

DOCKTALK

Stockton Sailing Club

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January 2009

Special points of interest:

- 2008 Cold Turkey Cruise
- Friday Night Mixers needs your help!
- New Commodores Comments
- January Happenings and New Years Eve Party

Cold Turkey Cruise 2008

On Friday morning, November 28, the first wave of boats left Stockton Sailing Club, around 10:00 am, bound for Delta Marina at Rio Vista. Arrival time was 3:00 pm. By Friday night, potluck time, there were 9 boats secured and settled into the marina (unless you count the dredging machine and tug boat too.) The dredging machine made it a little noisier for us, but we all cozied up more with our tie-ups.

The Potluck was as tasty as always, as well as the visiting with all, sharing of stories and "there I was"s. As we were settling in, we were provided an extra Mr. Heater from a local boater, whom we repaid with pecan pie. 'Tis the season to be jolly and to share!

On foggy Saturday morning, most boaters tramped to Striper Café for a hearty and somewhat healthy breakfast, served by a cute young lady, who was the chef's niece. Hopefully, we all tipped her for her great job! By mid-morning, the fog had cleared, the sun came out and the call for "Let the games begin" was sounded. The Turkey Shoot was a way to get us all together for fun and chuckles. (The prizes for our cruise were procured by Tom DeBono and Hank

Colbert. Thanks Guys!)
Winners of the Turkey Shoot were:

- 1st Place - Team: Humphreys
- 2nd thru 4th Place: Teams Farnham, Brown, and Bender

Rest, relaxation, and lunch followed, as we welcomed 2 more boats, and said "goodbye" to Dave Van Dyke. At 4pm, the Munchie Contest was held on the dock. Appetizers were judged, on Originality and Taste, by People's Choice ballots. The winners were:

- 1st Place – Donna and Randy Bender w/ picked asparagus and bbq'd sausage
- 2nd Place – Lynn and Tom Lueck w/ carrot sailboats w/ cream cheese
- 3rd Place – Mary Ann and Bob Brown w/ ham, cream cheese, and pickle roll-ups

The POINT Restaurant ended our weekend event with dinner for 35 in the Garden Room. Sunday morning, the fog was VERY THICK, but the Moon Shadow crew felt 8:00 am was a good time to test their radar and chart-plotter, so off they went in search of Stockton. They made it home without hurting anyone, hitting anything, and learned to trust



their equipment, which functioned well. Thanks to all who joined the fun:

- Brown Sugar
- Epiphany
- Miss Savannah
- Tyke II
- Silver Shadow
- Doeknot
- Sir Leansalot
- Sunrise
- Free Spirit
- Jackson
- Moon Shadow

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The DockTalk is a monthly newsletter written and published by the SSC club members. All stories and events must be related to sailing or the SSC.

Submissions

The deadline for submissions is the 20th of each month!

Articles, classifieds, and event ads can be e-mailed (as an attached WORD document please) to docktalk@stocktonsc.org or sgregor@pacbell.net. The editor reserves the right to edit, or exclude anything submitted. All articles and stories must be signed.

Classified advertisements are listed as a free service for members of the Stockton Sailing Club. Ads will be automatically removed after approximately 90 days. All ads must contain the name of the seller, the price of the item, and if selling a yacht, the yacht name.

Photos: Digital photos are preferred. Please save them at medium to high resolution for the best looking images. You may e-mail them, or put them on a CD or disk and place it in the Editor's box in the SSC club house. Please identify the place, event and/or person(s) in the photos. If you wish to have your photos or disks returned, please make sure your name and phone number are on them.

Friday Night Mixers

January 2nd: Don and Crystal Quinly and Dave and Kathy Gladden

January 9th: ?

January 16th: ?

January 23rd: ?

January 30th: ?



From The Office!

"Greetings from the Stockton Sailing Club". These should be familiar words to you. Most of the weekly phone tree messages start that way. If you are not receiving these messages, you are missing out on important information. In addition to the Friday Night Dinner menu, we also keep you updated on Club Events. If you're not getting these messages, call the office to make sure we have your current phone number. Along those same lines, it's getting to be time to print the Roster for 2009. Be sure to notify the office if you have changed any of your information. We will be working on 2009 Membership cards. We expect to have them in the mail to you by the end of January.

The Christmas Party had a great turnout. There was a delicious selection of appetizers and the champagne flowed for hours. Don't miss it next year! Thanks to Jessica Sherman for her efforts to get the kids involved. It can only get better! Committee sign-up sheets are in the Clubhouse. Which committee will you join? Have you voted for the Joan Harp award or the Cass Owings award? Forms are in the clubhouse and time is running out to cast your vote. Installation dinner initiations should be out before the end of the year. The date is January 24th and reservations are required. Sign up in the clubhouse or call the office.



Commodores Comments

Happy New Year...

With our great location, easy access to the Bay and active sailing events the Stockton Sailing Club is really a "great place to be". Many thanks to our members, the 2008 board of directors and our super SSC staff for making all this possible.

The Stockton Sailing Club is primarily a member driven club where all of us volunteer to help keep the costs down and continue to make our club what it is, a fun place to hang out, relax and go sailing...As we continue into the New Year I hope to see everyone participating.

January 2009 brings a couple of events that you should be part of.. Of course we have the Friday night dinners. These dinners are the perfect place to mingle and meet new people. Most dinners are "donation" only because we want you there and we want you to bring a friend.

Calling All Catalina 30 Owners!

A quick review of our club roster shows that we have enough Catalina 30 owners to have our own class for the 2009 Spring Series. Attempts have been made in the past to get this group going and we'd like to try again. If you have a Catalina 30 and would like to have some fun together in the Spring Series for 2009 call Mark Almquist at 952-3486 or Stuart Gregor at 598-7368! Let's get one of the best 30ft designs ever built out there! After all, we can't let Chuck and "Delta Ruby" have all the fun!

The food is always great and I'll make sure we don't "run out" of salad bar in 2009. The second event in January is the installation/awards banquet... this year should be the best ever as there will be a "live" band in addition to the food and awards.

Please help make this the best installation and awards banquet ever by signing up or calling the office early (209-951-5600).

This year your Commodore, Board of Directors and Staff will continue to keep costs down and "maintain" what we have. If you have a SSC project that you think needs to be done.. let me know and I'll help put together a volunteer group to help you "get it done".

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Commodore SSC

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COMMITTEE MEETINGS

FIRST THURSDAY

Rules & Policy - 5:30 pm
Harbor & Facilities – 7:00 pm

SECOND FRIDAY

General Meeting - 7:00 pm

SECOND MONDAY

Membership Committee – 6:30 pm

SECOND THURSDAY

Regatta Committee - 6:30 pm

FIRST TUESDAY

Junior Committee - 7:00 pm

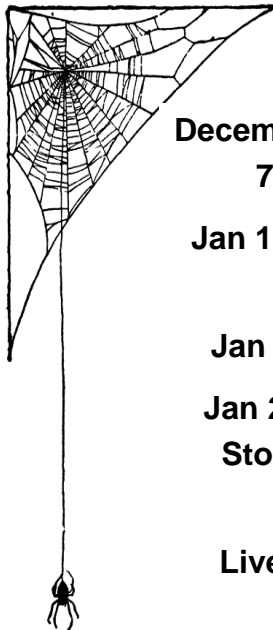
SECOND SATURDAY

Social & Cruise – 10:00 am

SECOND TUESDAY

Board Meeting - 6:30 pm

January Happenings!



**December 31st: New Years Eve Party,
7.30 PM, \$10.00 per person.**

**Jan 1st: Cobweb Breakfast, 8.00AM,
\$5.00 per person.**

Jan 13th: Board Meeting, 6.30 PM

**Jan 24th: Installation Dinner at the
Stockton Golf and Country Club
6.30 pm**

Live Band: The Home Wreckers!

Stockton Sailing Club Unapproved Board Minutes

December 2008

Commodore Feakes called the meeting to order at 6:32 PM.

Board Members Present: Tom Lueck, Peter Hine, John Moyer, Hank Colberg, Karri Johnson, Bob Camarena, Gail Dameron, Mike Stefani and Dave Van Dyke Peggy Feakes and Steve Canepa

Board Members Absent: All Present

Others in Attendance: Suzi Wasielewski, Karen DeBono, Abe Ayala, Gary Eggert and Mike Kennedy

Standing Business:

Agenda: Motion to approve the Agenda. Lueck/Hine M/S/P

Minutes: Motion to approve corrected minutes. Hine/Moyer M/S/P

Financial Statements: Discussion regarding areas of the financial statements and questions about several items, i.e. Delta Ditch Run, Junior programs. Further discussion regarding net income. Motion to approve October financial statements. Lueck/Van Dyke M/S/P Hank Colberg opposed approval.

Facilities Manager Report: Edgar Okafuji was unable to attend the meeting. He asked Tom Lueck to report that work on docks E & F were on schedule and that work on the mowers, Toyota pickup and the heaters in the retreat was ongoing.

Club Manager Report:

Suzi Wasielewski asked for feedback on our new financial report structure. Mike Stefani said the format is a check and balance system and wants to be sure there is consistency in future reports. Bob Camarena is going to assist Gary Eggert to streamline reports to make them easier to read, track and understand.

Correspondence:

Art Busalacchi sent a note of appreciation thanking the Club for his honorary membership.

We received a note from the Recreational Boaters of California in appreciation and recognition for the Stockton Sailing Club's 2008 support.

Edward W. Zack is resigning effective 12-31-08 because he sold his boat and is giving up sailing due to health and age issues.

Tristan Q. Le is resigning his membership effective 12-08 because their boat has been moved to the Bay.

Mils Tellier requested a leave of absence effective 11-1-08 and then changed the request to a cruising membership status. Motion to approve correspondence. Lueck/Van Dyke M/S/P

Member and Guest Comments:

There were no member or guest comments this month.

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Board Minutes Continued:

Old Business: Warren Wong is currently on leave of absence. Discussion followed regarding changing his membership status to honorary member because of his support during the years he has been a member. Motion to accept Warren Wong as an honorary member. Lueck/Stefani M/S/P Tom Lueck reports that old Sails will be used to make a cover for the elevator and would like anyone interested in helping with that project to contact him.

New Business: Propane heaters on the decks are not all working properly and Edgar has repaired them repeatedly. John Moyer will talk to Edgar regarding future repairs or replacement of the heaters. Karri Johnson suggested that they look at the heaters carried by Costco since they are highly rated heaters. Mike Stefani discussed a restaurant going out of business in Stockton that is willing to sell some or all of its inventory of cookware and dishes and suggested that the Club look at the inventory to see if it would work in our kitchen. He will supply contact information and phone number to Suzi Wasielewski for follow up.

Closed Session: Motion to go into closed session. Lueck/Colberg M/S/P
Motion to come out of closed session.
Lueck/Colberg M/S/P

Committee Reports:

Dredging Committee: (Stefani) No Report

Membership Committee: (Johnson) Paul and Mary Dietrich own a Catalina 27 and have attended a membership meeting. Motion to approve as new members. Colberg/Stefani M/S/P

Harbor and Facilities Committee:

(Moyer) John reported that there has been a pipe repair in the parking lot using a cold repair method. He also reported on the costs to replace the aging decking around the clubhouse. Redwood would be the most cost effective with an approximate cost of \$3,600 using volunteers labor. Further discussion on replacing the deck was moved to the January meeting.

FBLI: (Hine) No report.

Regatta Committee: (Canepa) The budget for next year was turned in to FBLI.

Rules and Policy Committee: (Van Dyke) No Report.

Social and Cruise Committee: (Hank Colberg) Hank Colberg reported that the Cold Turkey Cruise was successful and he is working on the social and cruise budget to get it turned in to the FBLI committee. He is also looking for someone to take over Social and Cruise next year so if anyone is interested, please contact him.

Junior Sailing Committee: (Lueck) The juniors are working on their schedule for next year.

Motion to Adjourn. Johnson/Hine M/S/P
Meeting Adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Gail Dameron, Secretary

SSC Classifieds

Boats for Sale

1975 Catalina 22. Pop-top, motor, sails, \$1,900. Call Paul at 209-610-9291

PEARSON LARK 24 Hull #55 docked at H-6. Good started boat. Needs TLC. Merc 9.9 outboard in well. Make me a decent offer. Heck, make me an offer. Contact: aderik60@yahoo.com – Rick Glass

9 foot, sailable, row-able fiberglass dinghy. Equipment includes two oars, sail, mast and boom, rigging, rudder, centerboard and rigging. Dinghy, etc. is in good condition and a veteran of the 1988/89 Baja Ha Ha. \$300. Contact Bob De Haan, 209 369-1229 or bob@robertdehaan.com.

BRISTOL 27 1966 "Essence" VHF, Autohelm autopilot, Honda 10 hp long shaft attached in well. Depth finder, detachable dodger. Cruising model with comfortable interior. Standing headroom. Stowable dropdown table. Sleeps 4. Has many unique features. Lots of stuff comes with her. A full keel cruiser that can take a sea. She has sailed to Hawaii and back. A steal at \$1700 or best offer.

CORONADO 25 ready to cruise the Delta/Bay. New bottom, thru hulls, speed/depth, V-berth/quarter berth cushions in 8/07. Cabin refurbed, electric water system, plumbed-in porta-potty, rebuilt water tank. Auto-tiller, new CD/radio, several sails and 9.9 Mariner outboard. \$2,200 See it at F-32 Jerry Schwartz 209-969-4982

1976 Catalina 27 Standard Rig, Roller Furling Jib, Dinette Layout, Last Bottom Job March 2007. Hull is in great shape, last time it was dive-cleaned diver reported no blisters. Registered with 2009 Tags, good until Dec 2009 Needs New Mainsail and Some Lines so figure to spend another \$1000 on this, hence the price break. \$2000 for Boat without Outboard Motor OR I'll trade it for a Santana 22 in similar good sail-able condition. See at B-16 Contact: Brent 209-329-8858 (cell)

Pyewackett is for sail : She is a 27' Catalina, inboard gas 1972 dinette model; club jib, both main and jib in excellent condition, 6 bags of sails incl.: 1 spin and 3 gennies-one still in the box, new sail covers for both main and jib, all lines lead aft, just what you need for those beer can races and other delta fun. Hauled and bottom painted by Ladd's last summer, boat was completely professionally detailed. Sink water faucet is electric operated, microwave, Raritan/LectraSan head, 2 new start/deep cycle batteries with marine charger, new Sony CD/AM/FM system, marine radio; excellent condition both inside and out. Have all receipts for upgrades and repairs made since I've owned it; all of this for \$7,500 and a steal at that. See for yourself at B-18. I love this boat, but bought a larger one. Gary 916-765-5874

American Eagle, Peterson 34 1980 :It has come time to sell the Eagle. We will make a very favorable price to sailor who will take care of her. Full race sails in moderate to fair condition. folding prop, refrigeration, stove, holding tank, sun cover, multiple disk stereo and much more, Eight foot Avon dingy and ten horse motor included. This is a deal you can't refuse. Make us an offer and see if we will take it. She is on C dock. Frank and Linda Purdy at 209-333-1821

Avon Red Crest: 2Hp Evinrude. Make an offer. Jenerong@gmail.com 209-479-1769

Honda 4 Stroke Outboard: Regular Shaft, Very low hours: \$1,500.00. Tom Lueck 209-604-1300

Boats Wanted

Pocket Cruiser with standing head room, 28' or less. Contact Jene Rong at Jenerong@gmail.com

Crew Wanted

I am a single woman and need someone to day sail with me on my Catalina 25 which is in slip G-23. Any amount of experience is fine. I am in my very early 70's. My phone number is (916) 359-6845 and email is jangwynn@sbcglobal.net
Thanks, Jan Gwynn



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