

HHYC Race Results - 2017

Charlie Bangs Apple Blossom Memorial Race 2017

With only one entry for the race, the Charlie Bangs was not held in 2017 (nor in 2016). Thanks to Art for Race Committee preparations.

Keg Classic 2017

The Keg Classic Race was held Saturday, July 8, 2017 under initially threatening skies. A heavy rain with scattered lightning a half-hour before the skipper's meeting caused a 15 minute delay in start. Fortunately the weather improved with scattered clouds and wind varying 7 to 14 knots from the NW.

3 boats participated in the two races – details are in the table below. Velocity Girl used the opportunity to practice for EYC next week. Congratulations to Red Head and crew for the low score. Over all place is determined by the lowest sum of the two finishes. The traditional round of drafts was shared by many of the participants with thanks to Phil for opening the bar.

David Rice & Suzanne Gervais – Race Committee

Keg Classic Scoring Sheet

7/8/2017

Race 1

Start: 10:45:00

Boat	Sail #	Skipper	Finish Time	Elapsed Time	Time ahead of last	Race 1 Sequence
Shields	148	Hoffman	12:15:14	1:30:14	0:00:00	3
Velocity Girl	278	Leonard	12:12:18	1:27:18	0:02:56	2
Red Head	481	Siemon (Haylie)	12:11:25	1:26:25	0:03:49	1

Race 2

First boat start: 12:30:00

Boat	Sail #	Skipper	Start Time	Finish Time	Sequence	Sum of Finishes
Shields	148	Hoffman	12:30:00	13:34:07	1	4
Velocity Girl	278	Leonard	12:32:56	13:40:45	3	5
Red Head	481	Siemon	12:33:49	13:38:05	2	3

Women's Challenge Cup

After several years absence, the Women's Challenge Cup returned on July 22 with six women participating as skippers or crew. Four Typhoons were made available by their owners, permitting one-design racing in boats perfectly matched to the race and weather conditions. Unfortunately one Typhoon, Osprey, had a fouled jib halyard and had to retire before the start.

Five short course races allowed rotations of skippers where desired. Scoring was based on place in the best two finishes for each skipper. The wind was SW at 3-6 kts.

On Punky were Jane and Lee Cagwin, on Twister Noreen Mallabar, Mary Ellen and Steve Woiler, and on Ella, Nancy Siemon, Corlis Kaiser, and Suzanne Gervais.

Jane and Noreen were tied with two firsts each (best two races), with Jane breaking the tie with a third first place. Mary Ellen's two second place finishes gave her third place overall with Nancy following in fourth place. All competitors finished close to one another with two close photo finishes for second and third in those races. The others chose to crew only.

All competitors were in enthusiastic agreement that they would like to hold several such events each year so look forward to more one design racing with our female members.