

## Harbor 20 - Fleet 1

# HIGHLIGHTS VOL.2 JULY 2024



## A Message from your Fleet Captain:

Thanks for the great response to our first issue of Highlights. Our new Fleet 1 Newsletter is devoted to keeping our membership up to date on what's happening with the fleet. Here's more news from Fleet 1 about what's ahead this summer.

Last quarter was filled with wonderful regattas and education opportunities to keep upping our game. This upcoming quarter we move from education to a tremendous number of opportunities to race. The weather is more inviting and the yacht clubs throughout the bay gear up for racing almost every night of the week. Plus, for those who may prefer competition of another sort, mark your calendars for the Heritage Regatta on Saturday, 8/17 at LIYC. This "scavenger hunt" followed by a party of all parties will not disappoint!

Your Board continues to work to ensure our Fleet standards are upheld, records and accolades for advancement are provided and we promote good times on and off the water. Let me know if you have any thoughts on what we can do better for you. Kari Bretschaer – Fleet Captain, Fleet 1

## WHAT'S AHEAD FOR JULY-SEPT: Don't miss out! Regattas:

High Point:

8/4 BYC MidSummer Regatta 9/14 BCYC Harbor 20 Tune-Up Regatta

9/15 NHYC Fall One-Design Regatta

9/21-9/22 NHYC Fleet Champs

## Non-High point:

ALYC Sundowner Series, Mondays thru 8/26 BCYC Taco Tuesday, Tuesdays thru 8/20 BYC Twilights, Wednesdays thru 8/21 BYC Beer Cans, Thursdays thru 8/22 (C's and novice

NHYC Twilights, Thursdays thru 8/22

NHYC Friday Frolics selected Fridays

7/14 BYC Flight of Newport (special photo coverage)

8/16 LIYC North/South Regatta

8/17 LIYC Heritage Regatta

9/13 NHYC Women on the Water Invitational

SPRING RACING AND EDUCATION PROGRAMS WERE A SUCCESS FINISHING WITH LORIN WEISS AND C'S THE DAY

**High Point Racing: Lorin Weiss Series** Winners 1st Place Overall Series

A Fleet: Zephyr, Josh Legg and **Greg Helias** 





B Fleet: Spirit, Peter and Debra Haynes

### C's THE DAY RACE AND SEMINAR HOSTED BY **ALYC 4.27.24—WELL ATTENDED AND FUN!**



Course instructor **Peter Haynes** sharing rules of racing and more!

Sailors gathering at the start of a great day at ALYC.





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#### **AUGUST REGATTAS!!! SIGN UP!**

Mid-Summer Regatta/Party Sunday 8/4 BYC is pulling out all stops for this, the only High Point regatta this summer! Includes A, B, C sailors!
--Windward Leeward Races and a Random Leg Finish off the BYC Tower.

--Music and food after the Regatta BYC Flag Deck --Perpetual Trophy and more!!!

#### Heritage Regatta Scavenger Hunt and Dinner/Dance Saturday 8/17 11:00am til ........

--Fun event for racers and non-racers.

--Dinner and dancing at LIYC after the "hunt" --Come and meet other Harbor 20 owners and

friends!

#### DID YOU KNOW?

Fleet 1 will host the Harbor 20 Class National Championships next year—3/20-3/22/25. Mark your calendars! Moré info to follow! Any member of the Fleet can race in this exciting regatta that brings Class members together from Coast to

#### BEHIND THE SCENES VOLUNTEER SHOUT OUT!!!

You don't have to be a Director to support the fleet. The following members have stepped up to assist as follows:

**CFO Support** 

Nina Manning **Benchmarks** 

Ross Watanabe State of the Fleet Event

Peter Bretschger

Telemarketing Win Fuller

**Ambassadors** 

BCYC Mary Bacon BYC Judy Weightman

NHYC Anne Wiese

**ALYC Scott Barnes** LIYC Kathy Sangster

THANK YOU!!

#### WANT TO GET INVOLVED?

We need your help! Especially for Communications support so we can get the word out—graphics, copy, social media +++ Contact Kari@IMWagency.com to volunteer for this opportunity or for another committee—regattas, hospitality, benchmarks, education/clinics, State of the Fleet, and administration.

#### SAVE THE DATE!

Monday, October 7, 7pm will be our first ever "State of the Fleet" meeting at the Balboa Yacht Club open to all Harbor 20 Fleet 1 members. Come hear your Board members share fleet goals, initiatives and what's ahead!

#### WELCOME ABOARD! (APR-JUNE)

Randy Gustafson (Associate) Andrew Person (Skipper) Trey Schwartz (Associate)

#### **MEMBERSHIP DRIVE:**

Fleet membership is strong yet we still have opportunity to grow. So, we developed a flver to provide information about the value of membership. To view note the link below and feel free to share it with someone—crew or nonmember skipper/ owner—who you think would enjoy joining the Fleet.

https://www.harbor20.org/wpcontent/uploads/2024/04/Harbor-20-Flyerrev-3-pdf.pdf



April 6 On the Water Clinic, Balboa Yacht Club

H20 FLEET 1—The largest of 9 fleets across the United States and home to where the fleet began.