



U.S. MULTIHULL CHAMPIONSHIP

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Spray Beach, NJ

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Welcome from the President of US Sailing

Dear U.S. Multihull Championship Sailors,

Welcome to the 2019 U.S. Multihull Championship. We are very pleased to have Spray Beach Yacht Club as this year's host. They have planned a great event for all of you.

Hosting a US Sailing Championship is a big undertaking. Andrew and Robin Keller, Regatta Chairs, and Ashley Enders, US Sailing's Committee Chair, have spent many hours working on the details for this event with their respective committees. US Sailing is grateful for the year-long effort by all those involved. We also thank our national sponsor Hobie Polarized and the many local sponsors whose generous support makes this premier racing event possible.

Competing in a US Sailing Championship may be a new racing experience for you. Each time it is a different group of sailors and an opportunity to make new friends and reconnect with others. The novelty of the event and the boats will surely make this memorable and challenging for you. Perhaps you will set a new personal record of achievement in sailing. Most of all, I hope you will simply have fun sailing and make new friendships anchored in your passion for sailing.

Sail fast, compete fairly and enjoy this unique experience. We are glad you are joining us,

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read 'Cory Sertl'. The signature is fluid and stylized, with a large, sweeping 'C' and a distinct 'S'.

Cory Sertl
President of US Sailing



Welcome from the Commodore

Dear U.S. Multihull Championship Regatta Participants and Guests:

On behalf of the other Flag Officers, Board of Governors, and Members of Spray Beach Yacht Club (SBYC), it is an honor and a privilege to welcome you to our Club on lovely Long Beach Island. SBYC has a 97-year history and heritage rich with yachting traditions as well as a marvelous group of active members. I hope that your visit with us is both enjoyable and memorable.

Spray Beach Yacht Club members are excited and proud to host the 2019 U.S. Multihull Championship Regatta. Our volunteers are the core of what makes our club so special - active members who participate on and off the water. All hands are on deck working to make this regatta a success and are ready to make you and your family, our special guests, feel at home.

I encourage all regatta participants and their families to make use of our facilities, enjoy our spectacular view, and explore beautiful Long Beach Island.

Events such as these provide opportunities to meet people who live the sailing way of life. I hope that all involved in this regatta look back fondly on their time and experiences at SBYC.

Commodore Heather Beattie
Spray Beach Yacht Club





Competitors

Name	Sail#	Hometown		
Daniel Borg	63206	Mississauga	ON	CAN
Matt Bounds	6707	Commerce Twp	MI	USA
Christopher Dutton	316	Tolland	CT	USA
Michael Garrett	63324	Asheville	NC	USA
Garrett Hogan	52835	PT Pleasant Bch	NJ	USA
Shelia Holmes	63358	Valley View	TX	USA
Herbert James	63318	Cicero	NY	USA
Wolfgang Kornweibel	63255	Toms River	NJ	USA
Randy Landis	63317	Pottstown	PA	USA
Nicolas Liebel	63238	Mississauga	ON	CAN
Amy McNeill	63273	Aurora	ON	CAN
Mark Ralph	63360	Valley View	TX	USA
Jason Sanchez	63239	Seminole	FL	USA
Dave Stiemsma	52214	Portage	MI	USA



Spray Beach Yacht Club

Little Egg Harbor Bay, where the Spray Beach Yacht Club resides, was the home of numerous catboat fleets used for transportation to the mainland as well as for commercial fishing and clamming. As our Island started to become a vacation destination 100 years ago, a dock was built for recreational sailing on the site of our future Club. By 1922, these recreational sailors formed the Spray Beach Yacht Club under Commodore Herman G. Schanche. One hundred years later we still have a fleet of catboats augmented by catamarans, monohulls, and powerboats.

Spray Beach Yacht Club has grown into a vibrant community of sailors and watermen who all share the same love of our bay. Today our club has an active Junior Sailing program of over 60 children of all ages who learn the art of sailing and the potential enjoyment of a lifetime. These young sailors start as fearless dinghy captains and progress to enthusiastic participants in multiple regattas. Our sailors not only gain proficiency in sailing but learn to appreciate the beauty of our bay just as their parents and grandparents did before them.

Our Senior fleets consist of experienced sailors and also new sailors facing the wind and tides for the first time. Our seniors are active in many watersports from cruising to fishing, and we have a busy social schedule year round. Although our bay freezes in the winter, we yearn for the warmer waters that arrive each spring.

Spray Beach Yacht Club has historically provided a racing venue for many regattas, including the Middle Atlantic Hobie Regatta. This year we welcome the opportunity to host the National Hobie 14 Regatta and the Alter Cup followed by a Middle Atlantic Hobie Regatta. It is our pleasure and honor to host these events, and we open our doors, beach, and bay to these sailors.



Schedule of Events

Thursday June 5, 2019

Not Before 1400 -

Arrive and Event Set Up

Friday June 6, 2019

0730 - 0900

Registration and Breakfast

0900

Skippers Meeting

1030

First Race (not before)

Lunch on the Water

After Racing

Dinner (included in Registration)

Saturday June 7, 2019

0730

Breakfast

1030

First Race (not before)

Lunch on the Water

After Racing

Pig Roast (included in Registration)

Sunday June 8, 2019

0730

Breakfast

0900

First Race (not before)

Lunch on the Water

After Racing

No Race after 1400

Awards to Follow

Regatta Committee

US Adult Sailing Championship
Committee Chair

Ashley Enders

International Hobie Class Association
Chair

Rich McVeigh

Hobie Class Association of
North America- Chair

Jason Sanchez

Regatta Chairs

Andrew Keller
Robin Keller

On-Water Chair
Off-Water Chairs

Don Chambers
Nancy Chambers
Diane Roy

Media and Communications
Photography
On-Water Social Media
Off-Water Social Media
Head Chef

Leon Kanopka
Andrew Keller
JR Miller
Ed Borkawski



Flag Officers and Club Officials



2019 Officers

Commodore Heather Beattie
Vice Commodore Richard DeHart
Rear Commodore Robert Cramer
Secretary Alicia Ward
Treasurer Jeffery Kirschenmann

2019 Board of Governors

IPC Mike Cascioli	Tim Anderson
Jeff Attardi	Tom Boulden
Nancy Chambers	Lou DiBari
Gene DuAime	Tom Fuca
Steve Kemp	Dave Williams

2019 Appointed Officials

Fleet Surgeon Andrew Keller, MD
Fleet Chaplain Robert Roy, PC
Fleet Counsel John Iacofano, Esq
Fleet Captain Joseph Zindulis, PC
Official Measurer Richard Young, PC
Official Weighmaster Wayne Miller



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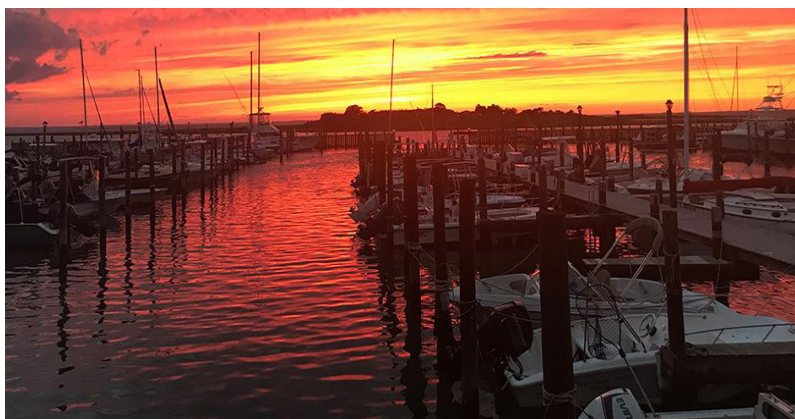


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Race Officials and Committee

Friday 6/7/19	Saturday 6/8/19	Sunday 6/9/19	Ver 8 June 5, 2019
Race Committee	Race Committee	Race Committee	
PC Jack Imperato – Owner/Opp	RC Bob Cramer – Owner/Opp/Flags	RC Bob Cramer – Owner/Opp	
Mark Santorelli – PRO	Mark Santorelli – PRO	Mark Santorelli – PRO	
Jim Walsh - NRO US Sailing	Jim Walsh - NRO US Sailing	Jim Walsh - NRO US Sailing	
Gayle Miner or substitute	Gayle Miner or substitute	Gayle Miner	
Pat Freitag	Pat Freitag	Pat Freitag	
Lynn Meyers	Lynn Meyers	Lynn Meyers	
	Jim Donnelly	Jim Donnelly	
RC Bob Cramer – Observer and Flags			
Mark Boat 1 – Windward	Mark Boat 1 - Windward	Mark Boat 1 - Windward	
PC Don Chambers – Robalo DC227	PC Don Chambers – Robalo DC227	PC Don Chambers – Robalo DC227	
Tom Caro	Dave Williams	Dave Williams	
Al Dacanay	Al Dacanay	Al Dacanay	
Mark Boat 2 – Leeward	Mark Boat 2 – Leeward	Mark Boat 2 - Leeward	
VC Rich DeHart – Scout23CC	VC Rich DeHart – Scout23cc	VC Rich DeHart – Scout23cc	
Andy Keller	Devin Chambers	Devin Chambers	
Jim Donnelly	AJ Keller	AJ Keller	
Mark Boat 3 – Pin	Mark Boat 3 – Pin	Mark Boat 3 - Pin	
Kathleen Birch – Serendipity SBYC	Kathleen Birch – Serendipity SBYC	Kathleen Birch – Serendipity SBYC	
David Phillips	David Phillips	David Phillips	
Safety Boat 1	Safety Boat 1	Safety Boat 1	
Brendan Monaghan – Maycraft 18	Brendan Monaghan – Maycraft 18	Brendan Monaghan – Maycraft 18	
Ruthanne Monaghan	Ruthanne Monaghan	Ruthanne Monaghan	
Dave Bird	Dave Freitag	Norm Esibill	
Safety Boat 2	Safety Boat 2	Safety Boat 2	
Jeff Wald – Key West 21DC	Jeff Wald – Key West21DC	Jeff Wald – Key West21DC	
Ray Hunsberger	Ray Hunsberger	Ray Hunsberger	
Norm Esibill	Norm Esibill		
Safety Boat 3	Safety Boat 3	Safety Boat 3	
Larry Peacock – Boston Whaler17	Dave Seitz – Grady White 24	Dave Seitz – Grady White 24	
Vanessa Hendry	Dave Draper	Vanessa Hendry	
	Ted Hicks	Dave Draper	
Safety Boat 4	Safety Boat 4	Safety Boat 4	
Dave Draper – Key West SBYC	Dave Bird – Key West SBYC	Dave Bird– Key West SBYC	
Tom Schmid	Tom Schmid	Tom Schmid	
	George Russo	George Russo	
Media Boat 1	Media Boat 1		
PC Rob Roy – Chaparral 23	PC Rob Roy – Chaparral 23	PC Rob Roy (Available as needed)	
Nancy Mazzulli- US Sailing	SBYC History Photographer		
Lunch Boat 1	Lunch Boat 1	Lunch Boat 1	
Steve Kemp – Pursuit DC 235	Steve Kemp – Pursuit DC 235	Steve Kemp – Pursuit DC 235	
Adrienne Kemp	Adrienne Kemp	Adrienne Kemp	
Media Boat 2	Media Boat 2	Media Boat 2	
PC Dick Young – Scout 17.5	PC Dick Young – Scout 17.5	PC Dick Young – Scout 17.5	
PC Leon Kanopka – Photographer	PC Leon Kanopka – Photographer	PC Leon Kanopka - Photographer	
SBYC History Photographer			



Spray Beach Yacht Club Environs

We are fortunate to have a wide selection of restaurants and several boat shops in the vicinity of Spray Beach Yacht Club. These are typically within one or two miles of our Club.

Restaurants:

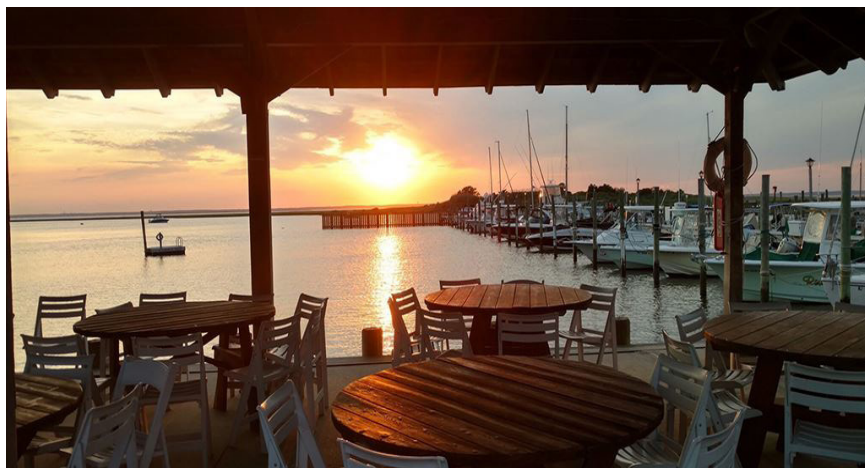
The Dockside Diner, 23rd and the Blvd., Spray Beach
Spray Beach Bagels, 24th and the Blvd, Spray Beach
Stefanos, 19th and the Blvd, North Beach Haven
Calabria, 19th and the Blvd, North Beach Haven
Dairy King, 18th and the Blvd, North Beach Haven
Terrace Tavern, Maryland and the Blvd, Beach Haven Terrace
California Grill, 34th and the Blvd, Beach Haven Gardens
Wawa, Maryland and the Blvd, Beach Haven Terrace
Marvels, Maryland and the Blvd., Beach Haven Terrace
Meltdown, Delaware and the Blvd., Beach Haven Terrace
...and many restaurants in downtown Beach Haven (1 mile south of SBYC)

Marine Shops

Morrison's, Dock Road and the bay, Beach Haven
The Boat Shop, Old Bay Avenue, Manahawkin
Hance & Smythe, Old Bay Avenue, Manahawkin

General Department Store (including hardware and tools)

Hands, 14th and the Blvd., North Beach Haven



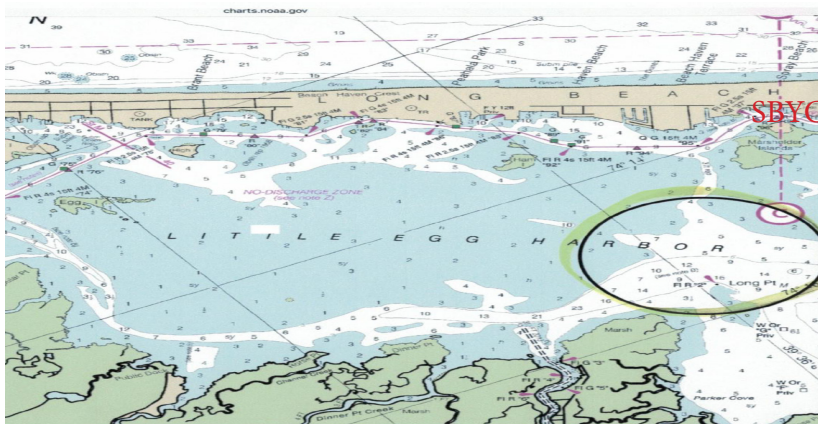


Previous Winners

2018 Randy Smyth Weta Trumaran
2017 Phil Collins Hobie 17
2016 Ken Marshack, Valarie Pioszak Hobie 18
2015 Michael Easton, Tripp Burd Formula 18
2014 Lars Guk A Cat
2013 Enrique Figueroa, Carla Malatrasi Hobie 16
2012 Sarah Newberry, Kenny Pierce Formula 16
2011 Matt Struble, Damon Lacasella Viper F16
2010 Pete Melvin, Nat Shaver C2 F18
2009 John Casey, John Williams Viper F16
2008 Nigel Pitt, Alex Shafer F18
2007 John Casey, John Williams Blade F16
2006 Robbie Daniel, Hunter Stunzi Nacra 20 spi
2005 Greg Thomas, Jacques Bernier Hobie Tiger spi
2004 Mike Montague, Kathy Ward Hobie 16 no spi
2003 Matt Struble, W.F. Oliver Javelin F18HT spi
2002 Matt Struble, Domonique Martin Hobie Tiger spi
2001 Matt Struble, Mike Kletke Inter 20 spi
1999-2000 Keith Christensen, Shala Youngerman Hobie 20
1998-1999 Randy Smyth, Keith Notary Nacra 6.0na
1997-1998 Pete Melvin, Roger Jenkins Hobie 20
1996 Jeff Newsome, Sandra Tartaglino Inter 18
1995 Randy Smyth, Jason Sneed Hobie 20
1994 Bob Curry, Kirk Newkirk Mystere 6.0
1993 Randy Smyth, Bert Rice Nacra 5.5
1992 Lake Tahoe, CA Larry Suter, Nick Scandone Hobie 20
1991 Carlton Tucker, Sean Donnelly Prindle 19
1990 Randy Smyth, Glenn Purcell Prindle 18-2
1989 Alan Egusa, Paul Parizeau Hobie 21
1988 Carlton Tucker, Mary Alice Tucker Hobie 18
1987 Carlton Tucker, Jarrett Melvin Nacra 5.7



Race Venue and Conditions



The championship will be sailed on the waters of Little Egg Harbor in proximity of Spray Beach Yacht Club in Spray Beach, NJ on Long Beach Island. Typical weather and wind conditions: 65 – 75 degrees, 10 – 20 mph.

Hobie L. Alter
1933- 2014



Hobie Alter - Hobie Cat 14 - Lake Havasu



History of Championship

The U.S. Multihull Championship is one of several prestigious championships hosted by US Sailing and sailed in selected one-design class boats. The perpetual trophy was presented and named the Alter Trophy in 1986 in honor of Hobie L. Alter, the humble and creative founding father of light, off the beach catamarans and one-design multihull racing. "Build them a toy, and a game to play with it," Hobie said. But Hobie didn't just create toys, he created a way of life, a new way of looking at our watery world.

In 2019, the U.S. Multihull Championship for the Hobie Alter Trophy returns to its roots. The chosen class is the Hobie 14, the original Hobie Cat. In the mid- 1960s, Hobie Alter saw a need for a light, easily handled catamaran that could be launched directly off the beach on the days when wind ruined the waves for surfing. Now in its 51 st year of production, Hobie 14 racing is in resurgence around the world as competitors look for a simple, inexpensive, yet challenging boat that provides the thrill of a multihull. The U.S. Multihull Championship for the Hobie Alter Trophy has become one of the nation's major sailing championships, having featured world champions from numerous classes, Olympic medalists and several national champions from the multihull ranks.

"If it's fun, it's never work. And if it isn't fun, it'll never work."

- Hobie Alter



Imagine our sport without race officials. Who would make the call?

US Sailing certified race officials bring experience, judgement and credibility to racing events. We're here to serve all racing sailors – we run the races, hear the protests and make the calls on the water.

We need racing sailors like you on our team – will you join us? For more information about becoming a certified race official, please visit <http://ussailing.org/race-officials>.



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