



BAYCO JUNIOR SAILING COMPASS

*The Annapolis Yacht Club Junior Sailing Newsletter – June 2009
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Upcoming Events

July 7 – West River Regatta
July 7 – Family Sail and BBQ
July 8 – AYC Regatta
July 9 – Sandy McVicker Regatta-SSA
July 11-12 – Junior Olympics –
Baltimore County Sailing Center
July 13 – Session 3 Begins
July 14 – Gibson Island Regatta
July 16 – Corsica River/ Midget Elims.
July 17 – Cambridge Regatta
July 21 – Family Sail and BBQ
July 21 – Indian Landing Regatta
July 27 – Session 4 begins

End of Season Awards

The End of Season Awards Ceremony is moved to **August 11**. This is to accommodate as many families as possible.

Annapolis Junior Race Week



This week is the race week for the junior sailors in the Chesapeake Bay. It kicks off with a regatta at West River Sailing Club on Tuesday.

There will be Opti Green, Opti Championship Fleet, C420s, Lasers, and Radials. As soon as they racers are finished, they will pack up their boats, and immediately head back to Annapolis.

Wednesday is the AYC Annual Jr. Regatta. We are running Opti Green, Championship Fleet, C420, Lasers, and Radials. We are bringing in parents of the race team, members of the Junior Fleet Committee, and the AYC Race Committee to help run the event.

Thursday, all of our racer area heading to SSA for the third event of the week. The final event is the Junior Olympics hosted by the Baltimore County Sailing Center, which is an all weekend event.

AYC Sailors Attend Youth Champs.



Congratulations to our 420 sailors for competing in the US Sailing Youth Championship. Scott Houck/Jack Ortel, Fletcher Sims/Brady Stagg, and John Andril/Amanda Salvesen competed in the event, finishing 4, 7, and 21 respectively. The teams each sailed a very strong regatta, and came close to the podium.

Jonathan Bartlett Interview Part 2

4. Who do you like sailing with? Name some famous and non-famous sailor. **My daughters Emily and Annie are the people I really like sailing with. In 1996, I sold my Star and bought a Penguin. They both sailed with me a lot back in those days and it was a blast. Two people that I have learned an awful lot from are Charlie Scott and John White. Both of them prepare their boats so well that you know you are the best prepared boat before the race.**

5. What is your advice to kids who want to pursue competitive sailing? **FUN! First and foremost, have FUN. Travel and meet new friends all over the country and planet if you can. Be diverse. Try crewing on different boats and learn all the crew positions if possible. Jr Sailing is what you make of it but never forget to have Fun.**

