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Well, this summer is certainly screaming by! Seems like we just got back from the annual late spring cruise, and here it is August already. It has been an especially nice summer (weather-wise) and we've been able to enjoy a number of nice day sails and even an overnight or two, although mostly in the Magothy. We're looking forward to some more and longer days/weeks on the water if our lives would ever settle down. To wit....



Susan and her Aunt Elly have been out and about lately, but only one trip was on Trinity. When I say 'out and about', I really mean it - they are exploring Alaska and the Yukon these past two weeks and, when they return, have more doin's planned. And then, for my part, I have that whole work thing going on which can really cramp a cruiser's style. (Folks keep telling me I have to do something about that one of these days ☺.)

We had a very fun dinner at Deep Creek Restaurant in July. Thanks, V/C Liz, for setting it up and herding us to a good place to rendezvous! With healthy contingents from both sides of the Bay - and a special shout-out here to Mal and Anne Marie whose surprise visit made it an especially

happy event! - we had a dozen and a half folks there. It was fun getting to talk to friends we haven't seen in awhile. Attendees included: Cingels, Forces, Nances, Powers, Singermans, Saxtons, Whaleys, Vaillants, and new CSC friends (and, hopefully, soon-to-be new members) Randy and Theresa Rainey, new-ish members of Belvedere. By the way, major congrats to the Forces and Powers on their new boats!

Looking forward to the annual picnic/business meeting at Belvedere on August 16th. It will also be our election. We'll be voting for a permanent V/C, Liz having 'volunteered' to fill the final year (2013-2014) of my V/C term. If pressed, Liz has told me that she's willing to serve another term but she has certainly done more than her fair share in service capacities for the club. Is there anyone who would be willing to take over as shore-based social coordinator for the CSC? It's an opportunity to help out the group, ensure you stay connected to what's going on - because you get to stage it ☺ -- and promote the camaraderie that is the hallmark of the Chesapeake Sailing Club. Please do consider it, especially if you haven't served in a CSC office before.

Also, we'll vote in a replacement for F/C Mary Jo, who is completing her second year in the job. Thanks to Bill Stine for being willing to step up to the most visible position in our club!

We're still looking forward to more sailing as the season moves along, although the calendar has gotten all cluttered up of late with lots of non-sailing kinds of things that can be kind of annoying. (Maybe I should be careful what I say since some of those events involve non-sailing people, like relatives, who might take offense. But they're probably not on distro for the Scuttlebutt, so I'll chance it ☺.)

Sue and I hope we'll be able to meet up with folks on the water as we can over the next weeks and months. If you sense an opportunity for an overnight or a weekend away, and you'd like company, please include us on any such plans. If we possibly can, we'll be there!

Vice Commodore's Report

Liz Cingel, *Southern Lady*

Let's hope by September the hot weather will be gone so we can have a nice fall cruise up the Bay in cooler weather and for the annual crab cake picnic at Sailing Emporium in Rock Hall.



Our annual business meeting and picnic at Belvedere Yacht Club will be held on Saturday, August 16th, at 2 PM. We have a few available slips if you want to come by boat but let me know as early as possible so our Fleet Captain can make arrangements for you. Belvedere Yacht Club is located on Forked Creek if you come by boat. If you drive we are located at 419 Alameda Parkway, Arnold, 21012. Fried chicken from Grauls will be served and if you cannot eat fried chicken let me know ASAP so I can arrange to have someone grill a chicken breast for you. Wine, beer, soda and water will be available. Please bring a side or dessert to share to serve about 8 people. I will supply a few hor d'oeuvres but if you have a special hor d'oeuvre you would like to bring tell me. Also I would like to know what you are bringing.



I look forward to seeing everyone at Belvedere Yacht Club in August.

Our annual crab feast is on September 27 at Sailing Emporium in Rockhall so mark your calendar but you will probably see this again in the next newsletter. Everyone looks forward to that event and the food is always delicious. Sailing Emporium is an enjoyable place to visit and the grounds and flowers are lovely and they have a great gift shop. They have a nice selection of nautical cocktail napkins as well as other nautical items and I usually load up with cocktail napkins. If you plan to sail there make your own slip reservation, phone 410-778-1342. They charge \$2.00 per foot, 30 amp is \$8.00, and 50 amp or two 30 amps are \$16.00. If you cannot eat crab cakes let me know so we can arrange to grill a chicken breast for you.

I am really jumping ahead now - I was thinking about the winter parties and hope people will volunteer to host a party. Our parties are held in December, January, February and March and we go to dinner somewhere in April. The Ewings have been our hosts for dinner at Eastport Yacht Club several times in April. It is always enjoyable to get to see everyone in the winter.

Fleet Captain's Report

Mary Jo Harris, *Circe*

Optional Late Summer Cruise

Ahoy , CSC Sailors:

We're going cruising during the dog days of summer. Most of us will leave home ports on



Friday, August 22. We will go to the Patuxent by Sunday night, probably anchoring or mooring in Solomon's or in Mill Creek to prepare for a quick get away the next morning.



This cruise is an optional addition to our schedule, and it will be very informal. The object will be to cruise as far south as we can before we need turn back toward our home ports.

Please call, text, or email me if you want to be included. [see directory]

I mapped out two TENTATIVE FLOAT PLANS below - in the hope of getting as far south as possible at the start of the cruise, and coming back as slowly as our schedules and the weather permit.

Beginning FRIDAY AUGUST 22:

- Friday: Rhode River
- Saturday: Little Choptank River
- Sunday: Patuxent River

If we all get to the Patuxent on Saturday, rather than Sunday, we can set off for new waters on Sunday morning and gain a day of cruising the Southern Bay!

Check out **either schedule (1) OR (2) below** for potential destinations. There are, of course, many variations possible on either theme! The point is that we will follow wind and weather conditions, and that may mean that we ignore BOTH of these tentative plans! If you have to return early, you can bail out whenever it best suits your schedule.

- Monday: (1) Tangier or (2) Great Wicomico
- Tuesday: (1) Tangier or (2) Fleets Bay
- Wednesday: (1) Onancock or (2) Rapahannock
- Thursday: (1) Onancock or (2) Urbana (Rappahanock)
- Friday: (1) Fleets Bay or (2) Fleets Bay
- Saturday: (1) Potomac or (2) Potomac
- Sunday: (1) Potomac or (2) Patuxent
- Monday-Labor Day: (1) Potomac or (2) Patuxent
- Tuesday: (1) Patuxent or (2) Choptank
- Wednesday: (1) Choptank or (2) Eastern Bay
- Thursday: (1) Eastern Bay or (2) home
- Friday: (1) home

We will find marinas, as necessary, to accommodate our need for dry

land, fuel, water, groceries, repairs, and restaurants. Otherwise, we will look for beautiful anchorages. So plan to start out with fuel, water, and food aboard for cruising. We will plan pot luck happy hours and a pot luck dinner or two as we go along.

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