



2010  
CLUB 420 ASSOCIATION  
North American  
Championship  
BBYC  
Brant Beach, NJ



**WELCOMES YOU  
TO THE  
CLUB 420  
ASSOCIATION  
2010 NORTH  
AMERICAN  
CHAMPIONSHIP**



# History of Brant Beach Yacht Club

The story of the Brant Beach Yacht Club dates back to the early nineteen hundreds when Captain John Brown moved to Long Beach Island to manage the old Peahala Club for fishermen and gunners. He saw a cove in Brant Beach and decided this was the place for him. He got permission from Henry B. McLaughlin (who owned the waterfront on the bay) to put in a public dock and rent rowboats.

During this same period a Community Club in Brant Beach was formed and they built a pavilion on the ocean end of Farragut Avenue. Gradually from this club, and the support of Captain John Brown and Henry B. McLaughlin, the Brant Beach Yacht club evolved.

In June of 1947 fifteen prospective members officially voted the "new" Brant Beach Yacht Club into existence. During the first summer the original 15 members paid five years of dues in advance and by Labor Day had collected more than \$3,200. At this time the building they used was the old enclosed pavilion.

During the next twelve years, at record breaking speeds, a new dock with a deepwater T was built with a davit for launching boats; the harbor was dredged and a section of the cove was designated for a bathing beach and a parking lot was installed. Now they were functioning as a yacht club and needed an adequate clubhouse. A fine new clubhouse was dedicated in 1955. The old pavilion was moved up beside the dock and in 1956 it was converted into a summer home for the dockmaster.

By 1955 the new clubhouse was improved and membership rose to 200. During the next 43 years the club prospered and grew. Tennis courts were installed in 1971 and in 1984 the clubhouse was totally renovated. Eight years later in 1992 the design for a new facility to host junior instructional programs was approved. The South Harbor Center was ready in time for the 1993 season.

Today the members of the Brant Beach Yacht Club enjoy a magnificent clubhouse, a well designed sailing center, tennis courts, docking and storage facilities and a parcel of bay front land that is considered one of the finest on Long Beach Island.

Members are privileged to enjoy a healthy environment where lifetime friendships are made, a spectacular view of the bay watching races and the sun set. All this came about because a core of good members worked to keep the club alive and well, working tirelessly for their club, promoting yachting and boating and the general welfare of Long Beach Island New Jersey.

# **Brant Beach Yacht Club 2009-2010 Flag Officers**

Chris Catania  
**Commodore**

Steve Erhart  
**Vice-Commodore**

John Prout  
**Rear-Commodore**

Colin Neil  
**Treasurer**

Sherri Lou Schaeffer  
**Secretary**



Office of the Commodore

Dear Club 420 Sailor and Families:

It is my extreme pleasure to welcome you to our wonderful yacht club here on Long Beach Island for the 2010 Club 420 Association North American Championship. I would like to thank Club 420 Association for the privilege of selecting BBYC to host this great event.

LBI has many fine restaurants and attractions that I hope you can enjoy over the week, but if not, please come back to our island again to enjoy the “fun” and scenery.

The management and staff of Brant Beach Yacht Club is at your service and we look forward to a great regatta this weekend.

May this event bring you great luck and fun on and off the water, enjoy!



*Commodore Chris Catania*



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July 2010

Welcome Sailors:

On behalf of the Brant Beach Yacht Club, Scot and I would like to welcome all Club 420 sailors and their families to the 2010 Club 420 Association North American Championship Regatta. Our committee members and all the volunteers have worked very hard in organizing this event for you and we hope that your stay here on Long Beach Island is enjoyable.

We have made every effort to keep the costs of this regatta as low as possible, and feel that we did not compromise any of the quality that you come to expect, but kind, constructive feedback is always welcome!

The waters we will be sailing will hopefully be nothing short of perfect conditions, and Bub Kovacs and Paul Coward, our championship course PROs, we will do all they can to focus on sailing as many races as time and conditions allow. The water temperature will be comfortable this time of year, but please bring your warm weather gear just in case. We will have medical personnel standing by on shore and we will have plenty of safety and spectator boats on the water to assist all our sailors. We have many volunteers, but if you would like to offer your assistance in any way, please let us know, we welcome it. **LOOK FOR THE VOLUNTEERS IN THE WHITE HATS WITH THE LOGO ON IT.**

If you require and special assistance during your stay, please contact me.

Good luck, and great sailing!

Sincerely, John Barbano ([njrb@aol.com](mailto:njrb@aol.com)) 609 204 6114

# Club 420 Association North American Championship

## SCHEDULE

On-site check-

<b>Tuesday July 20th, 2010</b>	
7:30-09:00	Breakfast at Main Club House
09:15	Skipper Meeting
10:00	Harbor Start
11:00	Warning Signal Racing to follow
<b>Wednesday July 21 and Thursday July 22</b>	
7:30-09:00	Breakfast at Main Club House
09:00	Skippers' meeting
09:30	Harbor Start
10:30	Warning Signal
<b>Friday July 23rd</b>	
7:30-09:00	Breakfast at Main Club House
09:00	Skippers' meeting
09:30	Harbor Start
10:30	Warning Signal
15:00	No warning signal after this
16:30	BBQ and Awards to follow (as soon as possible after all scoring, protest, and redress issues are resolved).

# Information

Chairpersons: John Barbano 609-203-6114 [NJJRB@AOL.COM](mailto:NJJRB@AOL.COM)

Principal Race Officer: Bub Kovacs [DRBUBK@AOL.COM](mailto:DRBUBK@AOL.COM)

Paul Coward

Course Mgt/Safety Officer: Dave Coward

In charge of Judges: Darryl Waskow

Charter Boats: Sturgis Boat Works 508-778-9187  
[www.stugisboatworks.com/charters.asp](http://www.stugisboatworks.com/charters.asp)

Expected Weather: Normal sailing conditions this time of year will be light winds in the early morning building to moderate to heavier ends throughout the day. Water temperature will be between 65 – 70 degrees. Bring warm weather gear just in case conditions change, and please check the local weather forecasts before you arrive.

Courses: See final racing instructions for official courses, but you can assume Trapezoid with inside and outside windward / leewards.

Any changes to the Regatta will be posted on the Bulletin Board outside the South Harbor Facility.

Ramps: There is a ramp to launch your motor boats and plenty of in water rafting room.

Websites with Good Info: [www.lbifun.com](http://www.lbifun.com) [LongBeachIsland.com](http://LongBeachIsland.com) [LBI.net](http://LBI.net)

## Frequently Asked Questions

**1. Are Spectator boat opportunities available?**

We will try have one or two, but no guarantees, do not plan on it.

**2. Where can I rent coach boats?**

Very limited, please email John Barbano

**3. Is their recommended equipment we need to bring as a parent?**

Yes, a life vest if you are on the water.

**4. Are there any Coach Boat and Support Boat guidelines we should be aware of?**

All coach boats, and spectator boats must register with the registration committee. In addition, all boats should make sure they have the following items aboard their boat at all times to avoid possible ticketing by Marine Police: Registration numbers and license, capacity plaque, fire extinguisher, life vest for all occupants, horn or whistle, anchor and boating safety certificate from your home state.

**5. Is dockage available at the Club?**

No slips will be available, but rafting will be possible at end of docks.

**6. Will there be security at the boat storage areas?**

No, but it is safe to leave your boats on the beach. Most will leave their equipment inside their boats, but it is your decision. There is no special insurance for theft at the regatta.

**7. Where and when do we unload and load 420's?**

See map of where to leave your 420's and trailers -- there will be people directing you at the regatta.

**8. Where do we park?**

Parking is only on the streets, you can park on both sides where

marked.

**9. Where can I store my trailer?**

There will be a storage area near BBYC, see instructions.

**10. Where is the Message Board?**

On the South Harbor Facility, hanging on side toward the bay.

**11. When and where will results be posted?**

At the South Harbor facility and on our web site: [www.bbyc.net](http://www.bbyc.net), then go into the regattas section and then the North American's section.

**12. Where will protests be held?**

In the Judges RV near the South Harbor Facility. Look for the large RV.

**13. Will I be able to see racing from the docks?**

No, but we will try to secure spectator boats.

**14. Where can I launch/moor my coach/personal boat?**

At our ramp inside the yacht club. There is a public launch in Ship Bottom @ 10<sup>th</sup> and Bay Avenue next to the bridge (on the right side of bridge when you come in).

**15. Police and Fire help?**

Call 911.

**16. Where is the closest Drug Store?**

CVS as you drove on the island.

**17. Who can dispense medication?**

It is the responsibility of the parents/guardian of the sailor to dispense any medication during the regatta. We will have a registered nurse on

site and an EMT close by if needed.

**17. Can we arrive early to practice?**

Yes, anytime after Sunday 8am before the regatta.

**18. Where can we buy fuel for our coach boats?**

Fuel docks are located at Hagler's Marina just North of the Yacht Club, but strongly suggest filling tanks at local gas stations and bring to your boat if possible. This Marina is not set up for high volume. *Hagler's Marina*: 4114 Long Beach Blvd, Brant Beach. By water: go right (north) out of BBYC, its on the right about ½ mile just past the St. Francis Church. There is another Marina that can handle more volume ½ mile north on right.

**19. Will there be meal service for visitors available at the Club?**

The Wednesday night dinner - visitors can purchase tickets and the Friday BBQ is free to all while you are waiting for the scores and protests to be completed. There are a few WaWa's on the island!

# Brant Beach Yacht Club Location

Bayview Ave & 59th St (thru 64<sup>th</sup> St.)  
Brant Beach, N.J.

Mailing Address:

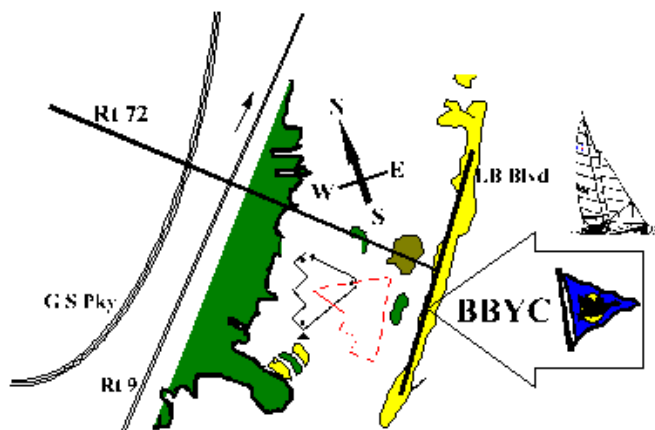
**SEND MEDICAL FORMS / LIABILITY WIAVER TO:**

**Brant Beach Yacht Club**  
**ATTN: CLUB 420 ASSOCIATION ACC'S**  
**P.O. Box 208**  
**Ship Bottom, NJ 08008**

Phone: (609)494-4485

Fax: (609)494-0305

E-mail: [bbyc@comcast.net](mailto:bbyc@comcast.net)



Long Beach Island is north of Atlantic City and south of Tom's River. The Island is located several miles offshore and is subject to coastal thermal breezes. Our summer winds are generally moderate, with lighter breezes in the morning, hardening to brisk (15-20 knot) winds in the afternoon. The air is usually steady and predictable. The race courses are located in the middle of the bay, and are west of the Inland waterway; there is little outside boat traffic. The tidal range is 2.5 feet. The tidal current is a maximum of 1 knot with an even flow across the race course.

To get to BBYC, take Route 72 East from the Garden State Parkway (Exit 63). Turn right on Long Beach Boulevard and proceed south for a few miles. We are located on the bay, between 59th Street and 65th Street, in Brant Beach, NJ.

## OTHER USEFUL INFORMATION

Service	Phone Number	Distance in Miles
<p><b><u>Medical:</u></b></p> <p><b>Emergency</b></p> <p><i>South Ocean Medical Center, 1140 Route 72 W Manahawkin, NJ</i></p>	<p><b>911</b></p> <p>(609)597-6011</p>	<p>6</p>
<p><b><u>Pharmacy</u></b></p> <p>CVS- 819 Barnegat Ave Ship Bottom</p>	<p>(609)361-8534</p>	<p>2</p>
<p><b><u>On Water Fuel, Oil, Parts, Outboard Motor Repair:</u></b></p> <p>Nearest Marina: <i>Hagler's Marina</i>, 4114 Long Beach Blvd, Brant Beach. <u>By water</u>: go right (north) out of BBYC, its on the right about ½ mile just past the St. Francis Church) <u>By land</u>: Turn left on Long Beach Blvd, its on the left at 41st Street.</p>	<p>(609) 494-4509</p>	<p>1</p>
<p><b><u>Closest place to get gas via car:</u></b></p> <p>Either make left on boulevard from BBYC to Ship Bottom where you came on the island OR make right about a mile south on the left across from Joey's Pizza.</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>2 and 1</p>
<p><b><u>Groceries:</u></b></p> <p><i>DeFiglio IGA Supermarket, 24<sup>th</sup> Street Long Beach Blvd, Ship Bottom (north)</i></p> <p><i>Acme Supermarkets, 9601 Long Beach Blvd, Beach Haven Crest (south)</i></p>	<p>(609) 494-8400</p> <p>(609) 492-9718</p>	<p>1.5</p> <p>3</p>
<p><b><u>Banking ATM</u></b></p> <p><i>Sun National, 1211 Long Beach Blvd, Ship Bottom</i></p> <p><i>Sovereign Bank, 510 N Bay Ave Beach Haven, NJ</i></p> <p><i>Commerce Bank, 13100 Long Beach Blvd, Beach Haven Terrace</i></p>	<p>(609) 361-8011</p> <p>(609) 492-2709</p> <p>(609) 492-8060</p>	<p>2</p> <p>5</p> <p>4</p>

## **Other Lodging Information**

If you would like to call around on your own, here is some more information you might not get out of the yellow pages. There are no major “chain” hotels on or near the island, so you will be staying at the local Motels / Lodges / B&B’s. Since this is off-season, some of these may already be closed.

### **Places to Stay with Restaurant and Bars:**

- Spray Beach Motor Lodge (609) 492-1501
- Surf City Hotel (609) 494-7281
- Engleside Inn (609) 492-1251
- Sea Shell Club (609) 494-4611
- DaddyO’s <http://www.daddyohotel.com/lbi/main.asp> 609-494-1300

### **Some other places:**

- St. Rita Hotel (609) 492-9192
- Windward Manor Motel Apts. (609) 492-4468
- Buccaneer Motel (609) 492-4582

### **Realtors For Home Rentals:**

- Anderson Agency (609) 492-1277
- Van Dyke Agency TBD
- Prudential / Zack (609) 597-1173

**The above are not recommendations, so please check them out.**

# AWARDS



1<sup>st</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup>

Overall

1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>th</sup>

Top Juniors

1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>th</sup>

Top Girls

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- The Marlin Restaurant – Beach Haven
- The Beach House Restaurant – Beach Haven
- Kubel's Too - Beach Haven Crest
- Greenhouse Cafe - Ship Bottom
- Sweet Jenny's - Ship Bottom