



BBYRA Junior Sailing Committee Report
November 18, 2005

Since the end of the 2005 summer sailing season, the junior sailing program coordinators have met twice: September 16th and November 4th.

At the September meeting (hosted by OGYC) the following was accomplished:

1. review of the past season (including review of Junior Sailing Chair's report for the BBYRA annual meeting);
2. review and discussion of 2006 proposed budget for Junior Sailing;
3. topics for 2006 instructor training were discussed; and
4. downbay clubs met separately after the meeting and discussed interclub issues.

At the October meeting (hosted by BHYC) the following was accomplished:

1. representative from Shrewsbury Sailing & Yacht Club attended to present information on NJ Opti States (currently scheduled for 6/26 & 6/27/06);
2. review of BBYRA annual meeting:
 - a. budget
 - b. OCC's associate membership;
1. Support of the request for the collegiate style 420's to be included as a provisional fleet for the 2006 BBYRA championship;
2. proposal for a group purchase of Opti sails;
3. scheduling for the 2006 Junior Sailing calendar; and
4. upbay and downbay clubs met separately to discuss their respective issues regarding interclubs.

I have also had a preliminary discussion with Jim Walsh RE: US Sailing National Events. Jim and I will be working towards increasing junior participation in these events.

Junior sailing calendar will continue to be updated as information becomes available from the host clubs. One update has already been sent out electronically and forwarded to the BBYRA webmaster. All other updates will be done in this manner. *(I could not do this job without e-mail!!!!)*

The next Junior Sailing meeting is scheduled to be held in March, 2006 with MRYC serving as the host club.

Respectfully submitted,

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