



Interfleet Fun Day Winners!

Team Ramen Noodles! Pete Peters, Linda Peters (Y-Flyers), Brendan Draper (Sunfish), and Mike Wier (Hobies) bask in the glory of their victory Sunday.

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The Great Noodle Race Goes to Team Ramen !

Peters, Wier, and Draper Pull Off the Upset in Surprise Win!

OK, class, the sun is shining, the wind is good, the temperatures are mild. What day of the week is it? If you answered Monday, you are a winner. Despite the presence of a pretender wind, Team Ramen Noodle managed to go "fast" anyway and win the first ever HSA Inter Fleet Fun Day by a comfortable margin.

The team, composed of **Mike Wier** in a Hobie, **Brendan Draper** in a Sunfish, and **Pete and Linda Peters** in a Y, won three of the five races in what can only be described as Diet Air and enshrined themselves as the first champions of the inaugural Inter Fleet Championship. (continued page 2)



Team Achmed ("I kill you!")

July 1 Potluck!

The holiday is here! Almost! Racing on the water and food this Sunday in the Hueston Room at five. Bring place settings, invite friends, bring a covered dish! All are welcome.

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Inter Fleet Fun Day Results (cont. from pg. 1)

The day was marked by the wind's sudden appearance and disappearance at odd moments. The results were alternately frustrating and hilarious as boats maneuvered to hand off their swim noodle batons. The exchange of the noodles turned out to be the highlight of the day as races were often either won or lost in the transfer.

Finishing second to Team Ramen Noodle was Team Achmed with Hobie meister **Don Fecher**, Y-Flyer **Charlie DeArmon** with crew **Colin Fanselow**, and Sunfisher **Kevin DeArmon**. Team Achmed won race one but it was all downwind after that, although they did manage two seconds.

They were followed by SHYT (Acronym for Sunfish, Hobie, Y-Flyer Team) with **Megan DeArmon** in the Fish, **Charlie Buchert** in the Hobie, and **Roger Henthorn/Bobbie Bode** on the Y. Team SHY did pull off a first place in race two but on a day when luck and the wind gods were fickle, you could easily go from first to worst in one leg of the course.

Which is exactly happened to the Noodle Masters in race 5. Leading the fleet after the windward



Fun Day News and Notes

Linda Peters made a dramatic return to Y-Flyer racing, joining the winning team Ramen Noodles after a long absence from the race course.

Welcome back, Linda!

The Sunfish fleet had more action than others. Armed with squirt guns and water logged tennis balls, the group often fought their own battles while waiting for their teammates with the noodle.

The Inter Fleet Fun Day participants gathered after racing for drinks, Subway sandwiches and treats. There was nothing leftover. Especially banana peppers. Thanks to Roger.

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Letter from the Editor

It is great to be a part of HSA! The turnout Sunday was remarkable given that we all knew the wind forecast. Our juniors got a chance to participate in a different way along with the veterans, as did some of our newer members. It is a great testimony to the club's commitment to development of racing, the junior program, and sailing on Acton Lake. Like the new wooden bridge over Four Mile Creek, we have a great, classic design that fits harmoniously with the natural environment of Hueston Woods and the lake we love. Even when it makes us crazy.



Team SHY from left: **Charlie Buchert, Bobbie Bodacious, Roger Henthorn, and Megan DeArmon**

(cont. from page 2) leg, Hobie skipper **Ryan Servizzi** with crew **Kathy Millar** sailed into a hole and then watched the entire fleet sail over them as team members **George Fecher** and yours truly watched helplessly.

It was fun nonetheless. We can only imagine what it would be like with real wind.

- Ramen Noodles 2-3-1-1-1
- Team Achmed 1-4-2-3-2
- Team SHY 3-1-3-4-3
- Noodle Masters 4-2-4-2-4

On the Calendar

Thanks to the hospitality of **Scott and Jeanne Johnston**, the Labor Day Potluck will be held at their Oxford home and yard. We will publish driving directions and other details as we get closer to the date – September 2.

Camps! Camps! Camps! July is Camp Season. Are You There?

1. The Junior Camp kicks it off on the date of the next Sunfish Series on July 8th for three days of fun and activity. The camp is full!
2. The Ladies Camp follows on July 12-13 with two days of rolling out the red carpet for the girls who want to sail. This camp always gets it done.
3. On Saturday July 14, the Men's Camp jumps into action with a one day workshop on the water. This is a new event for HSA and needs volunteers.

Thanks to all of our instructors, coaches, committee boat members, and “kitchen crews” who make HSA happen!



The Noodle Masters! From left **Ryan Servizzi, Mike Stratton, and George Fecher** (not pictured – Kathy Millar)

How are you on the Rules, Bubba?

So you think you know how to stay out of trouble on the water during a race? Try this website and test your knowledge of everything port and starboard from Jerry Callahan who says, “I missed more than should.”

<http://game.finckh.net/indexe.htm>

Learn to Sail June Edition Earns Praise

The Learn to Sail class sailed off on June 9-10 without a hitch with ten class members spending two afternoons on the water. On Sunday, simulated racing saw five Y-Flyers on the course in good wind and fair skies. Participating were Charles and Joan Brady with daughters Eileen and Allison; new member Steve Batcha in his Y-Flyer with friend Jessie; Sue Carr; Jenny Williams; and Mark and Kim Taliaferro. The only mishap was in the last race when Steve Batcha broke his rudder and had to retire from the race. Thanks to instructors **Charlie Buchert, Charlie DeArmon, Jim Paul, Scott Johnston, Pete Peters, Roger Henthorn and George Fecher.**

Noodle Racers pose after lunch for a group photo below. At right, Megan DeArmon waves her noodle in defiance.

The Committee was well staffed with Neil Harrell, Darryl Marshall, John Fanselow, Jerry Callahan and Joann Callahan. HSA has great volunteers!

