



## Memorial Day Regatta

Sunday May 29<sup>th</sup> 2011

1:00 Skippers Meeting

*Celebrating 70 years of Sailing...* Avalon Yacht Club is thrilled to open the season with our annual Memorial Day Regatta on Sunday May 29<sup>th</sup>. Arrive by **1:00pm** for the **Skippers Meeting** and **Ceremonial Burning of the Winter Socks** – Bring a pair (the woollier the better) to help fuel the fire and welcome the summer season. Sailors, spectators, race committee, friends and family are invited to gather for Awards and chowder in the Grill Room/South Deck around 4:00.

Eligible Fleets: Optimists, Sunfish, Laser, 420

Races: Up to three races will be run for each fleet. Race courses will be established on race day. The Optimist fleet will have a shorter course than the other fleets and will have their own dedicated patrol.

Prizes and Results: Prizes will be given for each fleet based on the number of participants. Since the Memorial Day Regatta is considered to be a warm-up event, the results will not count toward the summer series standings.

Use of club boats: Club owned boats are available for all fleets (Optimist, Sunfish, Laser, 420). If you would like to use a club boat for this event, please contact John Groskoph at [johng2009@comcast.net](mailto:johng2009@comcast.net) to make a reservation.