



RIPS TIDINGS

Day four at **RIPS** saw a change in the wind with the best sailing so far. Wind was steady at 10 knots with gusts up to 12. Three great races were completed. One unfortunate downside of the day was a start line incident in which *Lily* lost her mast after a collision with *Ghost Dancer*. We thank the race committee once again and look forward to another great day tomorrow.

Wish I was 18 again (original score by Odin - sung at *RIPS Idol*)

*Oh I wish I had a San Juan 24
At RIPS you just can't wish for more
They are stubby and squat
But I don't give a quat
Just give me a damn San Juan 24*

*Oh I wish I had a San Juan 24
Bad starts would bother me no more
No matter how old,
Their rating is gold
Just give me a damn San Juan 24*

*Oh I wish I had a San Juan 24
No transoms I'd see anymore
They are impossible to beat
Even if you cheat
Just give me a damn San Juan 24*

*Oh I wish I had a San Juan 24
Down wind those fast bastards roar
When they pop out the shute
They just go like poop
Just give me a damn San Juan 24*

*Let's review the San Juan 24
Sailing RIPS must be such a bore
Always leading the fleet
Like an old bitch in heat...*

The HELL with the SAN Juan 24