

The Frostbite Cup

Our first race is complete and Team *Tranquillity* continues her winning ways. While there was some casual plan to race Open Fleet boats, only two were available come Saturday morning so *Seahawk* and *Tranquillity* toed the line with *Lil' Bit* and *Showtime*. *Lil' Bit* won the start but the fresh sails and clean bottoms of the 168s had them quickly into the lead at the first rounding. *Tranquillity* survived numerous challenges by *Seahawk* but lead from then on. *Lil' Bit* also stretched out and made some slight gains. They also starred in a soon to be released (?) drone buzzing as they sailed close to Windflower Point. Don Ford is getting ready to haul and clean *Showtime* but enjoyed a beautiful if cool day on the water.

It was nice to see the crews mixed up from their normal rides and also to have some measure of the ol' days of food and camaraderie in the post-race soirée.

Next race is the Buoy series April 8. Remember the K-Cup will be on April 29. Please be sure to enter at the website or by mail.

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