



The Pennant

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Newsletter of the Cayuga Lake Cruising Fleet

Second Race of the JBY Latitude Series, Sunday, July 3

The forecast called for heavy rain and instead we got heavy sun. The temperatures were in the mid eighties, but it felt like the mid nineties, especially since the wind was very light during the first half of the race. During the second half, the wind picked up and some of us saw 6 knots approaching the finish line.

One triamaran and three keelboats showed up for this race. Richard Stephen's Corsair 28, TREVELYAN; Tim Bonniwell's Catalina 30, INVICTUS; David Feavearyear's J-24, SNITCH; and Eberhard Alsen's Tanzer 25, FANTASY.

SNITCH pulled out an early lead and was the first boat to reach its turn-around latitude. But INVICTUS turned around shortly thereafter and unleashed its new white spinnaker. For a while SNITCH could keep ahead of INVICTUS, but in the end, INVICTUS crossed the finish line some 3 minutes ahead of SNITCH.

Meanwhile in the back of the field, shorthanded FANTASY had elected to sail without a spinnaker. Therefore her turn around latitude was some two miles closer to the finish than that of TREVELYAN. Had there been decent wind, TREVELAYN would have easily caught and passed FANTASY. But that 9 knot breeze sprang up too late, and so FANTASY was able to wing-and-wing it across the finish line well ahead of TREVELYAN. Also TREVELYAN had to do a man-over-board maneuver to retrieve a lost shoe of Richard's son.

Third Race of the JBY Latitude Series, Sunday July 10

The skippers' meeting will be at 1:15 at the South Pavilion of the Ithaca Yacht Club. For late-comers, the length of the course (A, B, C, or D) will be posted near the flagpole of the Yacht Club. The start will be at 2:00 p.m. GPS time. There will be no visual or sound signals other than a 5 minute warning horn. Skippers should note down their turn around times. In case no boat finishes the race before 6 p.m., turn around times will determine the winner.

See you at the South Pavilion

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Race Results, Sunday, July 3, 2011

Latitude Race #2

Start: 2:00 Wind: NWW 2-9 Course: C

Boat Place

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| Invictus | 1 |
| Snitch | 2 |
| Fantasy | 3 |
| Trevelyan | 4 |

Latitude Race Standings as of July 3, 2011

| <u>Boat</u> | <u>Race # 1</u> | <u>#2</u> | <u>Total</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|-----------|--------------|
| Snitch | 0.75 | 2 | 2.75 |
| Invictus | 3 | 0.75 | 3.75 |
| Trevelyan | 4 | 4 | 8 |
| Mehitabel | 2 | 6 | 8 |
| Fantasy | 6 | 3 | 9 |