

# WINDWORD

*Windycrest*  
SAILING CLUB

March 2019

- 3/23 PRO/RC Training Seminar
- 3/24 Keelboat (KB) Spring 1 & 2
- 3/31 KB Spring 3 & 4
- 4/1 BoG Meeting
- 4/6 Spring Regatta & Chili Cook-off
- 4/7 Centerboard (CB) Spring 1 & 2
- 4/14 KB Spring 5 & 6



## From the Fleet Captain:

The 2019 Windycrest Frostbite series was a qualified success. “Qualified” because Mother Nature did Her level best to give us only two good days to sail during this winter event. Of the five scheduled Frostbite sailing days, three of them were too much like the Roaring Forties, so we cancelled in deference to good sense. However, the other two days were beautiful on Lake Keystone. We set a seven mile course with the starting line in the mouth of Windycrest cove with a beat to the Corps of Engineers buoys at the 412 bridge, then a long spinnaker run/reach Northward around the bend to another permanent buoy on the West side of the lake, and then another beat/reach back to the club. Once the dozen or so boats were back at the docks, everyone came to the pavilion for hot cider, beer, pie, cakes, soft drinks, and whatever else the Fleet Captain thought to provide. It seemed to be fun enough to warrant another Frostbite series again next winter to tempt Mother Nature once more. Thanks to Tobie Bresloff for many trips to Costco for the eats and for the hours in the kitchen concocting the fine hot apple cider.

We presented awards for the 2018 racing season at the recent annual Awards Party. Instead of sending winners home with plastic sailboats on plastic bases with plastic labels, this year we commended the winners with embroidered polo shirts and sailing books for the winning skippers and shirts for winning crews. If you didn't win a book yourself, you can enjoy some outstanding reading by picking up your own copy of the awarded books: *Temple to the Wind: Nathanael Herreshoff And The Yacht That Transformed The America'S Cup* by Christopher L. Pastore; *Gipsy Moth Circles the World* by Sir Francis Chichester; and *Sailing Alone Around the World* by Joshua Slocum.

A highlight of the awards party was the recognition of members who particularly exemplified the Windycrest spirit of sailing in 2018. The Jack Marsee Sportsmanship trophy was presented to Jack Stewart; Eddie Bryan was named the most improved sailor; Barend Meiling was recognized as the most congenial member; the Kevin Meehan Memorial Crew trophy went to Blaine Sampson; the Commodore's Chief Mate trophy also went to Jack Stewart; and the Fleet Captain's trophy was presented to Lisa Weatherholt. Congratulations to all the award winners!

St. Patrick's Day was celebrated at Windycrest in the best Irish style with the second annual — what else to call it? — St. Patrick's Day Regatta. The day began with breakfast in the pavilion, then moved to the lake for four races in gorgeous almost-Spring afternoon, followed by awards of — what else to give out? — bottles of Bailey's Irish Cream and Guinness stout. And then pies and green whipped cream for all. Many thanks to a great Race Committee team who set perfect courses in shifty winds: Mark Lobo, Tom Ostrye, Barend Meiling, Gil Greenwood and Steve Elliott. And thanks to JoAnn Chandler for setting up the breakfast buffet and for knowing how to work the Windycrest coffee percolator.

Don't forget to attend the Race Committee training session on Saturday, March 23. You will have to attend this session, in addition to doing two race committee stints, in order to place out of 2020 Part B dues and that year's work party. Starts at 10:00 in the pavilion with coffee and light breakfast.

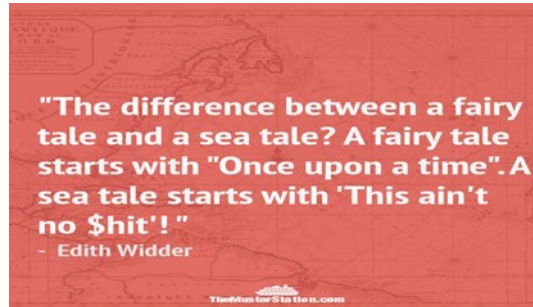
**Racing starts on Sunday, March 24. Be there!**

**- David Hyman, fleet captain.**





## From your Activities Captain:



Those of you out there were legion, (judging by the numbers) who missed the Annual Awards Banquet, and you missed a great time. You know that we racers are not snobs or elitists and would have shared a great meal with those of you non-racers (and yes, some of you came). I also want to take a minute and thank those who RSVP'd and didn't show, you left us with a lot of Mexican take-out.

It was a great time the venue was fun, and yes I know Broken Arrow is "so far to drive". Food was smashing and 'Ritas' beer, soft drinks, wine all flowed. I also want to give a thank you to David Hyman, because me being a racer, I think he did a great job with the Trophies this year.

We just had the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual St. Patrick Day Regatta, and even though I think someone had hidden some extra weight on the "Rubber Duck" it was a great day of sailing.

Coming up is the Windycrest Invitational and Chili Cook off on April 6<sup>th</sup> which will be a fun time. I think it is clever to have a "Chili Cook-off" on the same day as a regatta. That way if you eat first and there is no wind you can make your own. (Think about it.....)

Come to the club. You paid your dues so use your boat.

Mark

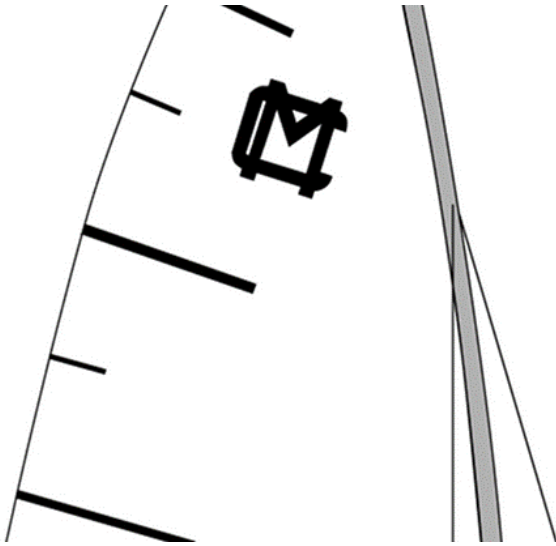
# ***Windycrest Spring Invitation- al Regatta and Chili fest***

**Keystone lake. USA April 6<sup>th</sup> 2019**



- ◆ Where: Windycrest Sailing Club, Keystone Lake, OK
- ◆ When: Saturday April 6<sup>th</sup> (& possibly 7<sup>th</sup> depending on travelers/weather)  
Registration/ Check in 11:30, Skippers Meeting Noon, First Warning 12:45  
Rain or shine, Blow or No.
- ◆ Who's Invited: Anyone who can sail around a course, Scows, J-22, Sunfish, Laser, Sunfish, 420, Opti, Scots, Hobie Cats, Kite Boards, Handicap and Dirty Bottom
- ◆ Racing Rules: RRS 2019, Low Point Scoring, 1 Throw out after 6 races, 2 throw outs after 9 races. The Goal is to have as many fun short races as possible around 30 min per race. We will customize racing per fleet request.
- ◆ Trophies: Recognition awards will be given for moments of brilliance.
- ◆ Dinner & Entertainment: Windycrest's Annual Chili Fest, Fleets will enter chili's, Entertainment (Music), Dranks will be provided.
- ◆ Entry Fee: Free sponsored by Dirty Bottom Fleet

**Regatta Contact: Drew Ziegler, 918-764-0848, [thedrewziegler@gmail.com](mailto:thedrewziegler@gmail.com), [Windycrest.com](http://Windycrest.com) for more local information and amenities.**



## MC Report March 2019

It seems as if we have had a quiet winter, at least as far as centerboards go. Moving forward, here is what we have going on.

**PRO Training:** March 23, 10am to noon. Pavilion. Remind yourself of all those flags and stuff. You know, the five minute thingy right before the start of the race. Even if you think you know, it never hurts to relearn boats, flags, time, courses, etc. It will be a good for you, and not kill you.

**Windycrest Invitational Regatta:** Yea! Finally our first chance to race this year. The Regatta is the weekend of April 6 & 7.

Since it is early in the season, be prepared to be flexible schedule-wise due to the weather. The Regatta Chairman and the PRO will make the final decisions on when we'll race over the course of the weekend. One day, two days, half days, or whatever, expect a good time surrounding the Chili Cook Off.

**Chili Cook Off:** Will be 6pm, Saturday April 6th. We will be having chili in the Pavilion this evening. Your fearless fleet captain will be cooking a pot on behalf of the MC fleet, but we can always use another "Upper Lot Pot" via the talented chefs in our midst. Everyone is invited to give a shot at winning the coveted chili cooking champion of Windycrest. Please give Drew Ziegler a call if you would like to cook a pot of the red.

**Club Racing:** MC's Spring Races 1 & 2 begin on April 7th. Who knows, they may count towards Regatta scores too. Heck, we could even race with keelboats too. So clean her up and get the bottom wet the 6th & 7th of April. It will be a great start to the 2019 season.

**Websites to Visit:** A very MC and Scow oriented website is [www.sailzing.com](http://www.sailzing.com) If you haven't been there, it is a must see for racing sailors. Lots of articles on rules, boat fixes, tips, and tactics. Recommended highly. Also check out [www.supercall.com](http://www.supercall.com) if you like drink recipes.

DannyZ



Below (left) Stephen Gent sailing in 2018, (above) 2019 BOG taken at the General Meeting.



## From the Treasurer

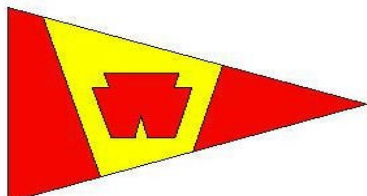


As of March 8, 2019 170 of 218 members have completed their renewal. If you have not renewed yet, please be aware that “on April 1, memberships still unpaid shall forfeit their membership in the Club for nonpayment of dues. If the membership includes slip leases, they will be canceled and property subject to removal. They shall not be entitled to membership in the Club until readmission by the Board of Governors. Forfeited memberships accumulate daily storage fees from February 1st until property is removed from the Club premises.”(Bylaws Art XIII 10(b).

In order to complete your renewal you **must** submit your signed renewal form and full payment of all dues and fees including applicable late fees postmarked before April 1<sup>st</sup>.







## WSC Board Minutes March 4, 2019

### **The Windword**

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Bob McGinnis 918-629-9308

Barbara & Warren Graham

#### Sunfish/+95 Fleet

Skeeter Chilton 918-346-9518

Call Meeting to order: Skeeter Chilton (Commodore), Jason Williams - (Vice Commodore), Robbie Corcoran – absent (Rear Commodore), David Hyman (Fleet Captain), Maurice Casad (Secretary), Tom Proctor (Treasurer), Mark Hoagland (Activities Chairman) and Drew Ziegler (Past Commodore)

Guests Present:

Jeremy Daily (Guest)

New Member Request – Jeremy Daily was present and applied for Regular Membership at WSC. A motion was made and approved to accept his membership application, which was approved. Jeremy is married with two girls and is a professor of Mechanical Engineering at the University of Tulsa.

### Old Business:

Awards banquet – 40 people attended the Awards banquet. A suggestion was made to try and reserve the venue for next year's award banquet early.

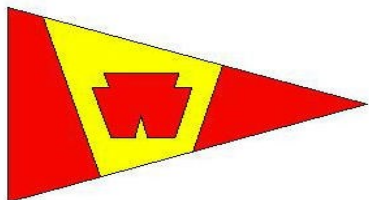
### New Business:

-A new Facilities Manager has been hired. Christian Supernaw is now on staff. Matt Carter was another candidate and will serve as a backup to Christian.

The February Minutes of Meeting were approved.

### Treasurer Report:

-Membership renewal - Tom Proctor reviewed the list of last year's Associate and Regular members who have still not renewed for 2019. There are more outstanding renewals this year than at this same point last year. At this point late penalties will apply to membership renewals.



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### Secretary Report:

Work on the 2019 WSC directory is underway. Any photos that might be included in the directory, or used for the cover, should be submitted as soon as possible to the Secretary. The Commodore's report, awards and race results, Junior awards, any changes to the sailing instructions, adult sailing training schedule, by laws, or any other potential changes need to be submitted to the Secretary before the end of March. The directory will go to the printers on April 1<sup>st</sup>.

The WSC burgee flag stickers will be made the same as the 2018 burgee's, the quality is acceptable.

Directory cover photo – Skeeter may try to get aerial photos of club for inclusion in the directory.

### Fleet Captain Report:

PRO training is scheduled for March 23<sup>rd</sup> and is mandatory to be a PRO on race committee, in addition to performing two race committee duties.

There are still four spots open needing a PRO for the 2019 racing series.

The St. Patrick's Day regatta is scheduled for March 16<sup>th</sup> and will be the season opener for racing. 9:30 am breakfast, 11:00 am skippers meeting, 12:00 pm start. At least four races are anticipated, for keel boats only.

The Frost Bite series was considered a success for the two that were held, three races were canceled due to weather.

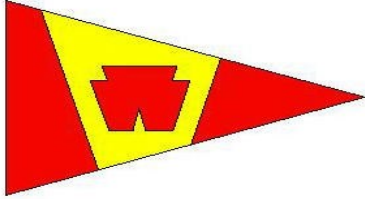
The Sunday racing series starts on March 24<sup>th</sup>.

### Vice Commodore Report:

A boat got loose in the marina during the recent windstorm when a HydroHoist lost air allowing the boat to come undocked.

A discussion ensued concerning the Facility Manager's duties during storms and on weekends. The facility manager is not on duty on weekends but should be available for extreme weather. When anything is noticed that needs attention but is not part of the Facility Manager's normal duties, such as loose or damaged boats, hoists, etc. it is not the FM's duty to fix the situation, but it is expected that the boat owner or someone in authority at the club gets notified to address the situation.

Any thoughts and/or ideas for work party duties during the annual Work Day should be sent to Jason.



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Facility Manager:

No report this month.

Rear Commodore:

No report this month.

Past Commodore:

The Chili Cookoff is scheduled for Saturday, April 6<sup>th</sup>. There will be center board racing that weekend with an 11:00 am skippers meeting.

Commodore:

An invitation will be sent to approximately 40 club members to form a committee to review a list of club issues such as publicity for the club, ways to increase and keep up membership, evaluate necessary repairs and maintenance, club improvements and potential costs.

Wind and wave action recently caused damage, with one HydroHoist destroying a portion of D dock.

Skeeter asked everyone to help remind members to regularly check on their boats.

The motors on the club owned motorboats need to be kept down in the water and in a vertical position to keep cooling water in the motor from freezing and causing damage.

The gas to the heater in the Men's Restroom was turned off, which resulted in frozen water pipes. The heater does have an open flame with no immediate flue apparent next to the heater, but there is plenty of ventilation in the area so a separate flue is not necessary. Board members were asked to help educate people to never turn off the gas.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 pm. The next meeting will be on **April 1<sup>st</sup>**, no fooling, at the Case Community Center at 6:30 pm.

Respectfully yours,  
Maurice Casad  
Windycrest Secretary

## WSC Classifieds

**4000 pound Hydro hoist with a dry keel tub. The keel tub allows the keel to stay dry when the boat is sitting on the Hydro .The hoist is selling for \$1300.**

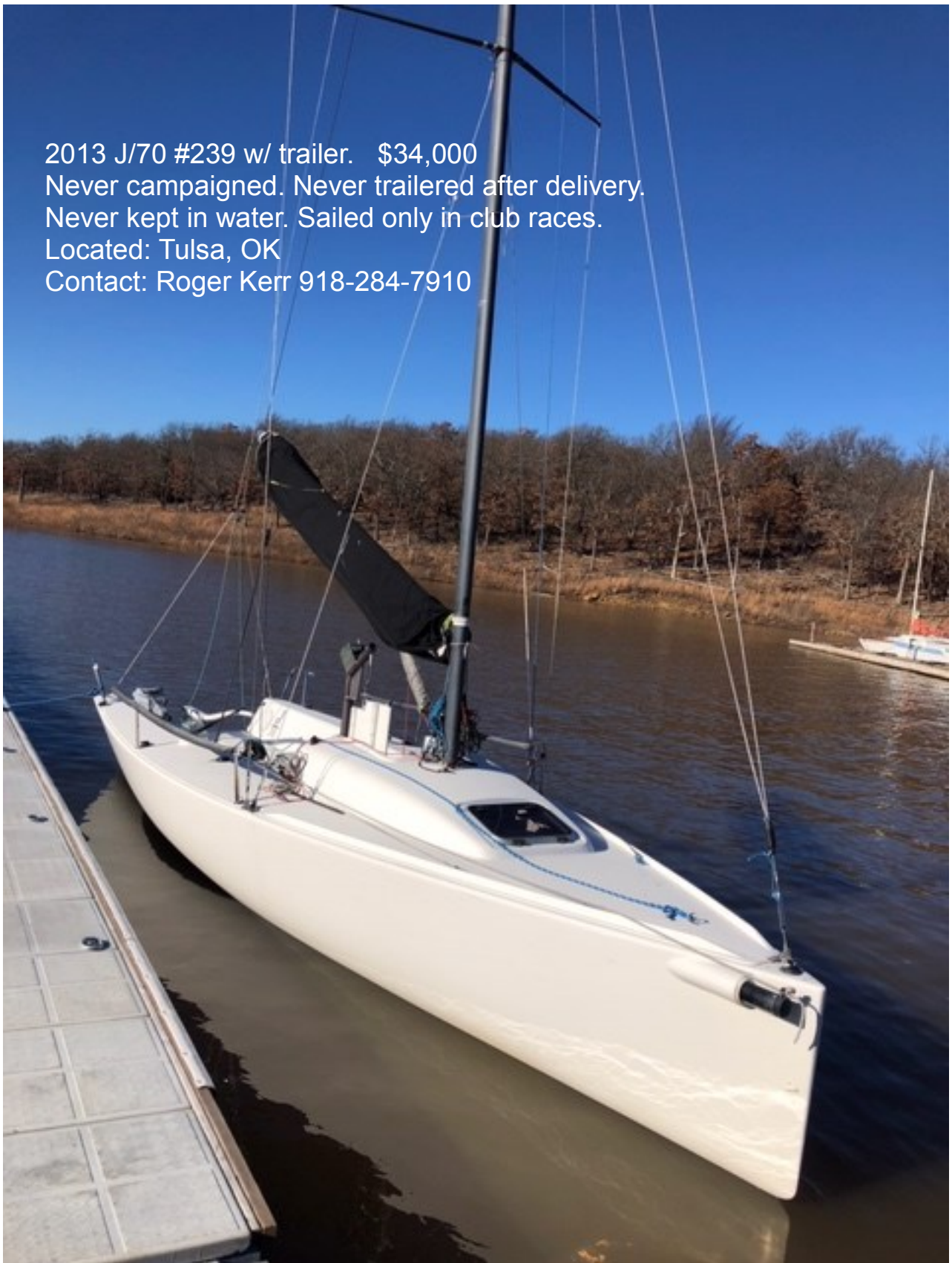
**6000 pound Hydro hoist for sale. This hoist is selling for \$1800. Both hoists are at Windycrest Sailing Club**

**Call or text Bob at 918-629-930**





2013 J/70 #239 w/ trailer. \$34,000  
Never campaigned. Never trailered after delivery.  
Never kept in water. Sailed only in club races.  
Located: Tulsa, OK  
Contact: Roger Kerr 918-284-7910



## Flying Scot

Totally rebuilt 1971 Flying Scot #2002 for sale. All decking is firm and has been rebuilt with flotation repositioned. Boat is repainted top and bottom, all new lines, with spinnaker sheets run under deck and spinnaker halyard run to cockpit. Jib sheet cleats and fairleads run to the seats for easy release. One set of racing sails along with a set of working sails. Boat under cover and on trailer, all in good shape. \$5,000

Terry Rainey    [terainey@cox.net](mailto:terainey@cox.net)

918 851 1292    cell



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## **E scow For Sale**

**1995 model 28ft. E scow. Includes trailer and numerous sails. Sails include a new unused spinnaker. The boat is old style (non-bow sprit) in good condition and not heavily used. It needs a new cover. Includes upgrade extras of dual compasses and hiking straps that are not currently installed on the boat. Currently stored at Tsa-La-Gi Yacht Club. \$6,000. For more information contact Burdette Blue 918-583-1166**

## **ISLAND HOPPER MOTOR FOR SALE**

**Type: extendable shaft, air cooled, 2HP, easy carry (16 lbs), 2 cycle, less than 2 hrs total use. Perfect for small boats on wind failing days. Paid \$670. Firm at \$300. Bob Wandres, 918-813-1052**

**Catalina 27 is for sale. It's a '78 Model with a 5 horse Nissan outboard that runs good. Mainsail was sent away for refurbish 2 years ago - only sailed 3X since! Needs elbow grease! Asking \$1,995 or Make offer. She sits in slip C17**

**Gregg Conway  
918-527-9413(cell)  
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## CLASSIFIEDS



**Santana 20 #700 (1985) - \$1,400 or best offer**

Includes original sails (mainsail, jib, 150% genoa, and spinnaker)

plus a North Sails 150% genoa and a second spinnaker ("Tomato")

Also includes trailer. Located in the upper dry-sail keel-boat lot.

**Contact Skip Chandler at (918) 237-0060**

