

THE WINDWORD

The Newsletter of the Walnut Valley Sailing Club

Website: www.wvsailing.com

JUNE 2014

CALENDAR:

June 12	Board of Governors Meeting
June 14	Annual Swap Meet
June 15	Father's Day
June 21	Summer Solstice Sailing Event
June 21	Shrimp Boil
July 4	Independence Day Potluck
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July 5	Pirate Watermelon Water Balloon Festival
July 19	Poker Run
July 19	Fish Fry

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From the Commodore

WVSC Members,

Happy June to All!

Activity at the lake is on the increase and June is packed with sailing events. We have the annual Swap Meet, Summer Solstice sailing event, and Shrimp Boil as well a full month of racing. So, mark your calendars and we'll see you at the lake.

May had its fair share of activity as well. We had a great social on the 17th, the ever popular Italian dinner. The weather was somewhat cool, but we had good turnout with a lots of great food. Thanks to Gwynne Bonifield and Geri McFadden and their crew for putting on a great party. Also, nine Boys Scouts were out that afternoon for some sailing. Thanks to Bob Fugit and those who volunteered to skipper their boats for these young men.

Our open discussion meeting was held 4/26 with approximately 30 participants and Cheryl Wertheimer officiating the meeting. I truly feel we had constructive conversation. We talked for two hours. Topics ranged from what's important to the club, members concerns, the STEP program, to ideas to make the club better. The conversation was cordial, respectful and candid. Cheryl did a wonderful job of keeping the conversation moving. The end result was positive with discussion on having another meeting, as two hours wasn't enough. We didn't come up with any solutions, but that wasn't the point; we came to talk. If you would like to do this again, please let me know.

Our first social followed the 4/26 meeting with a sandwich bar, after which Brian Hakala gave a presentation on his recent Mediterranean sail – sounded like a very cool adventure!

You will be seeing requests to participate in upcoming work parties. Please help where you can, as we need everyone's help!

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

Thanks, Randy

CONGENIALITY

The dictionary defines this word as:
“...having the same habits or temperament” or
“...of a pleasant disposition – friendly and sociable”.

Please help find a sailing club member who fits this description! We would like to revive our congeniality award “from the mothballs”. This award was originally given by the Wichita Sailing Club members from Santa Fe Lake, Augusta, KS. There are still 11 original families in the club who helped develop WVSC.

Keep your eyes and ears open! Ask positive questions! Get to know your fellow sailors! Please email the name and a brief description of why you made this choice. Email to: imstlabritpierce@cox.net

The Awards Committee, consisting of Jayne Pierce (Chair), Kathy Malcom, Ardie Condon, David Leiker & David Bonifield, will meet at the end of the sailing season to review your choices.

THANKS, AND HAPPY SAILING!

2014 WYSC SAILING EVENTS

June 14: Annual Swap Meet
(Gene Plehal)

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

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

July 19: Poker Run
(Jan Adair)

August 30: Decathlon Sailing Event (Amos Cape)



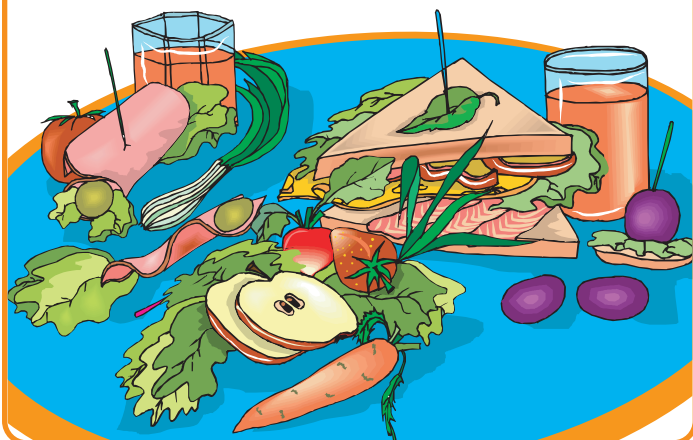
Sailing Events Volunteers are:

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

Potlucks

On big sailing weekends or holiday weekends, many of our members gather & have a Potluck dinner.

No one person is really “in charge”. Everyone just gets together and decides on a time.



Thank You, Brian Hakala

Brian gave a wonderful presentation following the April social. He shared his 2012 sail around southern Italy, Tunisia and the Greek Isles with us. Through pictures, antidotes, history, and maps we almost felt like we were with him.

Mac and Marian Carter accompanied him and his crew through the Greek Isles. It was good to see the Carters again.

Thanks again for an informative, beautiful and fun presentation. I can't wait to see where he takes us next year!!



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**

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Shrimp Boil

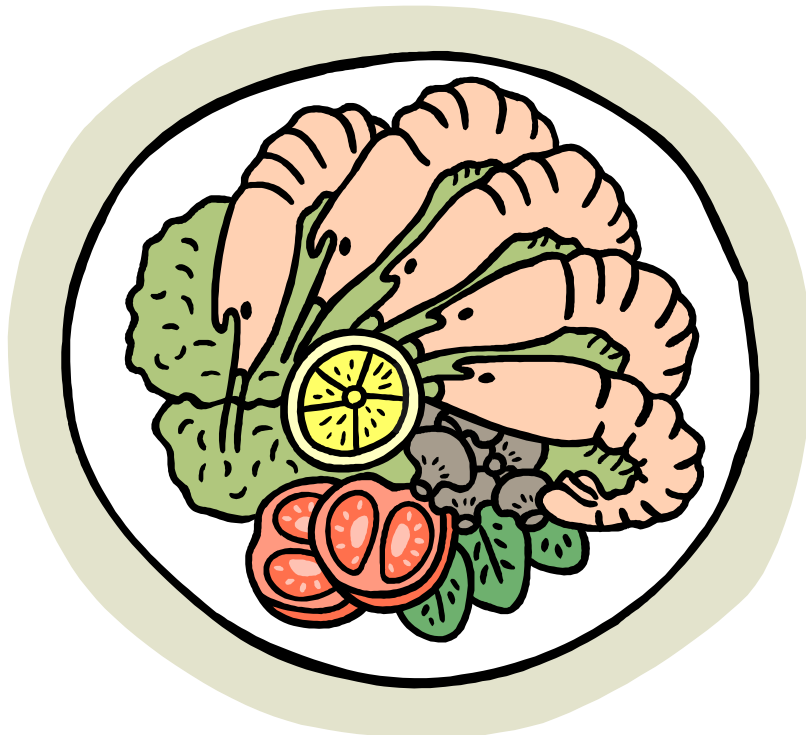
When: Saturday June 21, 2014

Time: 6:00 P.M. Social Hour, Dinner at 7:00 P.M.

Cost: \$15.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children under 10

All You Can Eat:
Peel & Eat Shrimp, Potatoes, Corn and Green Beans

Live Entertainment & Dessert on the Dock



2014 WVSC SOCIAL SCHEDULE

June 21	Shrimp Boil
July 4	Independence Day Potluck
July 19	Fish Fry
August 16	Social TBA
September 20	German Celebration
October 11	Chili Cook Off
November 8	Annual Meeting
December 6	Christmas Party

WVSC RACING FOR 2014



To all of the WVSC members:

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 start July 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

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)

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Cell # _____ E-Mail _____

Home # _____ Age _____ T-Shirt Size _____

Emergency Contact Person _____

Cell # _____ Business # _____

____ I am a WVSC member

____ I am a non-member of WVSC

I wish to enroll in: ____ Centerboard Program

____ Keelboat Program

____ Session 1 (June 9 - June 26) and/or

____ Session 2 (July 7 - July 24)

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
5720 SW Santa Fe Lake Road
Augusta, KS 67010

Signature _____ Date _____

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 SAIL WITH US



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, non-competitive 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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Ahoy Mateys!



**THERE BE TALK OF
BLACK-HEARTED PIRATES
ON EL DORADO LAKE.**

JULY 5TH 1PM

**Gather at Pirate's Cove at 12:30 for instructions.
Ships set sail at 1pm.**

Any crew (**watermelon**) lost at sea must be rescued and returned to Pirate's Cove!

Arm yerselves with yer water pistols and water ballons (biodegradable) to blast the pirates as their ships lay at anchor.

**Come dressed like
Pirates or as ye be.**

You and your crew can end the day with all the Watermelon you can eat.

And Ye get to say AARRRR a lot.



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, 316-640-4052

CATALINA 4.2 2006 In 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

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

WANTED 9.9 hp short-shaft Outboard Electric start. Call Ernie, 640-8951.

CATALINA 22 1981 Swing Keel, trailer in great condition, Merc 4-stroke 6 hp, new main sail, LED lighting, stereo, cockpit and inside cushions all good, kitchenette, toilet, swim ladder. \$3,000. Call or text Stan at 316-737-2753.

CATALINA 30 SAILBOAT 1979 Standard Rig, Bow Sprit, Fin Keel. M15/5411 Diesel Engine. Drip free stuffing box. Cleanest bilge you have ever seen. Edison wheel steering. Emergency tiller. Large Bruce anchor and nice anchor roller. Force 10 propane furnace and stove. New 120 V refrigerator and new microwave oven. VHF. Raymarine ST-50 Tri-data. AM/FM/CD. USB outlets. Shore power. Fresh VC17 bottom job last fall with multiple coats of West System Epoxy barrier coat. Spent \$1500 just for materials to refinish the bottom. Her bottom is smooth! Folding prop. Blue Bimini and blue sail cover. Boat is striped and named in red, yellow and blue. Mylar racing main. Mid-boom sheeting with traveler. Recently upgraded boom with new internal 7:1 out haul and new boom end pulleys. Harkin furler. Dacron 100 jib. Asymmetrical spinnaker. Exterior teak is fair to good and freshly oiled. Interior is beautiful. In process of sealing windows and installing a lazy jack system. All records indicate this is a fresh water boat that came from the Great Lakes to Wichita, KS. Selling because we have replaced this boat with a larger blue water cruiser on the coast. Catalina 22 plus cash is possible. \$15k or best acceptable offer. Currently slipped at WVSC. By appointment only! Chris Collins 316-371-4040

HOBIE WAVE Trailer, new cover. \$2,950. Call Wilson at 580-541-2326.

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



RODGERS 24 1982 Semi-Custom Race Boat #21 of 30 built. Specs: See 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 \$5,750 OBO or Interesting Smaller Trade. Call Sid Rousseau at 316-722-8983 (h); 316-200-6526 (c) or email me at lizardfoz@att.net

CAL 9.2 (30 FT.) 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, roller-furling, 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.

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. \$6,900.

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.

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 potty, British seagull engine. Galvanized "Dilly" trailer with new lights. Asking \$6,000 OBO. Call Tom at 316-260-6820 or cell 316-259-7656. Also, have 3-hp. to sell with or separate.

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

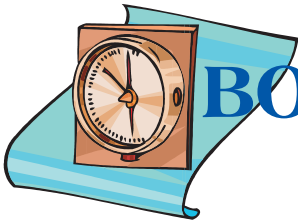
COLUMBIA 26 MARK II 1969 Fixed keel 4'4", 2 main sails, Jib, and genoa, 8'6" beam, nice interior and exterior cushions, 9.9 outboard motor, bottom paint 2 years old, nice boat, \$4,500 call Tim Peppard 316-838-8214 or email tpeppard@pixius.net.

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 shore power cord. \$32,000. Owner leaving the area, to see the boat call 316.540.3674.

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 \$3,500. For more information contact Gil Nye at 316-788-3454 or email at gnye2@cox.net.

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@sbcglobal.net.

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WALNUT VALLEY SAILING CLUB BOARD of GOVERNORS MEETING

7:00 PM • THURSDAY, MAY 8, 2014 • CANDLE CLUB
Minutes Subject to Correction

1. Call to Order:

- a. Quorum
- b. Opening remarks

2. Meeting Minutes: Approval of April 10, 2014 minutes.

- a. 4L – Gene Nold (not John Aschbrenner). Approved.

3. WVSC Website revision status:

- a. Dave L. and Randy met with Fred; new website not functioning appropriately; unclear on James Classen's ability to complete desired website; Dave spoke with Bob and Sheryl Born; website "PR tool" for WVSC; Borns interested in developing new website moving forward; \$3,000 to contract Borns to develop new website; \$250 paid to James Classen to date; potential to negotiate final payment; 3 months to develop new website; move forward with new website development; invite the Borns to next BOG meeting??? Work to discover payment details.

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.

Notice sent to on 3/31/14: Mr. Kubick if there is no response within 10 business days WVSC would start legal action. Collecting documentation to commence legal action. Randy/Ernie

No new developments.

- b. **Refinish club house floor:** Still looking at best method and temperature to allow rework to be completed. Will look at having complete prior to first social: Zak

Set dates to refinish clubhouse floor

- c. **Incorrect sewage tank:** can it be returned.

Zak will try to sell to Carlisle/Craigslis

- d. **Replacement of decking on docks:** Brad

New estimate \$4,897.00

Zak will contract with WVSC to do dock decking replacement.

- e. **Exit ramp east side of club house replacement:** Zak

Done

- f. **AC men's restroom - does it need replaced:** Zak

AC in men's restroom will be replaced soon.

- g. **Flotation B dock:** Brad

Galvafoam now Shoremaster (Shady Creek is a dealer for Shoremaster); Randy has contact who works on floating docks – to contact.

- h. **Independent audit STEP & WVSC books:** Randy

Still working on; questioning validity and level of satisfaction among WVSC members; will have more detail next meeting.

- i. **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

Dave will discuss with Borns; Fred has electronic files.

- j. **Dry storage electrical outlets:** Additional electrical outlets in dry storage being worked by dry storage committee chair John McCabe. Now have additional outlets; completed; new conduit was required; inspection 5/14/14 from ERGO (?) Core of Engineers.

- k. **Website:** Payment to James Classen. Initial payment made, any pending payments?: Genee

Will check to see if there are any pending payments.

- l. **Commodore message for website:** Randy

Not done.

- m. **Club defib unit:** Geri

New battery ordered; \$153.00; 4 year lifespan.

- n. **Additional power line dropped off power pole:** David

*Not pursuing at this time.

- o. **Rule changes for bubblers:** Randy/Genee

Genee working on new policy.

- p. **Rule change:** All boats must have liability insurance.

**Tabled until June; details pending/to be presented.

Proposed change for WVSC; discussion of minimum amount required; Ninescah requires \$300,000 minimum; bring specifics to June BOG meeting; add line to dry storage lease agreement ???; add "insurance info" to membership renewal form; add insurance requirement to handbook.

5. Treasurers Report:

- a. **Treasurers Report:** Approved.

- b. Vote on new membership applications:

- John & Dawn Clark – Approved pending payment.
- Tom Drees – Approved pending payment.
- Jeffrey Noel – Approved pending payment.
- *Dave L. to call new members.

6. New Business:

- a. **Letter from KDWPT.**

Awaiting response from the state; Randy will send out details of progress.

- b. **Late fee schedule sliding scale.**

Suggestion to adhere to bylaws with regard to "late fees"; discuss details with regard to budget adherence and consequences of late payments; ENFORCEMENT necessary? ANNUAL MEETING STATEMENT about bylaws/enforcement

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c. WVSC bank/checking account.

Move large portion of \$76,000+ into savings account???.; move \$ periodically from savings to checking.

Possibly require TWO signatures; threshold for double signature - \$2,500???.; form a committee to research and resolve (Randy, Genee, Kathy Malcom, Sharon Lewis).

d. New slip lease agreement.

Addition of "liability insurance required".

7. Committee Liaison Reports:

a. John Aschbrenner (Long-range Planning, Nominations):

No additional info.

b. Brad Oblak (Harbor, Powerboat): No additional info.

c. Geri McFadden (Social, Calling Committee): No additional info.

d. Ernie Condon (Bylaws, Government Relations, STEP):

No additional info.

e. Genee Kubin (Finance, Awards): No additional info.

f. Sharon Lewis (Finance Chair): No additional info.

g. Dave Leiker (Membership, Public Relations, Sailing Activities):
No additional info.

h. Randy Malcom (Racing): No additional info.

i. Gary Pierce (Building and Grounds, Dry Storage, Archivist):
No additional info.

j. Zak Kissack (Activity Center, Security): No additional info.

9. Old Business: None

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

None @ 5/8/14

11. Meeting Notice: June 12, 2014.

12. Adjourn

Tired of driving to town for one bag of ice???



WVSC NOW HAS ICE IN THE CLUBHOUSE!

There is a chest freezer to the left of the weather station in the WVSC clubhouse containing bagged ice for sale. The cost per bag is \$2.00. Please put payments in the lock box located on the wall just left of the freezer.

This convenience is based on the honor system (which we all know will not be a problem) but will only remain successful if everyone is accurate in exchanging \$2.00/bag of ice.

We can have the freezer refilled as often as necessary and turnaround time is only 1-2 hours!

This venture is NOT for profit (we pay \$2.00/bag) but is solely for the convenience of WVSC and its members!

Please contact Zak @ [316.619.7879](tel:316.619.7879) with questions or refill requests

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MISCELLANEOUS OLD LASER PARTS

Good parts for sale. 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 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.

SAILBOAT SLIP FOR SALE AT SOUTHWIND YACHT CLUB AT MILFORD LAKE. Slip accommodates up to a 26' boat, water, power, and dock box included; very protected cove off of Rush Creek. Fabulous sailing at Milford, great club, pavilion, grills, new docks. I'm moving and need to sell the slip, \$2800. Email Scott at csr721@gmail.com or call 785-539-1145.

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