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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

Hi Sailors,

The summer is off to a terrific start. The Youth Sailing program is underway. Thanks to all those who are helping with the teaching and supervising the kids. There is still a lot of sailing to go. Let's not rush the summer.

Andy

NEXT MEETING

General Meeting
Wednesday, August 2 @7 p.m.
FDL Yacht Club

Minutes of the FDL sailing club

meeting June 7, 2023

The meeting was called to order at the FDLYC at 7:11 pm by Commodore Andy Gratton. We all wish Vice Commodore Rueben a complete and speedy recovery. Fourteen members were in attendance with three guests; Cecilia Dietsch, Phil and Sharon Champaign.

The minutes of the April meeting were approved - as published in the Mainsheet - by the membership after motions by Marty Witt and Jack Boatman respectively.

Treasurer Sally Boatman reported on the status of the finances with deposits made: \$275.00 in dues and racing fees. Presently there are 24 paid memberships. The treasurer's report was approved by the membership after motions by Marty Witt and George Winter respectively.

Committee Reports:

Day Sailors: Marty Witt updated the membership, including the information of the previous week's race first and second place winners decided by one second!

Cruiser's report: The Cruisers first race was done in a lot of heat and some wind (or no wind challenges in addition to shifting winds).

Youth Sailing program: Youth Sailing Chairman Kevin Gratton reported that about 85% of the kids signed up for lessons had their parents at the orientation meeting in the past week. All classes are pretty much filled. Kevin is very pleased with how things are proceeding.

Old Business:

A full moon cruise is possible for Cruisers – there is a day open but we would need to decide on a date (and of course will need the cooperation of the ...moon.

Mainsheet

The Crane boat lift hoist is ready and operational.

Annual TransWinnebago Race is taking place on June 24th, starting in Neenah/ Menasha and finishing in Fond du Lac. We will have a finisher keeping track of finishers. The finisher will be set up on shore. It's a 10am start with race closing at 5PM. Lois volunteered to be the Finishing official.

The Posters promoting "Come Sail with us" were posted at the entrance of each dock – by Marty Witt.

The ladder on the "committee Pontoon" has been installed. Thanks to all who made this safety improvement possible!

New Business:

Tom Clausen brought up the need to invest in a new camera and weather station. After some discussion, Tom offered to do some additional research on product comparisons and prices. We may consider a motion to appropriate monies for it at a future meeting.

Tom also suggested that we come up with a simple process to put skippers and potential crew members in touch with one another. Tom will send out a roster to all skippers.

Correspondence: No incoming correspondence

For the Good of the Club:

Many thanks to Brett for all the hard work and time he volunteered to improve the Open Bic trailers!

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 7:47 pm. After motions by Marty Witt and George Winter.

Respectfully submitted:
Mike Mahnke, secretary

Dues for 2023

Just a reminder that if you own dues for this year, get your dues to Sally Boatman as soon as possible.

For Sale

24' Paceship Westwind

Contact Brian Carter

920-539-6735

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Asking \$3,500, new sails, halyards, cabintop to cockpit hardware for raising sails, lights. Includes storage trailer, battery, bottom paint, 4.5 hp merc and gas tank

