



The Pennant

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Newsletter of the Cayuga Lake Cruising Fleet

Fourth Race Day of the Spring Series, Sunday, May 22

It was an overcast day with occasional showers and temperatures in the low 70s. But there was a pretty steady southerly breeze around 8 knots with occasional bursts up to 12 knots.

Six boats showed up at the starting line, three keelboats and three Weta triamarans. The keelboats were Tim Bonniwell's Catalina 30, INVICTUS; Clare Fewtrell's J-24, MEHITABEL; and David Feavearyear's J-24, SNITCH. The Wetas were Richard Stephens' HONEY, Ben Arthur's GRAY MATTER, and Keith Rice's as yet nameless vehicle (In the last PENNANT, I erroneously listed Keith's Weta as SILVER, the one that Richard Stephens let him race last year. The new boat # 524 is co-owned by Keith and Care Fewtrell).

The course for the first race was a fairly long one, HG CIA. This means first south to the Pile Cluster near Stewart Park, then north to the East Shore mark, from there north west to Far Maplewood, then back south to Sycamore, and from there home to the Yacht Club for a downwind finish. The course for the second race was much shorter, IGCA: Sycamore, East Shore, Far Maplewood, and from there for an upwind finish to the Yacht Club.

In the first keelboat race, INVICTUS won line honors and also won on corrected time. In the second race, INVICTUS again won on corrected time, but line honors went to SNITCH. That second keelboat race was very close, as the three boats finished within 38 seconds.

In the first Weta race, HONEY continued its winning streak. In the second race, with HONEY absent, Keith Rice's new boat beat GRAY MATTER by 10 seconds.

Fifth Race Day of the Spring Series, Sunday, May 27

The skippers' meeting will be at 12:45 at the South Pavilion of the Yacht Club. We again plan to run two races. The first race will start at 1:30

See you at the South Pavilion (Hope to be there with FANTASY).

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Race Results, Sunday, May 22

Spring Series Race #5

Keelboat Class

Start: 13:30 Wind S 8-12 Course HG CIA

<u>Boat</u>	<u>TonT</u>	<u>FT</u>	<u>ET</u>	<u>CT</u>
Invictus	0.8868	15:24:27	1:54:27	1:41:29
Mehitabel	0.9053	15:24:40	1:54:40	1:43:48
Snitch	0.9053	15:25:55	1:55:55	1:44:56

Spring Series Race #5

Multihull Class

Start: 13:35 Wind S 8-12 Course HG CIA

Boat F

Honey	1
Weta 254	2
Gray Matter	3

Spring Series Race #6

Keelboat Class

Start: 15:50 Wind S 8-12 Course IG CA

<u>Boat</u>	<u>TonT</u>	<u>FT</u>	<u>ET</u>	<u>CT</u>
Invictus	0.8868	16:43:37	0:53:37	0:47:33
Snitch	0.9053	16:43:19	0:53:19	0:48:16
Mehitabel	0.9053	16:43:57	0:53:57	0:48:50

Spring Series Race #5

Multihull Class

Start: 15:55 Wind S 8-12 Course IG CA

Boat F

Weta 254	1
Gray Matter	2
HONEY	DNS

2011 Spring Series Standings

Keelboats

<u>Boat</u>	<u>Race #1</u>	<u>#2</u>	<u>#3</u>	<u>#4</u>	<u>#5</u>	<u>#6</u>	<u>#Total</u>
Invictus	2	0.75	2	2	0.75	0.75	8.25
Mehitabel	0.75	2	3	3	2	3	13.75
Snitch	4	4	0.75	0.75	3	2	14.5
Majority Rules	4	4	4	4	5	5	26

Multihulls

<u>Boat</u>	<u>Race #1</u>	<u>#2</u>	<u>#3</u>	<u>#4</u>	<u>#5</u>	<u>#6</u>	<u>Total</u>
Honey	0.75	0.75	0.75	0.75	0.75	4	8.25
Weta 524	2	2	3	3	2	0.75	12.75
Gray Matter	2	2	2	3	3	2	14