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## **POWERLITE In The Winner's Circle:**

**CHARLESTON RACE WEEK '07**

**Congratulations to all the POWERLITE PBO racers!**



This year's Charleston Race week included five race boats rigged with Powerlite PBO. PHRF C, which consisted of 12 boats, included the Primal Scream (a C&C 115 owned and captained by Steve Stollman) and the Kalevala II (a Grand Soleil 37 owned and captained by Tapio Saavalainen). Primal Scream, wearing it's new for 2007 PowerLite PBO rigging, posted a 1<sup>st</sup> in Class / 1<sup>st</sup> Overall win while the Kalevala II tied for 3<sup>rd</sup> place with the J35 "Arrow". An excellent showing for PowerLite!

The PHRF A class included three more PowerLite PBO rigged boats in the field of 14. The class was dominated by the roXanne, a Melges 32 owned by Kip Meadows which was wearing the factory PowerLite PBO rigging. The Vamoose, Robby Wilkins' Melges 32 followed up with a third place finish. The newly PowerLite PBO rigged Farr IMS 40 "Sister Golden Hair" owned by Peter Conrad posted a strong 6<sup>th</sup> place finish against the very varied and highly competitive class.

The light wind conditions during the first day of racing were not exactly the ideal conditions for most teams and day two didn't serve up a lot more breeze. There was no racing on day 3 due to gale force winds and tornados which kicked the breeze up to an astounding 60 knots.

As an added honor, Primal Scream also brought home the historic Palmetto Cup, which is awarded to the regatta's most competitive boat. This was the second year in a row the Primal Scream was awarded the honor...a first in the history of the Palmetto Cup!

Applied Fiber / PowerLite PBO Rigging send our congratulations to all of the participants in this year's Charleston Race Week on yet another outstanding round of competition.

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