

The April 2010 General Meeting of Gulfstream Sailing Club was held on April 13th at the Downtowner. Board members present: Lee Williams, Rear-Commodore; Linda Gossett, treasurer; Janis Walkow, secretary. Astrid Hunton, Commodore; John Gehrig, Vice-Commodore; were absent. Past commodores in attendance: Ross Hunton, Roman Gastesi, and Jay Wood.

**MSV** to waive reading the minutes from the last meeting.

**Treasurer's Report:** Linda Gossett reported: There is \$3,207.63 in the Lake account. There is \$5,213.36 in the club account. Vanguard account \$78,113.89. All insurance is paid. We have declared ourselves settled with the IRS.

### **Guests:**

Christine Pozniak      [poz222@aol.com](mailto:poz222@aol.com)      Husband not along, but was chief engineer of a Cruise ship. Live in Lake Worth. Looking for a house and then a boat.  
Cynthia Hollen      [Cynthia@holleninc.com](mailto:Cynthia@holleninc.com)      Out regularly with sailing singles  
A.J. Miceli      [ajmiceli34@yahoo.com](mailto:ajmiceli34@yahoo.com)      Learned to sail in Lake Erie.  
Marisol Lotito      [mari@renewalcleanse.com](mailto:mari@renewalcleanse.com)      Mari always been interested in sailing. Was in the Navy. Got ASA cert in Stuart.  
Michael Aruta      [mikeAruta@yahoo.com](mailto:mikeAruta@yahoo.com)      Sailed in Lake Erie. Here in support of Mari, who just joined the Coast Guard Aux.  
Jamie and Scott Stephens      [jamiestephens@bellsouth.net](mailto:jamiestephens@bellsouth.net)      they have 3 young daughters, who she wants to foster a love of sailing.

### **Membership:**

Membership welcomed new members.

Michael Sussak (sp?) boat named Serenity and lives in Weston.

Winslow Wise, not present

Jim Newman joined so he wouldn't have to get up and speak anymore

Alejandra Quintero and Juan Miguel Borrás, not present

Scott and Giorgiana Lowen she has been sailing since little on lightning, sunfish and dragon. Wants to continue to sail and learn.

Chris Feierabend sails lasers and 34 foot boats daily sailing and short cruises.

Alberto and Teresita Marin, not present

### **New Business:**

Pat Brown from Hospice spoke about the upcoming Regatta. The skippers meeting is May 14<sup>th</sup> at the Lauderdale Yacht Club. The race is May 15<sup>th</sup> at 11AM and the Clambake is at 6:30PM at Esplanade Park. Registration is \$100 by May 1<sup>st</sup> and \$125 after May 1.

She announced the Wes Holmes perpetual trophy. She spoke very highly of Wes. The award is presented to the person, group of people who raise the most money for Hospice.

She spoke about the fact that Hospice Regatta is a fun race.

Tickets for Crew are allowed as follows for \$40:

Up to 30 feet 3 tickets, 31 to 40 feet 4 tickets, 41 to 50 6 tickets, 51 and over 8 tickets.

### **Lake Report:**

Two Sunfish races since last meeting:

March 27 6 boats

April 3 5 boats

Next race is May 1

Adult learn to sail are scheduled for April 17, 18 & 24<sup>th</sup>.

Kids learn to sail level II just completed. Level 1 scheduled for May 9.

Lake Social is April 24<sup>th</sup>, Bar-b-Q. Sunfishes are available.

### **Social:**

Franz announced that he has come up with many old copies of Tiller Tales. A previous member contacted him and gave him for the archives TT from the 1970's. Also, she gave him some old club rosters (1974, 1975, 1976).

Boatathon is scheduled for September 25. Shelley and Janice will have more details at the next meeting.

International raft up scheduled for April 17<sup>th</sup>. It will be held in Lake Sylvia, and Permanent Vacation is the raft up leader. Nancy has a signup sheet. Linda Gossett will provide shuttle service from the shore.

### **Ocean Race:**

Ocean Race 1 was scheduled for 4/11 only 2 boats showed

Hospice is May 15<sup>th</sup> see new business

**Cruising:**

There is an open sail scheduled for April 17<sup>th</sup> prior to the international raft up.

Memorial Day weekend there is a Bimini trip, leaving Thurs night May 27<sup>th</sup>, back on the 31<sup>st</sup>. See Ross for details.

In-sync, Commotion, Permanent Vacation are planning a 2 week trip to the Exumas. Leaving June 18<sup>th</sup>. Anyone interested in Buddy Boating can speak to Lee.

**Open Business:**

Website is being updated so check it out at [www.gulfstreamsailingclub.org](http://www.gulfstreamsailingclub.org).

Tiller tales has been posted to the Website for the last 3 months. We are trying to post monthly. If you want to submit articles or information contact Franz Walkow the editor at [franz@walkow.com](mailto:franz@walkow.com).

Lee adjourned the meeting at 8:50.

Respectfully submitted, Janis Walkow Secretary