

Bull Session

News and comment for the El Toro Class

December #357

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* Skiffs have finally made their way to the East Coast and are slowly becoming the training boats of choice for young adults. Skiff Head has launched the first-ever training group on the East Coast in greater New York. El Toro sailor, **Max Fraser** will be lead coach with regular practices starting in the April. -- For information: <http://www.skiffhead.com>

From Fremont Sailing Club, Lake Elizabeth,,

April 10th Spring 1,2 &3 will have BBQ

May 1st Spring 4,5,&6

May 22nd Spring 7,8 &9, "Toro Master Counter"

May 15th FREMONT RELAYS Toro's only Relay Race –

June 12th Summer 1,2, &3

July 17th Summer 4,5, &6 will have BBQ

July 31st Summer 7,8 & 9

August 21st Fall 1,2 &3

September 11th Fall 4,5 &6

September 25th Fall 7,8 &9 will have BBQ

2011 NORCAL “TORO MASTER” SERIES

April 16th * Big Dinghy * Richmond Yacht Club (Saturday results only)
(still to be confirmed)

April 30th * Bullship * Sausalito

May 7th * Flight of the Bulls * Foster City

May 22nd * Fremont Series * Fremont Sailing Club

June 18th -19th * Clear Lake Regional Championship * Clear Lake

June 26th * Mayor’s Cup * Lake Merritt Sailing Club

August 6th - 7th * El Toro Worlds * Pinecrest

August 12-13-14th * National Championship * Santa Cruz

September 17th * Total Dinghy * Richmond Yacht Club (Saturday results only)

October 2rd * El Toro Stampede * Richmond Yacht Club (Stampede results only)

October 15th * Corkscrew Slough * Sequoia Yacht Club

Four throw outs: Final result of each regatta to count

P R E S S R E L E A S E

Hoist your El Toro sail and join the **58th annual Bullship Race April 30,**
2011. Race from Sausalito across the Golden Gate to the St. Francis Yacht
Club in San Francisco. Launch and safety check will be conducted at the Sausalito Yacht
Club with a race start time of 9:00am. We welcome all cowships to escort the El Toros
across the Golden Gate to the St. Francis Yacht Club where Irish Coffee will be served
and trophies presented. For registration forms go to eltoroiyra.org; click on Regattas and
scroll down to April 30, 2011. To join the cowship armada contact Paul Flowerman at
registrar_bullship@yahoo.com.

2011

El Toro Racing Season

- February 6, Richmond Mid-Winters #3 RYC
- February 12, Lake Merritt Mid-Winters #3 LMSC
- March 6, Richmond Mid-Winters #4 RYC
- March 13, Lake Merritt Mid-Winters #4 LMSC
- April 16, Big Dinghy, RYC, (Saturday counter)
- April 30, Bull Ship, Sausalito to SF (this is also YRA Vallejo Race)
- May 7, Flight of the Bulls, Foster City
- May 15, Fremont Relays FSC
- May 22, Fremont Fleet Counter
- June 18-19, Clear Lake Regional Championship
- June 26, Lake Merritt Mayors Cup LMSC

August 12-13-14, National Championship, Santa Cruz YC
 August 6-7, Pinecrest Worlds
 September 17-18, Total Dinghy RYC (Saturday counter)
 October 2, Stampede, RYC
 October 15, Cork Screw, Redwood City
 November tbd, Running of the Bulls, Moss Landing

Lake Merritt Sailing Club, Inc. 2010-2011 MIDWINTERS

SECOND 2010-2011 ROBINSON MEMORIAL MIDWINTER REGATTA

LAKE MERRITT SUNDAY January 9, 2011.

Clear, sunny but cool. Calm at the start, but freshening in the afternoon, from several directions. Fifteen El Toro skippers (10 seniors, 5 juniors) participated.

RC: Vickie Gilmour, Peggy Darnall, Dan Ouellet, and Marletts. On shore: Jim and Jackie Kearney.

Results for races IV-VI are shown below with total points to date and current position (LMSC scoring system, race by race: DQ no points but counted as a starter. One point for starting, one point for finishing, one point for each starter beaten, 1/4 point for finishing first).

EL TORO SENIOR		R4	R5	R6	Points	Prior	Total	Place
STARTERS R4-5-6		10	10	10	Today	Points	Points	
3899	Duncan Carter	10	10	10	6.00	6.00	12.00	12
11353	John Marlett	6	9	6	15.00	18.00	33.00	5
11391	Robert Hrubes	8	8	8	12.00	13.00	25.00	7
11458	Art Lewis	3	5	4	24.00	21.00	45.00	4
11500	Gordon Nash	4	2	2	28.00	27.00	55.00	2
11534	John Hege	7	7	5	17.00	0.00	17.00	11
11745	Walt Andrews	1	3	3	29.25	23.00	52.25	3
11767	Skip Shapiro	5	4	7	20.00	0.00	20.00	9t
11768	Dave Vickland	dns	dns	dns	0.00	20.00	20.00	9t
11770	Greg Morrill	dns	dns	dns	0.00	26.25	26.25	6
11783	Art Lange	2	1	1	32.50	32.50	65.00	1
11918	J Savatone	9	6	9	12.00	9.00	21.00	8

EL TORO JUNIOR		R4	R5	R6	Points	Prior	Total	Place
STARTERS R4-5-6		5	5	5	Today	Points	Points	
11481	Michael Levy	4	2	3	12.00	0.00	12.00	3t
10864	Mary Marlett	5	5	4	7.00	6.00	13.00	1
11740	Nicholas Lenz	3	3	2	12.00	0.00	12.00	3t
11804	Nicole Diaz	2	4	5	10.00	0.00	10.00	5

211856	Michael Marlett	1	1	1	18.75	9.75	28.50	1
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OPTIMIST	R4	R5	R6	Points Today	Prior Points	Total Points	Place
STARTERS R4-5-6	0	0	0				
Sorcha Evenhouse	dns	dns	dns	0.00	11.25	11.25	2
Dan Ouellet	dns	dns	dns	0.00	12.50	12.50	1
Laurie Davis	dns	dns	dns	0.00	7.00	7.00	3
Dash Johnson	dns	dns	dns	0.00	2.00	2.00	4