



Bluewater Bay Sailing Club NEWSLETTER

January/February 2019

Promoting Sailing, Boating, & Related Activities!

Awards Banquet

January 26, 2019



Bridge Members:

Commodore: Charlie Mauck, Vice
Commodore: Michael Morris, Rear
Commodore: Phil Rosegrant, Secretary:
Mindy Barrett, Treasurer: Leslie Cooper, Fleet
Captain: Brian Gwinnup, Small Boat Captain:
Zack Kastl, Newsletter/Membership: Patty
Deming, Quartermaster: Brenda Crabbe.

Bridge Members Attending:

Charlie Mauck, Michael Morris, Patty Deming,
Zack Kastl, Brenda Crabbe, Brett Hinley, Phil
Rosegrant and Mindy Barrett

Location: Bluewater Bay Golf Club

At 6:08 Charlie Mauck welcomed everyone to the Awards banquet and thanked all bridge members in attendance. Dinner was banquet style.

Call to order at 6:54pm by Commodore, Charlie Mauck

Charlie ask if everyone read last year's spring meeting minutes, minutes are approved.

Treasurer's Report (Leslie Cooper)

Leslie was not present but submitted the balance of \$9230.75. Tom Kennedy approved and all in favor.

Vice Commodore (Michael Morris)

Michael said it was a great first year and will continue on as Vice Commodore.

Rear Commodore (Phil Rosegrant)

Phil, aka Trivia King, said last year had lots of social events, Happy Hours, Cruises, Trivia at 3rd planet. Happy Hour at Dockside had around 40 people in attendance.

Hurricane season delayed the fall cruise but the sailors still hung in the bay. Phil will continue on as Rear Commodore.



Fleet Captain (Brian Gwinnup)

Brian was not present but will continue on as Fleet Captain.

Small Boat Captain (Zack Kastl)

Zack said last year was challenging and had participation issues. The Black Friday small boat race was not as popular as the prior year. Zack said if you have a small boat either loan it or come out. Zack will not stay on as Small Boat Captain and has nominated Ramsty Siberski to fill his position. All in favor.

Newsletter Editor (Patty Deming)

Patty said the club is now using Mail Chimp for better communication and asked members to please update their email addresses. Patty reminded everyone to subscribe to Google calendar for club events and races.

Quartermaster (Brenda Crabbe)

Brenda drew numbers for door prizes.

Bluewater Bay Marina Rep (Brett Hinley)

Brett said Wednesday Nite fun races will continue and the first unofficial race will be on March 13, 2019. Last years winner was a tie between Mark Hunter and Grover Niles.

Awards:

Michael first presented the awards.

Grand Finale winners.

Non spin- 1st place was Pandemonium. 2nd place was Kahlua

Cruiser- 1st place was Stella De La Mar

Spinnaker- 1st place was Epiphany, 2nd place was Avocet.

Small boat series

1st place- Ramsty Siberski

JAM Series

1st place- Zack Van Voast

Commodore's Cup

1st Place Spinnaker Fleet- Mark Hunter

1st Place Non-Spinnaker- Mickey Duvall

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Crusin' Around

Welcome to 2019. We closed out 2018 with a Christmas party hosted by the Redingers. It was a good way to finish the year with friends with plenty of food and drinks. I want to thank Bill and Gisela for hosting 3 events for the club in 2018.

A group of us are still playing trivia every Tuesday at 3rd Planet Brewing. We finished in the money three times in January including one 1st place finish plus another victory on February 12th.

We get a big table so there is always room for you to join us. The categories vary every week so we never know what areas of knowledge we are going to need to win. First time players have known answers that the regulars didn't know which enabled us to win some 3rd Planet bucks two different weeks in January. Come out and give it a try. You might know the answer we need to win.

We had a "leftover" party in January to drink the leftovers from the Christmas party with 26 people coming to our home. It started out as a Bluenose race watching party but the race was cancelled due to weather. The bad weather didn't keep our club members from driving to a party. February 15th was our first happy hour of the year with 28 people participating. We went to the Bilge Pub at the Boathouse Landing restaurant. It was the first time I had been there and I was surprised by how nice it was. They also had live music that started at 7:00 and it was pretty good entertainment. I think we will go there again!

The Chili Dog regatta is February 23rd. We will have the usual chili cookoff after the race and for you non-racers, you can watch the finish at Duvall's house while enjoying snacks and drinks. The club will provide hot dogs with all the fixings and beverages but we need people to bring their best chili to be judged and then consumed by hungry sailors.

We have the first raft up of the year scheduled on Saturday March 16th and then a happy hour on March 29th. I am always looking for suggestions for happy hour locations. April has a raft up (April 12th) and a happy hour (April 19th) scheduled with the Spring cruise starting on Saturday April 27th. We are planning on going east but I don't know how well Panama City and Port St. Joe have recovered. If you have information about marinas, hazards to navigations, Crooked Island info, etc. please share it with me. Eveline and I are planning a driving tour to gather knowledge about marinas and some local knowledge prior to the cruise planning meeting on April 11th.

I hope to see you at the BBSC Spring Meeting on Friday, March 1st.

Rear Commodore Phil Rosegrant



COMMODORE'S CORNER

Ahoy Sailors, I would like to take this opportunity to thank the bridge members who volunteered to serve again in 2019 and welcome Ramsty Sibersky to the bridge as our Small Boat Fleet Captain. Thanks also to Zack Kastl for his years of service in that position.

The 2019 sailing (and social) season is already underway with one race (Bluenose Regatta) and a couple of social functions. Upcoming this weekend is the always popular Chili Dog Race and social hosted by Mickey and Patty Duval.

On Friday (March 1st) evening, plan on attending our Spring Meeting at Bluewater Bay Marina Store. Refreshments are included and our officers will go over the calendar for rest of 2019.

Fair Winds, Charlie Mauck



PHRF FLEET CAPTAIN REPORT

We held 2 races in last couple of months. The first was the last JAM race of 2018 and we had 2 boats turn out, Epiphany and Adagio. The forecast called for 20+ knot winds, which was not even close as we were barely able to start due to a lack of wind. Epiphany was winner for the match race. Thank you to Ramsty for race committee.

We had to reschedule the Blue Nose regatta to the 2nd of February and had a good turn out with some light winds. Here are the results with correct times:

Spinnaker:	
Epiphany	2:04:36
Avocet	2:24:50
Ida Clair	2:26:50
Non-Spinnaker:	
Rock-n-Roll	2:31:27
True Grit	2:34:45
Halcyon	2:35:15
Irish Lady	2:50:50

Thank you to Michael Morris race committee.

We have our Chili Dog Regatta coming up on the 23rd of Feb. I hope to see everyone come out for it.

PHRF Fleet Captain Brian Gwinnup



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1st Place Cruiser Fleet- Michael Phillips

Sailor of the Year

Mark Hunter

Emma Goggin Award for Promotion of Sailing

Michael Morris

Sportsmanship Award for Outstanding Contributions of Goodwill to Fellow Sailors

Ramsty Siberski

Blooper- Voted the Most Memorable Mishap of the Year

Maverick for spinnaker shrimping

Award for Achieving Notoriety

Avocet for appearing on the front cover of the Bay Beacon with a sideways spinnaker.

VIP- Outstanding Bridge Member

Phil Rosegrant for his efforts to grow the cruising and social aspects of this club which included the successful cruises, Raft-ups, Happy Hours, Trivia Nights, and special parties.

Election of Officers

The only open position was for Small Boat Fleet Captain. Zack Kastl nominated Ramsty Siberski. A motion to accept was made and all in favor.

Presentation of Flags

Flags will be presented at the Spring Meeting on March 14, 2019.

Spring Meeting : Friday March 1, 2019 at 6:00pm Schooner's Shipstore.

Motion to adjourn was made. Meeting Adjourned at 7:38PM

Mindy Barrett, Secretary BBSC



BBSC **SPRING MEETING**
& Membership Drive
March 1, 2019
6:00 pm @
Schooner's Ship Store
For More Information Contact:
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**Required: BBSC uses email as the main communications method*

Upcoming Events

Sat., February 23	Chili Dog Regatta And Chili Cookoff
Fri., March 1	Spring Meeting
Sat., March 9	Start-A-Palooza
Wed., March 13	Unofficial Wednesday Night Race
Sat., March 16	Raft Up #1
Sat., March 23	Luck Of The Draw
Fri., March 29	Happy Hour
Wed., April 3	Wednesday Night Race

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