

May 2018 RoadRunner update.

Some of our juniors had an opportunity to sail in the Turnback regatta early this month. Thanks to Steve Ward for running a great regatta and for the opportunity to host a fundraiser meal after racing. On that note, thanks to those who tipped the rowers at Lago Vista and bought Sunday meals. **Wendi Froelich** was RC. **Ethan Froelich** and **Richie Amato** earned line honors by 10 Minutes on Saturday on the F18 Tiger Cat. **Katie and Fiona Froelich** earned line honors on Saturday on a J22. On a J24 there was **Stella Renner** and her friend.

Richie sailed on Bonfire and **Ethan** sailed on Liten Up in the J22 circuit stop at Austin Yacht Club the following weekend.

On May 19-20, AYC sailors travelled to Houston Yacht Club for the Ragnot Classic TSA Regatta. Both days were very windy with 18 knots on Saturday and 20 knots on Sunday along with large swells. It was great experience for all our sailors. In C420 **Lucy Brock** and **Julius Heitkoetter** took first place and **Taylor Snyder** came in 4th, sailing with Hannah Progelhof from Rush Creek Yacht Club. **Andrew Butler** sailed in Laser Radial, finishing in 12th. 34 boats sailed in optimist RWB and **Lucas Tenreiro** took 2nd overall and 2nd in red fleet, while **Tony Slowik** was 3rd overall (and 3rd in red fleet). **James Brock** was 6th overall and 2nd in blue fleet. **Nicholas Carew** sailed his first red fleet regatta and finished in 21st place (11th in red). Kynes Cabrera finished in 23rd and Keen Cabrera finished in 29th.

The next TSA is right here at AYC! The RoadRunner Regatta and Optimist Mid America championship is the weekend of June 2-3. The regatta this year is a US team trials qualifier and a large number of entrants is expected. We will need volunteers in many areas; on the water and on land!. If you can volunteer one or both days, please reach out to Jeff Brock (jeffbrock@me.com) or myself (marvcarew8@gmail.com) if you would like to help out. We can't pull this off without you!