



The Pennant

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Newsletter of the Cayuga Lake Cruising Fleet

First Latitude Race, Sunday, July 1

Because I was going to be out of town on July 1, I asked someone else to write the race report and publish the race results. For whatever reasons, this did not happen. Also, I have not been able to get the information after I got back from Cape Cod. So you'll all will have to wait until someone gives me the info.

Second Latitude Race, July 8

What a great day it was: Sunny skies, temperatures in the low 80s, and a steady northwesterly breeze of 10-16 knots.

Five boats competed: Tim Bonniwell's Catalina 30, INVICTUS; Richard Stephens' Corsair 28, TREVELYAN (skipped by Keith Rice); Charlie Mueller's Sabre 28, GYPSY MOTH; Eberhard Alsen's Tanzer 25, FANTASY; and Roger and Garth Dennis' Melges 24, SMILING BULLDOG.

Because of the strong breeze, Fleet Captain Bonniwell chose the second longest course on the latitude list, the one labelled "D." This one took the two boats with the top PHRF ratings well beyond Taughannock Park.

Having to sail that much farther than the other three boats, TREVELYAN and SMILING BULLDOG never managed to catch up with the three boats whose ratings allowed them to sail less far.

So, here is the finishing order:

- 1st INVICTUS
- 2nd FANTASY
- 3rd GYPSY MOTH
- 4th SMILING BULLDOG
- 5th TREVELYAN

Third Latitude Race, Sunday, July 15

The skippers' meeting will be at at the South Pavilion of the Ithaca Yacht Club at 1:15, and the first race will start at 2:00.
See you at the South Pavilion.

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