

Gulfstream Sailing Club December 2012 General Membership Meeting

The December 2012 General Membership Meeting of Gulfstream Sailing Club was held December 11th at Lauderdale Isles Yacht and Tennis Club. Board members present: Luis Oliveira, Vice Commodore Janis Walkow, Secretary; Jim Webb, board member, and Larry Littell, Board member. Adeel Arshed, Commodore ; Chris Bare, rear commodore; Helen Swinghammer, Treasurer; and Joanne Salvadore, Board member were absent.

Luis Oliveira called the meeting to order at 8PM.

Past Commodores in attendance: Astrid Hunton, Bob Anglin, and Dave Wallace.

MSV to waive reading the minutes from the last meeting.

Guests: Betty Lou Webb introduced our guests, David Walters previous long time member, and Marvin Verble sailing for most of his life, cruising some racing, Marvin joined tonight also.

Treasurer's Report: Luis reported for the period ending December 11. There is \$15,899.69 in the Sailor's Point checking account. There is \$4,027.30 in the checking account. There is \$94,281 in Vanguard account.

Membership: New members Stephanie Pazos. Renewals are going well.

Lake Report: Luis reported

Sunfish: Had 2 race since last meeting: November 17 Fall series IV 5 boats, 2 "A", 3 "B".

Commodore's Cup was December 8th 12 boats, 6 "A", 6 "B".

Results: "B" 3rd Gary Zolton, 2nd Beverly Citron, 1st Bill Martin. "A" 3rd Rob Cardoze, 2nd Sam Kafoury, 1st Luis Oliveira.

Kids LTS: Class ongoing with 12 kids, ends Jan 6. Next class scheduled Jan 20, registration Jan 12. LeeAnn Rodriguez and a numbers kids LTS families entered the Candy Cane Parade in Hollywood - 420 in tow, Opti on roof rack.

Adult LTS: Class scheduled Dec 15 & 16. Registration was Dec 1, 2 registered had to cancel.

420 Wednesday Racing - Our next winter Series 420 race is scheduled for December 15th.

Need more volunteers for dock master.

Ocean Race: Luis Reported

Crew Pool is open online. Gulfstreamsailingclub.org/iwillcrew or Gulfstreamsailingclub.org/iwantcrew.

November 19th was Commodore's Cup. 5 boats participated. Commotion won. Followed by Bandana, Wind Pirate, Jendai, and ANYI. After race party was at South Port Raw Bar. Lots of food and friendly faces.

Trophies were awarded.

GSC Ocean Series: 1st race January 5th will be a Coastal Race. Next race Feb 3rd will be a buoys race. Feb 16th couples race. In 2013 we will have at least one race per month, some months more due to other major races.

Key West Race: Fort Lauderdale to Key West race - Skippers Meeting Jan 15, Start Jan 16th- Website: www.keywestrace.org

Social: Jim Webb reported:

Annual Change of Command is scheduled for January 26th. Tropical Acres 7-11, see you there. Jim handed out a list of Social Activities, to get a level of interest. Happy hour is back Tuesday at Rendezvous , reduced price drinks until 7PM. Caroling and cruising the ICW Dec 21st. Jim reviewed the planned activities for 2013. He hopes to have a complete list by January meeting.

Cruising: Chris reported

Our cruising calendar is wrapping up for the year. New Years Eve Raft up in Lake Sylvia. Looking for a lead boat.

Unfinished Business:

Finalizing GSC 2013 calendar

New Business: Nautical Flea Market in Pompano on Jan 26th and 27th. nauticalfleamarket.com

Jerry McGuire invited all GSC members to join LIYTC. He went over some of the activities, dinners, parties, and amenities. \$500 one time membership, dues monthly \$60.

Dan Whalen is believed to have the wiener award.

Web sang Happy Birthday to Sam Walker.

Ships Store:

The meeting was adjourned at 8:40 pm.

Respectfully submitted, Janis Walkow, Secretary