BABA Steering Committee Meeting Sunday, March 13, 2011

Present: Mark Raginsky, Fan Pat, Colin Pitts, Daphne Lathouras, Tomaso Sargent, Dave Iseri, Coby Leyden

Discussion of 2011 racing program 3 race events each with awards. No season awards Gerry Brown is scheduled for June 12 in order to get more participants out to BCSC (kids, sailors, etc) and due to conflicts in April and May.

May 21 – 22 Gunpowder Campout Regatta

June 12 Gerry Brown Memorial Regatta at BCSC

Sept 10 – 11 East Coast Championships at Mayo

Would also like to find some windsurfing starts in sailboat races. M Parramore is checking with Severn Sailing Assoc. Colin will confer with West River Sailing Club.

BCSC will try to get Gerry Brown listed in CBYRA as a Junior event for Techno racers. There's also some discussion of windsurf starts at Rock Hall Yacht Club.

BCSC also has other starts that we might be able to participate in.

Mark Rags will check with Lakes Bay and NJ club for other race starts.

Gunpowder 2-Day Race – papers to be completed and signed by Mark Raginsky.

Mayo Update

Contractor doing offshore work did not finish the project. There's a question among AA Co. Officials as to whether or not the park is now suitable for windsurfing & car top boat launching. AA Co is not currently issuing Mayo Wind permits for 2011. There has been a suggestion that they may consider opening Beverly Triton to a limited number of permits. There were 80 – 90 members of Mayo Wind.

Beverly Triton is considering offering 30 permits. That will not accommodate all the Mayo Wind members. \$50 each. There are 5 designated parking spaces inside the park and 8 outside (approx. 200 yards from outside to launch). Proposed rules under consideration would limit access to Thurs – Sunday. BABA is preparing comments to respond to the proposed Beverly Triton Rules.

When Mayo was open 12 months permit was \$75 x 90 members

Ask for date when Mayo will be re-opened Ask for minimum # of BT applications (min 50%) be given to windsurfers Remove max 4 boards per car and leave the max 4 people per car rule. Ask for 6 or 7 day/week access to BT Ask for dawn to dusk access because it's easier to determine Ask for evaluation of rules & use after 2011 season is finished

Tomaso will go to next AA Co. meeting and will talk to Maureen about going – essential to have more AA Co. residents involved in the discussion.

BABA Road Trip – Mark Rags will talk to Delmarva Boardsports and Extreme Windsurfing about having a BABA weekend at one of their locations.

Hatteras Trip – 5 houses are full, 6th house has openings (El Magnifico). Coby will open up to WET and NJ clubs in another week if there are still spots. They will get reciprocal club member consideration if they can offer same to BABA.

Respectfully submitted by Daphne Lathouras standing in for Ann Jackson, Secretary