

Port Arthur Yacht Club General Meeting August 8th, 2006

Club Members present were: Mark & Karen Hallquist, Russell & Barbara Test, Terrill Adkisson, Alan Aldredge, Steve Swanson, Paul Vera, Mike Wise, Gene Kohrman, Ed Wiltz, Glen & Janice Thibodeaux, Jason Tieman & Butch Neely

Treasurer's Report:

Main Checking:	\$18,453.35
Improvement CD:	\$12,296.75
Improvement CD2	\$29,918.45
Lease:	\$28,088.35
Money Market CD:	\$ 3,414.50
Self Insurance CD:	\$32,590.13

Harbormaster:

Gene reported that we had visitors from the Lake Charles Yacht Club staying for a day or 2 recently. There will be another Safe Boating Course to be held at the Groves Fire Department on September 16th. Please contact Gene for further details at harbormaster@payc.us

Membership:

No report at this time.

Racing:

There will be Olympic Race #2 on August 12th – with a Skippers meeting to be held at 1400 hrs. The next race is confirmed as the 18 mile light race to be held on August the 26th. The Skippers meeting for this offshore race will be held on Thursday evening – August 24th at 1900 hrs. The “women’s sailing clinic” has been rescheduled for August 23 and 24th, starting at 9 AM.

House & Grounds:

Butch Neely has found someone that may be interested in purchasing Jack Painton’s boat which he donated to the club. The broken window in the lounge area is still in need of replacement. Ed Wiltz volunteered to take care of it.

Cruising/Socials:

There will be a Tex Mex party on August 12th, following the Olympic Regatta, starting at 6 PM.

This will be a BYOB affair and please bring a sidedish that fits a Mexican theme. Coming up on September the 23rd is an “Oldies party” which should be a lot of fun for all. Stay tuned for an announcement on the time and food schedule.

Safety:

Jason Tieman reported on the lack of maintenance on many of the boats in our Marina. He is urging club members to come check on their boats, especially if they haven’t been down in awhile. Many major problems are caused by items left unattended for too long a period of time. Jason also introduced us to the ‘American Waterway Watch’ program – sponsored by the USCG.

Junior Sailing:

No report at this time

PIC Report:

No report at this time

Old Business:

The subject of the washer and dryer dilemma was raised again with a more discussion. Further discussion will be held at the board meeting.

New Business:

The September General Meeting & Board meeting will be held at West Marine in Beaumont with a purported 10% off in store purchases.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:52 pm.

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