

# *the Tell Tale*

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## **MCSA Women's Championships 2008 University of Michigan May 3-4, 2008:**

Day 1: Racing started around 9:30 am in 5-8 kts of wind. 4 races were completed in each division before increasing winds forced a postponement around 2:30 pm. Racing resumed at 3:15 pm, with 6 races completed in A division. Race 6B was abandoned due to increasing winds, and racing was eventually postponed for the day around 4:30 pm. Currently, Wisconsin is in 1<sup>st</sup> place, with Michigan, Minnesota and Northwestern locked in a tight battle for 2<sup>nd</sup> place.

Day 2: Racing resumed at 9:45 am today in 5-7 kts of wind. During the resail of 6B, the wind dropped off. Racing was postponed until 1100 to allow the wind to fill in, eventually reaching 10-12 kts at the conclusion of the rotation.

One protest was filed, but was deemed invalid and thrown out. Thanks to our judges George Griswold, Brian Ebner and Tom Vickers.

Congratulations to the University of Wisconsin and Northwestern University for qualifying for the ICSA Women's National Championship.

	A	B	TOT
1. Wisconsin	10	13	23
2. Northwestern	25	19	44
3. Michigan	27	24	51
4. Minnesota	26	27	53
5. Michigan State	46	48	94
6. Ohio State	51	53	104
7. Iowa	59	47	106
8. St. Thomas	46	61	107

### A Division TOT

1. Wisconsin	10	Patti Schmidt '08 / Beccah Steffensen '08
2. Northwestern	25	Liz Hines '09 / Heather Knowlton '11 1-4 7-8 Teresa Fox '09 5-6



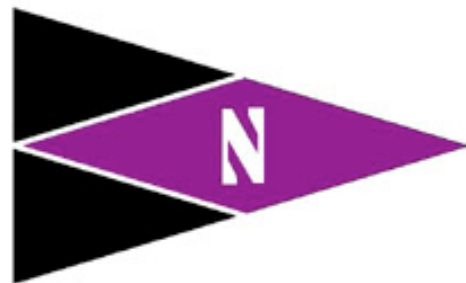
3. Minnesota	26	Jessica Haverstock '08 / Kate Hockin '10
4. Michigan	27	Maria Falcone '09 / Kelsey Dubois '11
5. St. Thomas	46	Medora Sletten '10 / Karen Hansen '11
6. Michigan State	46	Mary Rust '10 / Ashley Worden'10,3-4,7-8 Emma Distel'10 1-2,5-6
7. Ohio State	51	Lauren Berk '11 / Emma Wallis '08 1-2, 5-6, Emily Smith '11 3-4,7-
8. Iowa	59	Amy Rofling '09 / Mary Wagner '08

<b>B Division</b>	<b>TOT</b>	
1. Wisconsin	13	Joanna Clark '11 1-2,5-6, Christine Porter '11 / Kelsey Cramer '08 1-4, 6-8, Allie Valentor '10 5
2. Northwestern	19	Erin Miller '08 / Amanda Snyder '10
3. Michigan	24	Christina Baker '10 / Karly Pfeffer '11
4. Minnesota	27	Allison Prangy '11 / Carolyn Vanous '11 1-6, Kate Hockin '10 7-8
5. Iowa	47	Maria Argueta '10 / Jenna Burken '09
6. Michigan State	48	Cat Lanting '09 1-6, Emma Distel '10 7-8 / Jovan Gonzcar '09
7. Ohio State	53	Bryn Bachman '08 / Alyssa Singer '11 1-4,6-8, Emma Wallis '08 5
8. St. Thomas	61	Rachel Riotraschke '09 / Megan Zweber '08

## Three Way Regatta University of Wisconsin May 3-4, 2008

Saturday was overcast with wind starting out of the NW at 15 and continued to build. Races started at about 9:30 and A Division was able to sail one set before races were postponed until 2:00 pm when they were cancelled for the day due to heavy winds. Sunday was sunny with wind from the SW at 15-20. The teams arrived early to get more races in and B and C division sailed their first set followed by 3 more sets from all Divisions finishing up at 2:00pm. Congratulations to Northwestern 1 for winning Wisconsin Three Way Regatta 2008.

	A	B	C	Total
1 Northwestern 1	30	13	6	49
2 Univ. of Minnesota	22	11	21	54
3 Univ. of Notre Dame	15	30	16	61
4 Univ. of Wisconsin 1	32	15	31	78
5 Northwestern 2	45	31	22	98
6 Univ. of Wisconsin 2	23	35	49	107
7 Univ. of Wisconsin 3	28	48	42	118
8 Univ. Wisc. Milwaukee	43	53	56	152
9 Northwestern 4	62	45	57	164
10 Northwestern 3	58	62	54	174
11 Carleton College 1	71	60	56	187
12 Univ. of Illinois	62	70	71	203
13 Carleton College 2	70	75	69	214



### A Division

1 Univ. of Notre Dame	15	John Daily '08 (1-6), Carolyn Nally '08, (1-6)
2 Univ. of Minnesota	22	Dave Elsmo '08 (1-6), Mark Swift '11 (1-2), Emma Dancer '11 (3-6)
3 Univ. of Wisconsin 2	23	Bob Stelter '09 (1-6), Brittney Rathack '09 (1-6)

4 Univ. of Wisconsin 3	28 Jeremy <u>McMahon</u> '11 (1-6), Jackie Brown '10 (1-6)
5 Northwestern 1	30 Eric <u>DeFeo</u> '11 (1-6), Olivia Green '11 (1-6)
6 Univ. of Wisconsin 1	32 Leif Evensen '11 (1-6), Dan Fink '09 (1-6)
7 Univ. of Wis. Milwaukee	43 Josh Bowens-Ruben '08 (1-6), Ali Majcen '09 (1-4), Britt <u>McGraff</u> '11(5-6)
8 Northwestern 2	45 Cliff Harding '08 (1-6), Steve Black '11 (1-6)
9 Northwestern 3	58 Eric Michel '11 (1-6), Hannah Schresheim '11 (1-3, 6), Huzma Shailch '11 (4-5)
10 Northwestern 4	62 Mike Jung '09 (1-6), Lavreh Radanski '10 (1-6)
11 Univ. of Illinois	62 Sean Wilson '10 (1-6), Marilyn Logan '09 (4-6), Andrew Werner'10 (1-3)
12 Carleton College 2	70 Brian Goff '08 (1-6), Emma Flynn '09 (1-6)
13 Carleton College 1	71 Julia Turchell '08 (1-6), Peter Fritz '08 (1-6)

#### B Division

1 Univ. of Minnesota	11 Nick Horland '10 (1-6), Pat Kratz '08, (1-6)
2 Northwestern 1	13 Jimmy Costakis '09 (1-6), Kristin <u>McCaffy</u> ? '11 (3-4), Sharyn Loffe '11 (1-2, 5-6)
3 Univ. of Wisconsin 1	15 Brent Chinnock '10 (1-6), Drew Kosmoski '10 (1-6)
4 Univ. of Notre Dame	30 Paul Cordes '09 (1-6), Jess Hedrich '11 (1-6)
5 Northwestern 2	31 Eric Bell '10 (1-6), Hannah Dean '11 (1-6)
6 Univ. of Wisconsin 2	35 Kristin Paul '09 (1-4) Lauren Valentor '09 (5-6), Kristina Schaldach '11 (1-4) Susan Stuehrk (5-6)
7 Northwestern 4	45 Drew Collier '09 (1-2) Matt Combs '09 (3-6), Maija Mikila '10 (1-2) MJ Scheer '11 (3-6)
8 Univ. of Wisconsin 3	48 Jon Hedstrom '08 (1-6), Emily Theisen '09 (1-6)
9 Univ. Wisc. Milwaukee	53 Victoria Livingston '11 (1-6), Geet Sharma '10 (1-4) Ali Majcen '08 (5-6)
10 Carleton College 1	60 Nate K '11 (1-6), Jane Jackson '11 (1-6)
11 Northwestern 3	62 Tamu Christ '10 (1-6), Mallory Usen '11 (1-6)
12 Univ. of Illinois	70 Jamie Gay '11 (1-6), Candice Jones '09 (1-6)
13 Carleton College 2	75 Rob Kennedy '09 (1-6), Bonnie Cope '09 (1-6)

#### C Division

1 Northwestern 1	6 Tod Reynolds '10 (1-6)
2 Univ. of Notre Dame	16 Tim Roy '08 (1-6)
3 Univ. of Minnesota	21 Matt Thompson '11 (1-6)
4 Northwestern 2	22 Andrew Wien '09 (1-6)
5 Univ. of Wisconsin 1	31 Mike Stephenson '08 (1-6)
6 Univ. of Wisconsin 3	42 Elliot Halyburton '10 (1-6)
7 Univ. of Wisconsin 2	49 Brad Dober '10 (1-6)

**Gopher Invite**  
**University of Minnesota**  
**May 10-11, 2008**



This Mother's Day weekend had its good weather and its bad weather. On Saturday, sailors experienced 3-8 knot winds from the southeast, but were heavily rained on all day. Despite the rain, 14 races were completed. Sunday's weather was perfect for spring sailing: sunny skies, 50 degree temperatures, and north winds of 12-15 knots. Racing finished before 1, hopefully leaving everyone time to celebrate with their mothers.

Congratulations to Minesota 1 for winning, and to Minnesota 2 and Northwestern 1 for finishing second and third respectively.

	A	B	TOT		A	B	TOT
1 Minnesota 1	26	36	62	8 Notre Dame	69	71	141
2 Minnesota 2	59	21	80	9 Milwaukee	43	116	159
3 Northwestern 1	46	40	86	10 Northwestern 4	101	102	203
4 Wisco	60	28	88	11 Northwestern 3	110	95	205
5 St. Thomas	52	56	108	12 Northwestern 2	99	107	206
6 Minnesota 3	71	56	127	13 Chicago	123	98	221
7 Michigan	54	78	132	14 Illinois	138	140	278

## Wisconsin Women's Team Does Well ICSA Women's National Championship May 26-28, 2008 Newport Rhode Island

Boston College Eagles Triumph in Dramatic Fashion, snatching 2008 ICSA Women's National Championship Title from Brown University in Final Race.

Skipper Leigh Kempton sailing with Emily Flint help secure the win with three bullets in four races. Martha Pitt and Lily Beck also sailed strong for the Eagles, placing second in their division.

For the Brown Bears, who were leading the Eagles by 2 points with a race to go, this year's finish is bittersweet but full of promise. The Bears will return skippers Charlotte Lipschitz and Elizabeth Barry, along with all but one of the team's crews. Barry proved to be the low point star of the Championships, winning B Division with a total of 68 points. Her last day was her most dominant with four 1st place finishes in four races. Barry is first year at Brown.

Yale finished third as skipper Jane Macky led A Division with a division low 80 points. The Lady Bulldogs had been up by as many 27 during the second day, and led going into Wednesday's final races. But difficulties in the later races undid them, as BC and Brown sharpened their results. Stanford improved to 4th on the regatta, after sitting outside the top five for the bulk of the event. Charleston managed to steal into the fifth position amongst a very strong final set.

1 Boston College Eagles	89	97	186
2 Brown University Bears	120	68	188
3 Yale University Bulldogs	80	122	202
4 Stanford University Cardinal	91	115	206



5 Charleston Cougars	112	112	224
6 St. Mary's College Seahawks	136	99	235
7 Georgetown Hoyas	148	107	255
8 Tufts University Jumbos	94	177	271
9 Boston University Terriers	190	154	344
10 U of South Florida Bulls	191	160	351
11 Naval Academy Midshipman	163	205	368
<b>12 U of Wisconsin Badgers</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>387</b>
13 Hobart/William Smith Herons	205	219	424
14 Eckerd College Tritons	189	244	433
15 U of Hawaii Rainbows	268	192	460
16 Texas A&M University Aggies	313	191	504
17 Western Washington Vikings	230	290	520
<b>18 Northwestern Wildcats</b>	<b>289</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>599</b>



Northwestern B Team

A Division	TOT
<b>10. U of Wisconsin</b>	<b>176 Patti Schmidt '08 / Beccah Steffensen '08</b>
<b>17. Northwestern</b>	<b>289 Liz Hines '09 /Teresa Fox '09 1-12 HKnowlton '11 13-14</b>
B Division	TOT
<b>14. U of Wisconsin</b>	<b>211 Christine Porter '11 Joanna Clark '11 / Allie Valentor '10</b>
<b>18. Northwestern</b>	<b>310 Erin Miller '08 / MLaitos '09 1-8,11-12 ASnyder '10 9-10,13-14</b>

## 2008 Team Race National Championship Newport, Rhode Island May 30-June 1, 2008

At the end of Championship round 2, the top 4 teams to qualify for the final round were Boston College, Georgetown, Charleston and Brown. The Final round was sailed in a southwesterly breeze around 20 knots.

1. Boston College	14-3	8. Navy	2-12
2. Georgetown	11-6	9. South Florida	5-0
3. Charleston	9-8	10. USC	4-1
4. Brown	8-9	11. Wisconsin	3-2
5. Harvard	7-7	12. U/Washington	2-3
St. Mary's	7-7	13. Texas	1-4
7. Stanford	4-10	14. Notre Dame	0-5



\*Harvard and St. Mary's tie for fifth place

### Notre Dame

#### Skippers:

<b>John Dailey</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>1-11</b>
<b>Tim Roy</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>1-11</b>
<b>Chris May</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>1-8, 10-11</b>

#### Crews:

<b>Jacie Chase</b>	<b>09</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Caroline Yamartino</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1-11</b>
<b>Ali Donahue</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1-11</b>
<b>Jess Hedrich</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1-8</b>
<b>Joe Peris</b>	<b>09</b>	<b>9-11</b>

## Wisconsin

### Skippers:

		Races
<b>Rob Pickens</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>1-11</b>
<b>Patti Schmidt</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>1-11</b>
<b>Patrick Richards</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1-4</b>
<b>Matt Kirley</b>	<b>09</b>	<b>5-11</b>

### Crews:

		Races
<b>Kelsey Kramer</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>1-9</b>
<b>Beccah Steffensen</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>1-9</b>
<b>Carrie Bargren</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1-9</b>
<b>Mike Stephenson</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Christine Porter</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>10-11</b>
<b>Patrick Richards</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10-11</b>

## ICSA Gill Dinghy National Champions Newport, Rhode Island June 2-4, 2008

Narragansett Bay provided the venue for this year's College Dinghy Championship. Scheduled from June 2-4 the question became whether or not Boston College could come up with another win to match the wins that they had achieved in the ICSA Women's and Team Racing Championships just a few days earlier and duplicate a feat that had only been accomplished once before by the 1991 Navy Team.

The event had a slow beginning with a postponement ordered by the Race Committee for a lack of wind on the first day. However, with patience a number of races were sailed to keep the event on track.

The teams began to sort themselves out on the second day with Boston College taking a small lead at the end of the day. The competition was quite intense with a number of different teams winning races. However, the Georgetown team had worked it way to the top and lead by 20 points over Boston College with four races to go on the final day.

On the final day Boston College made an effort to close the gap on Georgetown, but the Georgetown team responded and held on actually widening the gap by the end of the regatta.

Charleston protested St. Mary's for a leeward mark rounding incident which resulted in St. Mary's being disqualified and dropping to third place overall. Boston College taking the second place finish.

1 Georgetown	141	97	238
2 Boston College	146	123	269
3 St Mary's College	146	130	276
4 Roger Williams	140	149	289
5 Conn College	156	151	307
6 MIT	175	137	312
7 College of Charleston	163	158	321
8 Yale	172	149	321
9 Brown University	133	195	328
10 Harvard	186	150	336
11 Vermont	139	207	346
12 South Florida	146	231	377
13 Stanford	203	178	381



#13 Rob Pickens wins the start and wins race 9A

14 Kings Point	163 227 390
15 Hobart/William Smith	205 202 407
16 SUNY	247 162 409
17 U Penn	239 184 423
<b>18 U Wisconsin</b>	<b>180 248 428</b>

**A Division** TOT  
**13. U Wisconsin** 180 Rob Pickens '08 / Kelsey Cramer '08 1-13,17,18  
Christine Porter '11 14-16

**B Division** TOT  
**18. U Wisconsin** 248 Patti Schmidt '08 1-12 Pat Richards '10 13-18 /  
Beccah Steffenson '08 1-12,17,18 Christine Porter '11 13  
Allie Valentor '10 14-16

## **ICSA Hall of Fame Inductees for 2008**

### **STUDENT LEADERSHIP - James Rousmaniere Award:**

Recognizing extraordinary leadership and achievement by an undergraduate whose efforts have made a significant contribution to the development, progress, and success of his or her club or team, conference, or the ICSA. Demonstrated leadership over a period of years, rather than a single year, will receive the most serious consideration. One honoree per year.

**Carolyn Just Nye, Bates College 2009**

### **GRAHAM HALL AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING SERVICE BY A COLLEGE SAILING PROFESSIONAL**

Recognizing organizers, administrators, advisors, or coaches who have served the best interests of college sailing at the club/team, conference, or national level; one or two honorees per year; nominees must have passed their 45th birthday.

**Francis E. Charles, Sailing Master at MIT, Tufts University 1980**

### **LIFETIME SERVICE AWARD**

Recognizing a career of extraordinary service to college sailing, whether as volunteer or professional; one honoree per year; nominees must have passed their 60th birthday.

**Joseph Duplin**

### **OUTSTANDING SERVICE - VOLUNTEER**

Recognizing those who have volunteered their time, talent, or resources to advance the interests of college sailing at the club/team, conference, or national level; one or two honorees per year; nominees must have passed their 45th birthday.

**Sister Esther Ann Whalen, Advisor, Salve Regina University**

**Stephen Edward Gay, volunteers with numerous activities with U/Texas, Austin, TX. University of Arlington, 1968**

**2008 COLLEGE SAILOR OF THE YEAR The Everett B. Morris Trophy**

Chris Behm (Hampton, Va.) – Georgetown University ‘08

**2008 QUANTUM FEMALE COLLEGE SAILOR OF THE YEAR**

Kaitlin Storck (Huntington, N.Y.) – Tufts University ‘08

**SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR The Robert H. Hobbs Trophy**

Paul Kleinschrodt (Mobile, Ala.) University of South Alabama ‘08

**TEAM OF THE YEAR The Leonard M. Fowle Memorial Trophy**

Boston College

***2007/2008 ICSA ALL-AMERICA SAILING TEAM***

**ICSA Coed All-American Skippers**

Thomas Barrows (St. Thomas, USVI) – Yale University ‘10  
Chris Behm (Hampton, Va.) – Georgetown University ‘08  
Zachary Brown (San Diego, Calif.) – Yale University ‘08  
Charles Buckingham (Newport Beach, Calif.) – Georgetown ‘11  
Reed Johnson (Toms River, N.J.) – Boston College ‘08  
Brian Kamilar (Miami, Fla.) – Boston College ‘09  
Jesse Kirkland (Warwick, Bermuda) – St. Mary’s College ‘10

Kyle Kovacs (Pennington, N.J.) – Harvard University ‘08  
Chris Lash (Newport, R.I.) – College of Charleston ‘08  
Justin Law (Newport Beach, Calif.) – St. Mary’s ‘08  
John Loe (Baton Rouge, La.) – St. Mary’s College ‘08  
Andrew Perry (Sarasota, FL) -- Brown University ‘08  
Adam Roberts (San Diego, Calif.) – Boston College ‘09

**ICSA Coed Honorable Mention:**

Matthew Duggan (East Sandwich, Mass.) – Roger Williams ‘09  
Charles Enright (Bristol, R.I.) – Brown University ‘08  
Andrew Goetting (Point Pleasant, N.J.) – Roger Williams ‘08

Clinton Hayes (East Haddam, Conn.) – U. Vermont ‘10  
Nick Martin (San Diego, Calif.) College of Charleston ‘10  
Jay Mills (Greenport, N.Y.) – Hobart/William Smith ‘08

**ICSA Women All-Americans**

Allison Blecher (Fullerton, Calif.) – College of Charleston ‘10  
Evan Brown (Tampa, Fla.) – Stanford University ‘08  
Kate Hagemann (Marion, Mass.) – Yale University ‘09  
Blaire Herron (Coronado, Calif.) – Georgetown University ‘08  
Charlotte Hill (Miami, Fla.) – U.S. Naval Academy ‘08

Jane Macky (Auckland, N. Zealand) – Yale University ‘09  
Adrienne Patterson (Newport Beach, CA) – St. Mary’s ‘08  
Kaitlin Storck (Huntington, N.Y.) – Tufts University ‘08  
Sara Morgan Watters (Oxford, Md.) – St. Mary’s ‘10

**ICSA Women’s Honorable Mention**

Elizabeth Barry (Riverside, Conn.) – Brown University ‘11  
Shannon Heausler (Tampa, Fla.) – College of Charleston ‘10  
Elizabeth Kempton (Island Heights, N.J.) – Boston College ‘09

Charlotte Lipschitz (Chevy Chase, Md.) – Brown ‘10  
Megan Magill (San Diego, CA –Navy /St. Mary’s ‘11

**ICSA All-American Crew**

Carrie Amarante (Wayne, N.J.) – Boston College ‘09  
Carly Chamberlain (Newport Beach, Calif.) – Georgetown ‘09  
Abigail Coplin (Delmar, N.Y.) – Yale University ‘09  
Elyse Dolbec (Quincy, Mass.) – Harvard University ‘09  
Mattie Farrar (Blaine, Wash.) – St. Mary’s College ‘08  
Emily Flint (Longmeadow, Mass.) -- Boston College ‘08  
Leigh Fogwell (Greenwich, Conn.) – Georgetown University ‘08  
Lyndsey Gibbons-Neff (Rosemont, Penn.) – Tufts University ‘08  
Elizabeth Hawkins (Fairfield, Conn.) – Connecticut College ‘08  
Margaret Lumkes (River Forest, Ill.) – St. Mary’s College ‘08

Maria Mahler-Haug (Branford, Conn.) – Brown ‘09  
Kelly McKenna (Lake Forest, Ill.) – Stanford ‘09  
Marla Menninger (Newport Beach, CA.) – Yale ‘10  
Danielle Neri (Newport, R.I.) – College of Charleston ‘08  
Meredith Nordhem (Chicago, Ill.) – St. Mary’s College ‘08  
Megan Riddle (Vermilion, OH) – Col. of Charleston ‘08  
Andrew Schneider (Marblehead, MA) – Boston Coll. ‘08  
Kristen Sproat (Berwyn, Penn.) – U.S. Naval Academy ‘08  
Coco Solsvig (Greenwich, Conn.) – U. of Vermont ‘10  
Meris Tombari (Fishers Island, N.Y.) – Brown ‘0