

Brox Scores Three Beetlecat Wins at Hyannis Yacht Club

HYANNIS, Sept. 8—Steve Brox registered three victories in the weekend races for Beetlecats at the Hyannis Yacht Club.

The first race Saturday saw Brox nip second place finisher Robert Scudder by a mere two seconds. Brox's winning time was 2:17.30, while Scudder crossed the finish line with 2:19.55 and third place finisher Alan Findlay recorded a time of 2:21.15.

Because of postponements, the club was forced to schedule two Beetlecat races on Sunday, in which Brox scored wins. In Sunday's initial race, Brox whipped Dave Hosie, who placed second by nearly 10 seconds. Scudder, meanwhile, crossed the finish line in third place.

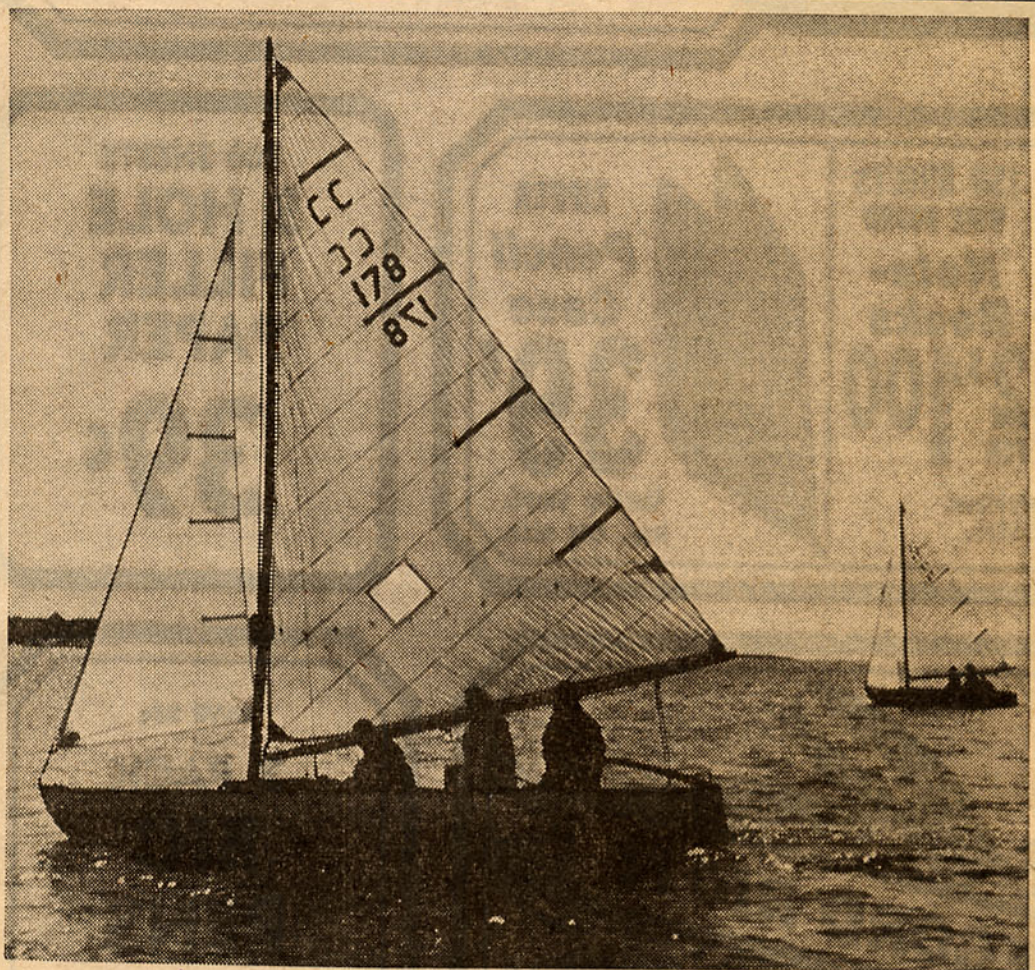
In the second race, Brox won a little easier as he bested second place Hosie by 30 seconds and third place Scudder by almost a full minute.

Other Beetle action saw Barbara Pretes win the Beetlecat

Labor Day Trophy Race by edging Mark Thomas, 1:47.10 to 1:47.30. Third place went to H. Peak with a time of 1:49.21.

Weekend Knockabout action saw Charley Smith win Saturday's competition, Martin Wirtanen place second and Frank Fenner third. On Sunday, Bill Lawson registered the win in the opening race, while Fenner won the finale.

Chuck Lockhart, won the Labor Day Knockabout Trophy Race from Lewis Bay. Wirtanen was second while Fenner placed third.



(Staff Photo by Gordon E. Caldwell)

Skippered by Charles (Chuck) Lockhart, vice-commodore of the Hyannis Yacht Club, "Snafu" widens its lead in the final race of the club held Monday and crossed the finishing line well out in front. Crew aboard with Skipper Lockhart were Ginny Smith and Bill Zschau. Astern and to the starboard is No. 181 skippered by Martin E. Wirtanen.