

**Tom's River, NJ: Sears, Bemis, Smythe trophies** Congratulations to our SMSA teams who competed in the US Sailing Junior National Championships last week in Tom's River, NJ. William Godfrey and Abbey Godfrey (Tabor Academy & Beverly YC) finished third out of 20 boats in the Double-handed event for the Bemis Trophy. Sarah Fuller, Julia Fuller, and Cary Anne Kane (Chatham YC) finished 7th in the Sears trophy, the triplehanded championship. The Chatham girls received a phone call at 9 pm Monday night offering them a spot in the regatta if they could get to New Jersey by noon the next day. Both SMSA Teams also won the sportsmanship trophy for their fleet as voted on by their peers. Very Impressive! For complete [results](#) and [information](#)

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**East Boston, MA : Sears Trophy – Area A event:** SMSA boats from Chatham YC (Sarah Fuller, Spencer Ward, Hunter Rosenthal) and Grand Cove YC (William Godfrey., Mary Kate Mezzetti, Asa Smith) tied for second tied for second (Chatham winning the tie breaker) last week out of the Piers Park Sailing Center in East Boston. Six clubs raced for the right to represent Area A in US Sailings oldest Junior national Championship. Chatham and Grand Cove qualified for the event by finishing first and Second at the Cumming Cup in late June. Hyannis YC also participated in the event. Hyannis gain entrance through the “wild card.” Each of the four Sailing Associations in Area A (SMSA, NBYA, Mass Bay, and NESAs) get two automatic slots in the Area A event, but if one or more Sailing Associations does not use their slots, the openings is made available to other interested clubs. File this information away for next summer. The SMSA Cummings Cup will be sailed in Pleasant Bay at the end of June 2012. Clubs that are interested in qualifying for the Area A event should watch the SMSA website and join the SMSA e-mail list (see below) in order to stay informed over the winter.

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**Osterville, MA:** Another great day of racing at Wianno YC. Five races completed by 1400 at the **SMSA Gill Trophy**. Sophie Bermudez & Anna Kuphal from New Bedford YC (25 pts) held off Mary Kate Mezzetti & Mary Kate Cervin from Hyannis YC (30 pts). Sarah Fuller & Sarah Hardgreaves from Chatham YC ( 33 pts) were third, Elizabeth Pemberton & Karina Edwards from Wianno YC (49 pts) were fourth and Julia Lord & Olivia Lord from Quissett YC were fifth with 53 pts. [Complete results posted here](#)

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**Jamestown, RI:** Congratulations to Quinn Howes (Pleasant Bay CB) who wins the **2011 Jones trophy** as the top SMSA sailor in the Area A Symthe qualifer sailed last weekend out of Conanicut Yacht Club. Howes was 7th in the 25 boat fleet. Elizabeth Dubovik (Pleasant Bay CB) was the second SMSA boat, 11th place over all. For complete results, [click here](#)

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**Newport, RI -** William Godfrey and his sister Abby, representing Tabor Academy Boat club and Beverly YC won the 2011 **SMSA Nash trophy** by virtue of their second place finish at the Area A Qualifiers for the Bemis trophy held out of Sail Newport Wednesday and Thursday. The

second place finish qualifies Godfrey and Godfrey to represent Area A at the Bemis trophy sailed in New Jersey in August. Sean Golden (Tabor Academy and Duxbury Bay MS) with Cam Tougas (Beverly YC) were second in the Nash scoring and fifth in the regatta. Carter Pemberton and Alex Benoit (both from Wianno YC) finished 6th place overall, which earned them 3rd in the Nash scoring. The fleet of 68 boats sailed six races in two days. [Complete results](#)

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**Richmond, CA:** Two SMSA sailors fared well in challenging conditions at **US Sailing Junior Women's Single-handed Championship for the Leiter trophy** which wrapped up last weekend at Richmond (CA) Yacht Club, racing on San Francisco Bay. There were a broad range of conditions from very light w/postponements (and heavy rain and cold) in Days 1-2, to high winds and big chop, topping at 23 knots in Day 3! Quinn Howes from Pleasant Bay Community Boating finished 7th overall out of 57 sailors from across the country and was the top New England sailor. Liz Dubovik (Chatham YC) finished 8th. For complete results - <http://championships.ussailing.org/Youth/USJrWomensSinglehanded.htm>