

The Newsletter of the Walnut Valley Sailing Club

APRIL 2014

From the Commodore

WVSC Members,

Spring is not something we are waiting on any longer. It is here!

Website: www.wvsailing.com

As I'm writing, I see a yard that needs mowing soon and flower beds to clean and ready for new plants. And, in the midst of this another item: clean "winter" off our boat. Yep, cleaning all the dirt and grime that's built up since last fall. It's one of those chores we sailors have to do, but I do find enjoyment in it. What it means to me is I'll soon be sailing. So break out the buckets, cleaners and sponges. Spring is here!

We have lots going on this spring at the club. First the sewage holding tank outside the clubhouse is in the process of being replaced. This must be done before the restrooms and kitchen sink can be used. This is a big deal; not an easy project. Soon WVSC members will be asked to support work parties, from cleaning up the clubhouse to working on the docks. Please volunteer for these work parties as we need your help. Also on the horizon is the first social scheduled for April 26. Also that day we are having a club meeting from 2-4 PM to discuss issues from the annual meeting and whatever is on your mind in regard to WVSC. This will be a moderated meeting with the goal of constructive conversation concerning the club:

what is good now and what needs work. Details will

be sent out soon.

If you have anything you'd like to discuss, give me a call/email.

Looking forward to the 2014 sailing season.

Thanks, Randy

CALENDAR:

April 1

April Fools Day

April 10

Board of Governors Meeting

April 20

Easter

April 26

Member Meeting

April 26

Potluck with Super Sandwich Bar

May 11

Mothers Day

May 17

Boy Scout Troup 533
Sailing Camp Out

WVSC Italian Dinner

May 17

Memorial Day

May 26 May 25

Memorial Day Potluck

May 31

Long Distance Sailing Event

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2014 WYSC SOCIAL SAILING EVENTS

May 31: Long Distance Sailing Event (Dave Leiker)

June 14: Annual Swap Meet (Gene Plehal)

(Gene Plehal)

June 21: 2014 Summer Sailstice Sailing Event (Zak Kissack)

July 5: Watermelon, Pirate Water Balloon Festival (Gene Plehal)

July 19: Poker Run (Jan Adair)

August 30: Decathlon Sailing Event (Amos Cape)



Social Sailing Volunteers are:

Jim Smith – Dave Leiker – Zak Kissack Amos Cape – Jan Adair – Terry Lewis

MEMBER MEETING

Saturday, April 26th, 2-4 p.m. In the Activities Center

A moderated meeting will be held to discuss issues from the 2013 annual meeting and/or other concerns/topics of interest to WVSC members. Information is forthcoming regarding the format and solicitation of topics.

Following the meeting, please plan to attend our 1st social of the 2014 season!

NOTICE:

2 COMMITTEE CHAIR POSITIONS STILL NOT FILLED

Activity Center and Security



NEWWVSC BETA WEBSITE:

Wvsailing.radicalis.net

CHECK IT OUT!

FEEDBACK:

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Social • 6:00 to 7:00 PM

Dinner • 7:00 to 8:00 PM

Program • 8:00 PM

Sailing the Mediterranean - 2012

by Brian Hakala

Dinner is a sandwich bar & potluck

Adults \$5 and a side dish or dessert

Children 10 and under free

Questions, comments or volunteers: gmcfadden@cox.net or 316-681-0820

WALNUT VALLEY SAILING CLUB

ITALIAN DINNER

SATURDAY MAY 17, 2014

PRE-PARTY 6:30-7:00 PM **DINNER** 7:00-8:00 PM

HOSTED BY GWYNNE BONIFIELD • 722-8765

NEW MENU • Italian meatballs, marinara sauce, spaghetti, Italian bread by Kelly Dumford, Italian salad with freshly grated parmesan cheese, tiramisu for dessert, fruit and cheese for pre-party. All of our dinner food is homemade by Walnut Valley Club Members.

Drinks: Lemonade and tea.

COST • \$12.50 adults/10 & under \$5



BOY SCOUT TROOP 533 SAILING CAMP OUT MAY 17 · 2014



Andover Troop 533 is looking forward to a Saturday of sailing with members of the Walnut Valley Sailing Club. There will be approximately 20 scouts and adults participating in this event. I invite the members of the club to show the scouts the joys of sailing. With any luck we'll have more wind than in 2011, the last time Boy Scout Troop 333 sailed with WVSC. I would like to be able to have enough boats so that no more than three scouts and adult leaders are on any boat. The more boats, the merrier for all.

In order for a scout or adult to participate in in watercraft activities each needs to be able to swim at least 100 yards and to float. The Boy Scouts call this a Blue Swimmer. Any scout that is not a Blue Swimmer will not be allowed on the camp out. I do not expect the scouts to have their own Personal Flotation Device. The rules of Safe Scouting also require the scouts wear a Personal Flotation Device while on the water.

I would expect none of the scouts or adult leaders to have any sailing experience. This is your opportunity to show them why we enjoy the sport of sailing.

Our plan is to be at the shelter by 9:45 AM Saturday morning. At this point the boat owners meet us at the shelter, or we can meet in clubhouse, and we will divvy up scouts and boats. Each scout will bring water and a sack lunch. It is the boat owner's determination as to whether to eat on their boat or at the shelter.

Sailing should be finished around 4:00 PM Saturday afternoon

I will be on shore while the scouts and other adults are on the water.

Boy Scout Troop 333 sincerely appreciates the support received, past and present, from the members of the Walnut Valley Sailing Club!

Please confirm your availability to help with this activity by May 4. If you have any questions, please contact me at 733-2689 or 393-3569 or by email at rlfuqit@sbcqlobal.net.

Again, thank you for your support.

Fair Winds and a Following Sea, Bob Fugit

· · · 2014 WVSC SOCIAL SCHEDULE · · ·

April 26	Potluck with Super Sandwich Bar
May 17	Italian Dinner
May 25	Memorial Weekend Potluck
June 21	Shrimp Boil
July 4	Independence Day Potluck
July 19	Fish Fry
August 16	Social Unnamed at this time
September 20	German Celebration
October 11	Chili Cook Off
November 8	Annual Meeting
December 6	Christmas Party



A contingency of the WVSC Racing Community met in early February and agreed upon the 2014 racing program and schedule. No major changes, with the exception being having one race day per week throughout the race season.

No changes to the following:

- 1. Portsmouth handicap with wind speed factors
- 2. 5-minute start sequence
- 3. Separate starts for keelboat & centerboard fleets
- 4. No courses set through hazard areas
- 5. 3-boat minimum to make a race
- 6. Scoring: Club Championship using race scoring "Percentages of Boats Beaten" per US Sailing and as used 2012 at WVSC. This system automatically encourages participation (no participation bonus needed) and encourages participation outside your comfort zone.
- 7. **Scoring/Participation:** Club Championship Keel & Centerboard
 - a. Throw-outs 1 race in 7 race participated in.
 - b. Minimum participation to win championship is 8 races and or 35% of all races sailed or whichever is greater.

8. Long Distance Race

- a. 1 Per Month max at R/C option
- b. Any regular race with wind from 190 degree +/-15 degrees
- c. Down to "Dam" and back with optional reaching mark.

Race Schedule:

We will have three series: Spring, Summer and Fall. All races will count towards the club trophy for keel and centerboard boats. The racing schedule is as follows:

- a. Sunday Spring schedule will start at 2:00 PM for 2 races. Starting on May 4 June 29.
- b. Wednesday evening Summer schedule will startJuly 2 August 27. Races will start at 7:00 PM for 1 race.
- c. Saturday Fall schedule will start at 2:00 PM for 2 races. Starting on September 6 October 25.

Race Committee:

Participating in RC can be a very interesting experience, however, if you have no desire to race, but you don't mind getting out on the water and watching boats complete the course that you laid out...then come on out. We're always looking for an extra hand on the RC boat even if you've not gone through RC training. At this time we have a good portion of the race day RC filled, but still have a few more days that need RC to sign up for the 2014 race committee. So contact Randy Malcom to schedule your RC day: 733-1049 or rdmalcom@att.net.

We will be holding a race committee seminar this spring. The date and time will be announced at a later date.

In Summary:

Our primary goal is to encourage participation in what we as Sailors/Racers feel is a great sport. It is absolutely the best way to improve your sailing skills and will give you an objective when you get on the water. So...think about coming out and giving racing a try. It's not a difficult sport and it's fun.

If there are any questions at all, please contact Interim Race Chair Randy Malcom at 733-1049 or rdmalcom@att.net.

Thanks, Randy



Uncle Gene's Sixth Annual Sailing Swap Meet

Uncle Gene Plehal is looking forward to seeing you at the Swap Meet with all your old, discarded, unwanted, but not forgotten sailing stuff to sell or trade.

Saturday, June 14th, 2014 from

1000 to 1400

(that s 10:00 am to 2:00 pm for you novices)

at

Walnut Valley Sailing Club

El Dorado Lake, Kansas, USA

Bring your Stuff! Anything related to sailing — pieces, parts or sundry items. We plan to swap, buy, trade, or give away — whatever works, to get the Stuff moving from your hands to someone else and vice versa. You now have a date, time, place and instructions. All you gotta do is be there! Bring a little cash and your own refreshments.

Call Uncle Gene Plehal for more information 316-722-1037

WVSC 2014 SUMMER ADULT SAILING PROGRAM

Come Sail With Us

Bring a friend, yourself or the whole family... The Walnut Valley Sailing Club is offering USSA certified sailing instruction this summer in a fun, non-competitive sailing environment through our STEP program. We welcome all adults from absolute beginners to seasoned racers. Our fleet includes: Capri 14.2's, Sunfish, Lasers, Sonar and Catalina 22 & 25's. Everyone will learn safety on the water, rigging, tacking, jibing, knot tying, right of way rules and so much more. Centerboard & keelboat classes are on the water and in our beautiful clubhouse at El Dorado Lake.

Prerequisites: Must be 18 years or older and be able to swim 25 yards with a lifejacket. (Students may be 15-17 years old if accompanied by an adult). No previous sailing experience required.

Per Kansas law: Anyone born on or after Jan. 1, 1989 must have Kansas boating education certification card to participate in the WVSC course (24 yrs. old or younger). KS boating certification can be obtained online at: **www.boat-ed.com/kansas/**

Equipment requirements: Participants are required to provide their own life jacket (PFD) which is age/weight/size US Coast Guard approved. Sunscreen, hat and water shoes are also required.

Basic Centerboard Sailing Course:

Covers beginning, intermediate and advanced sailing techniques in a centerboard boat that includes rigging, docking, tacking, jibing, points of sail etc., basic rules of the road, safety, weather and nomenclature. Everything you need to know to sail your own boat safely and with confidence.

Basic Keelboat Sailing Course: The keelboat course leads you through the essential principles of safe, confident day sailing. It covers basic sailing concepts, boat handling, docking, anchoring, safety and emergencies, weather and basic navigation. The keelboat course requires a minimum of three students per boat in both levels; Basic and Advanced Keelboat Sailing.

Prerequisite for Advanced Centerboard or Keelboat instruction: You must have the Basic Sailing Course or equivalent sailing experience.

Schedule: 3 days per week (Mon, Tues, Thurs.) for 3 weeks, 6 to 9 PM, 2 sessions:

1st session – June 9 through June 26
2nd session – July 7 through July 24

Class Size: 10 students per session

Cost per Student:

WVSC Members – \$25 non-refundable registration fee, **Plus** \$155 class fee. Total cost: \$180.

Non-members – \$25 non-refundable registration fee, Plus \$255 class fee. Total cost: \$280 (Accompanying Spouse or family member \$180).

Fee Includes: USSA "Start Sailing Right" or "Basic Keelboat" instruction manual, instruction, use of a Catalina 14.2 (if certified) boat for the summer, T-shirt and certificate. Includes a Provisional membership to Walnut Valley Sailing Club, which begins at the beginning of class and continues for the remainder of the year.

Boats Used: Capri 14.2, Sonar, Catalina 22 and Catalina 25's, Lasers or Sunfish with Instructor approval.

Registration and Questions: Please call Tedd Blankenship, 316-775-1064

2014 WALNUT VALLEY SAILING CLUB/STEP ADULT SAILING APPLICATION (PLEASE PRINT)	I am a WVSC member I am a non-member of WVSC I wish to enroll in: Centerboard Program Keelboat Program
First Name Last Name	<pre> Session 1 (June 9 - June 26) and/or Session 2 (July 7 - July 24)</pre>
Street Address	Please enclose the non-refundable deposit of \$25, made out to WVSC/STEP with this application and mail to: WVSC Sailing Program c/o Tedd Blankenship
Home # Age T-Shirt Size	5720 SW Santa Fe Lake Road Augusta, KS 67010
Emergency Contact Person Business #	Signature Date
\square I wish to make a tax deductible donation in the amount of: \$	*Please include a separate check & note "STEP Donation."

*If you would like to make a donation (any amount) to the WVSC STEP program, we are a 503-C Non-Profit Corporation. Your donation is tax deductible and greatly appreciated. ALL donations go directly to the upkeep of the boats in STEP. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us. We would love to hear from you. Thanks.

WVSC 2014 SUMMER YOUTH SAILING PROGRAM

Come on your own, with your brothers and sisters or bring all your "best friends." The Walnut Valley Sailing Club is offering USSA certified sailing instruction this summer in a fun, noncompetitive sailing environment through our STEP program. We welcome everyone from absolute beginners to seasoned racers. Our fleet includes: Prams, Sabots, Optimists, Capri 14.2's, Sunfish, and Lasers (with instructor approval). Everyone will learn safety on the water, rigging, tacking, jibing, knot tying, right of way rules and so much more. Instruction is limited to five sailors per instructor and is tailored to individual needs so you get great help and tons of attention. Centerboard classes are on the water and in our beautiful clubhouse at El Dorado Lake.

Prerequisites: Must be 8-17 years old and be able to swim 25 yards with a lifejacket (PFD). Swimming will be tested.

Per Kansas law: Must have Kansas boating education certification card to participate in the WVSC course. KS boating certification can be obtained online at: www.boat-ed.com/kansas/ Don't put it off! Cards must be presented the first day of class to participate.

Equipment requirements: Participants are required to provide their own US Coast Guard approved life jacket which is age/weight/ size appropriate. (PFD) Sunscreen, hat & water shoes are also required.

*Bring a lunch each day, water bottle and a towel.

Course Content: Three levels of sailing instruction, beginners. intermediate and advanced sailing offered. Safety, weather, self-rescue, basic rules of the road and nomenclature are also covered.



Schedule: 3 days per week (Mon. Tues. Thurs.) for 3 weeks, 10 AM to 4 PM. We offer 2 sessions: 1st Session - June 9 through June 26

2nd Session – July 7 through July 24

Cost per Student:

WVSC Members – \$25 non-refundable Registration Fee, Plus \$45 class fee. Total cost \$70. Non-members - \$25 non-refundable Registration Fee, Plus \$70 class fee. Total cost \$95.

Fee Includes: USSA "Start Sailing Right" instruction manual, T-shirt and awards. For participants between the ages of 8 and 17, the fee also includes a Youth Provisional Membership to Walnut Valley Sailing Club, which begins at the beginning of class and continues for the remainder of the year. Drinks are furnished. Student brings lunch.

Class Size: 20 students per session.

Boats used: Depending on weight and sailing experience: Prams, Sabots, Optimist, Catalina 14.2, Sunfish, Laser and Sonar.

Registration and Questions: Please call Tedd Blankenship, 316-775-1064

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WANTED Standard or large triangle dock box. Please contact Jan Adair 316-942-2808

WANTED 9.9 hp short-shaft outboard, electric start. Call Ernie, 640-8951

ZUMA 1986 \$1150. LOA: 12'-9" Beam: 5'. Sail Area 65 s.f. Hull Weight: 130 lbs. Daggerboard. Trailer included, in good condition. Third owner since new. Original owners manual This is an excellent small boat for comfortable day sailing. The wide cockpit allows room for two+ and so is excellent for teaching someone how to sail. It also provides easy thrills for one person as the boat will plane when blast reaching in a blow. The boat can be towed (with trailer included) or car topped. Rigging and launching is quick and easy. Boat is in good condition with consistent with age. All required rigging to sail included. All lines in good condition. Spars and sail are in good condition. All battens included. Andover, Kansas. 316-733-7741. butleroutdoors@hotmail.com

HUNTER 28.5 1988 \$18,000. New Sails. Roller Furler. Lots of extras. Road worthy trailer with keel guide. Contact Dave Leiker: Dpleiker1@cox.net or 316-640-4052

NACRA 5.5 \$2000. Contact Ron Schauble at rws662@gmail.com

CATALINA 14.2 2006 Very good condition. Includes galvanized trailer, roller furling jib, mainsail. The mast is rigged with floatation pod which prevents the boat from turning turtle when capsized. This is a great family boat that can be sailed by sailors from 8 to 80. Call Gene Nold 316-636-2091

HOBIE WAVE Trailer, new cover. \$2950. Call Wilson at 580-541-2326

RODGERS 24 1982 Semi-Custom Race Boat #21 of 30 built. Specs: (See http://sailboatdata.com/viewrecord.asp?class_id=222). PHRF 189. Rates with 27-28 ft cruisers. Good light air performer.

Includes:

- Dual axle, aluminum trailer (almost new), with LED lights and spare
- NEW (used twice) North Sails Nordac racing main, blade, #2 and 3/4 oz. spin, and older Dacron practice sails. Eight sails total.
- New running rigging and hardware (90% Harken Carbo), Boom Kicker, Adjustable Jib Leads, etc.
- Torqeedo electric outboard motor and electric winch for easy mast raising.
- It includes a very nice head, sink, etc., currently out of boat for weight savings.

It has very nice LED interior lighting and navigation lights, nice electrical panels, solar panels and on-board battery charger. The boat was completely restored and updated 4 years ago with input from designer, O.H. Rodgers. Everything except standing rigging is new and high quality. New spectra backstay and original wire. Composite rudder is new, stronger and lighter than original. The centerboard bolt and lifting mechanism is new and stronger. New Imiron topsides and VC17 bottom. Interior is bare bones for racing (no berth cushions.). Since restoration, it has been dry-sailed only. Stored inside during winter. Excellent condition and ready to sail. Just have too many boats and limited room to store them. Asking \$5750 OBO or Interesting Smaller Trade. Call Sid Rousseau at 316-722-8983 (h), 316-200-6526 (c) or email me at lizardofoz@att.net



CATALINA 25 1985 Swing Keel Trailer, 2003 Nissan 9.8 outboard. Good main, front sail on roller furling. Can see at El Dorado Lake. \$7,000. Call Bruce Ward 316-250-4479 or Bruce@brucewardphotos.com

WANTED Old, drain-out diesel fuel from marine engines. I have several 5 gallon containers or will use yours. I will transport from the Club. Contact - David O. Reynolds, 316-621-0009, david4100@pixius.net

FOR SALE Rudder Blades: \$250.00 ea. Dagger Boards: Used \$300.00, New, still in package, \$450.00. Trailer: \$300.00, or everything listed \$1200.00. Contact: Jaime at 316-519-4411

CAL 9.2 30'. New mainsail, genoa (new in 2000), spinnaker, stereo, VHF, bimini, cockpit cushions, and BBQ grill. Very good Universal diesel engine. Excellent trailer. Price reduced to \$13,600. Call 316-540-3674 to see this boat.

CATALINA 25 1981 Swing keel, trailer, slip with board approval. VHF radio, radio/CD player, microwave, air conditioner, head with holding tank. Good main, rollerfurling, North genoa, spinnaker with ATK sock, new Lewmar self-tailing winches, bimini top, new cockpit and cabin cushions, 9.9 outboard, and more. \$9,500. Call Tony Scuka at 316-942-1990.

CATALINA 30 1981 "The Back Porch". Fin keel, Edson wheel steering with compass on pedestal, self-tailing winches, upgraded spreaders, roller furling, headsail in great condition, main is average. Also have several older sails. Universal diesel (11 hp), bimini canvas and frame are new, other canvas covers are good to fair condition. Stern seats, cockpit cushions, Magma propane grill, depth, knot, VHF, stereo with Bose 151 speakers, all cabin cushions recovered in a dark blue and in perfect condition, Krusin Kool suitcase AC. Lots of extra stuff! Steel cradle sits on heavy duty flatbed trailer with nearly new rubber. \$16,500 OBO John Graves 316-250-7576 or johngraves@hotmail.com

CATALINA 30 1980 30 ft. TALL RIG SAILBOAT, \$16,000 firm. Includes a 3-axle road trailer and a slip transfer with NSA board approval. HAS UNIVERSAL DIESEL 25hp, bottom painted a month ago with vc17, bottom is nice and slick. Very good boat for family cruising with a nice big Bimini top or leave it at the dock and go racing. Thousands of dollars on sails, spinnaker with pole, folding prop, two big harken winches that cost me \$2,000 just for them alone, upgraded with Harken center main traveler. Inside the boat is clean, but has original upholstery. Outside, it shines that makes this boat a real beauty. If you seriously desire a 30 ft. sailboat then this one is truly worth a look. Call Marino Garci at 239-699-6641 or can be seen at NSA B-18 dock, look for a SHINNY 30ft. CATALINA, everyone knows my boat on B dock.

COLUMBIA 26 1978 \$4,500. Length: 26 ft.; Keel type: fixed; Draft: 3 ft. 2 in.; Weight: 6,600 lbs.; Average condition mainsail, jib, and genoa; sound hull; good interior; tiller steer; dodger, bimini, stack pack; stand-up cabin, 6ft. 2 in. Call Bill Clark at 316-681-0820.

OKLAHOMA CITY BOAT CLUB YOUTH SAILING HEAD COACH POSITION

The Head Coach / Sailing Director working closely with the Youth Sailing Committee and supporting their work with the OCBC Board to meet the needs of the Club and program participants. Responsible for developing, planning, scheduling, and leading sailing education programs for the Oklahoma City Boat Club Youth Sailing Program and ensuring all rules, regulations, laws, guidelines, and procedures are adhered to at all times. Significant commitment to the OCBC Sailing Community is a key role of this position. This position is being offered to an independent contractor for the 2014 sailing season. Primary Accountabilities:

- Training, evaluating & leading an enthusiastic and motivated team of instructors and coaches
- Continuously improving program curriculum to meet the diverse abilities and interests of our sailors
- Managing and maintaining our fleet of race/ instruction/coach boats so that they stay competitive, safe and in top condition
- Working with the OCBC Youth Committee and other stakeholders to develop an enthusiastic and growing OCBC community of sailors, instructors and volunteers which will ensure the success of our nonprofit organization for years to come.

Indicators of Success:

- Parent satisfaction rating above 95%
- High sailor retention rate
- Year-to- year increases in sailor attendance
- Low occurrence of safety and on-the-water incidents
- Instructional staff is hired and in-place one month before season begins
- Conducts regular/proactive communication with parents/BOG/and other stakeholders of the organization
- Condition of the fleet maintained and ideally improved by the end of each season

Qualifications:

- 2 year experience managing a program of similar size and budget
- Energetic, friendly, approachable and able to relate well with both children and adults
- Outstanding organizational and communication skills
- Strong background in dinghy to keelboat, youth, high school and/or collegiate sailing programs
- US Sailing Level 1 certification with current CPR, first aid, and boater safety training required
- Successful results of a background check
- 3 references

Compensation:

\$700/week plus accommodation for non-local resident
 Rate will depend on experience and qualifications. All
 Applicants will be considered.

All BOG member present with the exception of Dave Leiker.

1. Call to Order:

- a. Quorum
- b. Opening remarks

2. Meeting Minutes: Approval of January 9, 2014 minutes

Changes made to misspelled names

Check final sentence in minutes about "STEP subsidization"

Addl. Addendums will be made to January minutes

3. WVSC Website revision status: James Klassen

Need to finalize details with SPECIFIC WVSC information/material

Need to add section to record work credits

Wvsailing@radicalis.net

jclassen@gmail.com

Need to submit payment to Mr. Klassen

4. Action items from prior meetings:

 Kubick boat: Research WVSC options on how to move forward with WVSC removing the boat: Randy/Ernie
 Email sent to Keith

b. Mediated discussion group for club meeting: Zak

Petition for members that don't understand STEP

c. Refinish club house floor: Zak

Priced materials; will gather volunteers to complete project when weather is warm enough; current floor will be prepped and painted over with enamel based floor paint

d. Boat extension hitch modification: Brad and Geri

Zak and Ernie to coordinate

e. New club power boat: Brad

Re-motor the current club boat; refurbish the current club boat

Ed Webb/Gary Mackey to assess current boat for potential improvements

2012 - 175hp Mercury for sale

Contact Steve Kubin for info on used boat from John Ashbrenner's father-in-law

f. Ice storage and usage club house: Geri

Any amount of ice/anytime we want delivered

\$2.00/bag Place freezer in dry storage pending electrical circuit expansion is being consider as well as other possible locations

g. Sewage holding tank at the club house: Zak

New tank has been delivered to WVSC; will be installed pending warmer weather; volunteers needed to help with project

h. Replacement of decking on docks: Brad

Dave Barker now full time employed; looking for new options

Amos Cape possibly interested in working on project

i. Wheels on dock walkway replacement: Brad

Gene Nold to contact contractor to assess/fix issue

j. Exit ramp east side of club house replacement: Zak Zak to purchase diamond plate stainless and cut/install new ramp

k. AC men's restroom does it need replaced: Zak Replace AC in men's restroom pending weather

I. Send STEP bylaws out to membership: Randy Randy sent out STEP bylaws

m. Message to membership on names on trailers in DS: Randy

Genee sent out notification to club that names are required on trailers in dry storage

Members currently complying; vacancies; seems to be organized and in good shape

n. New form for listing work credits:

Will work with James Classen to record real-time work credits on new website

Added discussion on dock flotation; anchors could be stuck; flotation may still be unequal

5. Treasurers Report:

- a. Treasurers Report
 - No new member apps
 - Resignations: Tom Olsen, Dale Gronniger, Bob Born, Gary Shephard, Bud McCurry
 - 91 PAID regular memberships
 - New tank to be taken out of "harbor" budget
 - New electric bill HIGH; will research
 - Monitor electric bill and consider "bubble users" to pay additional for electric usage

b. Vote on new membership applications

None

6. New Business

a. Additional electrical outlets in dry storage

Capacity to add additional electrical outlets; add outlet on SE corner of dry storage building; already have required materials; assess outlet capacity for adding ice freezer (need 110/20amp breaker)

b. Independent Audit STEP

Move forward with STEP audit; need to research options for 3rd party CPA/auditor; Randy to pursue

c. Newsletters on website

- (1) Request received for more prior years be added
- (2) Many listed in archive from 2007-2012 un-accessible on website
- (3) Randy to talk to

Randy to work with James Rix on uploading Windword issues to new website if required. Randy to get with Fred to see if it's a website issue or the newsletters are not available

7. Committee Liaison Reports:

a. John Aschbrenner (Long range Planning, Nominations)
Randy to give information to John

b. Brad Oblak (Harbor, Powerboat)
None

c. Geri McFadden (Social, Calling Committee)

Social calendar published; calling committee listed on website

Need suggestions for August; Zak to contact Bart

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Ernia Candan Guarte: Cana Dlahal Jim Smith Ed Wahh

Absent: Brad Oblak, Ernie Condon **Guests:** Gene Plehal, Jim Smith, Ed Webb, Terry and Sharon Lewis, Debbie Aschbrenner, James Rix

1. Call to Order:

- a. Quorum
- b. Opening remarks

2. Meeting Minutes:

- a. Approval of Revised January 9, 2014 minutes: Approved
- b. Approval of February 13, 2014 minutes: Approved

3. WVSC Website revision status: James Klassen

Discussion concerning recording of work credits; each committee liaison responsible for collecting work credits, then forwarding totals to Treasurer (Genee) for her to forward to Fred Harvey to be posted on website.

4. Action items from prior meetings:

a. Kubick boat:

Research WVSC options on how to move forward with WVSC removing the boat. Email sent, but to date no response. Will need to proceed with more aggressive means to resolve current situation: Randy/Ernie

No new developments

b. Mediated discussion group for club meeting - Tentative date set for 4/26 at 2:00 at the lake: Randy

Information will be sent to club members regarding format and solicitation of topics.

c. Refinish club house floor: Zak

Still looking at best method and temperature to allow rework to be completed. Weather pending

d. Boat extension hitch modification: Brad and Geri Done

e. New club power boat - Looking at working on current boat: Brad No final decision as of yet; pump and gaskets ordered and work in progress to fix existing engine; current lead on used low usage boat; Ed Webb to have results back on current engine within a few days

f. Ice storage and usage club house: Geri

Still looking at options for best solution; Zak to get info on cost of freezer for ice to be placed in the clubhouse

g. Sewage holding tank at the club house: Zak Tank at club; looking for opportunity to install

h. Replacement of decking on docks: Brad

No new developments on decking replacement; possible consultation with contractor to outsource; Brad Oblak to coordinate

Wheels on dock walkway replacement: Brad Wheel replacement and alignment pending

j. Exit ramp east side of club house replacement: Zak Pending replacement

AC men's restroom does it need replaced: Zak Pending replacement

New form for listing work credits: Geri Pending; Geri to coordinate

m. Flotation B dock: Brad

Consult with Galvafoam; Brad Oblak to coordinate; Randy to coordinate with Brad on progress

n. Independent audit STEP & WVSC books: Randy

No new developments; Randy to coordinate

o. Newsletters on website:

From discussion with Fred, not an issue with not having newsletters on; it was the old website link. Fred is working on getting everything working on new website. Once that is complete we will see what is missing: Randy

Minutes Subject to Correction

Fred Harvey still working on getting archived newsletters moved to new website

Additional electrical outlets in dry storage being worked by dry storage committee chair John McCabe

Dave Leiker to contact electric company to find out cost for additional power to dry storage; 2-20 amp $110\,V$ breakers currently; Dave Leiker coordinating project

q. Website - Payment to James Klassen: Genee Payment submitted

Commodore message for website: Randy
 New website ready for commodore to publish monthly message

5. Treasurers Report:

a. Treasurers Report

- No apps for new members
- · Monthly electric bill higher than normal, BOG to investigate;
- Discussion on additional fees for members who use electric during winter; work on protocol for winter electric bill increase
- Currently 91 paid regular members
- Treasurer's report approved
- Letters to be sent to 5 remaining members who have not paid; Genee to get names of non-paid members to Randy

b. Vote on new membership applications None

6. New Business: None @ 3/11/14

Discuss making liability insurance mandatory for all WVSC member boats; work credit definition needs clarification and/or possible refinement

7. Committee Liaison Reports:

- John Aschbrenner (Long Range Planning, Nominations)
 None
- Brad Oblak (Harbor, Powerboat)
 Bart Peace to Chair Harbor Committee

Geri McFadden (Social, Calling Committee)
 None

d. Ernie Condon (Bylaws, Government Relations, STEP) None

e. Genee Kubin (Finance, Awards)

f. Dave Leiker (Membership, Public Relations, Sailing Activities) Sailing Activities complete and ready for addition to new website

g. Randy Malcom (Racing)

Racing calendar complete; Randy to forward to Fred Harvey for posting on new website

h. Gary Pierce (Building and Grounds, Dry Storage, Archivist)
None



WVSC 2013 ANNUAL MEETING MINUTES

House of Schwan 3636 N. Comotara Wichita, KS

1. Call to Order:

6:00 P.M., 9 November 2013, Commodore Ernie Condon presiding

a. Opening Comments:

Commodore Condon welcomed members to the meeting and thanked those who helped set up the meeting. Condon reminded members that Club By-law changes required a 2/3 majority to pass while other matters needed only a simple majority of votes.

b. Approval of the 2012 Annual Meeting Minutes:

Rob Brown moved to approve last year's minutes. The minutes were approved as recorded.

Due to the full agenda, Condon asked for a motion to limit discussion. Moved by Randy Malcom to limit discussion to two (2) minutes per person and to limit total discussion to fifteen (15) minutes per topic. Motion passed.

2. Committee Reports:

a. Racing Activities - Steve Kubin, Randy Malcom

Steve handed out Keelboat trophies to:

- First place: Tom Olson on "Screaming Eagle"
- Second place: Gary Shepard on "Egg Nog"
- Third Place: Steve Kubin on "Desperado"

Steve gave a special thank you to Bob and Peggy Fugit for their efforts as Race Committee. Full report attached.

b. Social - Gwynne Bonifield, Geri McFadden

Gwen gave special thanks to Kelly Dumford for supplying bread to many of the Club Socials. Full report attached.

c. Membership - Dave Leiker

Dave informed the Club that the Membership committee is still looking for a chairman and committee members. Full report attached.

d. Finance – Sharon Lewis

Full report attached.

e. Building and Grounds – John McCabe

Full report attached.

f. Sailing Program – Jim Smith

Full report attached.

g. Harbor – Brad Oblak

Brad thanked all those who participated in habor work parties. Full report attached.

h. Public Relations

Board is looking for a member willing to Chair this committee.

i. Security – Bill Fonger

No report.

j. Archivist – Janis Cooper

Full report attached.

k. Long Range Planning – Randy Malcom Full report attached.

I. Calling – Ardie Condon

Ardie introduced the calling committee members and thanked them for their efforts. Full report attached

m. Activity Center - Zak Kissack

Zak stressed the importance of security for the Activity Center. Full report attached.

n. Club Powerboat Maintenance – Gary Mackey

Ernie thanked Gary for his efforts. Full report attached.

o. Dry Storage – John McCabe

Full report attached.

p. Government Relations - Gene Nold

Property taxes on boats may drop due to new legislation. Park permits may now be purchased with vehicle registration. Attempts are being made to have hazard buoys replaced on the lake. Approval is being sought for a boat hoist from the Wildlife and Parks and the Corps of Engineers. Full report attached.

q. Sail, Training and Education Program – Gary Pierce

Gary introduced Tedd Blankenship as the STEP Administrator and introduced Gene Nold, Bill Sorensen, Ed Webb and Steve Warfield as STEP Board members. Tedd reported 40 youths participated and passed the State required Boater's Safety Exam. Tedd said he is looking to identify the right boats for advanced classes. The current boats need upgrades for advanced lessons. Full report attached.

r. ADA Compliance – Grea Rincker

Greg reported that all ADA work completed and approved by Wildlife and Parks. Full report attached.

s. Rules - Bruce Ward

The By-laws were reviewed and proposed changes presented to the Board. Proposed changes attached.

t. Long Range Planning

Full report attached.

3. Treasurer's Report:

Genee Kubin presented the Treasurer's Report and 2014 Budget. Proposed budget is attached.

Genee reported that all reports required by the State and by the Corps were submitted.

STEP reported that 40% of the STEP budget is from donations. STEP donations were below average this year and higher boat maintenance is anticipated. A two thousand dollars (\$2000.00) one-time request by STEP is included in the budget for boat maintenance. STEP reports that WVSC has received \$70,000 in revenue over 13 years due to members recruited through the STEP program.

Randy Malcom moved to accept the proposed budget. Motion failed 64 for and 71 against.

Gene Plehal presented the following motion: "I move that the WVSC budget line item for the STEP contribution be struck, taken out, and no WVSC funds will be transferred nor loaned to STEP in fiscal year 2014 without specific membership approval at a special meeting or annual meeting." Motion failed 61 for and 71 against.

Rob Brown moved to re-vote the original proposed budget. Motion passed 68 for and 67 against.

4. New Business:

Proposed By-Law Changes (2/3 majority required - 66.7%).

- Change 1: General Cleanup. Passed 97 for and 39 against (71%)
- Change 2: Regular Membership (adding domestic partner). Failed 84 for and 52 against (61%)
- Change 3: Voting (Two votes per membership). Failed 66 for and 72 against (48%)
- Change 4: Suspension-Expulsion (Due process). Failed 79 for and 55 against (59%)

5. Board of Governors Election:

Current members retiring are Paul Schye, Tedd Blankenship and Dave Bonifield. The Nominating Committee nominates Gere McFadden, Brad Oblak and Zach Kissack to the open positions on the Board of Governors. Biographies are attached.

Corrected Feb. Board of Governors Meeting, cont. from page 10

d. Ernie Condon (Bylaws)

Confirmation from Gene Nold that he will continue govt. relations

Bruce Ward to continue bylaws (will chair committee)

Gene Nold has preliminary approval from state to install boat hoist in dry storage

e. Gene Nold (Government Relations, STEP)

None

f. Genee Kubin (Finance, Awards)

that can be published in bylaws

None

g. Dave Leiker (Membership, Public Relations, Sailing Activities) Jim Smith would like clarification on work credits for sailing activities; WILL RECEIVE WORK CREDITS; need specific definition of what constitutes work credits; need to reference 1999 minutes with regard to work credit definition

h. Randy Malcom (Racing)

Meeting last weekend; Randy to get racing format out to club; 3 sessions (Spring, Summer, Fall); 1 race day each week; will work around social calendar

Gary Pierce (Building and Grounds, Dry Storage, Archivist) Moving forward with electrical improvements in dry storage

j. Zak Kissack (Activity Center, Security) Will proceed with floor project pending weather

8.	Co	ommittee Chair Assignments:	Chair
	a.	Long-range Planning, Nominations	John Aschbrenner
	b.	Harbor	Brad Oblak
	C.	Powerboat	Gary Mackey & Billy Clark
	d.	Social	Geri McFadden
	e.	Calling	Ardie Condon
	f.	Bylaws	Ernie Condon
	g.	Govt. Relations	Gene Nold
	h.	STEP	Gary Pierce
	i.	Finance	Patty Mackey
	j.	Awards	Jayne Pierce
	k.	Membership	Dave Leiker
	l.	Public Relations	Dave Leiker
	m.	Sailing Activities	Jim Smith
	n.	Racing	Randy Malcom (interim)
	0.	Building and Grounds/ Dry Storage	John McCabe
	p.	Archivist	Janis Cooper
	q.	Activity Center	Zak Kissack
	r.	Security	Zak Kissack

9. Old Business:

Randy has contacted Paul about 2013 annual meeting minutes and will work to get published/on new website

10. Member Concerns: (submitted in advance to BOG liaison or Commodore)

a. Dry Storage assignment issues. Have they been resolved?

All dry storage assignments resolved at this time

WVSC to "donate" STEP certificate for April 27 charity event

11. Meeting Notice: March 13, 2014.

12. Adjourn

March Board of Governors Meeting, cont. from page 11

i. Zack Kissack (Activity Center, Security)

8.	Co	ommittee Chair Assignments:	Chair
	a.	Long range Planning, Nominations	John Aschbrenner
	b.	Harbor	Bart Peace
	c.	Powerboat	Gary Mackey & Billy Clark
	d.	Social	Geri McFadden
	e.	Calling	
	f.	Bylaws, Government Relations	Gene Nold
	g.	STEP	Gary Pierce
	h.	Finance	
	i.	Awards	Jayne Pierce
	j.	Membership	Dave Leiker
	k.	Public Relations	Dave Leiker
	l.	Sailing Activities	Jim Smith
	m.	Racing	Randy Malcom (interim)
	n.	Building and Grounds/ Dry Storage	
	0.	Archivist	Janis Cooper
	p.	Activity Center	Zak Kissack
	q.	Security	Zak Kissack

9. Old Business:

None

 Member Concerns: (submitted in advance to BOG liaison or Commodore) None @ 3/11/14

11. Meeting Notice: April 10, 2014

12. Adjourned

WVSC 2013 Annual Meeting Meeting, cont. from page 12

Gene Plehal questioned Geri McFadden's status as a member. Ernie Condon explained that membership is based on the application for membership. If a person is listed as member or spouse the Board accepts both as regular members.

The floor was opened for nominations. Gene Nold moved that nomination from the floor be closed. Motion passed.

Voting for nominees was by written ballot. All nominees were approved by the membership.

6. Awards:

Genee Kubin presented the following awards:

- The Pump Award: Dave Barker and Mark Reeves for their efforts in saving boat after a storm.
- The Gas Can: Ed Klima
- Harbor Lights: John Aschbrenner and John McCabe.

Formal Awards:

- Sportmanship Award: Tedd Blankenship
- Bosun's Mess Award: David Reynolds

7. Adjournment:

The 2013 WVSC meeting was adjourned at 9:07 pm with Mexican pot-luck social to follow.



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For Sail, cont. from page 9

HUNTER 290 (29') 2000 WITH TRAILER. 18hp Yanmar. One owner, fresh water only. Furlex furler, full bimini and sunbrella covers, cockpit cushions. Self tailing winches, Autohelm depth/knot meters. Fully furnished cabin with dinnerware, bedding, range, hot water heater and stereo. Complete dock accessories with steps, lines, dock box, rollers, and shorepower cord. \$32,000. Owner leaving the area, to see the boat call 316.540.3674

COLUMBIA 26 MARK II 1969 Fixed keel 4'4", 2 main sails, Jib, and genoa, 8'6" beam, nice interior and exterior cushions, 9.9 outboard motor, bottom paint 2 years old, nice boat, \$4,500. Call Tim Peppard 316-838-8214 or email peppard@pixius.netnnks

IRWIN 25 1974 25' with an 8' beam. Mainsail, heavy duty hinged mast step, cabin will sleep six. Foresail is on a roller furling with lines to cockpit. She has a table, sink, closet storage, head and tandem trailer. Sailboat and trailer together are \$3500. For more information contact Gil Nye at 316-788-3454 or email at gnye2@cox.net

J 24 WITH TRAILER Located at Cheney. Large sail inventory of crisp and average sails. \$3500.00. Contact Stan at 316-737-2753. PRICE REDUCED - 21' LUND WITH TRAILER, 1990 center cockpit deep V powerboat and trailer. 2004 Johnson 140 hp 4-stroke. Dual batteries with charger, dual bilge pumps. Can view boat at Wichita Marine, ask for Tracey, 316-524-0101. \$7,900.

NEWPORT 30 1976 Located at Perry Yacht Club, KS. 30 foot Sailboat, Beam 10.5 feet, Draft 4.75 feet, Displacement 8000 lbs. Triple Axle Road trailer (needs tires and new bearings for highway service) 2 year old heavy winter cover. New battery (1 of 2), New bilge pump, Yanmar Diesel inboard with new impeller, Wheel steering (back up tiller included), Good cockpit and cabin cushions, Large cabin due to wide beam, 5 headsails, Spinnaker, Sleeps 6, Bimini, Boat is ready to enjoy! \$15,300 or best offer. Cash only, no trades Contact: Beth Whitson at whit4257@sbcolobal.net

PHOENIX SNIPE 16' 1982 Boat # 25196, completely renovated, and race competitive. It has minimum weight, flexible mast. Can be capsized, re-righted and continue sailing. Includes two suits of sails, large face compass, pole launcher, and all sail controls. The trailer alone is worth the \$1,500. price. Contact Ken Rix at 316-684-6086, or email at sail4it@att.net

RANGER 26 1970 \$1,000. Length: 26 ft., draft 4 ft, 4 in., fixed keel, tiller, mainsail, jib, and genoa, sound hull, needs cosmetics, average condition, no trailer, no engine. Call Bill Clark at 316-681-0820.

SNIPE Fiberglass Balsa core, alum. mast and boom, sails maroon hull clear natural mahogany deck. \$1,500.00. Call Dick at 316-685-8611.

OLD LASER PARTS Good parts for sale. Hobie 14 boat or parts for sale. Trailers. Call Dan at 316-687-2471 or email at dacridge23@yahoo.com

NACRA 5.2 PARTS Used Mains: (Skip Elliott) \$275.00. Used Jibs: both are in good shape, show signs of wear need a few minor repairs. \$175.00

S 2 YACHT 8.5 (28') 1982

Tandem-axle trailer with adjustable pads. 9'6" beam. 4'6" draft. 7600 lb. displacement. 6' head room. Full mast lighting. Lewmar main & jib halyard winches. Aqua-Air Heat & AC system. New in 2005: running & standing rigging; steering cables; throttle & shift control cables; battery charger; Pioneer radio stereo & 4 speakers (cabin and cockpit); mainsail cover; pressure water system; prop, shaft & strut; acrylic hatches; & Hood roller furling with 135% jib. Mainsail refurbished by Sail Care in 2009. Other sails-100% & storm jibs. Electrical-12 V and 110V shore power. VHF radio. Large JSI bimini with one side curtain (new 2006). Edson wheel steering with pedestal compass. Horizon depth sounder (new transducer). Cockpit cushions. Swim & rescue ladder (new 2011). New Pumps in 2010–AC, bilge (automatic) & water system. Porta Potti. Hilerange alcohol stove. Engine-Yanmar 13 HP, 2 cylinder diesel. Well maintained wood interior with teak & holly sole & sunbrella main salon cushions. Exceptional sailing yacht for offshore or inland lake. Offered at \$18,900 (REDUCED). Call Guy McCormick, 316.721.2553 or 316.619.0077, or email at gmccormick47@cox.net. Boat is on trailer at Ninnescah Yacht Club, Cheney Lake, 20 mi. west of Wichita, KS.

CAPE DORY 19' TYPHOON WEEKENDER

Liebchen. New bottom paint and teak refinishing Spring 2011. Main, jib and 150 genoa (Nuclear Dacron—almost new.) Windex, Danforth anchor, porta pottie, British seagull engine. Galvanized "Dilly" trailer with new lights. Asking \$6000 OBO. Call Tom at 316-260-6820 or cell 316-259-7656. Also, have 3-hp. to sell with or separate.