



Bluewater Bay Sailing Club NEWSLETTER

November 2010

Promoting Sailing, Boating, & Related Activities!



PHRF FLEET CAPTAIN REPORT

The beautiful, northern Florida day with good temperatures and lots of sun. What we didn't have for an hour and half was wind. However, the wind finally filled in and the ten participants were able to complete the two races. The Wilucz's Ice Melted won the Spinnaker competition with Pat Ballasch on Avocet, Bill Deming on Pandemonium, Mickey Duvall on Kahlua and Denis Duhaime's Victoria filling out the standings.

The non-spinnaker competition was won by David Lauderbaugh in Vixen, with Brian Gwinnup in Khaos, 2nd (a new sailor and club member), and Charlie Mauck in Iwalani, 3rd. Bill Gorenc on

The Grande Finale was run Saturday, Oct. 30. The day was a

Mystique and Gisela Redinger on Glory both participated in the first race, but not the second.

The Grande Finale was sponsored by Dave Lauderbaugh's Consolidated Gear, who also furnished the excellent trophies. Thank you Dave.

We have begun the planning for the next sailboat racing season. The club needs a small pontoon boat to manage the races. If anyone knows of a boat that is available for little of no expense, please contact the Fleet Captain, Neville Edenborough.

Thanks to all the participants in this season, the race chairmen, and especially to Scott Pursell for supplying his boat and time on several of the races as race committee.

Neville Edenborough, PHRF Fleet Captain



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BLUEWATER BAY MARINA / BUDWEISER SINGLE HANDERS RACE 2010

Well we had another successful single handers race on the bay. This was the 17th annual Single Handers Regatta. This regatta has become the largest race on the bay and one of the best times and producers of "war stories".

We had 25 boats register. 25 boats started and 24 boats finished (1 was disqualified though). The winds were SE at 0-10 kts.

As usual we had a Bermuda start from the Rocky "1" vicinity and raced a 9.9 nm course around the bay to finish back at the same start area. Thanks to Ray Hinely, Don Brooks, Tony Theriot, Debbie Sheldon, and Doris Deming who were committee for the race and witness some starts which were nailed on time and some who were a "tad" late.

Top finishers were:

1st	BOONEDOGGLE	Chris Pfladderer	Lindbergh 28
2nd	KAHLUA	Mickey Duvall	O'Day 28
3rd	PANDEMONIUM	Bill Deming	Pearson 33



Budweiser provided t-shirts and gifts to every participant that registered for the race. Budweiser and Bluewater Bay Marina also went 14 deep in awards! Special recognition goes to Bill Kaunzinger on "Gemeaux" who did this race at the age of 86!!!!

When all was said and done it was a great sailing day with a different twist to the normal racing venue. All boats ranging from a 42 rater to a 375 rater competed and enjoyed the day. Thanks again to Budweiser and the Sheldon's for co-sponsoring the race and providing refreshments, t-shirts, and awards. We have already starting to plan for our 18th Annual Single Handers Race and our goal is 30 boats. Maybe next year it will really blow hard.

P.S. Congrats to Geisla Redinger and Linda Wright for being the first women to join this race in 17 years.

Brett Hinely, Bluewater Bay Marina

COMMODORE'S

STORY

The 2010 BBSC sailing season is rapidly coming to a close and the participation in this year's events has improved. It's time to start thinking about your winter projects and the repairs/improvements you want to make to your boats. They all need a lot of TLC to keep them operating properly and safely. We've had a full season of events and I want to thank all the volunteers and bridge for making everything a lot of fun.

October was a very busy month with a lot of key events happening. We started off the month with the Columbus Day Cruise to Baytowne Marina and Wharf. Six boats had a great sail to a raft up outside the entrance to the marina. Everyone rafted together and proceeded to enjoy happy hour as we watched the sun set on the bay. After that we all got on one of the boats and went into the marina for dinner. We had a nice dinner and then went to a local piano bar where they played a lot of music by request. Later in the night they had a singing/dance competition and Kevin Wildt was chosen as our table captain. He did a great job representing us and made everyone else happy they were not chosen. As the evening wound down we all went back to the boats and spent a nice night on the water. Next day some of us went back home and a couple of the boats spent another day on the water. The cruise was a nice experience for all. The next event in October was the Single Handed Race sponsored by Brett and the marina and Scott Sheldon with all the Bud Light beer we could drink. There were 25 brave individuals and the testosterone pool is forever diluted. The first two ladies joined this race and earned the respect of everyone. Good job! The racing was light with all points of sailing, and it spread the fleet out across the bay. Chris Pfladderer with his new boat Boondoggle showed everyone

how to go fast around the bay and Avocet was able to perform the "Hunter Maneuver". Everyone got a good laugh out of this except Pat who was DQ'd for missing a mark. Better luck next year. The final event of the month was the Grande Finale sponsored by Dave Lauderbaugh and his company Corrogated Gear. Dave has always been a great supporter of our club and we really appreciate it. 10 boats split into two fleets and had to wait 1 _ hours for the wind to fill in to actually have a race. Once it did start blowing Neville and Scott did a great job running the race with Mark Hunter and his finished project setting the marks for the triangle course. We were able to have two races and they presented some challenges for some of the crews. Ice Melted from FWYC won the spinnaker fleet and Vixen was victorious in non-spinnaker. After the race everyone went to Helga's restaurant and had great German food and drinks. Dave presented the trophies and had a fun story on the making of the unique gear trophies, something about spell checking.

Coming in November is the Fall Banquet at the Sunset Beach Club House. This newsletter should have all the details for the party but we do need your RSVP as soon as possible. Remember to wear your finest yachting attire to this Blue Blazer bash. The food will be catered and a band will be playing so it should be a great time. Also we will be electing the bridge for next year so if you are interested in volunteering we could really use your help. Volunteers are what makes the club a success. We also will be presenting the end of year awards. Please plan to join us for a nice evening with your friends in the sailing club. Hope to see you there and remember to sail safe and see you on the water.

Commodore Mickey Duvall

Fall Banquet & Awards Blue Blazer Bash (wear your classic yachting attire)

Happy Hour: 6:00 pm
Dinner: 6:45 pm
Awards/Elections: 7:30 pm
Music, etc: 8:00 pm

We need your reservations for the Election and Awards Banquet by next weekend (November 7). The banquet will be held at the Sunset Beach Clubhouse. Memphis Q is catering the dinner which will feature:

Swedish Meatballs
Spinach Artichoke Dip
w/Hawaiian bread chips and salsa
Smoked Salmon
Smoked Turkey
Beef Brisket
Garlic Potatoes
Asparagus
Pasta Salad
Shrimp Salad
Dinner Rolls

Bring your own drinks of choice and the club will furnish ice and set-ups. Pete Hodges and his band from Birmingham will provide music after the dinner. This entire gala evening is only \$30 per person, but we a final count by next Monday.

Crusin' Around

The Columbus Day Weekend Cruise was a rousing success with six boats participating on the Saturday raft of Baytowne. Attending were Iwalani, Pandemonium, MacLamara, Kahlua, Glory, and Cloud Nine. It was good to have Debbie and Kevin Wildt on the water again in addition to new members Jerrie and Tim Mack on MacLamara. The cruisers enjoyed the evening ashore with dining at Graffiti's followed by festivities at Rum Runners. We were also indebted to the Mack's for providing water taxi service aboard MacLamara. On Sunday, MacLamara, Cloud Nine and Pandemonium proceeded to Hogtown Bayou for a raft while the other boats returned home.



Unfortunately, the final Full Moon Friday Raft-up of the season less well attended – Iwalani (myself) was joined by Commodore Duvall in his john boat. We enjoyed the full moon, appetizers and drinks before proceeding to Schooner's to finish out the evening.

Future Cruising Events:

November 13th: Election and Awards Banquet.

Fair Winds, Charlie Mauck, Rear Commodore



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Total = _____

FALL BANQUET, AWARDS & BLUE BLAZER BASH



**SATURDAY
NOVEMBER 13TH
SUNSET BEACH
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\$30 PER PERSON

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