



The Pennant

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Newsletter of the Cayuga Lake Cruising Fleet

Fifth Race Day of the Latitude Series, Sunday, August 16

With blazing heat and a shifty breeze, our fleet captain set the course for Latitude B, which for most of us was just South of Myers Point. We had a 0 to 10 knot breeze that could only be described as West-ish, since it was clocking anywhere from North-east to South-west, sometimes within a boat length. But due to the foresight of a shorter course, all boats were able to finish well within the new time limit and most only had one small delay in the doldrums.

Five boats showed up to race, and behind the first boat back, it was a very close finish, with the places changing frequently from the near Maplewood to the finish line. In the end, the Feavearyear's J24, "Snitch" took first; Richard Stephen's Corsair 28, "Trevelyan" second (with guest helmsman Luke Miller); and Clare Fewtrell's J24 "mehitabel" third.

The results of this race and the revised SI's changed up the standings a bit. Here are the new point standings in the Latitude Series:

Skipper	Boat	Race 1	Race 2	Race 3	Race 4	Race 5	Race 6	Total
Feavearyear	Snitch	2	(5)	0.75	2	0.75		5.5
Bonniwell	Invictus	0.75	2	2	3	(4)		7.75
Fewtrell	mehitabel	(7)	0.75	7	0.75	3		11.5
Stephens	Trevelyan	3	(7)	7	4	2		16
Alsen	Fantasy	(7)	3	4	4	5		16
Buell	Moondance	4	4	5	4	(7)		17
Richards	Lorelei	7	7	3	8	7		NS
Corbet	Alcyone	5	7	7	8	7		NS
Burford	Imagine	6	7	7	8	7		NS
Ahlers	Ockham's Razor	6	7	7	8	7		NS

NS = A boat must complete at least 3 races in a series to be scored

Upcoming Events

Saturday, August 22: Red Jacket Race. Skippers Meeting 9:00. Start 9:30.

Sunday, August 16: Sixth (and Final) Latitude Race. Skippers Meeting 1:00. Start 2:00.

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