



The Pennant

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Newsletter of the Cayuga Lake Cruising Fleet

Second Latitude Race, Sunday, July 11

We had very sunny weather (88 degrees in the shade) and light wind from the Northwest, fluctuating from 8 knots to less than 2 knots.

Five competitors showed up for this second race in the Johnson Boatyard Latitude Series of six mid-distance races: Tim Bonniwell with his invincible Catalina 30, Charley and Janice Mueller with their Sabre 28, Eberhard Alsen single-handing his Tanzer 25, and David Feavearyear and Clare Fewtrell with their J24s.

With Tim Bonniwell's Catalina and Clare Fewtrell's J-24 out in front, there was some swapping of positions among those of us in the rear. Yours truly clawed his way to third place but sailed to the wrong latitude, almost a mile farther than was necessary (I had no crew to check the latitude chart for me). So the finishing order was Bonniwell, Fewtrell, Feavearyear, Alsen, and Mueller.

The current Latitude Series Standings are on the next page.

J-24 Regatta, Saturday/Sunday July 17/18

There will be no Cruising Fleet racing next Sunday, July 18, because the Ithaca Yacht Club is hosting the District J-24 Regatta. The District includes Buffalo, Rochester, Canandaigua, Oswego and Lake George. If you would like to be part of that regatta by helping out to make it run smoothly, please contact Steve Little sel2@cornell.edu

Third Race of the Latitude Series, Sunday, July 25

Like all our summer events, this race is open to anyone who has a keelboat. So please talk it up among your non-Cruising Fleet friends and acquaintances.

The skippers' meeting will be at 1:45 at the South Pavilion of the Yacht Club, and the start will be at 2:30.

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2010 Latitude Series Standings, July 11

	Race #	1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6	Total
Bonniwell	0.75	0.75						1.5
Feavearyear	4	3						7
Fewtrell	5	2						7
Alsen	5	4						9
Arthur	2	7						9
Mueller	5	5						10
Stephens	3	7						10
Russell	4	7						11
Kinsbury	4	7						11