

The July 2010 General Meeting of Gulfstream Sailing Club was held on July 13 at the Downtowner. Board members present: Astrid Hunton, Commodore; John Gehrig, Vice-Commodore; Lee Williams, Rear-Commodore; Linda Gossett, treasurer; Janis Walkow, secretary. Past commodores in attendance: Ross Hunton, Chris Woolsey, Frank Junken, Bob Anglin Jay Wood, and Bernie Gartner.

MSV to waive reading the minutes from the last meeting.

Treasurer's Report: Linda Gossett reported: There is \$8,822 in the Lake account. There is \$5,528 in the club account. Vanguard account \$6,492. The club has purchased a projector for use at meetings, etc.

Guests:

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Debra Hartman/Don Feiner don.feiner@bmwna.com 954-483-3065 They have an F24.

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Membership:

New Member Franz Canosa was introduced.

Lake Report:

Sunfish 2 race days June 12 – 3 boats, July 8 not enough to race so they cleaned up the storage room. The next race is July 24th.

Learn to sail has been crazy, busy. The camps have taken off...too many showing up. They have had 12 or 13 with the limit being 10. So far they have had 4 camps and all have been full. Next regular LTS is 8/15.

Luis has given 5 scholarships for the last 4 camps to the Boy Scouts, for a total of 20. The City is happy with the way Luis is handling the lake program.

Delroy is manning the kids racing; it is not yet paying for itself. But Luis is working this out.

Adult learn to sail, lots of interest but nobody showed up this past Sat. Another class starting July 31st, 10 people have shown interest.

Luis noted that he needs a dock master for the following days: 9/25, 10/30, 11/13, 12/11. Scott Lindars volunteered for 12/11.

Social:

Beach party is scheduled for August 14th. The following people volunteered to help organize and run it...

Chris W., Robin & Scott, Becky, Mike and Marilyn, Jim and Betty Lou.

There are Sunday sails scheduled for 7/25, and 8/22. Come out and sail Fort Lauderdale Beach. John Schafer and Nancy Marsh are organizers of the Sunday sails.

The Walkow's are having a Summer Pool party 7/25 at 3PM or after the sail. All are invited. They will provide grilled items, please bring drink of choice, and a dish to share.

Ocean Race:

Beer can scheduled for 7/24, 7/31, 8/7, and on 8/28 with female captains. 8/28 beer can must have a woman on the wheel and at least 1 other as active crew. Other crew can be male. The woman at the helm does not have to be a spouse or significant other, it can be anyone you like.

Race 3 of the 5 series race is scheduled for 7/18 nobody has shown up for 1 or 2

Race 4 is Sept 11, Race 5 is Dec 4

NOR have been mailed out for Race three and the Beer cans.

Cruising:

In-sync, Commotion, Permanent Vacation went for a 2 week trip to the Exumas. They met up with Bonnie and Full deck. A few boats went to the Abacos for RTIA, and some 4 members chartered.

New Business:

Ships Store has put in the first order for shirts and shorts.

John and Beverly Schafer are Certified Vessel safety check Inspectors and are available to conduct VSCs at any time. On the Water or at your dock. This is the same check the USCG and other law enforcement officers will do, No guarantee you won't be boarded but possibly a deterrent.

John Schafer, past Commander of the Pompano Beach Power Squadron, will be teaching a Seamanship Class Starting 7/19/10 at the Pompano Beach Power Squadron. Class is 8 weeks, 2 hrs per week on Monday evening. If you have signed up with John, please contact him (954-317-7350 or soulmatebs@aol.com) to confirm and get directions. This is not offer offered to non members of the Power Squadron.

The club will be holding a contest with the winner receiving **a gift from the ships store.**

Take a picture of a GSC burgee hanging from your vacation location and submit the picture and story to Tiller Tales. The burgee will be replaced by the club. All entries will be tossed into a hat and the lucky winner will be chosen.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45.

Respectfully submitted, Janis Walkow Secretary