

The FLYC Telltale

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Event Calendar:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Coordinator</u>
Apr 11	9:00 am	Trans Folsom Race	Brown's Ravine	
Apr 14	6:30 pm	Membership Meeting	TBD	Commodore
Apr 15-19		Strictly Sail Boat Show	Jack London Square, Oakland	Fleet 4
Apr 19	10:30 am	FLYC Spring Series #2	Brown's Ravine	
Apr 25-26		Fleet 4: Past Captain / 1st Spring Cruise		
Apr 25		LWSC Open House	Lake Washington Sailing Club http://www.lwsailing.org/nors/2009MidwintersNOR.doc	
May 2-3	10:00 am	FLYC Camellia Cup Regatta	Brown's Ravine, Folsom Lake http://www.flyc.org/CamCup/CamelliaCup.html	Regatta Chair
May 6	6:00 pm	Beer Can Race	Folsom Marina	Informal
May 9	10:30 am	Spring #3	Brown's Ravine	
May 12	6:30 pm	Membership Meeting	TBD	Commodore
May 13	6:00 pm	Beer Can Race	Folsom Marina	Informal
May 16	10:30 am	Spring #4	Brown's Ravine	
May 20	6:00	Beer Can Race	Folsom Marina	Informal
May 23		Jazz Cup Regatta	Lake Washington Sailing Club	
May 23-24	9:30 am	Whiskeytown Memorial Regatta	Whiskeytown Lake	Whiskeytown Sailing Club
May 27	6:00 pm	Beer Can Race	Folsom Marina	Informal

Membership Meeting:

The April 14 membership meeting of the Folsom Lake Yacht Club will be held at:

El Torito

5637 Sunrise Blvd., between Madison and Fair Oaks Blvd.

6:30 pm

No-host dinner, informal, everyone is invited! Beer & wine available.

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Commodore's Column

Mark Erdrich



Well, we finally were able to get some racing in! The first (well third if you count the days we weren't able to sail) winter series race day was cold and we suffered from a lack of wind, and were only able to get one race in. Of course, about the time the boats pulled out of the water, the wind started blowing.

We had much better luck with wind with the last Winter Series race day. Plenty of wind (some might say a little too much), but lots of great racing even if it was a little cold.

The first Spring Series race day was even colder, with a few showers here and there, but still lots of wind and great racing.

See the results elsewhere in the Telltale.

Off the water, planning for the Camellia Cup on May 2nd and 3rd is in progress. By now you should have received a postcard announcing the race and the website where you can see the Notice of Race, Sailing Instructions, Course Chart, and loads of other information about the Camellia Cup. You can see it at <http://flyc.org/CamCup/CamelliaCup.html>

We have several volunteers active in planning the event, but we still need a little help. Most pressing, we need someone willing to pick up the Beer (and a U-Haul trailer to store it in) on Friday and bring it out to the lake, and to return it all on Monday. Additionally, it would be great if you could help serve the beer (or come up with assistants to handle that part). You could probably get a little free beer to compensate you! Our next planning meeting will be at Inland Sailing (Mel's shop) on April 2nd, at 7:00pm. Please attend if you are interested in assisting.

The next general meeting is scheduled for April 14th at El Torito on Sunrise. We don't yet have a program scheduled, so if there's something you would like to present (or know someone who could do a presentation), please let me know. I'm still looking for someone who could help me arrange the meeting presentations.

Related to the monthly meetings, I've had a comment that holding the meetings in restaurants is getting a little expensive, and that maybe we can hold the meeting at a facility other than a restaurant (in fact, a space has already been volunteered for us to use). We would start a little later (maybe 7:00 or 7:30), and the club could supply some refreshments and snacks. Please let me know what you think.

Coming up is the annual Trans-Folsom race on April 11th. After that is the 2nd Spring series race on April 19th, and don't forget the Strictly Sail Pacific (and now) & Power Boat Expo on April 15th – 19th.

One final note. I'm sending reminders and updated information of all of these events to the club's mailing list. If you are not receiving these messages, please visit <http://flyc.org> and look on the left column where you can add yourself to the list.

Mark



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C-22 RACE NEWS

Dave Strain

Latitude 38 publishes another magazine devoted to the race schedule in the Bay. It's a master calendar for Northern California YRA. There are some tips on racing that seem like common sense. I thought I'd share some them.

I found this list on page 38 of the 2009 YRA Calendar:

1. Avoid collisions: If you have the right of way, and hit the other boat, causing serious damage, both boats can be protested.
2. Sail the course prescribed. Boats have to round the marks in the designated course and cannot hit the mark.
3. Acknowledge your fouls and protest those who don't.
4. Port tack boats need to keep clear of starboard tacks.
5. Don't obstruct: don't make it hard for the 'keep clear' boat to do so. (No hunting allowed).
6. Remember, sailing/racing are supposed to be fun and fair. Following the rules insures that.

Happy Sailing,
Dave 933-2346.

CATALINA 22 NATIONAL REGATTA

The Catalina 22 National Association has moved their National Regatta from San Francisco Bay to the Fort Walton Yacht Club, Florida. Interested sailors should go to www.catalina22.org/calendar.htm to find links to the new sponsor and contact person.

CATALINA/CAPRI 25, 250 NATIONAL REGATTA

The Catalina/Capri 25, 250 National Association is still holding their National Regatta at San Francisco Bay's Berkeley Yacht Club but have changed the dates to the weekend of the June 20th and 21st. The Notice of Race is posted on their National Association Web page, www.catalina-capri-25s.org/racing/racing.asp. Please contact Scott Hefty, FLYC/ Fleet 4 and National Regatta Committee member, raymond622@comcast.net, (916) 978-9445, or the contact on the Notice of Race if you have any questions.

Santana 20 Fleet 12 News

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Big S20 racing events are right around the corner: Trans-Folsom, Cam Cup, Seattle NOODS (May 15-17) and Eugene Memorial Day Regatta (Mat 23-24). With all those events coming right up on us, it is time to get racing. Also in full swing are the Folsom and Stockton Spring Series. Get your boat out and hit the race course!

It is also not too early to start planning for Nationals 2009 at Mission Bay Yacht Club in San Diego, July 29 – August 2nd. This should be a spectacular event with racing on the ocean! Fleet 7 is planning a great show. Accommodations can be provided at a fellow S20 sailor's home or on a local cruising boat if you register early. The fleet is really pushing to keep the costs down so everyone can make out for a top notch event. Check out their fleet webpage for more info and register for the regatta early:

<http://santana20.doodlekit.com/home>

In addition to those events mark you calendars for High Sierra July 18-19 (make your campsite reservations now!!) and Great Pumpkin October 24-25!!

Once again, to keep track of fleet news, crew, or a boat to race on check into:

[Santana_Fleet_20](#)

Hope to see you on the water!!

KEEL OPEN DIVISION

George Koch

Hello Friends: Winter is over and Spring and Camellia Cup Regatta are here. May 2 and 3 for the CC. There is strength in the Open Divisions, for you are the silent majority when it comes to numbers. Remember, I won the CC in '06 in my Lido, one of the slower boats in a large centerboard open division. The time correction blessed me. You can do it too. All you have to do is show up and sail well and let the other boats make mistakes. Stay right there in your trusty keel-boat or dinghy. Make sure it is clean and smooth and that everything works and go for it.

Regards, George Koch, J-22 #377 and Lido 14 #4567.

2009 Winter Series

Centerboard Class Results

Name	Sail #	Boat Name	Race 1	Race 2	Race 3	Race 4	Points	Place
Mack Bishop	141	2 to the 20th	3	3	2	1	9	1
Doug Campbell	273		2	2	3	2	9	2
Shaw	280		1	1	1	DNS	9	3
John Poimiroo	341	Spyder Byte	4	DNS	DNS	DNS	22	4
Rob Cram			DNF	DNS	DNS	DNS	24	5

PHRF Class Results

Name	Sail #	Boat Name	Race 1	Race 2	Race 3	Race 4	Points	Place
George Koch	377	Poco-A-Poco	2	2	1	2	7	1
Phil Hodgson	34	Te Natura	1	3	2	3	9	2
Dave Strain	6667	Blue Diamond	4	1	3	1	9	3
Mike Rayfuse	3088	Sirius	3	DNS	DNS	DNS	18	4

2009 Spring Series - After Day 1

PHRF Class Results

Name	Sail #	Boat Name	Race 1	Race 2	Race 3	Points	Place
George Koch	377	Poco-A-Poco	1	1	2	4	1
Phil Hodgson	34	Te Natura	2	2	1	5	2

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Doug Campbell	273		1	1	1	3	1



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Folsom Lake Yacht Club Trans-Folsom Race Regatta April 11, 2009

For more information, call the Regatta Chair, Mike Gillum, (916) 847-5780, mike@opsawnings.com or visit www.flyc.org

2009 Trans-Folsom Race Regatta Registration [please print legibly]

Name: _____ Registration Fee: **\$20.00**

Address: _____ Late Fee: **+5.00**

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Total Reg. Fee: **\$ _____**

Phone: _____ e-mail: _____

Boat Name: _____ Make/Model: _____

Sail #: _____ Club Affiliation: _____

Fleet Registration: One-Design Open Keel
 Open M/H Cruiser

PHRF Rating So. Cal. _____ FLYC _____ Other _____

<p>I certify that the above information is correct and agree to abide by all US Sail, USCG, FLYC and class rules and regulations. I also certify that the Model/Design herein is valid and the boat measures correctly for its declared class type and that I will sail in conformity to the rating given. I further agree to waive all claims against the FLYC and persons conducting the race for injuries and /or damage to my crew, my vessel, and myself. I understand all boats/yachts entered or racing shall be subject to the direction and control of the race committee; however, it shall be the sole responsibility of each skipper to decide to start or continue the race.</p>	<p>Mail registration form / payment to: Folsom Lake Yacht Club</p>
<p>Signature (Skipper): _____ Date: _____</p>	
<p>Parent's Signature (If minor): _____ Date: _____</p>	
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