



<b>2018 OFFICERS</b>
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**MISSION STATEMENT** - The mission of the Fond du Lac Sailing Club is to provide sailing events for the recreation, challenge, and pleasure of the membership, while promoting safety, fellowship and an opportunity to improve sailing skills and knowledge.

### **COMMODORE'S COMMENTS**

Another TransWinnebago is in the record books. Nice blue sky, but where was that great east wind? Race results are slow to come in, so maybe by next month we will have them posted on the website.

July starts out with a busy week. Tuesday is the final Day Sailors race for the Early Season. The Cruisers will be racing a Holiday Race on the 4<sup>th</sup>, followed by a picnic for all members. Don't forget to attend the meeting on Thursday. Let's see how fast we can get done and then head out for a sunset cruise.

Don't forget that the small boats are available for you to try your hand, so get out on the water and have some fun.

See you on the water. DW

### **NEXT MEETING**

***Sailing Club Meeting  
July 5th @ 7:00pm***

### **MEETING SNACKS**

Listed below is the initial list for meeting snacks. Add your date to your calendar. You will also get a reminder phone call from our snack committee. If you can't make your date, let Karin Whealon know so she can alter the schedule.

**July** - Tom Boerner, Larry Kuehl, Tom Grebe  
**August** - Joseph Wooley, Paul Kaestner, Dave Kuharski  
**September** - Mike Mahnke, Rob Ritchie

**October** - Dan Thornton, Bill Freund, Andy Gratton

**November** - Jeanne Wesby, Dave Lallier, Karin Whealon

**December** - Holiday Gathering - everyone

### **YOUTH SAILING**

Can't wait for the new dock to arrive.

### **RACING**

Judges are needed for both Tuesdays and Thursdays. An updated racing schedule is posted on our website for your perusal. The dates are posted on the website calendar or look under the racing menu to get a copy of the schedule that can be printed out. Contact Jack Boatman to sign up.

### **Minutes of the FDL sailing club meeting June 7, 2018**

The meeting was called to order at 7:03 p.m. by Commodore Dave Whealon. Eighteen members were present with two guests at the meeting. The Club welcomed Brett and Kyle to the meeting and extended the offer of membership.

The June meeting minutes were approved by the membership after motions by Brian Carter and Jim Braun respectively.

The treasurer's report: Treasurer Marty Witt updated the group on the Club's finances. There are currently 35 paid members. The treasurer's report was approved by the membership after motions by Scott Baccus and Jim Braun respectively.

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## Committee Reports:

**Day Sailors** – Committee chairman Jack Boatman reported no meeting and no report. He shared some thoughts with members about what to do on race night for day sailors when there is a low turnout for the race. He suggested that they sail no matter how few show up. Kevin Gratton suggested doing two one-lap races rather than 1 3 lap race. This may be tried this season to see how it works, but there were no motions or action identified.

**Cruisers:** Cruiser committee chair Marty Witt said the cruisers did meet. He inquired if all the boats' PHRF's could be on the computer. After some discussion it appears the 2017 phrfs were on a spreadsheet on the laptop. Marty will work with Tom Clausen and Scott Baccus if additional action needs to be taken.

## Youth Sailing.

Kevin Gratton reported that 85 youth had already signed up for classes. He reported that 3 slabs have been poured for the new youth sailing dock and that progress is going well for the project.

Kevin also mentioned that he would have a sign-up sheet for volunteers – so that he and the club would know who was available to help youth sailing parents.

## NEW BUSINESS

**Big Brother/Big Sisters:** Tom Clausen reported the annual cruise for this group would take place on July 10<sup>th</sup> from 6-7 pm. If club members are interested in taking people out, they should contact Tom directly.

## OLD BUSINESS

**Transwinnebago race.** Dave Whealon reminded members they could go online to register.

**Meet the Fleet Committee.** Dave Whealon reported that while there were more volunteers than attendees for the event – it was a worthwhile event and endeavor that the

club should pursue. Several members got assistance with some projects they needed help on. Mike Mahnke and his guest benefitted greatly from the event. The committee will continue to research improvements in outreach efforts during the off-season.

**Destination Sail to Cal Harbor:** Brian Carter reported on plans for the social event. He suggested those planning on attending bring their own meat to grill and a dish to pass. He said he'd work with Tom Clausen to send out emails about the event.

## For The Good of the Club

Sailing Club Board meeting on June 18th. Any and all club members are welcome.

Connie brought some sailing items and offered them to members. Thanks Connie!

Brian Carter reported that SC member Steve Ollenburg was unexpectedly hospitalized because of a seizure and subsequent brain surgery. He is recovering but we have few details. The club will send Steve best wishes on behalf of all members.

Tom Clausen reported that he'd placed a map of Lake Winnebago on our website and added a weather site "windy.com".

## Adjournment

A motion to adjourn was made by Scott Baccus and seconded by Kevin Gratton. The meeting was adjourned at 7:48 pm.

Respectfully submitted:  
Mike Mahnke, secretary

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## ***MAINSHEET EDITOR***

Tom Clausen - Mainsheet Editor

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## ***FOND DU LAC SAILING CLUB WEBSITE***

See all the new improvements that have been made to the site: <http://www.fdsail.com>.  
New wind maps and forecast has been added.  
Also many new photos from last year are now posted.

## ***FOND DU LAC YACHT CLUB WEBSITE***

To see the YC calendar and other things going on at FDLYC, go to:  
<http://www.fdyachtclub.com/>

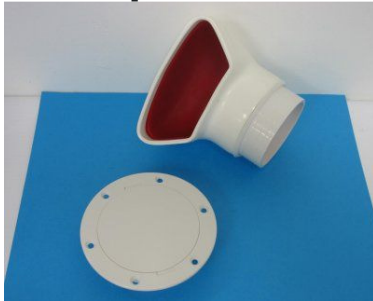
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