



Palm Trees, leis and Island drinks set the mood for a great Around Andersonville Island Race this year! We owned the lake with 28 sailboats setting their course to circumnavigate Andersonville Island, beginning and ending at buoy S 19.

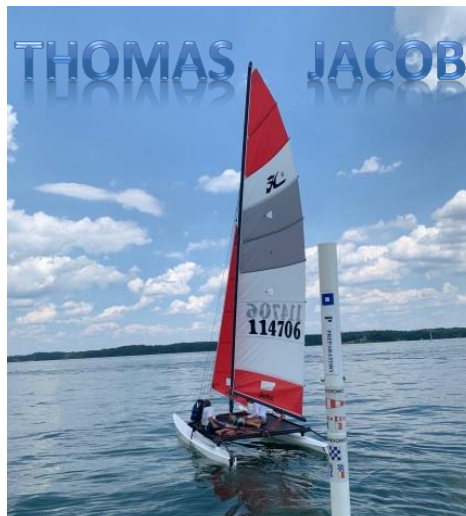


A pursuit start was employed at 1200, as we ran the course with the island to starboard. It was a slow start with light air and shifty winds, but the boats made it around without having to shorten the course. Racers were competing in one of three categories: dinghies, racing keelboats or cruising keelboats.



Rick Fontenot took the Single-Handed award. He was awarded a commemorative bottle of champagne, as a nod to the old tradition of racing around the island single-handed. The other top finishers in each category received a commemorative bottle of wine with the race logo and the history of Andersonville Island on the back. Congratulations to George Masson and crew on E'alu' for crossing the finish line first overall.

Following the race we swapped stories on the porch while eating ribs and enjoying strawberry daiquiris - or Pain Killers for those who had a really rough day.



Dinghies:

1st Place: Thomas Jacob

2nd Place: Rick Fontenot (first to cross single-handed)

3rd Place: Allison Fontenot



Racing Keelboats:

1st Place: George Masson (first to cross finish line overall)

2nd Place: John Barnard

3rd Place: Paul Harder

Cruising Keelboats:

1st Place: Tom & Janet Hill

2nd Place: Ben and Pat Gibson

3rd Place: Ted Sauvain



Around Andersonville Island 2019

Place Completed Course	Skipper	Boat Name	Design * indicates US Sailing Mean Rating	Distance Race PHRF
				base 310
Overall Fleet				
1	Masson, George	E'alu'	Ultimate 24	113.0
2	Jacob, Thomas	-	Hobie 16	113.0
3	Fontenot, Rick	Anakin	Weta	179.4
4	Fontenot, Allison	Beloniform	Weta	179.4
5	Ashmore, Ronnie	Vespula	Buccaneer	191.4
6	Seymour, Eric	Heckled n Jibed	Flying Scott	207.6
7	Barnard, John	woof	J 22	177.0
8	Harder, Paul	Lucky Lindy	Lindenburg 22	211.0
9	Brinn, Marvin	Dances With Bears	Flying Scott	207.6
10	Vantleven, Hugh	Pir-A-Sea	Hunter 25.5	226.0
11	Hill, Tom	Sunshine	Santana 20	221.0
12	Baker, Lisa	Yea Baby!	Lightning	192.0
13	Gibson, Ben	Ariel	Cal 9.2	175.0
14	Sauvain, Ted	Wind Dancer	Beneteau F285	193.0
15	Sanga, Ron	Wind Horse	Cape Dory 30	225.0
16	Marett, Dan	Dream Weaver	S2 27	192.0
17	Chewning, Michael	Palmetto Queen	Catalina 30	206.0
dnc	Smutzer, Tammy	Lucinda	O'Day 26 *	253.0
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dnc	Smutzer, Chris	The Seawolf	Hobie 18	98.4
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dnf	Walworth, David	PatrickK	Catalina 22	288.0
dnf	Crane, Tim	Pearl	Columbia 8.7	229.0
dnf	Gamble, Trent	Illuminati	O'Day 272	253.0
dnf	Miros, Mike	-	Flicka *	303.0
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