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# 25 years later, Kellogg takes 2nd Crabbe Trophy

PRESS STAFF REPORT

PETER KELLOGG of the Bay Head Yacht and his crew of Peter Wright and Tim White aboard Vapor captured the 58th annual Beck Crabbe Trophy in the A Cat class yesterday in the Barnegat Bay Yacht Racing Association series.

The event was held out of the Ocean Gate Yacht Club and co-hosted by the Pine Beach Yacht Club.

It wasn't the first time Kellogg has won the Crabbe Trophy; he also captured the 30th trophy 25 years ago aboard his Lotus. This is his second year campaigning the Vapor. The trophy race is held once a year and is uncommon because the entrants start with anchors and sails down.

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"We were fortunate because we were in the least favorite position (closest to dock) but it seem to work today, we were lucky," said Kellogg.

The sailors were lucky and had a northeast 10-12 knots breeze and the bad weather held off for about an hour after all racing was complete. For the most part they enjoyed smooth sailing along the East Wind Course which

runs roughly 5-7 miles beginning at the mouth of Toms River going out into Barnegat Bay and returning into Toms River.

"It was a lovely day and we had a lot of boats sailing which is great fun for everyone," Kellogg added. "We had three youngsters on board that were very helpful and really helped us win."

Rounding out the top three in the A Cat class William Fortenbaugh of the Bay Head Yacht Club finished second and Chris Chadwick of Seaside Park Yacht Club finished third out of the field of eight.

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Footie of the host Ocean Gate Yacht Club won the Helen Drezel Yohn Trophy for her first place finish in the

Blue jay class. D.M. Hurley of the Mantoloking Yacht Club garnered the Marshall Trophy by finishing first in the Sanderling class. In the Sneakbox class, Garret Sayia of the Seaside Park Yacht Club placed first to win the William Snyder Memorial Trophy.

The Crabbe and Yohn trophies are awarded by the Ocean Gate Yacht Club, while the Marshall and Snyder awards are presented by the Pine Beach Yacht Club.

In the morning session other class winners included Scott Collahan of the Bay Head Yacht Club in the M Scow division; James Mada, Lavallette Yacht Club in the Laser division; Eric

Hanson, Manasquan River Yacht Club in the Laser Radial; Laura Dunn also of Manasquan River in the Laser Radial Juniors; and Robert Sayia of Seaside Park Yacht Club in the Sandpiper division.

Afternoon winners were Joseph Buczkowski of the Metedeconk River Yacht Club in the Lightning class; Joe Thorpe of Shore Acres Yacht Club took the Flying Scots; and Brian Gabriel of the Island Heights Yacht Club won the Ensign class.

Next Saturday, BBYRA action will continue as will be hosted by the Normandy Beach Yacht Club.