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The Alamitos Bay Yacht Club at Long Beach, Ca., hosted the Snipes for the 34th Annual SCYA Mid Winter Regatta, Feb. 18-19. Thirty six boats entered. Pleasant winds and sunny skies made the entire weekend a short sleeved moderate hiking affair. Four races were conducted. The Saturday opener was 9.9 nautical miles followed by brief 5.9 mile race. Sunday saw the fleet sail 4.8 miles and then a final 8.4 mile dash for a weekend total of 29.0 nautical miles not counting windward tacking.

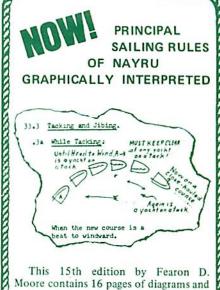
Buzz Levinson and Dan Blodgett borrowed a boat in order to "check out" the site for the 1978 Nationals. Buzz liked the area especially the weather, 72° in

February, but he commented that his lake was not even 4.8 miles in circumference.

The regatta was important and competitive for several reasons. First, this is the site for the 1978 Snipe Nationals. Second, it was the initial regatta for the District 6 Traveling Trophy. Finally, this was a tune up regatta for the California sailors going to the Southern Circuit.

This regatta was also the first chance for everyone to see the new Mc Laughlin and Phoenix Snipes side by side. With two active builders and the 1978 Snipe Nationals in Southern California the Snipe Fleet is enjoying a strong resurgence in popularity. King Harbor and Newport Harbor are both rebuilding their fleets.

> Eric Conn Alamitos Bay Fleet No. 218



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| | Boat | Skipper | Club | Places | Points | Finish |
|---|-------|----------------|----------------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| | 20560 | Jeff Lenhart | MBYC | 1-1-3 | 41/2 | 1 |
| | 23177 | Earl Elms | MBYC | 4-3-2 | 9 | 2 |
| | 22326 | Craig Martin | MBYC | 6-4-1 | 103/4 | 3 |
| | 19555 | Jim Grubbs | ABYC | 9-2-5 | 16 | 4 |
| | 22731 | Jack Bateman | MBYC | 5-5-6 | 16 | 5 |
| | 17769 | Keith Dobson | ABYC | 12-9-4 | 25 | 67 |
| | 23179 | Tom Nute | MBYC | 2-14-9 | 25 | 7 |
| | | | B Fleet - Top 2 of 8 boats | | | |
| | 20561 | Don Bedford | MBYC | 2-1-1 | 31/2 | 1 |
| 1 | 22816 | Kevin McMenony | MBYC | 1-3-2 | 53/4 | 2 |



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The Commodore and YOU

Dear Fellow Sniper,

The "Commodore and You" for this month isn't going to follow the intended schedule. Reason being that the majority of my month has been dedicated to our Snipe Winter Circuit.

As the majority of you know, this requires endless time and sailing dedication. Therefore, very little has transpired in our SCIRA paper world; so, I will bring you all up to date next month.

I personally feel as though you all would like "Candid Snipe Mid-Winter Circuit Impressions." So, here goes.

The Circuit was comprised of endless super SCIRA's skippers and crews. The sailing conditions encompassed almost any wind and sea conditions possible.

Looking at the overall circuit results I *personally* feel as though our SCIRA merged with excellent results.

As almost all of you are aware of our Snipe Mid-Winter Circuit is a very important testing and proving ground. So, my personal results are as follows: (Note, if I end up owing anyone an apology please accept same now).

1. The old, new and ultra new Snipes all proved to be quite competitive.

2. The sail makers all got their share of glory and showed good all-round performance in general.

3. The new and old Snipe Class masts all performed very efficiently and each mast had its definite advantage in certain conditions and performing requirements.

4. Our standard equipment stood up to "Gorilla-Winds" with recommendations for improvements to rudders, whisker poles and general common sense rigging mistakes plus personal misjudgments. Examples: (a) when you jibe and your main sail covers you up in the cockpit with the halyard shackle still secured to subject headboard, (b) when you have a collision and thus turn over to find that your daggerboard has abandoned ship and joined "Davy Jones." (Note: the second incident did not involve your Commodore.)

In all seriousness I do feel as though our Snipe Boats are still as tough as ever when considering their present day competitiveness. One other point is that our new masts and tuning techniques are far easier and more forgiving to sail with; especially in "Gorilla Winds."

5. Husbands and wives teams can still win the tough, tough, heavy air races. Girls and boys sailing together can still compete and stay up alright in 35 M. P. H. winds plus. 6. If you turn over and sink you can still take the time, time, time to get floating again and still win a championship.

I hope that you agree with me in the importance of the above; plus, accept the fact that I personally feel as though all of this plus has definitely contributed to the best all round competitive racing class on our World.

> Keep Hiking, Commodore Bruce H. Colyer

Status by Countries

The following is a list of countries that had paid dues for 1977. The figures indicate the number of dues-paying boats. Those nations not included had not remitted their dues by press time. Unfortunately, it is the same 8 or 10 countries that are tardy and this prevents us from making meaningful year-to-year comparisons. However, by comparing the countries that have paid with last year's figures, it appears we have a slight increase.

| Austria | 5 | Finland | 100 | |
|---------|----|----------|------|--|
| Bahamas | 15 | Japan | 500 | |
| Belgium | 60 | Norway | 51 | |
| Bermuda | 14 | Paraguay | 12 | |
| Canada | 42 | Spain | 486 | |
| Chile | 18 | Sweden | 76 | |
| Cuba | 27 | Turkey | 15 | |
| Ecuador | 3 | U.S.A. | 1483 | |
| England | 99 | Uruguay | 31 | |
| | | TOTAL | 3051 | |

THE COVER

Lake Carlyle's docks and new clubhouse are featured in this photo from last year's District III Championship sent by Carlyle Fleet Captain Felecia Bamer. Looks like a good place to hold a U.S. Nationals some time.

THE SCORE

Forty-five new numbers were issued last month with Spain taking the most with 30. The U. S. got 11 and England 4.

The new national secretary from Portugal, Vasco Talone, is starting off with good success. He has gotten two new fleets started. Charter number 754 went to Clube Desportivo de Paco de Arcos and number 755 went to Clube de Vela de Tavira.

Numbered SNIPES 23281 Chartered Fleets 755

North Americans set Sept. 22-24 at Annapolis

Fleet 532 (Annapolis, Maryland) is pleased to host the 1978 North Americans on September 22-24, 1978 at Severn Sailing Association (SSA). We anticipate a full schedule of racing and social events, with an excellent turnout of top competitors.

SSA is a leading one-design club and a dozen tough fleets race from here. Facilities are fine for racing (plenty of boat parking, three hoists, one ramp) and the Board of Governors has pledged full support. Racing will be at the mouth of the Severn River on Chesapeake Bay, off Greenberry Point on the Olympic Circle. The course is about half an hour's sail from the club. There are predictable currents in the course area, which makes for interesting and challenging racing conditions.

After the summer calms and thunder-

It Ain't What You Do — it's the way that you do it

The American Heritage Dictionary defines technique as: "The systematic procedure by which a complex or scientific task is accomplished."

Larry White, Fleet Captain of Severn Sailing Association's Annapolis Fleet 532 has agreed to be Technical (of or pertaining to technique) Editor for the BUL-LETIN. Since editor means "one who edits – makes suitable for publication or public presentation" he will need lots of material from knowledgeable Snipe sailors everywhere.

Subjects suitable for exploitation are numerous in a complex sport such as sailboat racing, and almost everyone is an expert in some area. Don't be shy. Volunteer to share your knowledge. Some areas to be covered are: rigging and tuning, repair, construction, sail design, handling the sails, boat handling, trailers and trailering, and psychology.

In real life Larry is: Captain Lawrence A. White of the U.S. Coast Guard. His address is 228 Claude St, Annapolis, MD 21401.

He has been a member of the Annapolis and Miami fleets, and has written articles for the BULLETIN on rebuilding, re-decking, etc. as well as on wetsuits and cold water dangers.

Send articles to Larry or to the SCIRA office. When Larry requests an article from you, please respond. He can use tapes - for those who feel more at ease with the spoken word.

His own introduction to this new department follows.

storms, late September tends to be windy, with fairly frequent frontal passages. Water temperatures are still fairly high, but if you have wet suits, you might want to use them. The club has showers and a snack bar (with beer too) for post-sail needs. There is limited camping and van parking available.

For those who come but not to sail, Annapolis is a great place to visit; as a first Capital, state capital, sailing center, home of the U. S. Naval Academy and the NSRDC (David Taylor Model Basin) – and about 45 minutes from Washington, D. C. We will have spectator facilities for the racing also.

Our schedule calls for:

Thursday 21 Sept. – register, weigh/ measure – beer @ SSA

Friday 22 Sept. – 0900 – sail 3 races – cocktails @ SSA

Saturday 23 Sept. – 0900 – sail 3 races – dinner

Sunday 24 Sept. – 1000 – sail 2 races – no race after 1400.

We are about equidistant from Washington National Airport and Baltimore-Washington International Airport, and by road are off US 50/301. Motel accommodations are available, and some may be able to stay with friends in our fleet.

For further information, write to our regatta chairman, Eric Purdon, at 3 Perry Avenue, Annapolis, MD 21403.

Larry White, Fleet 532

Chile Changes National Secretary

Bernardo Berdicheski is retiring as SCIRA National Secretary for Chile to be succeeded by Cesar Gonzales, Casilla 5266, Santiago 3, Chile.

The class has advanced strongly in Chile under Bernardo's leadership. Cesar has served as National Secretary previously, and we are sure he will continue the good progress made by Snipes in Chile.

Fast boats and fancy . . .

There's no doubt that some Snipes are faster than others. Since we're all equally adept helmsmen and tacticians, it must all be in the boats.

Once you've wiped the tears from your eyes, let's consider the fact that some boats really are faster than others, despite the nut on the tiller. In a onedesign class, how can this be so? Even in a fairly tightly controlled class, there is frequently room to innovate – but does it make you go faster?

Remember the "superfat rudder" craze? Well, you bought buoyancy and lift and picked up drag and flow separation. Now we're limited to a sensible 15% foil shape by the rule. There has also been a period of ingestion of high speed rudder technology into low-speed design, and so on. Anyway, it's all pretty confusing. Yet there are some absolutes, and the relationships of some variables to each other are known, if only empirically. For example, we all move way forward in very light air, to reduce wetted surface and therefore drag when our horsepower slides way down. At some point, we all have learned, lift (from rig to hull) and drag must cross over and a drastic reduction in drag must take place if we are to keep moving. As speed increases, though, resistance due to form becomes more important and "shoulders" in the waterline seems to slow us up - we move aft some, to some individually magic place.

There are many more mysteries to be explored.

It's also a weight horsepower game, as well as one of weight distribution. Horsepower means efficient rigs with suitable controls to adjust sail shapes for the conditions. Since instrumentation is virtually impossible in little boats, controls should be somewhere between simple and automatic — or you get the stringpullers delight, and no go-fast.

Recent research further suggests a close relationship between mast shape and size (diameter) to sail chord, including consideration of twist and the angle of incidence of the airflow across the airfoil. What does that mean in English? And are turbulence stimulators worthwhile (sandpaper on the mast)? Heavy stuff, but if you want to go fast you should understand it, or at least know what to buy.

There are many very fast Snipers in very fast Snipes. I'd like to explore some of these and other topics further in the BULLETIN. Write to me, or send me a tape – we'll try to get some good word around. Faster competitors means better competition.

How about a 200-pound Snipe? Or tighter and more uniform class specifications to favor no particular material or method of construction? Maybe uniform flotation requirements, regardless of material?

The slick magazines do quite a good job on tactics and many other features of racing, but who knows Snipes better than we do?

The Zimmerman Trophy—Jeff Wins Again

Jeff Lenhart triumphs in Winter Circuit for third straight year.

The BULLETIN staff is especially grateful to Pete Duvoisin who took his tape recorder and camera to the Winter Circuit. He not only provided much of the material for the Winter Circuit writeup, including an exclusive and enlightening interview with the Commodore; he also interviewed Mike McLaughlin, Earl Elms, and Tom Nute about boats, masts, and sails. These interviews will appear in future BULLETINS.

Midwinter Championship

Jeff Lenhart again proved his mastery of Snipe sailing by winning first at Clearwater, March 5-7, and going on to dominate the Circuit and take the Zimmerman Trophy back to California. He was followed by Mark Reynolds, the new phenom from Southern California, and SCIRA Board Member Doug DeSouza. Greg Fisher, Newport, R. I., sailmaker was 4th, and Earl Elms was 5th. Tom Nute, Francis Seavy, Gonzalo Diaz Jr., Keith Donald, and Robin Gales rounded out the top ten in that order.

A blustery cold front went through Clearwater with such force that Saturday's scheduled tune-up race was cancelled. Winter weary northern sailors, and Californians hoping to turn their rust to tan, had to wait for Sunday to test their equipment and evaluate what is new in the Snipe world for the 1978 season.

Sunday it was still cold. The only one who had tested the course the day before was Commodore Bruce Colyer. The wind was 15 to 18 out of the northeast for the first race, which was rather short. By the time the race started the wind was switching to the northwest and some planing was possible on the reaches. Because of the large registration -51boats - the boats were divided into fleets



Jeff Lenhart, the winner – Midwinters, Gamblin, and Zimmerman trophies. (Pete Duvoisin photo)

with two flights for each race. In the first race the two winners were Doug DeSouza and Robin Gales.

In the second race, the winds dropped a little to about 10-15. The winners were Greg Fisher and Jeff Lenhart.

Monday with winds out of the east, the race was started toward the shore. As it lightened to almost nothing, and shifted, the course had to be changed, and shortened. Mark Reynolds and Doug DeSouza both won their divisions.

The second race of the day was started in winds out of the west-northwest at 8-10 and dying. Reynolds again won his division and Tom Nute took honors for the other flight.

Tuesday's winds were brisk, out of the southeast, blowing into a new front moving down on Florida. Dr. Don Cochran, assisting with the Race Committee predicted that it would blow out of the southeast until about 12 and then shift to the south and that it would blow hard.

The winds were described as 15 to 20 and the conditions as hairy, with the winds and waves both increasing in the first race. With gusts to 25 there were lost and bent whisker poles, and more damage might have been done to equipment, except that the courses were two triangles plus windward leg, rather than Olympic. The winds dropped somewhat for the last race of the series. The first race winners were Earl Elms, by a horizon job, and Lenhart again. In the second race, Jeff won his division, with the second division won by Keith Donald.

Lighter Side of the Midwinters:

Doctor D interviews the Commodore

D: "This is the Bloody Red – the former Bloody Red – now the Commodore. Would you care to say a few words?"

C: "I've been bloodied! ... What would you like to hear, Doc? Are we talking to Buzzy?"

D: Yeah, Buzzy's going to get this. It has all the results on it."

C: "It was a lovely regatta. Lovely. The limber masts are moving well."

D: (Interjection) "Over the bow – especially if you don't let the thing off."

C: "Sailed every race in the Gulf for the first time in what? Eight years? It was just fantastic.

"It was great and I was very happy to see the new boats moving – and the old boats moving – all the boats moving!"

D: "Yes! Keith Donald in a 14,000 boat!"

C: "- An old Lippincott boat - just like I sold - with Scofield sails and a stiff, stiff mast."

D: "And I bet you money you are

going to buy one back!"

C: "Right, right - and you are buying Earl's boat!"

D: "Right, right . . . !"

Don Q Rum Keg Regatta

Fifty one boats showed up at the Coconut Grove Sailing Club for the 12th Annual Don Q Rum Keg Regatta, March 10-12. On Friday, race was never to take place as the wind went up to 25 knots gusting 30 to 35. The Race Committee sent everybody back home. That was all for the day.

Saturday, March 11. First race was started in light winds from the south. Bruce Nolan crossed the finish line in first place followed by Augie Diaz, Jerry Thompson, Pete Fenner and Tom Nute. The light winds continued forcing the Race Committee to call it off for the day.

Sunday, March 12. The start of the second race was scheduled for 9:00 A. M. with the intention of getting in 3 races with a 3:00 P. M. deadline to start the last race of the day. At 9:00 A. M. there was no wind. It finally started to fill in from the southeast at 10:00 A. M. Dirk Kneulman and crew Roberto Muru, the only Canadians attending the circuit this year, took an early lead never to be challenged with Augie Diaz in second place followed by Terry Timm, local Bob Russell and Californian Mark Reynolds.

Third race had winds ranging from 10 to 12 mph. Steve Suddath from Jacksonville, Florida, sailing an old Argentinian Bordolani (wood) boat No. 14789 grabbed the lead and crossed the finish line in first place followed by Sam Mollet (Ohio), local Pete Melvin (Youth World Champion), Doug DeSouza (California) and Canadian Dirk Kneulman.

Fourth race and last: winds picked up from 10 to 15 mph. Augie Diaz took the lead at the first weather mark closely followed by Elms, Lenhart and Suddath. At the finish line it was Lenhart first, then Augie, Steve Suddath, Greg Fisher and Earl Elms.

The Snipe Class is very thankful to the Coconut Grove Sailing Club and the Don Q Rum Co. for co-sponsoring this regatta. To all the members of the Club that helped to put up this Regatta, Friday Don Q Cocktail Party and Cook Out, to Dick Russell who helped in the Race Committee and supplied the Race Committee Boat. To Jim Weber, Race Committee Chairman, who, again, did a super job this year; without his effort we would have never had 4 races in this Series.

A special thanks too, from the fleet, to Fleet Captain Bill Aicardi for all the work in organizing the regatta and working



Midwinter winners: L to R: Earl Elms, Greg Fisher, Jeff Lenhart, Mark Revnolds, Doug DeSouza. Front: Dan Ngri, Bill Brooks, Craig Martin, Mike McLaughlin. Not present for picture, Marc Duvoisin. (Pete Duvoisin photo)

MIDWINTER CHAMPIONSHIP (Ton 30 of 51 Entries)

| (Top 50 of 51 Entries) | | | |
|------------------------|---|---|--|
| Home | Places | Points | Finish |
| San Diego, Ca. | 2-1-2-1-1 | 6 | 1 |
| | 3-1-1-2-2 | 11.4 | 2 |
| | 1-1-5-2-3 | 18.7 | 3 |
| | 2-1-2-7-4 | 27 | 4 |
| | 3-3-3-5-1 | | 5 |
| | 4-2-3-1-9 | | 6 |
| | 9-2-3-5-6 | | 7 |
| Miami, Fl. | 5-2-7-4-6 | | 8 |
| Heller Town, Pa. | 7-8-9-3-1 | 47.7 | 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 |
| | 1-4-13-4-7 | 48 | 10 |
| Miami, Fl. | 5-6-2-11-5 | 51.7 | 11 |
| Satellite Beach, Fl. | 9-5-10-4-2 | 52 | 12 |
| Oakville, Ontario | 7-7-6-6-3 | 55.1 | 13 |
| Miami, Fl. | 9-4-4-11-4 | 56 | 14 |
| Akron, Oh. | 4-7-6-8-5 | 56.7 | 15 |
| Chattanooga, Tn. | 6-6-7-6-6 | 60.4 | 16 |
| Cleveland, Oh. | 4-8-8-8-7 | 63 | 17 |
| Newport, R.I. | 3-13-11-3-12 | 65.4 | 18 |
| Miami, Fl. | 12-5-2-9-3 | 66.7 | 19 |
| Ypsilanti, Mi. | 14-10-5-9-10 | 77 | 20 |
| Canton, Oh. | 11-13-7-9-8 | | 21 |
| Annapolis, Md. | 8-12-12-7-13 | | 22 |
| Dover, N.H. | 11-11-13-10-8 | | 23 |
| Memphis, Tn. | 17-13-8-6-11 | 84.7 | 24 |
| Annapolis, Md. | 9-12-17-15-12 | 95 | 25 25 |
| | 15-14-9-10-17 | | 25 |
| | | | 25 28 |
| Atlanta, Ga. | | | 28 |
| | | | 28 |
| Atlanta, Ga. | 10-18-10-14-15 | 97 | 30 |
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with the Race Committee. Also to the contestants: There were no protests -NOT A SINGLE ONE!

> Gonzalo E. Diaz Miami Fleet No. 7

Bacardi Cup

A group of Snipe sailors aboard BRUCE'S BOAT anchored at Nassau's Yacht Haven compiled the following report on the Bacardi Cup, held Mar. 15-16.

"What was it like, The Bacardi Cup? Who won? - Dunks won? - what did he have?"

"The slowest Chubasco ever built, old fashioned Cobra mast, and worn out Ullman sails. What's more, he fell out of the boat on the finish line, jumped back

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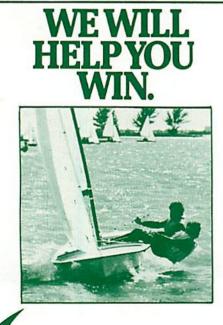


Aboard Bruce's Boat: Commodore, Gail, Tom Nute. (Pete Duvoisin photo)

Above, right: Bruce and Don Cochran in Clearwater Y.C. parking lot. Right: Big E – at the Midwinters with the new Clearwater Y.C. in the background. (Pete Duvoisin photos)







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| 1st Colombia Nationals | 2,1,1,1,2 |

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Bacardi Cup

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Skipper

John Dunkley

Pierre Siegenthaler

Jeff Lenhart

Terry Timm

Fritz Gram Earl Elms

Robin Gales Sam Mollet Buddy Culbertson

Dirk Kneulman Pete Duvoisin Mark Reynolds

Jerry Thompson

Skipper Jeff Lenhart

Tom Nute Doug DeSouza

in, and still won the race."

"I meant what were his finishes. You are harassing me."

"Why don't you take that thing outside so we can turn the music back on?" "I can't believe that Tom Nute who

was third in the Bacardi Cup, said that."

"Good Lord, that thing's not on is it?" Untranslatable giggles in background. "Sure it is - it's candid. What was the regatta like?"

"Wind conditions were mild - all under 12 - maybe 10 to 14 out of the southeast and shifty. You had to go to one side or the other."

"What do you say, Doug?"

"I say they should have had four trophies. I was 4th for the 4th time!"

"Look what happened to Elms. He was 8th."

"What happened to you, Earl?"

"I was put away - it was a misunderstanding - close encounter - I was boned!"

"O. K., Mike, how bad was the boning?"

"Hardest boning you ever saw. A spear job!"

"I am going outside and give the scores. This crowd is unruly!"

Gamblin Memorial Regatta

Jeff won the Gamblin Trophy and cinched the Zimmerman Trophy in spite of a capsize in the last race which dropped him to 18th in that finish. He had lots of company in the water. The race winner, Pete Duvoisin, described the winds as "really honking." Tom Nute was second for the regatta. Mark Reynolds was third, Earl Elms fourth, and Bill Buckles fifth.

The series began Mar. 16 in light, shifty weather, but on the second day, a front moved through with winds to 25 knots. In the planing conditions, there were many position changes and some capsizes, and equipment failures.

The last race was a real test, and a gear buster. The start was delayed by a rainsquall and as the skies cleared, there was some doubt that the winds would be below the limit for a Snipe start. The winds did calm down - a little - and the race was on, for a fitting high wind race to end the 1978 winter circuit.

Jeff Wins Again!

Jeff Lenhart, skipper with the best

(Top 26 of 51 Entries) Skipper/Crew Fleet Augie Diaz/Barbara Chesney Miami Jeff Lenhart/Bill Brooks Mission Bay Steve Suddath/Connie Ewin St. Johns, Jax **Mission Bay** Earl Elms/Marc Duvoisin Mark Reynolds/Craig Martin Mission Bay Dirk Kneulman/Roberto Muru Oakville, Canada

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| 22216 | Dirk Kneulman/Roberto Muru | Oakville, Cana |
| 20318 | Pete Fenner/Suzan Riddle | Dallas |
| 22321 | Doug DeSouza/Mike McLaughlin | San Diego |
| 21713 | Gonzalo E. Diaz/Jorge Guerra | Miami |
| 19091 | Pete Duvoisin/Jane Duvoisin | Privateer |
| 20259 | Robin Gales/Donald Krebs | Mission Bay |
| 20707 | Terry Timm/Becky Self | Barton B.C. |
| 6995 | Francis Seavy/Kevin Guido | Clearwater |
| 22851 | Greg Fisher/Dan Neri | Newport |
| 23179 | Tom Nute/Grant Hill | Mission Bay |
| 21502 | Bruce Nolan/Margarita Nolan | Miami |
| 20369 | Jerry Thompson/Sue Reischmann | Lake Angelus |
| 21711 | Gonzalo Diaz Jr./Louis Verloop | Miami |
| 19389 | Bob Russell/Eric Sheeder | Miami |
| 9582 | Pete Melvin/Morgan Reeser | Miami |
| 14002 | Keith Donald/David Himmel | Annapolis |
| 21706 | Buddy Culbertson/Ron Russell | Miami |
| 22823 | Sam Mollett/Brian Mollett | Akron |
| 16104 | John Muhlhausen/Jim Roddey | Atlanta |
| 23182 | Bob Blomquist/Gina Blomquist | Annapolis |
| 23061 | Bill Buckles/Glen Darden | Cleveland |
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BACARDI CUP (Top 15 of 24 Entries)

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| Home | Places | Finish |
| Nassau | 1-3-3 | 1 |
| Mission Bay | 2-12-1 | 2 |
| Mission Bay | 3-5-4 | 3 |
| Mission Bay | 5-8-2 | 4 |
| Nassau | 4-6-5 | 5 |
| Barton B.C. | 15-2-9 | 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 |
| Cuba Lake | 9-7-6 | 7 |
| Mission Bay | 7-1-nf | 8 |
| Mission Bay | 8-11-7 | 9 |
| Akron | 11-4-15 | 10 |
| Miami | 6-18-11 | 11 |
| Oakville, Canada | 16-9-10 | 12 |
| Privateer | 13-15-14 | 13 |
| Mission Bay | dq-10-8 | 14 |
| Lake Angelus | 10-17-16 | 15 |
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13-16-15-8

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11-15-21-13

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38-12-30-17

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GAMBLIN MEMORIAL REGATTA (Top 15 of 23 Entries)

| Home | Places | Finish |
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| Mission Bay | 6-2-1-1-18 | 1 |
| Mission Bay | 3-6-3-4-5 | 2 |
| Mission Bay | 1-1-6-17-4 | 3 |
| Mission Bay | 5-3-12-2-10 | 4 |
| Cleveland | 2-11-5-6-7 | 5 |
| Nassau | 4-13-9-8-3 | 6 |
| Nassau | 10-4-4-12-6 | 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 |
| Privateer | 15-5-10-13-1 | 8 |
| Mission Bay | 8-7-8-7-11 | 9 |
| Oakville, Canada | 20-15-2-5-8 | 10 |
| Mission Bay | 7-nf-7-3-9 | 11 |
| Mission Bay | 13-8-nf-14-2 | 12 |
| Barton B.C. | 14-9-11-10-14 | 13 |
| Nassau | 18-10-17-11-13 | 14 |
| Alamitos Bay | 19-17-14-15-12 | 15 |

DISTRICT V REGATTAS

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| May | 20-21 | Northeasterns, Cuba Lake |
| June | 3-4 | New York State Open |
| | | Chautauqua Lake |
| June | 17-18 | Champagne - Keuka Lake |
| July | 7-8-9 | Dist. V Championships |
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| July | 22-23 | Ontario Open, Oakville |
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| Sept | 9-10 | Onondaga Open, Onondaga |
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| Doug De Souza |
| Jerry Thompson |
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total score for the Circuit's 16 races,

sailed in all kinds of conditions, is the

1978 Zimmerman Trophy winner. The

win makes it 3 in a row for Jeff, who has

won the trophy 5 times in all. Of the 16

boats qualifying by entering all the regattas, all the top 5 were from Southern

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skipper and crew, home club or fleet, places

in each race, total points, and standing in fleet.



Len Miller, director of Bryland Plastics, and keen Snipe sailor is creating the correct friendly atmosphere to entice a visitor into the class - and no doubt saying "buy British, buy Bryland."

Show and Tell Your Snipe

Plan a boat show to generate interest in your fleet for the 1978 season. The SCIRA office will send a free SCIRA poster to use in your display. (As long as they last.)

In March we featured the Memphis Mall Show. This issue features three other shows - two local boat shows, and the huge London Dinghy Exhibition. Dallas Fleet No. 1's show was a one fleet effort; for the Tulsa show, three area fleets co-operated; and the London Dinghy Show was an effort of the entire SCIRA/ England organization.

Tulsa...

A Committee was formed under the direction of Bill DeArman to organize manpower and materials to be used in the four day show. Local Snipers were asked to build bulletin boards and standards to display the 36" x 46" SCIRA poster while others were asked to provide tables, projector, etc. Buzz Lamb sent back issues of the last three Snipe BULLE-TINS, plus Snipe information sheets. Local fleet meetings were held to obtain manpower for the four hour shifts, with an attempt to have a member from each of three area fleets on every shift.

Our booth was quite simple in appearance, but practical for our plan of action. It consisted of: (1) A new Southern Yacht Snipe; (2) A 4 x 8 Bulletin board; (3) Two SCIRA posters; (4) A table for slide projector and hand out material.

The Bulletin board had information on used boats, boating safety material, local club information, SCIRA information, etc.

Our plan of operation was to be available to talk sailing with the public. The main asset is that once started, a Snipe owner can usually give a good "soft-sell" pitch. The question most people asked was how three fleets from

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Show and Tell . . .

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different lakes could work together with such good harmony. The answer was simple – our common bond is the Snipe. JerryWhitt, Fleet 720

London . . .

For the London Dinghy Exhibition in March SCIRA U. K. showed two of the British built Fiberglass boats on the class stand. One was shown by our national Champion Niel Martin — the Martin Marine boat, the other was the property of Alan Bryant, fleet captain of Maldon Y. C. who showed the Bryland Snipe he had purchased partly built and completed to his own design for cockpit layout.

It is unfortunate that at the last minute the "stitch and glue Snipe" was not ready to be exhibited, for without doubt this boat would have opened the eyes of many visitors to the modern ideas in the class and the progress we accept.

> John Broughton SCIRA National Secretary

Dallas . . .

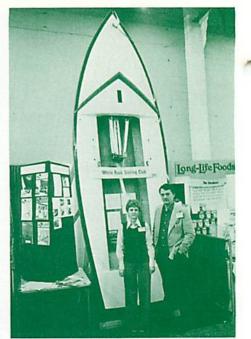
Here is a smart way to show a $15\frac{1}{2}$ foot boat in a 10 foot booth at a boat show.

The Snipe is such a fantastic class and boat, it's a shame more publicity of all kinds is so hard and expensive to generate.

Most people involved in Sailing have forgotten how little they knew about the sport before they became involved. People in the "thinking about getting into sailing" frame of mind usually find only a boat dealer will try to help them. This usually ends with the prospect buying the wrong boat.

All established class sailors should be more vocal about the proliferation of classes and if you sit around thinking boat manufacturers or their dealers will help, you are dead wrong.

Ed Haynes



Dallas fleet shows a vertical Snipe.



Tulsa Snipe sailor has "soft-sell" pitch for prospects.

Basic Snipe Sailing Manual

Intended for beginning Sniper, crew, and wives, this excellent manual (6" x 9") is a glossary of nautical terms with a sketch applicable to Snipe; knots with illustrations; handling the boat; tacking; running; reaching; jibing; heave-to; capsize; all simplified rules; thumb nail tactics; check list; important Snipe measurements. A most valuable handbook – still not complicated. \$1.00 per copy-10 for \$8.00. From SCIRA only.





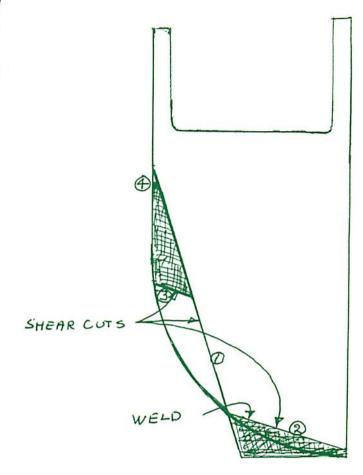


by Ted Wells

MAY 1978

ON REWORKING A ROUND BOARD

This is a sketch of how I reworked my board. Secret is to find a shop with a shear heavy enough to do the job – and make the layout very accurately. You cheat a little by getting beyond the tangent point of the radius on what becomes the front lower corner, but this is slight. Get a shop which can weld also, and their consciences will hurt them enough so that they may only charge you one minimum charge (S15.00 on both jobs in my case). The front edge I roughed out on a table saw with a 7" diameter carbide tipped saw, two cuts per side, one at 45° bevel and one at 18° – finished with a file.



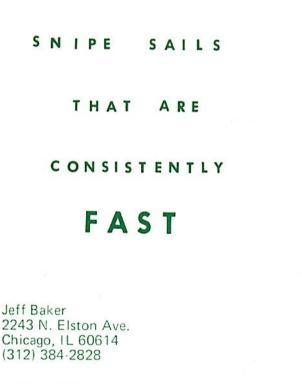


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| Boat | Skipper/Crew | Fleet | Places | Points | Finish | |
|-------|-------------------------------------|-----------------|---------|--------|-------------|---|
| 18926 | Lou Dixon/Tim Dixon | Springfield | 4-1-1 | 8 | 1 | - |
| 19423 | Dave Chapin/Mark Chapin | Springfield | 2-7-2 | 19 | 2 | |
| 20908 | Berkeley Duck/Nancy Duck | Indianapolis | 7-4-3 | 26.7 | 3 | |
| 20026 | Jeff Evans/Libby Evans | Springfield | 1-9-6 | 26.7 | 4 | |
| 22350 | Alan Levinson/Frank Levinson | Indianapolis | 5-2-16 | 35 | 5 | |
| 12192 | Harry Levinson/Alinda Levinson | Indianapolis | 10-6-5 | 37.7 | 4 5 6 | |
| 21790 | Bill Coberly/Marg Coberly | Decatur | 3-12-9 | 38.7 | 7 | |
| 20988 | Carl Levinson/Paul Levinson | Indianapolis | 9-3-14 | 40.7 | 8 | |
| 17016 | Dan Blodgett/Susanne Blodgett | Indianapolis | 14-5-11 | 47 | 8 9 | |
| 18502 | Steve Sherman/David Sherman | Muncie | 17-15-4 | 52 | 10 | |
| | Dunphy Series - | Top 10 of 18 Er | ntries | | | |
| Boat | Skipper/Crew | Fleet | Places | Points | Finish | |
| 17389 | Greg Gust/Steve Chapin | Springfield | 1-1-1 | 0 | 1 | |
| 19716 | Harry Huff/Karen Huff | Indianapolis | 2-2-2 | 9 | 2 | |
| 21460 | Sterling Beimfohr/David Blair | Chicago | 4-5-4 | 26 | 3 | |
| 21119 | Frank Hiatt/Patsy Hiatt | Indianapolis | ns-3-3 | 35.4 | 4 | |
| 21827 | Larry Christy/Pat Cristy | Carlyle | 3-9-11 | 37.7 | 5 | |
| 19897 | Felicia Bamer/June Johnson | Carlyle | 9-7-5 | 38 | 6 | |
| 20869 | Richard Brackett/Elizabeth Brackett | | 7-8-6 | 38.7 | 7 | |
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MAY 20-21, NORTHEASTERN INTERNA-TIONAL SNIPE CHAMPIONSHIP, Cuba Lake Fleet 442, Leo Murphy, Jr., 112 N. Clinton St., Olean, NY 14760.

MAY 20-21, TULSA INVITATIONAL RE-GATTA – 38th ANNUAL, Sequoyah Fleet 68, Bruce Hurst, 2309 S. 106 East Ave., Tulsa, OK 74127.

MAY 27-28, SOUTHWESTERN REGATTA, Dallas Fleet 1, Bob Henry, 7530 Yamini, Dallas, TX 75230.

MAY 27, 28, 29, FIREWATER REGATTA, Lincoln Fleet 567, Bill Leffler, 4890 Starling Dr., Lincoln, NE 68516.

JUNE 3-4, RIFF-RAFF REGATTA, Cowan Lake Fleet 433, Arthur E. Johnston, 1707 Flora Ave., Cincinnati, OH 45231.

JUNE 3-4, NEW YORK STATE OPEN, Chautauqua Fleet 124, Les Larson, 10 Winding Way, Lakewood, NY 14750.

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JUNE 10-11, WOLVERINE REGATTA, Barton B. C. Fleet 520, John Johns, 1220 West Washington, Ann Arbor, MI 48103.

JUNE 17-18, STONE INTERNATIONAL OPEN MEETING, Stone S. C. Fleet 372, Dennis Cranston, Keswick Lodge, Littlebury, Saffron Walden, Essex, England.

JUNE 17-18, STONE INTERNATIONAL RE-GATTA, Stone, England.

JUNE 17-18, WHITTEMORE-ST. JOHN RE-GATTA, Quassapaug Fleet 231, Philip Paul, 23 Summit RD, Naugatuck, CT 06770.

JUNE 17-18, CHAMPAGNE REGATTA, Keuka Lake Fleet 382, Robert Buhrmaster, 217 E. Steuben St., Bath, NY 14810.

JUNE 17-18, SLAUSON MEMORIAL RE-GATTA, Peoria Fleet 131, David Bettinghaus, 2019 W. Arrowhead Ln., Peoria, IL 61604.

JUNE 17-18, HEART OF AMERICA, Lake Quivira Fleet 121, John Maultsby, 1 Winding Ridge, Lake Quivira, KS 66106.

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JUNE 24-25, DISTRICT II CHAMPIONSHIP/ SUNFLOWER REGATTA, Shawnee Fleet 597, Bob Congrove, 742 Prairie, Topeka, KS 66606.

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JULY 1-2, KICKER REGATTA, Lake Canyon Fleet 681, John McCarthy, 105 Long Bow, San Antonio, TX 78231.

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OCTOBER 7-8, OXFORD INCIDENT/ ACCIDENT, Acton Lake Fleet 515, Jim Hater, 4591 Patron Ct., Cincinnati, OH 45238.

OCTOBER 19-27, WESTERN HEMISPHERE CHAMPIONSHIP, Clube de Campo de Sao Paulo, Sao Paulo, Brazil, Flavio Caiuby, Rua Libero Badaro 501 – 16º andar, Sao Paulo, 01009 Brazil.





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