

2006 Gulf Streamer - Halifax River Yacht Club / Charleston Yacht Club

Gulf Streamer - Spinnaker							232.0 nm	Start:	5/26 14:05:00	Actual	Adjust	Corrected	Avg	Overall
Place	Yacht Name	Sail #	Skipper	PHRF	Club	Make	Finish	Elapse	time	Elapse	nm/hr	Place		
1	EmOcean	37120	Hanckel	59	CYC	J 120	5/27 15:14:29	25:09:29	3:48:08	21:21:21	9.222	2		
2	Genesis	52680	Steiner	21	GSSC	Next 57	5/27 14:43:45	24:38:45	1:21:12	23:17:33	9.413	3		
3	Sea Breeze	244	Marsa	135		Sabre 386	5/27 22:08:12	32:03:12	8:42:00	23:21:12	7.238	4		
4	Renegade	52422	Slade	6	KF	Santa Cruz 52	5/27 15:00:08	24:55:08	0:23:12	24:31:56	9.310	6		
5	Ricochet	251	Fanning	141	CORA	Sabre 386	5/28 00:36:10	34:31:10	9:05:12	25:25:58	6.721	7		
6	Celadon	51704	Lesniak	104	CYC	Oceanis 510	5/27 23:00:08	32:55:08	6:42:08	26:13:00	7.048	9		
7	Obsession	2090	Church	131	HRYC	Morgan 41	5/28 01:23:45	35:18:45	8:26:32	26:52:13	6.570	10		
8	Shenanigan	51907	Law	153	CYC	Gulfstar 50 ketch	5/28 05:26:35	39:21:35	9:51:36	29:29:59	5.894	13		
DNF	Tigress	43074	Geyer	163	RC	Ranger 33			10:30:16			DNF		
DNS	Spirit	42845	Greiner	48		Dobroth 45			3:05:36			DNS		

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1	Toki	51205	Gorden	138	HRYC	Moorings 51	5/27 23:20:19	33:15:19	8:53:36	24:21:43	6.976	5		
2	Twilight	602	Smith	167	HRYC	LaFitte 44	5/28 02:48:01	36:43:01	10:45:44	25:57:17	6.319	8		
3	The Last Mangas	711	Ford	123	HRYC	Beneteau 36S7 WK	5/28 01:27:53	35:22:53	7:55:36	27:27:17	6.557	11		
4	Canard Azul	40064	Wolfrum	174	CORA	Pretorien 35	5/28 06:30:00	40:25:00	11:12:48	29:12:12	5.740	12		
5	Lionheart	127	Tyers	240	CYC	Amel Shark I 39	5/28 13:53:05	47:48:05	15:28:00	32:20:05	4.853	16		

Gulf Streamer - Bimini/Cruising							232.0 nm	Start:	5/26 14:00:00	Actual	Adjust	Corrected	Avg	Overall
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1	Jolie Dancer	52365	Klimas	189	NFCC	Irwin 43 Mk III WK	5/27 20:37:32	30:37:32	12:10:48	18:26:44	7.575	1		
2	Blind Date	454	Erwin	163	CYC	Melson Merak 45	5/28 06:03:45	40:03:45	10:30:16	29:33:29	5.791	14		
3	Finally	319381	Gannett	235	CYC	Allmand 31	5/28 12:58:08	46:58:08	15:08:40	31:49:28	4.939	15		
4	Dreamy Daze	37	Yeager	162	HRYC	Catalina 380 WK	5/28 15:30:00	49:30:00	10:26:24	39:03:36	4.687	17		
DNF	Bravo II		Perkowski	195		Lack 29			12:34:00			DNF		

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1	Celadon	51704	Lesniak	104	CYC	Oceanis 510	15:20:00	1:15:00	0:18:22	0:56:38	8.480	1		
2	Tigress	43074	Geyer	163	RC	Ranger 33	15:31:21	1:26:21	0:28:47	0:57:34	7.365	2		
3	Ricochet	251	Fanning	141	CORA	Sabre 386	15:29:17	1:24:17	0:24:54	0:59:23	7.546	3		
4	Obsession	2090	Church	131	HRYC	Morgan 41	15:28:43	1:23:43	0:23:08	1:00:35	7.597	4		
5	Sea Breeze	244	Marsa	135		Sabre 386	15:29:46	1:24:46	0:23:51	1:00:55	7.503	5		
6	Shenanigan	51907	Law	153	CYC	Gulfstar 50 ketch	15:34:53	1:29:53	0:27:01	1:02:52	7.076	8		
7	EmOcean	37120	Hanckel	59	CYC	J 120	15:18:19	1:13:19	0:10:25	1:02:54	8.675	9		
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9	Renegade	52422	Slade	6	KF	Santa Cruz 52	15:17:06	1:12:06	0:01:03	1:11:03	8.821	12		
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Easy sailing for Jolie Dancer

By STEVE MASTER
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DAYTONA BEACH — Richard Klimas didn't need to wait out the numbers-crunching to know he'd won the Gulf Streamer Daytona-to-Charleston, S.C., yacht race.

Two items told the 53-year-old retired Naval officer everything he needed to know.

His Irwin 43 sailboat, Jolie Dancer, was faster than ever. And "we finished a lot earlier than we planned," Klimas said.

It added up to a satisfying win for the Green Cove Springs resident and his four-person crew: daughter and son-in-law Kelli and Robert Cook from New York, and friends Fred Braman and Adam Norwood.

Jolie Dancer completed the 235 Nautical-mile race in 30 hours, 37 minutes. Emocean, skippered by Bill Hanckel of Charleston, finished second.

Klimas credited his victory to the strong performance of his boat and a fortuitous navigational decision to stay on the western fringe of the Gulf Stream, which saved time without sacrificing speed.

"We lucked out turning when we did and not going further out into the Gulf Stream," said Klimas, whose boat got up to 14 knots in the Gulf Stream. "The boat did extremely well. It's the fastest I've seen it go."

The early finish didn't guarantee Jolie Dancer a win. The results are determined using a

handicapping system based on boat size, but Klimas knew his crew had earned a victory.

"We're ecstatic," said Klimas, who was racing his first Gulf Streamer.

Other class winners were Emocean (spinnaker) and Toki (non-spinnaker), which was skippered by Ormond Beach's Dennis Gordon and included an all-Volusia County crew.

The race included its usual array of mishaps, close calls and an encounter with a storm that caused Emocean to suffer a knockdown — when a boat flips on its side.

The storm, which slammed much of the fleet off the South Carolina coast Saturday afternoon, produced 35-knot winds, heavy surf and an ominous backdrop of clouds one competitor compared to an avalanche.

Tom Mackar, crew member on Carard Azul, reported seeing a horizontal funnel cloud — a first in his 18 years of sailing.

Dreamy Daze, skippered by Daytona's Ted Yaeger, drifted for six hours in foggy, windless conditions and finished Sunday afternoon, more than 24 hours after the frontrunners.

Eighteen boats completed the fifth biennial race. Ormond Beach-based Bravo II sustained steering problems and pulled out near St. Augustine. Emocean was the first to finish, crossing the line in 25 hours, 9 minutes, 29 seconds.



Skipper and Crew