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Newsletter of the Chesapeake Sailing Club

Calendar at a Glance

August 29 to September 7 - Fall Cruise and Race

September 19 - Party at Sailing Emporium, 3 P.M. Happy Hour, 4 P.M. Dinner

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Commodore's Column

Tom Muha, *Taj Muha*

What a terrific summer picnic we had. Many thanks to Vice-Commodore Liz Cingel for organizing the event. We also conducted our annual meeting at the picnic during which we elected new officers and voted on some by-law changes.



Congratulations to Dave Ewing who was elected to become our new Commodore in January. Susan Whaley, who was appointed as Treasurer to fill in for the rest of the year when the position became open last month, was elected to a full two year term as well.

Our revised by-laws have already been posted on our website by webmaster Frank Cingel. As a result of one of the changes

to the by-laws, Frank will be the first member to fill the role of Communications Officer, a new office that has been created. Frank will stand for re-election in two years as well. Unlike all of the other officers on the Board, the new by-laws specify that the Communications Officer will be excluded from the two term limit regulating re-election. Another change makes our current practice of holding the annual meeting in the summer officially approved in our by-laws.

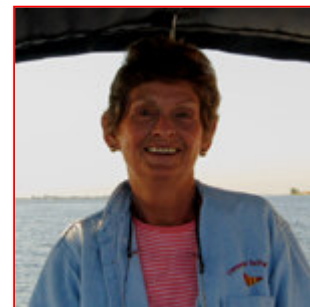
Several other news items of interest: The Board has approved publishing a hard copy directory that includes the by-laws and our membership. I'll be working on that project with Judi MacDonald, and we are looking for a small binder to use that would allow members to change pages as necessary to update their directory. The Board also approved the Club paying for the September picnic at Rock Hall and a party to be held for members in Florida sometime this winter.

While there was vigorous debate about many of the changes that I've just addressed, in the end there was a strong consensus among members who voted at the annual meeting to support all of the changes that had been proposed. This finalizes the issues and allows the club to proceed with its main activity of sailing and socializing. Hallelujah!

Vice Commodore's Report

Liz Cingel, *Southern Lady*

We had a great turnout for the picnic at Belvedere Yacht Club and twenty-four people attended. Those who came to socialize and dine on the abundance of food were Lois and Dave Nance, Margie and Joe Powers, Janet and Dave Ewing, Debbi Knott and Dave Ryan, Judy and Frank Lyman, Gina and Commodore Tom Muha, Fleet Captain Judi and John MacDonald, Irene and Fred Weinfeld,



Dona and Jim Force, Rita and George Rohloff, Essie and Gil Herman, and Frank and Vice Commodore Liz Cingel. A business



meeting was held and a Treasurer's report was presented, race cups were given out to the winners, and several by-law changes were voted on and approved. The new by-laws are

posted on our website. Those people receiving race cups for the Labor Day 2008

race were first place Southern Lady, second place Whistwind, and third place

Moondance. The recipients of race cups for the 2009 Memorial Day race

were first place Tieve Owna, second place Evergreen, and third place Ariel.



The party hosted by Lois and Dave Nance at Sailing Emporium last September was such a big hit with everyone that we are doing it again with the same menu. It will be held on Saturday, September 19, at 3 PM (note time change per requests) for happy hour and dinner at 4 PM. The menu will be crab cakes or grilled chicken breast (select one), corn on the cob, tomatoes, beer, wine, soda, and water. Lois will order the crab cakes and I will buy chicken breasts so we need to know your choice when you give me your reservation. We are asking people to bring either an appetizer or dessert but we already

have 4 appetizers so please plan to bring a dessert. The Singermans have offered to host and they will supply wine, beer, and soda. In order to give the caterer time to order the crab meat for the crab cakes (I'm told crabs are scarce this year) have your reservations to me by September 12.

Janet and Dave Ewing will host the Early Thanksgiving party, date and time to be announced. We will host the Holiday party on Saturday, December 5.

Fleet Captain's Report

Judi MacDonald, *Evergreen*

Ahoy all CSC sailor's, We wish for fair winds and happy memories made. Sure wish you could all join us. The Fall Cruise 2009. All will meet at Purdy Pt. on the Magothy river, Sat. 29th. Happy hour will be hosted by the Whaley's. Bring your goodies to share and have a wonderful time.



John and I have a wedding we must attend on Sat. the 29th. We will be heading for Queenstown on Sun. the 30th, to join the Fall Cruise. Please let me know if you will be joining us on the cruise, the 29th weekend and/or Labor Day week end. Be sure to make your reservation at Chestertown marina, phone 410-778-3616 for Sept 2nd and 3rd, \$1.75 per ft, \$7.50 for 30 amp electrical hook up. During our wonderful cruise up the Chester River exploring the many inlets and creeks, we will have happy hour around 5:00 PM. Remember, to bring your own drinks and an appetizer to share. We are also planning a brunch and a potluck dinner (to be announced).

A little reminder, be sure to make your reservations for the Rock Hall picnic if you plan to go by boat. The number is 410-778-1342, \$2.00 per foot and \$8.00 for 30 amp electrical

hook up. Also let Liz know your order for crab cake or chicken, and something to share for the picnic. The picnic starts at 3:00 on the 19th of Sept. The Nances go all out for us, so I hope you can all come join us. The Singermans will be hosting. We thank them both for making this a wonderful event.

Party at Pirates Cove

Glen Whaley, Bay GyPSy

The August event for the Sailing Club was to be a sail to beautiful downtown Galesville on Saturday, the 8th, and a dinner at Pirates Cove, a favorite CSC haunt. We did half of it - we had the dinner together. We just didn't sail so much. The notable exception was Tieve Owna, who made it down with not much wind and became our only water-borne emissary. Mal and Anne Marie Singerman should get an award for holding our burgee high!

The evening was a great success with 23 CSC-ites in attendance. The roster of those who made it included the aforementioned Singermans, Commodore Tom and Gina Muha, Frank and V/C Liz Cingel, John and Fleet Captain Judi McDonald, Dave and Janet Ewing, Jim and Donna Force, Debbi Knott and Dave Ryan, Jim and Binnie Luciano, Frank and Judy Lyman, George and Rita Rohloff, Carolyn and John Smith, and Glenn Whaley (sans wife Susan, who was in El Paso eagerly awaiting a new grandson).

After the recent annual picnic, the next event is a Saturday night in Purdy Point in the Magothy followed the next day by the Fall Cruise to the Chester River. Hope to see lots of boats and lots of people there!

New Grandchild



Congratulations to Susan and Glenn Whaley on the birth of their grandson Elijah Dale, launched at 9:20 PM on August 11, length at waterline 21", and displacement 8 lb.2 oz. Elijah lives in Texas with his parents.

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