

**Port Arthur Yacht Club General Meeting
July 12th, 2005**

Club Members present were Mike Wise, Alan Aldredge, Terrell Adkisson, Gene Kohrman, Butch Neely, Pat & Suzie O'Quinn, Steve Swanson, Glenn & Janice Thibodeaux, Russell & Barbara Test, Bill Worsham, Karen Hallquist, & Paul Vera.

Treasurer's Report:

Main Checking:	\$3,966.26
Improvement CD:	\$11,996.87
Improvement CD2	\$28,202.17
Lease:	\$27,269.39
Money Market CD:	\$12,322.67
Self Insurance CD:	\$31,448.82

Harbormaster:

No Report

Membership:

Several new membership applications were received from Cliff & Cindi Johnson, Denise Friend, and Mathew & Alison Whitehead. Additionally, 2 reinstatements of membership have been submitted from Rohn & Lori Wenner and Joe and Mary Fitzgerald. They are to be reviewed and approved or disapproved at the board meeting immediately following this General meeting.

Racing:

The last series in the Thursday night racing has taken off with a bang according to Paul Vera. This season Mr. Vera is trying something new with the addition of Sunday racing after the Thursday night series closes at the end of July. The first "official" Sunday race has been slated for August 14th. Details will be announced as we get closer. The Summer Olympic Regatta is July 16th. Skippers meeting to be held at 1:00 Pm. Bill Worsham informed us that the V15 Regatta is to be held on August 6th and 7th at the PAYC grounds. You may contact Bill or Carolyn for more information on the event at v15@payc.us.

House & Grounds:

Various plumbing related problems still exist in both bathrooms at the clubhouse. One of the A/C units appears to be in need of service.

Cruising:

The annual Riverfront Cruise will be coming up on August 13th. Contact Gene Kohrman at cruising@payc.us for more details.

Socials:

Suzie has us bopping and a hopping this month with our 50's,60's,&70's Social on Saturday July 23rd. The fun starts at 7 pm. Bring a favorite snack if you desire and of course it is a BYOB event. Dress casual .

Safety:

Keep these upcoming events handy on your calendar :

***Red Cross First Aid Training – July 30th
CPR Training Course – August 20th***

Junior Sailing:

Paul announced that there were 28 kids total that attended the Junior Sailing Summer Camp 2005. Way to go Paul! There is a "Back – to – school" Sail planned for August 27th. This is aimed at our junior members as well any potential new junior members that are interested in sailing. We want to encourage our youth to bring a friend and let them see what its all about!

PIC Report:

No Report

Old Business:

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New Business:

The threat of Hurricane Season was brought up by several of our members. Suggestions were made to form a committee that could meet and review various procedures for Hurricane Preparedness regarding the club and club properties. A suggestion was also brought up by Mr. Test to look at forming an affirmative action committee to insure repair work on the house & grounds gets done. The board will discuss. The General Meeting adjourned at 7:51 pm.

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