

WINDWORD

Windycrest
SAILING CLUB

July 2017

- 7/23 Summer Centerboard (CB) 5 & 6
- 7/26 Wednesday night series # 12
- 7/30 Summer CB 7 & 8
- 8/2 Heat of Summer racing
- 8/5 BEACH PARTY
- 8/5 & 6 Tsa-La-Gi Cupcake Regatta
- 8/7 Board of Governor's meeting
- 8/9 Heat of Summer racing
- 8/16 Heat of Summer racing
- 8/20 CB fall 1 & 2



Commodore Report

July 2017

During the Cheeseburgers in Paradise party a guest of one of our members suffered a medical emergency. Several members and guests of members responded to provide aid to our guest until paramedics arrived. I have received word that our guest is doing well. First I want to thank all those involved in responding to the incident. We are lucky to have great members who care and are willing to aid in situations. Unfortunately I don't know the names of the individuals who responded, but you know who you are so "Thank You!"

I want to encourage all of you to take a moment to review the emergency notification signs in the pavilion. Windycrest is a bit of a challenge to find for someone who has never been there and adding to the difficulty is the fact that we sit right on the boarder of different emergency response areas, so depending on which cell tower your phone connects to at the moment a call is made you get different dispatch areas. The signage instructions is designed to help first responders get to an emergency quickly.

The new flotation has been installed under D dock. I want to thank Davenports welding and dock service for completing the project on budget.

Lastly, I am again making a request for your input on suggestions for funding our future maintenance. I am forecasting that the club will need \$500,000 more than our current forecasted revenue to fund Capitol and maintenance projects over the next 10 years. Already parts of C Dock and A Dock are in need of refloating, the small breakwater will need help, we need a new motor boat, etc. As I stated in previous articles, the current thinking is to have a slow and consistent increase year over for the next several years. The board has received 2 formal plans and will debate them as well as any other plan intruduced at the August meeting where I expect a motion to be made for a September vote on a plan. This vote will also include updating the bylaws to reflect the new rate schedule. If you want to review these plans and verbalize your opinion I invite you attend the August BOG meeting.

IV McNamara



Vice Commodore Report

July 2017

Sailing Season is halfway over, if you haven't made it out on the lake yet, now is the time to sell your boat and re-evaluate your life. This is the prime season of lake sailing, as is the other 3 seasons of the year, but this one is really my favorite because of the swimming. We are having a big beach party on August 5th, we shall do this one a little different by turning it into a whole day rather than a couple hours. We will be settling at the beach around 2 PM on Saturday and might not leave until Sunday night. We will have water taxis, beach games, mega bonfires, paddleboards, catamarans, rum punch, and moon light. Hope to see you out there!

Our D dock floatation project is complete now. We will be working on a Tie up dock replacement soon. We are currently looking at plans to raise dues to pay for dock maintenance.

Many events in the future, Beach Party, Labor Day Race, Sail for Steve, Cat Fight, MC Southwest Championship.

Vice Commodore

Drew Ziegler



Fleet Captain Report

July 2017

The summer series is wrapping up and many of you have asked for more details about the HEAT of the SUMMER race series on the calendar. This series is an informal **fleet based** series that may take advantage of good sailing weather when it is usually hot with no wind in August.

- Wednesday night hamburgers are not part of the series.
- Yes, the keg will be open after the race
- The fleet captain (Jon Crump) will make the go/no-go call on Monday evening based on the weather forecast for Wednesday evening. An email will be sent out to the MC fleet. If there are other fleets such as the Flying Scot fleet that would like to participate let me know.
- The fleet will set the course if there is no short notice race committee available. The course will be posted on the pavilion marker board at 6PM
- The start MAY be a horn at the beginning of the five minute sequence with no flags if short notice race committee is not available. This will be posted on the pavilion marker board at 6PM

If you are interested in serving as short notice race committee please let me know and I will send out the call for race committee on Monday evening.

See you on the water

Jon Crump
Fleet Captain



BEACH PARTY!

August 5th

2 P.M. UNTIL 7:00

Watch Facebook and email for details

Come join us for another monthly full moon edition of camping, grilling and party on the beach!!
Hopefully sailing too!

We will have a water taxi from Windycrest and from moored boats.

Bring your own provisions (beach games, fireworks, chairs etc.). Beach party committee will
make fire pit for cooking and taxi patrons.

Beach location: Washington Irving North
Use the party line for taxi pick up.



From the Treasurer

July 2017

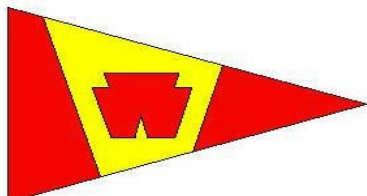


Boat registrations. Just a reminder that boat registrations expired on June 30. There is no penalty for renewals by July 31. Since you are not notified of expiration unless you make a positive election with the Oklahoma Tax Commission, check that you are up to date and have a current registration sticker on your boat. It is very helpful to us and the Lake Patrol if we need to locate you.

Boat trailer identification. Please make sure your legible name is on your trailer tongue. Having your name on the trailer enables us to easily identify boat owners in case we need to contact you regarding your boat.

Long term planning. The Board of Governors is currently reviewing our long term Club maintenance needs. We have completed replacement of a large number of dock anchor chains. Many thanks to the "Chain Gang" and others who helped with this project. Volunteers saved the Club thousands of dollars on this project. We also have recently completed replacement of floatation on a portion of D dock at a cost of approximately \$20,000. The Board is working on a replacement for the Ski Barge which was damaged beyond practical repair during recent storms.

Members have invested over \$900,000 in our facilities and equipment, some of which in now reaching the point of needing significant maintenance to extend its use. We all benefit from the facilities even if we don't actively use some of them and continual maintenance is required to keep our Club a place that we can enjoy and be proud to recommend to others.



WSC Board Minutes July 10, 2017

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Call Meeting to order: IV McNamara (Commodore), Drew Ziegler (Vice Commodore), Bryan Wutzke - Absent (Rear Commodore), Cathy Casad (Secretary), Tom Proctor (Treasurer), Jon Crump (Fleet Captain), Victor Wandres-Absent (Activities Captain), and Marcus Fairless-Absent (Past Commodore).

Guests present:

Kevin Calman (Facilities Manager)

Skeeter Chilton (member)

Membership applicants –

Justin Kendrick

Mike and Jodi Keller

Re-instatement of membership

Dustin Ogden

A motion to approve membership applicants was seconded and approved.

IV welcomed the new members and gave them an overview about the club.

Secretary comments:

There were no changes to the last meeting's minutes and they were approved as presented.

Windword editor comments: Windword deadline is Friday, July 14.

Treasurer report:

Tom Proctor reviewed the monthly finance statement.

D Dock repairs are completed and bill will be paid.

Note to members: Only direct members of family get free sailing training.

All others should pay a fee for the sailing training.

Propose changes to the Bylaws will be reviewed during August BOG meeting.

Vice Commodore report:

Drew Ziegler reported docks repairs are finished.

Beach party and fourth of July party were held with good time for those attending.

Kevin is completing the dock clean-up and he is getting water back working on docks.

We will be hiring a stone mason to fix the stones that fell out of the south side of the lower shelter wall.

Friday, Kevin got the motor off the old ski barge boat that has been damage beyond repair. We are looking in purchasing a new boat.

Facility Manager report:

Kevin Calman said the gate is now working again.

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Activities Captain report:

Victor Wandres reported he has the caterer and location for the Christmas party.

Members who use Facebook are welcomed to join our Windycrest Facebook.

Fleet Captain report:

Jon Crump said we have awards for non-scheduled events if someone has a use for them.

There will be unscheduled racing in August for MC Scow sailboats.

Three more Wednesday night racing and Sunday racing continues through July.

Rear Commodore report:

Bryan Wutzke reported adult sailing training has begun on Saturdays. The training will also include sailing on Wednesday night joining as crew on sailboats racing.

Skeeter recommended members to invite the new sailors who came to training to continue to come out to the club to sail.

Past Commodore report:

Marcus was not present.

Commodore report:

IV reported we will be paying for dock repairs after the broken gate costs have cleared.

Sail for Steve race details are being worked.

The man who required medical attention during the Cheeseburgers in Paradise party is reportedly doing ok.

Long term finances continually will be reviewed and discussed.

Meeting was adjourned around 8:03 p.m. The next meeting will be on August 7, 2017, at the Case Community Center at 6:30 p.m.

Respectfully yours,
Cathy Casad
Windycrest Secretary

WSC CLASSIFIEDS



Posted 7/26/16

J-24 #559 - \$6,950

Includes boat, heavy duty double axle trailer, in excellent racing condition. Large sail inventory (three full sets of sails 100%, 150% genoa and spinnaker and many spare parts)

New Nissan 3.5 HP outboard engine with 3 years left on warranty.

Contact Danny Rathan at 713-240-5375



Posted 10/05/16

Catalina 22 #5625 (1977) - call for price.

4 HP Johnson 2 stroke 2 cylinder motor, Pop-up top, Port-a-potty, Damaged Mainsail, 150 Genoa, OEM Jib, No trailer, Dock slip C34.

Contact Jerry Rice at 918-855-1475