

Island Sports

Club 420 U.S. national championship winners announced



Boats prepare for the racing last week at Ft. Getty.
Photo by Jeff McDonough

Three days of racing in the west passage of Narragansett Bay saw 152 crews battle it out between the shores of Ft. Getty and Saunderstown. After nine races, the winners were announced during an awards ceremony at the Ft. Getty sailing venue in Jamestown.

Nick Johnstone and Katia DaSilva, Conanicut Yacht Club/FAST sailors from Jamestown, were first overall, followed by Markus Edegran and Teddy Mark of Larchmont YC, Conn., in second. Declan Whitmyer and Ian Storck of Noroton YC/LISOT,

Conn., finished third and Kevin Martland and Will Webster of Sail Newport finished fourth. Deirdre Lambert and Tracy Doherty of LISOT, Conn., finished fifth overall.

In the women's overall standings, Grace Lucas and Tierney Driscoll of BHYC in Bay Head, N.J., finished first. Deirdre Lambert and Tracy Doherty of LISOT finished second, and Sarah Williams and Jane Rew of Bay Head YC in New York finished in third place.

Andrew Mollerus and Charlie Peck of Larchmont YC /LISOT,

Conn., finished in first place in the youth division. Declan Whitmyer and Ian Storck of Noroton YC/LISOT, Conn., finished in second place, followed by Deirdre Lambert and Tracy Doherty of LISOT, Conn., who finished third.

A special sportmanship award (a new set of North Sails) was awarded to two crews: Tommy Galster and Honore Johnson of Saunderstown YC in R.I. and also to Katja Sertl and Ailsa Petrie of Conanicut YC, R.I. and Rochester YC, N.Y., respectively.

RI Lightning fastpitch softball to hold try-outs

The Rhode Island Lightning fastpitch softball organization is looking for new, dedicated players that want to take their game to the next level. Try-outs for all age groups (12U, 14U, 16U and 18U) will be held on Saturday, Aug. 22, and Sunday, Aug. 23, at the Mount Pleasant Little League complex (next to Mount Pleasant High School) in Providence.

All girls with birthdates from 1991-1999 are eligible to try out.

New players to the R.I. Lightning are strongly encouraged to attend try-outs on both days. Players who are selected for a team will be required to attend indoor winter practices. Teams will also participate in fall ball leagues or tournaments this year.

Registration for 12U and 14U pitchers and catchers begins at 8:30 a.m., with try-outs at 9 a.m. each day. Standard position registration begins at 9:30 a.m., with try-outs at 10 a.m. each day.

Registration for 16U and 18U pitchers and catchers begins at noon, with try-outs at 12:30 p.m. each day. Standard position registration for 16U and 18U begins at 1 p.m., with try-outs at 1:30 p.m. each day.

All aspects of the game (hitting, fielding, throwing and running) will be evaluated. There is no fee to try out.

For more information or to pre-register for try-outs, visit www.rilighting.com.

The Jamestown Yacht Club's summer series race

Race number six of the Jamestown Yacht Club Summer Series was held on July 28. The following are the results for the race:

A Class: 1. Macx, C28, Bill MacGowan; 2. Baby Bella, Melges 24, Mark Nannini.

B Class: 1. Next Wave, Farr 395, Steve Clarke; 2. Celeritas, Swan 42, Malcolm Geffer; 3. Slipstream, Beneteau 36.7, John Collins; 4. The Cat Came Back, Swan 42, Linc Mossop; 5. Lark, Beneteau First 40.7, Edmund Flynn; 6. Picante, J/109, R. Salk/J. Shagian; 7. Hidalgo, Mod Express 37, Rich Moody; 8. Floating Point, Frers 40, Pat Clayton; 9. Madrigal, J/130, William Kimbell.

C Class: 1. Totem, 6M, Jesse Smith; 2. Aurora, Tartan 41, A. Kallfelz; 3. Flapper, 6M, N Booth/J Vargish; 4. Epiphany, S2 9.1, Jeff Roy; 5. Lynx, J/29, Dennis Nixon; 6. Ranger, 6M, T Widman & J Loughborough; 7. Time Bandit, Metal Mast 30, Robert Fadden; 8. Luna, Albin Nova, Chris Brown & Samira Hakki; 9. Footloose, Pearson Flyer 30, Andrew Yates; 10. Wind Ensemble, Omega 30, Dennis Stoops.

D Class: 1. Bearly Muven, J/24, Michael Nahmias; 2. Fast Lane, J/24, Harry & Ann Lane; 3. Skeleton Crew, J/24, Fauss Hull; 4. NightHawk, J/24, Richard & Katie Barker; 5. Blues eRacer, J/22, Louis Mariorenzi; 6. Big,

J/24, P. O'Connell/M. Buechner; 7. Conundrum, J/22, William & Alice Porter; 8. Chaos, J/22, Lowell Thomas; 9. Spirit, MX-20, EC Helme; 10. Wharf Rat, J/22, Matt Dunbar; 11. Chairman Ararat, P. Electra, R. Bestoso.

E Class: 1. Grace, Shields, John Burnham; 2. Fire Ball, C&C 35 Mk2, Donald Kern; 3. Summer Wind, Scampi 30, Tripp Alyn; 4. Four Suns, Swan, Charles Beal; 5. Scuppers, Maxi Fenix, Alan Baines; 6. Second Wind, Seid 30T, Stephen Parfet; 7. Duck Soup, C&C 37/40, B. Clavin; 8. Isabel, Albin 28 SI, Benjamin Riggs; 9. Czech Mate, Seid S29-9, Jan Peter Trouselek.

Marshall brothers unbeaten in J/22 racing

Fleet 12 conducted its second Sunday race day recently under perfect conditions of bright sun and fresh breeze. Bad News, sailed by Mike and David Marshall – along with crew Jay and Matt Gowell – dominated both races, leading at all but the first mark of the first race, extending their wining streak to four in a row this season.

Bill Porter's Conundrum, sailed by the mother and daughter team of Cory and Katja Sertl and Ellen Noble and daughter, Adele, took second in both races after leading early in the first race.

Lowell Thomas' Chaos and Jeff Westcott's Machbuster each had a third and a fourth, allowing Machbuster to cling to a one-point lead over Chaos for third in the series, behind Bad News and Conundrum.

Watercolor workshop at Watson Farm

Artist Natalie Pfanstiehl will teach a full-day watercolor workshop on Saturday, Aug. 15, from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Watson Farm in Jamestown. The event includes a one-hour demonstration of landscape painting, and assistance with composition, lighting and painting techniques, as well as a constructive critique of student work.

The workshop is sponsored by Historic New England. Cost is \$25 for members of Historic New England and \$35 for non-members. Bring painting materials and a bag lunch. For more information, visit www.historicNewEngland.org or call 423-0005.

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