

Gulfstream Sailing Club November General Membership Meeting

The November 2011 General Membership Meeting of Gulfstream Sailing Club was held on November 8th at the Downtowner. Board members present: Lee Williams, Vice Commodore; Adeel Arshed, Rear-Commodore; Janis Walkow, Secretary; Doris White, Board Member. Committee Chairs in attendance: Betty Lou Webb, Membership ; Gregg Henry, Cruising; Luis Oliveira , Small Boat Committee. Absent were John Gehrig, Commodore; Helen Swinghammer, Treasurer. Past Commodores Astrid Hunton, Ross Hunton, Chris Woolsey, Dave Wallace, Frank Junkin.

Lee Williams called the meeting to order at 8PM.

MSV to waive reading the minutes from the last meeting.

Guests David Kresge, Becky and Saif Rivers, Bob O'Reilly, Kirk VandenBoogaard, Roes Neville, Buddy Jedd, M Julian.

Treasurer's Report: Helen sent in her absence the treasurers report. The report for the period October 1 through October 31, 2011. There is \$13,332 in the Sailor's Point checking account. There is \$7427 in the checking account. There is \$81,883 in Vanguard account.

Membership: Betty Lou had new member packages for: Harry and Donna Rose, Mario and LeeAnn Rodriguez, Mark Clark, Thomas and Rosa Bennett. None were present.

Lake Report

Sunfish: Had 1 races since last meeting. October 22 9 boats (2) A, (5) B, (2) C. Next race is Nov 12th.

Kids LTS: Session 6 Level I Started Sunday 11/6, with 4 Kids, and 2 helpers. Sharon Crockett is handling Kids LTS

Adult LTS: Session 8 (Level 1) 11/6 with 5 students. Next Class is 12/11&12/12 Registration 11/26

Optimist racing: They had 2 races October 23, Nov 6, with 11 racers. Steve Evans is running Kids racing, Mike Limuti does fiberglass repairs, and Andre Kramer is working rigging and sails.

Wednesday Open Sail: This was a very popular event. They had a cookout Nov 2 with much fun and camaraderie.

November 19th Big Boat Little Boat at the Lake. Fun Races, serious races, cook-out.

Social: Adeel reported:

Halloween Party October 29th at Linda and Al's was great. Adeel thanked Linda and Al for their hospitality.

Tues Night meet and greet resumes at the Rendezvous. 1/2 price drinks until 7PM. 8 people this week.

December 17th Commodore's Cup with a party following.

Adeel and Kristal are sailing Jendi down to the Keys over Thanksgiving. Come along and be Social.

Change of Command - January 21st. Hold the date. Invitations, and e-mails coming along.

Working on 2012 calendar.

Boat Parade is December 10th, maybe a raft up.

Ocean Race: Lee presented Bottles of Rum etched with results for Pitcairn. 4th place Mi Serena, third place Jendi, 2nd place Bandana, 1st place Commotion.

GSC Regatta was a success 13 registrants, 12 participated. Results: PHRF 3rd Wind Pirate, 2nd Bandana, 1st Third Try; ARC 3rd Magic, 2nd Grand Cru, 1st Commotion; Gunk hole 3rd In Sync; 2nd Siempre Amante; 1st

Unicorn .

Commodore's Cup - December 17th, dinner party at Gehrig's.

Cruising: Thanksgiving week Adeel is cruising to the Keys, he invited others to join him. New Years Eve Gregg is going to organize a Raft up in Lake Sylvia, going to the beach to watch the fireworks. Anyone interested in rafting up at the Middle River for the Boat Parade get with Gregg.

Unfinished Business: no unfinished business

New Business: Election for 2012

Commodore Adeel Arshed

Vice Commodore Luis Oliveria

Rear Commodore Gregg Henry

Secretary Janis Walkow

Treasurer Helen Swinghammer

Board Jim Webb

Next Meeting will be a Holiday Party. Bring a sweet, we will provide Hors D'oeuvres.

Adeel sent out a Survey to all members. Please complete.

Becky distributed the new MIA SF directory, and requested we support our local Marine Industry.

Ships Store:

The meeting was adjourned at 8:40 pm.

Respectfully submitted, Janis Walkow, Secretary