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Newsletter of the Cayuga Lake Cruising Fleet

First Race Day of the Season, Sunday, May 6

"Wow," "Great," "Awesome," these were the words commonly heard on the docks after the first race day of the 2007 Spring Series. We held 2 races with the first going to Ladoga, across to East Shore, down to Sycamore and back home. We had nice winds with short but gusty puffs that made for a fun and uneventful race. The second race was shortened to Maplewood, then to East Shore, Sycamore and back in light of a seeming dying breeze. My we were all surprised at the weather mark. 3 boats risked their chutes and all 3 wiped out but had varying recovery styles (the textbook ease and fall-off, the fly it like a flag and the popular drop-it-in-the-drink cause it will slow us down). The Webb's on "Wave Train" took line honors in both races, but the corrected winner of the first race was the Feavearyear's and crew on "Snitch" while the Webb's held their time in the second to take the win.

Next Sunday is an "Off" day to celebrate the hard work of the fleet mothers. Some boats have showed interest in going out for fun or raft up. If you are interested, email the fleet list to set up times and rendezvous points.

The "Fetch" had a decent turnout. About 20 some sailors and their families sat in the sun and had a nice meal. If there is an interest in doing a monthly "Fetch" type meal, please let me know - the club is interested in continuing this type of deal throughout the season. We could have the grill-outs like Sunday, make your own cold cut sandwich, or similar events at similar prices.

The CLCF will be in the Ithaca Festival parade on Thursday, May 31st. Get your creative thinking going and lets start discussing what we want our entry to look like.

In two Sundays (May 20th) we will continue our regular Spring Series. Skippers meeting will be at 12:45 pm at the South Pavilion with the first race starting at 1:30 pm. For the floating crew people who have been asking, most skippers show up around 12 noon so that would be a good time for you to stop by to look for a boat needing crew for any day.

See you there!

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Spring Race	#1 Course DFH	Wind W 5-16			Start 13:	30:00		
Skipper	Boat	Sail#	Rtg	T-on-T	FT	ET	CT	Sailed Like
Feavearyear	Snitch	4028	168	0.9053	14:40:00	1:10:00	1:03:22	168
Fewtrell	mehitabel	4091	168	0.9053	14:42:06	1:12:16	1:05:16	190
Cornell	Jnx	3???	168	0.9053	14:42:26	1:12:26	1:05:34	193
Walsh	Aujourd'hui	216	171	0.9015	14:42:44	1:12:44	1:05:34	196
Webb	Wave Train	60109	99*	1.0015	14:39:15	1:09:15	1:09:21	160
Alsen	Fantasy	001	186*	0.8832	14:48:19	1:18:19	1:09:10	253

spring Race	#2 Course brn	WING W 5-20		Start 15:10:00				
Skipper	Boat	Sail#	Rtg	T-on-T	FΤ	EΤ	CT	Sailed Like
Webb	Wave Train	60109	99*	1.0015	15:50:01	0:40:05	0:40:05	99
Feavearyear	Snitch	4028	168	0.9053	15:54:25	0:44:25	0:40:13	170
Walsh	Aujourd'hui	216	171	0.9015	15:55:54	0:45:54	0:41:23	194
Fewtrell	mehitabel	4091	168	0.9053	15:56:01	0:46:01	0:41:40	196

Cornell Jnx 3??? 168 0.9053 15:57:23 0:47:23 0:42:54 218 Alsen Fantasy 001 186* 0.8832 16:02:34 0:52:34 0:46:25 303

* Designates a No-spinnaker rating Gear Exchange

For sale: 23' Sonar in excellent condition, day sailer, two sets of sails—one nearly new, spinnaker, trailer. Excellent family boat for day sailing and learning — \$7,500. Current owner will be glad to instruct. For more information or a trial sail, call Peter Walsh at 279-0633(cell) or email pjw@truewalshlaw.com

1980 (?) Canadian Fiberglass Opti, new air bags, dry and sound hull, stored indoors - \$500. Call 564-3146 or email jodyfeav@lightlink.com

Please email me with any additions by Noon on Mondays to get things listed for the week.