

**Gulfstream Sailing Club  
General Membership Meeting  
April 8, 2003**

The **April General Membership Meeting** was called to order at 2020 hours by **Commodore Steve Dillon**.

**Officers in attendance:**

- Commodore Steve Dillon
- Vice Commodore Frank Junkin
- Rear Commodore Pat Nannery
- Treasurer Linda Gossett
- Secretary Sharron O'Grady

**Board Members present:** Mike Benjamin, Danny Escobar, PC Dave Wallace.

**Past Commodores present:** Gastesi, Wallace, Wallace, Smith, Gossett, Wood, Reed & Cianciarullo. .

**Motion** – Commodore Dillon moves to waive the Secretary reading the minutes of last month's general meeting.

**Second** - by all.

**Treasurer's report** –Treasurer Linda Gossett reports the balance in the club checking account is \$ has \$10,111.94. The Van Guard account has \$49,656.59.

**Vice Commodore Junkin** introduces 11 guests. All were enthusiastic about sailing many have collective experience on the water. Some are blue water sailors. No new members were announced.

**Commodore Dillon** introduces JD , Chair of 2003 Hospice Regatta, announces the upcoming 2003 Hospice Regatta which takes place in May 2003. Race announcements are available at this meeting.

**Race Committee Chair**, Ross Hunton is absent, however, Astrid Hunton reports that Ross is out of town and the race results are not available for the last event, nor are the Spring Series results. All the information is not available at this time. The couple's race is April 19, 2003. Participation is encouraged. April 26 will be the Miami Race to replace the West Palm Race due to the lack of dock space available in West Palm marina. Ross will send an email flash with the details upon his return. Summer series racing will more "fun type events" to be co-hosted with SSSF.

**Lake Race Committee Chair** Linda Gossett reports that the last Learn to Sail class graduated 20 students. The next race is April 19 and all are encouraged to show up early

if you are interested in a Club boat. Linda thanks all that helped with the last Learn to Sail Program. There will be a Sunfish event held in Melbourne, April 12 & 13.

**Cruising Chair** Pat Nannery reports that the Palm Beach race weekend will be held Memorial Day weekend in lieu of the difficulties at Bimini. Pat will pursue dock space there for the weekend. Details to be announced. The Miami weekend race/cruise will take place April 26<sup>th</sup> and dockage will be provided in Miami. Details to be announced via email.

**Membership Committee Chair** Drew Siegle reports 2 new members; Janet Veroguer & Manuel Veroguer are happily accepted as members.

**Social Committee Chair** Astrid Hunton reports that the Spring Party at PC Gartner's was a nice event. The next party will be held at Becky & Frank's. They will be hosting the Summer Cruising Kickoff Party, June 7, 2003. More information will be available via email.

**Commodore Dill** announces GSC Regatta Chair, Chris Woolsey is absent. The next GSC Regatta will be held March 13 & 14, 2004. More information will follow.

**PC Wood** announces that a set of hi-tech foul weather gear that was donated from the last GSC Regatta. There will be a silent auction held at the next general membership meeting.

**PC Wallace** announces his slide presentation of their participation in the Pineapple Cup race to Jamaica on "Bandana". He first presents graphics of the "point of sail" and course to accomplish the race. He then proceeds with the slide presentation showing PC Smith reports about the events of the race and the "ship's log". A good time was had by all. Bandana took 1<sup>st</sup> place trophy in their class. Events of their cruising return trip to home port are also part of the slide show.

**Motion** – Commodore Dillon moves to adjourn the meeting.

**Second** - PC Wallace and by all.

Meeting adjourned at 2140 hours.

Respectfully submitted,  
Secretary, **Sharron O'Grady**