

The March 2010 General Meeting of Gulfstream Sailing Club was held on March 9th at the Downtowner. Board members present: Astrid Hunton, Commodore; John Gehrig, Vice-Commodore; Lee Williams, Rear-Commodore; Linda Gossett, treasurer; Janis Walkow, secretary was absent. These minutes are being produced from notes taken by Nancy Marsh, thank you Nancy. Past commodores in attendance: Ross Hunton, Roman Gastesi, Steve Dillon, Norm Smith, Frank Junken, and Bob Anglin.

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

**Treasurer's Report:** Linda Gossett reported: There is \$4,774 in the Lake account. There is \$5,768 in the club account. Vanguard account in at about \$74,000.

**Guests:** No report on guests

**Lake Report:**

Adult learn to sail classes are scheduled for March 20, 21 and April 3. April 17, 18 & 24<sup>th</sup>. The classes are 6 hours a day for three days.

Kids learn to sail Level II 3/14, Level I scheduled for May 9.

**Membership:**

New members Jim and Betty Lou Webb, and Raleigh Susskind were introduced.

**Social:**

Hillsboro Inlet Sailing Club Circle Raft up March 6 & 7

There were 47 boats total with Commotion, Caretta, Eureka, and Permanent Vacation from GSC.

Linda Johnson and Al Diran are hosting a St Patty's day party on March 13. It will be at their home at 5:30 PM.

International raft up scheduled for April 17<sup>th</sup>. Location and host to be determined.

**Ocean Race:**

Learn to race seminar to be held at the Lake in Hollywood, Saturday March 20<sup>th</sup> at 11AM. Chris Woolsey, Ross Hunton and John Gehrig will familiarize everyone on some racing fundamentals eg: Course, start, sequence, etc.

Lauderdale Yacht Clubs commodores cup race Saturday March 13. John Gehrig has race instructions.

Race 1 of the 5 race club series on April 11, 11AM start.

Open Invitation to HISC Coastal races over the year.

**Cruising:**

Sunday Sail March 21. Also may tie into the learn to race on the water. Learn how to deal with marks, starts and how to read a course.

**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).

**New Business:**

Guest speaker Bob Meagher spoke about the new rules of racing.

The meeting was adjourned at ???

Respectfully submitted, Janis Walkow Secretary