



2021 OFFICERS

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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

I hope everyone is having a great summer.

This summer has reminded me of the wonderful community we have here at the FDL Sailing club. Each member works to spread the joy of sailing with others. Whether through helping newcomers rig their boat or getting together to talk after races.

Let's continue to enjoy the rest of the summer sun and sailing.

Marty

NEXT MEETING

Thursday, Aug. 5, 7 pm
Regular Meeting
FDL Yacht Club
Fleet Meetings @ 6:30

Minutes of the FDL sailing club meeting July 1, 2021

The meeting was called to order at the FDLYC at 7:02pm by Commodore Marty Witt. Ten members were in attendance with no guests. (Note: the July minutes were taken via telephone connection between Marty Witt and Mike Mahnke.)

The minutes of the June meeting were approved by the membership after motions by Brian Carter and Jack Boatman respectively.

Brian Carter's Treasurer's report included a deposit of \$55.00 from Kevin Gratton as well as reporting the club's overall finances. The report was approved by the membership after motions by Jack Boatman and Ellen Balthazor respectively.

Committee Reports:

Day Sailors: No report.

Cruiser's report: Jim Braun reported there was no wind for the last cruiser race. He also provided a recap of the TransWinnebago race and facilitated the discussion about the race including 1 DNS and 2 DNFs. Marty Witt also shared his strategy and choice of routes that enabled him to be successful in the race.

Youth Sailing program: No report.

Old Business:

TransWinnebago Race: The 2021 Trans Winnebago race was held on June 26th starting in Menasha and finishing in Fond du Lac. See Cruiser report. Congratulations Marty Witt – and thanks for the great job representing the Fond du Lac Sailing Club!

New Business:

Burgees: The city of Fond du Lac considered the original Burgee display that incorporated all of the burgees into a single "display" to be "signage" and therefore did not approve the Yacht Club's request. Other plans will be made for displaying the burgees. Also, if members would like a copy of the official sailing club burgee, it would cost approximately \$25 - \$26

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after the original flag is produced at a cost of \$85.00.

Correspondence: None

For the Good of the Club:

Karin Whealon (the official unofficial compulsory volunteer contributor to the “for the good of the club” segment,) mentioned that there would be about 65 people (kids and adults) attending the Big Brother/Big Sister event on July 12. They could use some more volunteer skippers to take them out on the water.

Adjournment

Brian Carter moved to adjourn with a second from Jim Braun. The motion carried and the meeting adjourned at approximately 7:36 p.m.

Please note: Due to the limited range of the speaker phone at the meeting, please feel free to contact me at the August meeting – or before the meeting with and additions, deletions or corrections to the minutes above. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted:
Mike Mahnke, secretary

Dues for 2021

Brian Carter is collecting dues and racing fees for 2021. You can either go to our website and print out a form that you can fill in or just bring your money and fill out a paper form that he has with him.

You can find the form by clicking the About Us tab on the menu and clicking Membership Form, or click here.

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