00	Regatta Team Race Practice	
5/3/2007	Thursday	2:00	Opening Day Canadian Exchange Regatta	
5/5/2006	Saturday		Opening Day	
5/8/2007	Tuesday	6:00	Spring Evening Series 3	USA 5
5/15/2007	Tuesday	6:00	Spring Evening Series 4	USA 6
5/22/2007	Tuesday	6:00	Spring Evening Series 5	USA 7
5/29/2007	Tuesday	6:00	Fun Race TBD	USA 8
JUNE 2007				
6/5/2007	Tuesday	6:00	Summer Evening Series 1	USA 9
6/12/2007	Tuesday	6:00	Summer Evening Series 2	USA 10
6/19/2007	Tuesday	6:00	Summer Evening Series 3	USA 11
6/26/2007	Tuesday	6:00	Summer Evening Series 4	USA 12
JULY 2007				
7/10/2007	Tuesday	6:00	Summer Evening Series 5	USA 13
7/17/2007	Tuesday	6:00	Fun Race TBD	USA 14
SEPTEMBER 2007				
9/4/2007	Tuesday	5:00	Fall Series 1 *OA 2007 Counter Series	USA 15
9/11/2007	Tuesday	5:00	Fall Series 2	USA 16
9/18/2007	Tuesday	5:00	Fall Series 2	USA 17
9/25/2007	Tuesday	5:00	Fall Series 4	USA 18
9/30/2007	Sunday	2:00	Fall Series 5	USA 19
OCTOBER 2007				
10/7/2007	Sunday	2:00	Fun Race TBD	USA 20
10/14/2007	Sunday	2:00	Inter-Club Team Race Practice	
10/20-10/21	Sat, Sun	2:00	Inter-Club Team Race Regatta - RVan Hosting at RVic	

SYC Sailboat Cruising Program

Cruising events are for members of Seattle Yacht Club only, except as noted.

- Overview of Sailboat Cruising Events
- Winter and Early Spring Power/Sail Mini-Cruises
- Leukemia Cup
- Cruise & Snoozes 2007
- Commodore's Cruise
- Sunshine Coast Cruise
- Fall Equinox Regatta

Overview of Sailboat Cruising Events

Leukemia Cup

SYC is a proud sponsor of the annual Leukemia Cup Regatta and Poker Run to benefit the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. Last year we had over 80 boats and raised over \$125,000 in the name of the Seattle area boating and sailing community. The auction party had over 300 attendees who enjoyed the food, the rum, the band, and the good deal on boating related auction items.

Cruise & Snoozes 2007

This event keeps growing every year. This time-honored cruising event is ideal for families. With a reverse start and non-flying sails, everyone is guaranteed to have a great time—the racing is optional. Come and enjoy the company of your SYC sailing friends at a casual event June 23/24 and September 8/9.

Commodore's Cruise / Sunshine Coast Cruise

For 2007, both POWER and SAIL boaters are invited to join in these SYC classics.

The Commodore's Cruise starts Monday July 23rd at Henry Island with a giant Greenbox; it ends Saturday the 28th of July after breakfast at Ovens Island. See below for the daily schedule. Cruising captains are Chris and Shawn Otorowski.

The Sunshine Coast Cruise starts on July 29 after the Commodore's Cruise at Ovens Island and ends on the doorstep to Desolation Sound at the SYC outstation on Cortes Island. Weather permitting, we will visit places around the Straits of Georgia not usually seen by SYC'ers. They include Lasqueti Island, Hornby Island, Comox, and Savary Island. Cruise instructions will be presented after the pancake breakfast on the 28th. Cruising captains are Chris Warner and Pam Murray.

Fall Equinox Regatta

Start off from Shilshole and race to Gig Harbor. Spend the night rafted at the SYC Outstation or at a nearby marina harbor and enjoy a barbeque and post race party. Race back to Shilshole the next day. Racing and Cruiser/Racer Class starts will be provided. SYC welcomes members of all yacht clubs to this event.

Winter and Early Spring Power/Sail Mini Cruises

OK boaters here is the POWER/SAIL Mini Cruise schedule for 2007. AI's are encouraged to attend, kids welcome. If there are small craft warnings, the event is cancelled. This is classified semi-official non-event, which means there is no charge for TONS of fun and adventure.

Green box usually starts around 1730. Dinner will either be potluck or at a local restaurant as listed below.

Registration Deadline: For information or to sign up, e-mail or phone Chris Warner by 1600 on the Friday before each cruise.

Chairpersons: Chris Warner and Pam Murray, 206-782-1277, panther@seanet.com

Date	Destination	Dinner
January 6-7	Port Madison	Potluck dinner
January 27-28	Eagle Harbor	Dinner at the Pub or Restaurant at the head of the Marina
March 24-25	Gig Harbor	Potluck dinner
April 21-23	Port Ludlow	Potluck dinner or try the restaurant
May 19-20	Poulsbo (Viking Fest)	Dinner at the Italian Place at the Marina parking lot.

Leukemia Cup

Let's do something extra with our great sport and our good fortune.

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You can participate in many ways, including just by registering and showing up for the regatta, poker run (for fast powerboats), and the huge party and auction after the on-the-water events. By participating, you make the event bigger and more attractive to corporate sponsors and you also help us reach more potential fundraisers and donors. Please consider getting your boat off the dock and participating in this event.

Date: June 9, 2007 (Saturday)

Location and Schedule:

- Skipper's Meeting: SYC Elliott Bay Outstation (0900 – 1100)
- Regatta: Elliott Bay (1200)
- Party: Bell Harbor (1800)

Course: Two laps in Elliott Bay.

Classes to Race: Everyone is welcome to race or cruise.

Safety Requirement: US Coast Guard regulations

Registration Donation: \$125 to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society (includes one party ticket). Additional party tickets \$25.

Registration: Please register with the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society by contacting Kirsten Juul-Music, Campaign Coordinator, at 206-957-4577 or email at juul-musick@lls.org, or register online at <http://www.leukemia-lymphoma.org/wa>

SYC Contacts:

Brian Watkins, 206-276-1445, brianw@avanade.com

Chris Warner, 206-783-5005, panther@seanet.com

Please contact Brian or Chris if you want to make a difference. We're looking for sailboats to enter in the regatta, fast powerboats to go in the poker run, other powerboats to host corporate sponsors, people to come to the party and auction, fundraisers to raise money and help secure auction items and corporate sponsors, and more volunteers to help out. Thank you!

Notice of Race Cruise & Snoozes 2007 (Power boaters encouraged to attend)

This is a great event. Sail over and back. No flying sails. Ratings adjusted to favor slower boats. Inverted starts so you and maybe one other boat start together. Super green box. Potluck dinner where everyone will have more than enough to eat.

Call or email Chris Warner/Pam Murray, 206-782-1277, email panther@seanet.com if you plan to attend. Chris will coordinate the potluck so there is plenty for everyone. Plan on bringing a main dish, salad, veggie or desert for 12 persons.

You must also call the front desk to sign up, 206-325-1000.

Loggers breakfast the next morning.

Race over starts at 1100 on Saturday off the south Shilshole mooring buoy. Pick up race instructions and starting times from the committee boat. Race back starts at 1200 on Sunday. Green box 1730, potluck dinner 1900. Breakfast Sunday at 0800.

Date:

- Races A/B (Saturday/Sunday): June 23-24, 2007
- Races C/D (Saturday/Sunday): September 8-9, 2007

Location: Puget Sound in the vicinity of Shilshole Bay. For Saturday races, the start will be off the Shilshole south entrance. For Sunday races, the start will be off Point Monroe.

Course: The courses will be posted on the Race Committee boat. Mark locations can be found on the Puget Sound Course Map in the back of the SYC Race Book.

Time of First Warning:

- Races A and C (Saturdays): 1100 hours
- Races B and D (Sundays): 1200 hours

Time Limit: Time of day of 1700 hours each day

Classes to Race: PHRF-NW, including Cruiser/Racer Class.

Safety Requirement: PIYA Category III

Other Provisions:

- Notice of Race amended by the SYC General Notice of Race.
- You do not need a PHRF-NW rating to race. Performance handicaps will be assigned for this event as necessary.
- No spinnakers or other flying sails may be used. Only one working sail may be flown on its stay at any time, except during sail changes.
- All races will be reverse start.
- SYC members only event.

Awards: Special awards will be made at the conclusion of each Saturday race. Recipients will be selected by the Race Committee. The Cruise & Snooze Cannon Trophy will be awarded to the series overall winner along with plaques for class.

Social Activities: A greenbox party will commence at 1700 on Saturday after racing. Dinner will follow at 1830. Main course is provided. When you sign up to attend, please let the front desk know whether you will bring a salad or a dessert for twelve people. A logger's breakfast will be served at 0800 on Sunday morning.

Registration Deadline:

- Races A/B: June 20, 2007 (Wednesday)
- Races C/D: September 5, 2007 (Wednesday)

Registration Fee: \$40 for A/B, \$40 for C/D. The fee provides for two adults per boat; a \$10 fee applies for each additional adult on board. No charge for children.

Event Chairpersons: Chris Warner/Pam Murray, 206-782-1277, panther@seanet.com

Commodore's Cruise

The Commodore's Cruise is a POWER and SAIL event! TONS of FUN! Cruising captains are Chris and Shawn Otorowski.

The Commodore's Cruise starts Monday July 23rd at Henry Island with a giant Greenbox; it ends Saturday the 28th of July after breakfast at Ovens Island. Always Greenboxes. The schedule is as follows:

- Monday 7/23: Giant Greenbox at Henry Island outstation 1730, schedule and event instructions handed out.
- Tuesday 7/24: Race to Sidney, moor at the Sidney Marina, HUGE Greenbox on the dock.
- Wednesday 7/25: Race to Ganges, moor at the outstation. Greenbox on the dock.
- Thursday 7/26: Layday, form a Star Raft in Montague Harbor, Party ON!!
- Friday 7/27: Race to Ovens. Award ceremony!!! Barbeque!!! Prizes!!!
- Saturday 7/28: Lead Sinker pancake breakfast. Cruise ends

Registration: Contact the Front Desk at SYC.

Chairpersons: Chris and Shawn Otorowski. Phone: 206-842-1000, email: SplshTango@aol.com

Sunshine Coast Cruise

This is a Sail and Power event. Anchorages selected will be weather dependent and large enough to accommodate all boats safely. You should be prepared to anchor in 10 fathoms of water. We will raft as much as we can.

The Sunshine Coast Cruise starts after the Commodore's Cruise at Ovens Island and ends on the doorstep to Desolation Sound at the SYC outstation on Cortes Island. Weather permitting, we will visit places around the Straits of Georgia not usually seen by SYC'ers. They include Lasqueti Island, Hornby Island, Comox, and Savary Island. If you have guests arriving or departing, locations with scheduled commercial air service are Nanaimo and Comox. Cruise instructions will be presented after the pancake breakfast on the 28th.

The actual cruising schedule is weather dependent. The cruise starts on July 29th and proceeds more or less as follows:

- Day One, 7/29: Depart Ovens Island for Nanaimo on Sunday July 29th and catch the slack water at Dodd Narrows at about 10:15 a.m. Arrive Nanaimo and anchor, Green Box aboard PANTHER.
- Day Two, 7/30: Depart Nanaimo for Lasqueti, anchor at False Bay or the NE side of the Island at Boho Bay. Explore Lasqueti. Green Box.
- Days Three and Four, 7/31-8/1: Depart Lasqueti for Tribune Bay on Hornby Island. Anchor, swim, hit the white sand beach a mile wide, great hiking and exploring. Green Boxes.
- Day Five, 8/2: Depart Hornby for Comox via Baynes Sound. Stay at the Comox Marina. This is a working fishing harbor. Reservations will be made for dinner in town at the Italian place near the marina. Great food reasonable prices. Explore Comox.
- Day Six, 8/3: Depart Comox for the north side of Savary Island, weather permitting. Green Box.
- Day Seven, 8/4: Depart Savary for the Cortes Outstation, last Green Box.

Registration: Contact the Front Desk at SYC.

Chairpersons: Chris Warner and Pam Murray, 206-782-1277 cell or panther@seanet.com

Notice of Race Fall Equinox Regatta

The SYC Fall Equinox Regatta, previously organized by Bill Heylman, known as the Port Ludlow Regatta and more recently the Gig Harbor Regatta, features Saturday racing from Shilshole to Gig Harbor or another nearby destination, an overnight anchor/raft, group activities, and racing back to Shilshole on Sunday. Time limits are set to get in plenty of sailing and enjoy the Saturday party and potluck barbeque. Racing, cruising, flying sails, non-flying sails, and short-handed boats are encouraged to participate. The Fall Equinox Regatta is open to boats from all yacht clubs.

Dates: September 22-23, 2007 (Saturday and Sunday)

Location: Puget Sound. The start on Saturday will be off West Point.

Courses: The courses will be as designated in the Sailing Instructions.

Time of First Warning:

- Saturday: 0900 hours
- Sunday: 1000 hours

Time Limit: 8 hours each day, or less if specified in Sailing Instructions

Classes to Race: PHRF-NW classes, including Cruiser/Racer Class.

Safety Requirement: PIYA Category III

Other Provisions:

- Notice of Race amended by the SYC General Notice of Race.
- SYC welcomes members of all yacht clubs to this event.

Awards: Awards will be presented Saturday evening for that day's race. Awards for the regatta will be for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd in class.

Social Activities: There will be a party after the racing on Saturday. Sailors should bring hors d'oeuvres or side dishes, yarns, stories, songs, or poems to share. A potluck dinner will follow at roughly 1800 hours.

Registration Deadline: September 19, 2007 (Wednesday)

Registration Fee: \$40 per boat.

Event Chairperson: Paul Walchenbach, 206-948-7095, pjwalch@sprynet.com

SYC Junior Sailing Program

The Junior Racing Team looks to continue its impressive accomplishments in 2007. With our previous year's team reaching national and in some cases world-level events, 2007's team looks to continue this level of achievement. The team has goals of placing members in the various US National Junior Championships, as well as in some cases pursuit of World events, and of course continued success in our regional competition, the Northwest Youth Racing Circuit. The team will continue to represent SYC and fly the burgee in junior events throughout North America and abroad, competing against the best junior sailors in the country and the world.

2007 Northwest Youth Race Circuit

Regatta	Location	Date	Contact	Yacht Club
Kitten Cup	Vancouver, BC	April 28-29	Kevin Black sail_dir@royalvan.com	RVanYC
Ski to Sea	Bellingham, WA	May 19-20	Ashley Hamilton juniorsailing@byc.org	BYC
Vancouver Lake	Vancouver, WA	June 16-17	Dean Runyan runyan@easystreet.com Sue Drake drakefam@aol.com	WSC / VLSC
Wind Regatta	Cascade Locks, OR	July 28-29	Jan Visser jan@ussailing.net	CGRA
Junior Olympics / Optimist Pacific Coast Championships	Cascade Locks, OR	Aug. 18-19	Brian Ledbetter brianl@seattleyachtclub.org	SYC
JAM (Johnny Adams Memorial Regatta)	Port Madison, WA	Sept. 15-16	Kathy Hartmann gkhartmann@gmail.com	PMYC
Octoberfest	Seattle, WA	Oct. 6-7	Jim Lyle jim@lyle.com Jamie Stewart gnsailn@attbi.com	CYC

SYC Summer Sailing School

Seattle Yacht Club's tradition of superior youth sailing instruction continues with our 2007 Summer Sailing School. Our program is taught using the proven US Sailing Small Boat Sailor and Small Boat Racer curriculum, with an emphasis on safety, learning, and of course, fun. We offer a range of classes for students age 7-18 of all ability levels, in both one- and two-week formats. All SYC instructors hold US Sailing instructor, as well as CPR and First Aid certifications. Our professional sailing staff is enthusiastically looking forward to the opportunity to continue the development of our returning sailors, and introduce the sport to our new ones!

Registration

SYC Members: Registration for members will be from March 26-28 via fax, mail, or in person. We strongly encourage you to take advantage of this deferential registration period, as our program fills up quickly once registration is opened to non-members. **Member registration and pricing is available to member's children, member's grandchildren, and junior members.** We encourage you to use your SYC membership number for billing purposes.

Non-Members: Open (non-member) registration will be in the Sailing Director's Office at the Seattle Yacht Club on March 29 from 8:30 am until 6:00 pm. Class availability will be on a first-come, first-serve basis for those who register in person. After the 29th, faxed and mailed-in registrations will be accepted, in addition to in-person registrations.

Registration forms and class schedules can be obtained from the SYC Web site at: <http://www.seattleyachtclub.org/Sailboat/Junior/2007WebSailSchoolBrochure.pdf>

Brochures are also available from SYC's Portage Bay Club House, or through the Director of Sailing's Office.

Awards and Recognition for 2006

Thank you and congratulations to all the people who volunteered and competed last year.

In this section:

- 2006 SYC Sailing Program Leadership Team
- Junior Sailing Awards & Trophies 2006
- Senior Sailing Awards & Trophies 2006
- Grand Prix Regatta Awards

2006 SYC Sailing Program Leadership Team

Commodore	Ben Cozadd
Vice Commodore	Jack Sullivan
Rear Commodore	Fred Roed
Sail Fleet Captain	Bruce Campbell
Race Chairman	Brian Watkins
Cruise Chairman	Chris Warner
Sailing Director	Brian Ledbetter
Junior Commodore	Erika Vranizan
Junior Vice Commodore	Marie Johnson
Junior Rear Commodore	Carlen McKee
Junior Secretary	Wyatt Somogyi
Junior Advisor	Bill Elmer
Race Committee	Mike Bell, Roman Budzianowski, Phil Calvert, Bobbi Campbell, Jen Christenson, Torah Christenson, Bob Crites, Pat Crockett, Laura Cruz, Dave Ferguson, Rhonda Halfman, Doug Hansen, Michael Hendrick, Chris Hofius, Randy Holbrook, Keith Johnson, Denny Johnson, Mike Massa, Larry McCarthy, Joyce McCarthy, Mike Milburn, Roger Pawley, Lyn Pawley, Charlie Pelly, Tom Steele, Paul Thorlakson, Paul Walchenbach
Anthony's Friday Night Race Committee	Michael Hendrick, Chris Hofius
Portage Bay Skippers	Denny Johnson
Judges	Eric Van, Bruce Campbell, Larry McCarthy, Ed vonWolffersdorf, and Roger Werner

Junior Sailing Awards & Trophies 2006

Bill Burdick Trophy	Junior Sailor of the Year	Michael Schalka
Brent Nichols Trophy	Outstanding Sportsmanship / Inspirational Sailor	Katy Cenname
Ernest Gann Award	Outstanding Junior Sailing Instructors	Blair Sargent
Captain Lovejoy Trophy	Most Improved Sailor	Stuart Renehan
Northwest Junior Olympic Regatta	Joe Duthie Trophy (Best SYC Female Sailor) Stimson Trophy (Best SYC Male Sailor)	Kate Shaner – Optimist – 5 th out of 47 Michael Schalka – Radial – 1 st out of 38

Senior Sailing Awards & Trophies 2006

Tri-Island / Tri-Point Series	Smith Island Trophy	John Buchan, <i>Glory</i>
	Double Bluff Trophy	Ann Hibbert, <i>Jack Rabbit</i> Will Marken, <i>Sibling Rivalry</i>
	Double Bluff Open Class	Phil Calvert, <i>Runaway</i>
	Pt. Robinson Trophy	Roger Dietz, <i>White Squall</i> Will Marken, <i>Sibling Rivalry</i>
	Pt. Robinson Open Class	Tom Morgenroth, <i>Airloom</i>
	Blake Island Trophy	John Hoag, <i>Snake Eyes</i>
	Blake Island Tri-Point	David Marod, <i>Minor Threat</i> Will Marken, <i>Sibling Rivalry</i>
	Blake Island Open Class	Tom Morgenroth, <i>Airloom</i>
Overall Tri-Island / Tri-Point	Walt Little Trophy	Don Wills, <i>Shoot the Moon</i>
	First President's Trophy	Nate Creitz, <i>3 Ring Circus</i>
	Roaring 40's Trophy	Roger Dietz, <i>White Squall</i>

Grand Prix Invitational	Cadranel Trophy	Rob Flemming, <i>Coruba</i>
	Robert H. Perry Trophy	Gordy Cole, <i>Ballistic</i>
	Charles Ross Trophy	Roger Hills, <i>Finale</i>
	SYC Centennial Trophy	Peter Nelson, <i>Time Warp</i>
	Griffiths Trophy	Pat Denny, <i>Here and Now</i>
	Kennell Windpennant	Nate Creitz, <i>3 Ring Circus</i>
	Invictus Trophy	Jude Stoller, <i>Makika</i>
	Melges 24 NW Champ.	Glenn Klute, <i>Trophy Wife</i>
	SYC J/105 Champ.	Lance McDonough, <i>Sunday Ticket</i>
SYC Jack & Jill	1 st Overall	Kathy Watts and John Hoag, <i>Snake Eyes</i>
S.O.C.K.S. Regatta	J/24	Michael Johnson, <i>Hot Pursuit</i>
	Holder 20	Chris Winnard, <i>Landing Strip</i>
	Etchells	Michael Goldfarb, <i>Goldfarb</i>
	Melges 24	Andy Parker, <i>Mikey</i>
	Santana 20	Andrew Kerr, <i>Disaster Area</i>
	A-Cat	Eric Marshack, <i>sail 197</i>
	505	John Rahn, <i>Ardent</i>
	Star	Bill Buchan, <i>Frolic</i>
	Tasar	Jay Renehan, <i>Real One</i>
	Laser	Dalton Bergen, <i>Loop'd</i>
	Thistle	Daniel Belenky, <i>Royal Oak</i>
	Europe	Jamie Mack, <i>Regrettably for Sale</i>
	Laser Radial	James Johnston, <i>Moon Doggie</i>
	I-14	John Vincze, <i>CAN592</i>
	Ultimate 20	Jeff Bond, <i>Comet</i>
	Hoot	Chris Maas
	Opti	Stewart Renehan, <i>Donzerly Sun</i>

Star & Bar Regatta	PHRF 1	John Buchan, <i>Glory</i>
	Level 73	Brian Watkins, <i>Declaration of Independence</i>
	PHRF 2	John Hoag, <i>Snake Eyes</i>
	PHRF 4	Don Wills, <i>Shoot the Moon</i>
	PHRF 5	Dan Westra, <i>Arturo</i>
	PHRF 6	Chris Winnard, <i>Dangerous When Wet</i>
Deception 12 Fleet	Melges 24	Herb Cole, <i>Judo Chop</i>
	Fleet Championship	Brain/Stoll/Wilson, <i>Three Stooges</i>
	Happy Foot Award	Keith Johnson
Cruise & Snooze Regatta	Spirit Award	Paul Thorlakson
	Racer Division	Jim Marta, <i>Snake Oil</i>
NORPAC	Cruiser/Racer Class	Day Chapin, <i>Oceana</i>
	1 st Overall – Haida Trophy	Susan and Charles Stillman, <i>Gratitude</i>
Gig Harbor Regatta	Flying Sails	Rhonda Halfman, <i>Declaration of Independence</i>
	Non Flying Sails	Roger Werner, <i>Schatzi</i>
Kirkland Friday Night Series	1 st Overall	Craig Burnell, <i>Predator</i>
	2 nd Overall	Joshua Weinstein, <i>B-Fast</i>
	3 rd Overall	Marv Toland, <i>Puttanesca</i>
Six Meter Awards	Sir Thomas Lipton Cup	Roger Phillips, <i>USA 107, Frenzy</i>
	Bill Gooderham 6 Meter North Americans	Eric Jespersen, <i>KC 10, Gallant</i>
	King Olav V Cup	Andy Parker, <i>USA 123 Finnegan</i>
	Wood Lyda Trophy	Roger Phillips, <i>USA 107, Frenzy</i>
Classic 6 Meter Trophy	Kimo Mackey, Mike Jackson, Paul Harrison, <i>US 73, Saga</i>	

Grand Prix Regatta Awards

Whidbey Island Race Week	Xzora Trophy – Best SYC Boat	Brian Watkins, <i>Declaration of Independence</i>
NorthWest Big Boat Series		Colin Booth, <i>Braveheart</i>
Swiftsure Lightship Classic	Endeavor Trophy	<i>Coruba, Icon, Glory</i>
	Division A	John Buchan, <i>Glory</i> , 1, 1, 1 Rob Fleming, <i>Coruba</i> , 2, 2, 2
	Division B	Dick Robbins, <i>Icon</i> , 5th Marda Phelps, <i>Marda Gras</i> , 3 rd
	Division C	Doug Fryer, <i>Night Runner</i> , 4th
Swiftsure Cape Flattery	Division E	Jim Marta, <i>Snake Oil</i> , 4 th
	Division F	Brian Watkins, <i>Declaration of Independence</i> , 1, 1, 1
	Cape Flattery Team Trophy	<i>Declaration of Independence, Snake Oil, Spectre</i>
Cruising Sailboat of the Year	Outstanding Cruising Family	Larry and Maxine Bailey
Ruptured Eardrum Award	Outstanding Race Committee Member	Jill Hendrick and Chris Hofius
Half Vast Award	Unique Yachting Performance	Jack Sullivan
Fleet Captain’s Award		Brian Watkins
Bob Gibbons Trophy	One-Design Sailor of the Year	Beverly Elmer
Lake Union Sailing Trophy	Outstanding Crew Member	PJ and Brad Baker
Golden Potlatch Trophy	Outstanding SYC Cruiser/Racer	Mike Milburn
Kelly O’Neill Henson Memorial Trophy	Best SYC Swiftsure Finish	John Buchan
Bates McKee Memorial Trophy	Sailboat of the Year	John Hoag, <i>Snake Eyes</i>
Marymont Trophy	SYC Sailor of the Year	John Hoag
William W. Heylman Memorial Trophy	Perpetual Sailboat Trophy	Keith Johnson

2006 Makika Coruba Ballistic Finale Sunday Ticket Trophy Wife Time Warp Here & Now Three Ring Circus	Jude Stoller Rob Fleming Gordy Cole Roger Hills Lance McDonough Glenn Klute Peter Nelson Pat Denney Nate Creitz	2000 Elixir Eclipse Coral Reefer	Mike Milburn Brad Butler Dave Dupree
2005 Makika Braveheart	Jude Stoller Colin Booth	1999 Paddywagon Ginny Dragonfly 1998 China Cloud Jubilee Splash Tango 2 Capella	Brian Huse Charles Mottel Patrick McGarry Bill Buchan Bill Burnett Stacey Wilson Sherwood/Powley/ Kubas
Storyville Declaration of Independence Corvo Judo Chop Gaucho	Darrin Towe / John Hoag Brian Watkins Tom Kerr Herb Cole John Cahill	1998 China Cloud Jubilee Splash Tango 2 Capella	Bill Buchan Bill Burnett Stacey Wilson Sherwood/Powley/ Kubas
Percussive Maintenance	Hans Spiller	1997 China Cloud Jubilee Roxanne Kurrewa Hail Merry Hanoman	Bill Buchan Bill Burnett Gordon Stoll Bob Henderson Trevor Hayward Thomas Reese
2004 Coruba Midsummer Gaia Break’n Wind Ginny Eclipse Dragonfly	Rob Fleming Stig Osterberg Bob Riggle Matt MacGregor Charles Mottl Brad Butler Pat McGarry	1996 Casseopia Charisma Showtime Fairwind Francesca	Charles Burnett Roser/Robins Bob Mayfield Putman/Joblonski James Miller
2003 Coruba Midsummer Declaration of Independence Elixir Isabeau Morphine Scooter	Rob Fleming Stig Osterberg Brian Watkins Mike Milburn Carl Freund Brad Butler Mike Wright	Alderbaran Bedford Lass Hanoman	Sherwood/Kubas John Sterry Thomas Reese
2002 Go Dog Go Elixir Dangerous When Wet Sibling Rivalry	Herb Cole Mike Milburn Chris Winnard Will Marken	1995 Cassiopeia War Pig Aldebaran Magic	Charles Burnett Jeff Good Steve Kubas Dave Schutte
2001 Go Dog Go X-S Morphine	Herb Cole Colin Nichols Brad Butler	1994 Oaxaca Aldebaran Choices II Mustang Sally	Gene Twiner Steve Kubas Dave Champion Pryde/Schlitz

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SYC Sailboat Program Officials

Voting Members: Mike Milburn, Brian Watkins, Roger Pawley, Larry McCarthy, Dick Haelsig, Dick Lootens, Steve Scruggs, Frank Heffernan, Keith Johnson, Chris Warner.

2007 Sailboat Committee

Cruise & Snooze	Chris Warner	206.782.1277
Cruising Activities Chair	Chris Warner	206.782.1277
Grand Prix	Roger & Lynn Pawley	425.828.3073
Handicapper-PHRF	Mike Milburn	206.780.2525
Jack & Jill	Brian Watkins	206.276.1445
Judges Certification	Dick Lootens	425.379.8303
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	Chris Hofius	206.817.8006
Leukemia Cup	Brian Watkins	206.276.1445
	Chris Warner	
Marine Traffic and Safety	Keith Johnson	206.772.2341
Mark Mayer	Dan Krier	206.323.2405
Mini 12	Bill Boyeson	
Mini Cruises	Chris Warner	206.782.1277
	Pam Murray	
PHRF Representative	Mike Milburn	206.780.2525
PIYA Representative	Keith Johnson	206.772.2341
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Protest Committee	Frank Heffernan	206.525.4813
Race Book	Randy Holbrook	206.546.3524
Race Committee Chair	Larry McCarthy	425.576.9415

1993	Oaxaca White Lies Elixir	Gene Twiner James Marta Mike Milburn	1990	Jack Rabbit Starfire Impulse	Don Hebard Nelson/ Benjamin Ken & Sandy Robbins Chuck Pepka
	Twinkle White Squall	Alex Kimball Roger Deitz	1989	Snook Teddy Bear Keladi Lady Bug	Erik Bentzen Grey Hawken Ray Fiedler Alan Holt
1992	Oaxaca Mustard Seed Sirius Another Child Rascal	Gene Twiner Stacey Wilson Ken & Joanna Hays Lloyd Mathison Bill Watkins	1988	Sachem Gadzooks Rev	Bill Buchan Willis/Willhite John Thompson
1991	Oaxaca Schuss Wild Turkey The Morgan Tiger Rag	Gene Twiner Ed Webb David Lynch Ken & Sandy Robbins Bill Headden	1987	Bonnie Lucille Flamenca	Badgley/Callaghan Stamper/ Stamper Rocky Goodhope

Racing Activities Chair	Brian Watkins	206.276.1445
Sailboat Dinner Programs	Chris Warner	
Seattle Area Racing Council Representative	Brian Ledbetter	206.328.7009
SOCKS	Brian Watkins	206.276.1445
Star & Bar Regatta	Brian Watkins	206.276.1445
Sunshine Coast Cruise	Chris Warner Pam Murray	206.783.4970
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Tri-Island Series	Phil Calvert Mike Milburn	206.720.5212 206.720.2525
US Sailing Relations	Bruce Campbell	425.454.5838
Web Registrations	Dave Ferguson	425.889.9513

2007 Race Committee

Brian Ledbetter	206-325-1000	Brian Watkins	206.276.1445
Charlie Pelly	425-885-6960	Keith Johnson	206.772.2341
Bobbi Campbell	425-454-5838	Larry McCarthy	425.576.9415
Bruce Campbell	425-454-5838	Lyn Pawley	425.828.3073
Dick Bell	425.486.9535	Pat Crockett	206.354.9127
Paul Thorlakson	425-454-9996	Roger Pawley	425.828.3073
Elizabeth Elmer	206.527.2591	Bob Crites	425-451-0550
Chris Hofius	206.817.8006	Steve Scruggs	425.828.6301
Jennifer Christenson	360.825.2379	Paul Walchenbach	206.948.7095
Phil Calvert	206.720.5212	Mike Milburn	206.780.2525
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2007 Judges

Eric Van	SYC	Bruce Campbell	SYC
Will Anderson	SYC	Roy Gunsolus	SYC
Richard Hatch	RVYC	Keith Johnson	SYC
Joe James	CYC	Fritz Lanzinger	SYC
Richard Lootens	SYC	Andy Mack	SYC
Charlie Macaulay	CYC	Jamie Mack	SYC
Don McCammon		Ken McEwan	CYC
Ken Tucker	CYC	Larry McCarthy	SYC
Ed von Wolfersdorff	CYC	Mike Milburn	SYC
Wayne Balsiger	CYC	Jay Renehan	SYC
		Douglas Stumberger	CYC
		Roger Werner	SYC

Puget Sound Sailboat Safety Regulations

2002 Revision

As adopted by the Shilshole Bay, Sloop Tavern, Corinthian, and Seattle Yacht Clubs

We must share Puget Sound with its commercial traffic, including many deep-water vessels and tows. It is sobering to note that, if your boat is one mile dead-ahead of a freighter coming down the Sound at normal speed, and the freighter's helm is put hard over to avoid you, the freighter's bow will miss you, but her stern will not! Obviously, this implies that early and decisive action is required to keep your boat out of the path of a large oncoming vessel or tow.

1. Yachts must not sail across a tow line, too close ahead, or too close alongside of commercial traffic. Deep water vessels have limited ability to change course and speed. Barges under tow can yaw unexpectedly well out to the side at speeds essentially the same as they are being towed. Yachts should not pass less than one mile ahead and 1/4 mile to the side of large vessels.
2. Rule 10 of the International and Inland Rules to Prevent Collisions at Sea (COLREGS) requires that no power-driven vessel less than 20 meters (66 feet) in length, and no sailing vessel (of any size) may impede the safe passage of a power-driven vessel following a Vessel Traffic System (VTS) Lane.
3. Rule 9 of the COLREGS requires that no power vessel of less than 20 meters (66 feet) in length and no sailing vessel (of any length) shall impede the safe passage of any vessel which can navigate only within a narrow channel or fairway. Puget Sound can be considered a "narrow channel" for most large commercial traffic. "Impede" means to cause to alter speed or course or to take evasive action.
4. A yacht in position where it may impede commercial traffic must exit from the "danger area" immediately, under auxiliary power if necessary. If power is used, it must be reported to the Race Committee at the finish line. Also, a written report must be made on a protest form, showing the location, time, duration of power use, speed, direction of exit, and that the competitive position of the yacht was not improved. If the last item cannot be demonstrated adequately, a time penalty may be imposed.
5. Radar reflectors must be flown at all times when racing. They must meet IMO recommendations (i.e., of metal plates of sufficient rigidity to maintain a 90 degree angle), be not less than 12 1/2 inches in diameter, and be installed not less than 4 meters (13 ft.) above the water. See PIYA Special Regulations paragraph 3.8.
6. Navigation lights must be shown between sunset and sunrise as required by the International Rules of the Road.
7. Observed and/or reported violations of the safety regulations may be protested. The Race Committee shall have the option of issuing a "warning" when deemed appropriate. Warnings are recorded and may be considered when judging any future reports.

Mark Descriptions

Bearings are magnetic. Distances are in nautical miles (NM). Bearings and distances are approximate.

Puget Sound Marks (position based on geographic location)

D	Duwamish Head Lt. (LL #16910)
E	Shilshole Bay Approach Buoy (LL #16785)
G	Temporary mark 1.5 NM bearing 340° from Meadow Pt. Buoy
H	Temporary mark 0.3 NM E of Skiff Pt.
I	Temporary mark 0.5 NM N of Alki Pt.
J	Shilshole Bay North Mooring Buoy 0.25 NM SSW of Shilshole Marina north entrance
K	Blakely Rock (LL #16830)
L	Shilshole Bay South Mooring Buoy 0.5 NM SW of Shilshole Marina south entrance
M	Meadow Pt. Buoy (LL #16765)
O	Temporary mark 0.75 NM bearing 250° from Meadow Pt. Buoy
P	Temporary mark 0.75 NM NNE of Pt. Monroe
Q	Temporary mark 3.0 NM bearing 340° from Meadow Pt. Buoy
R	Temporary mark 0.5 NM SW of Pt. Wells
T	Temporary mark 0.5 NM SE of Pt. Jefferson
V	Temporary mark 0.3 NM NNE of Wing Pt.
W	West Pt. Buoy (LL #16805)

Puget Sound Marks Illustration

Each temporary mark is shown with its label in a circle. Each permanent mark is near its label in a square box. Positions are approximate.

