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FEBRUARY 2013

1Renewal Membership DUE

4.....BOG Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
 Sand Springs Case Community Center
 9.....Windword Articles Due
 23.....Annual Awards Party 6:30-9:00 p.m.
 Charles Schusterman Jewish Community Center

MARCH 2013

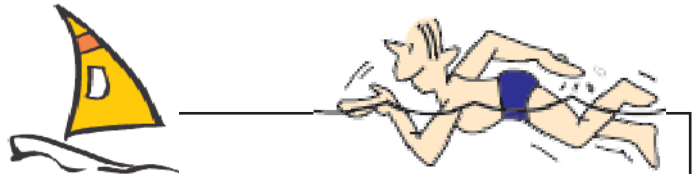
4.....BOG Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
 Sand Springs Case Community Center
 10.....Daylight Savings Starts
 16.....Windword Articles Due
 24.....Palm Sunday
 31.....Easter Sunday



**ALL CLUB
 WORK PARTY
 Saturday,
 April 27, 2013**

Sign Here

for Jr. Program or Adult Training Program
 at the Annual Awards Party



SWIM TEST

Saturday, April 20, 2013
 9 a.m. - 11 a.m.

Salvation Army
 4403 South 129th West Avenue
 Prattville (Sand Springs)

Please RSVP to Darrel Daniel
 918-865-2719

BOARD OF GOVERNOR'S MEETING

Windycrest Sailing Club Board of Governors Meeting Draft of Minutes- January 7, 2013

The BOG convened at the Case Community Center on January 7, 2013. Board members present Danny Ziegler (Commodore), Mike Jones (Vice Commodore), Darrel Daniel (Rear Commodore), Sally Daniel (Secretary), Lisa Weatherholt (Fleet Captain), Tom Proctor (Treasurer), and Matt Gillis (Activities Captain) absent. Guest included Jack Stewart (Facilities Manager), and Barbara Montalbano (Windword Editor).

Facilities Manager Report: Jack will be talking to John Kerr about the repairing of the breakwater. Then Jack and John will discuss the cost of the repair and the equipment needed to fix it. Jack sold the old chain to Iron Man Fabrication.

Activities Captain's Report: Matt was absent tonight. This year's Annual Award Assembly will be held at Charles Schusterman Jewish Community Center on 2021 S. 71st Street. The time will be on 6:00 to 9:00 pm.

Fleet Captain's Report: Lisa reminded us about the Open Meeting on January 13th at 2:00 pm. It will be located 1283 S. Detroit. There will be several topics discussed and also the assigning of race committee. Lisa is starting work on the yearly calendar and will have more details at next month's meeting.

Windword Editor's Report: Barbara reported that the Windword's deadline will be Saturday, January 12th at noon. Barbara will be updating the club fleet captain's names and phone numbers. Also Barbara will be adding all the new email addresses for the

BOG.

Treasurer's Report: Tom passed out the monthly statement and made the comment that last year's finances were good.

Secretary's Report: Sally reported all the renewals were addressed and mailed by December 31st. She also asked for corrections or additions to the December 3rd minutes. They were approved as published in the Windword.

Past Commodore's Report: Doug will be investigating the price of a carrier and wi-fi services.

Vice Commodore's Report: Mike had spoken to some prospective members and invited them to the monthly meeting. The members were not present at this time.

Rear Commodore's Report: Darrel had talked with Kenny about the Junior's Training. The classes will start on June 1st thru August 10th. The time for the classes will be announced at a later date. The Windy Bowl will be on August 10th. Darrel is working with the Salvation Army in Sand Springs for the swim test and it will be on April 20th from 9:00 to 11:00 am. Darrel and Kenny are planning a lot different activities for Juniors this year. They are planning to attend some regattas; and teaching the Juniors their responsibilities dealing with the club's boats and equipment.

Commodore's Report: Danny reviewed the year's calendar and the events will be discussed at the next BOG meeting. Also the perpetual trophies and recipients will be determined.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 pm. The next BOG meeting will be on

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February 4, 2013, at 6:30 pm at the Case Community Center in Sand Springs.

Respectfully submitted,
Sally Daniel, Secretary
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Happy New Year. The days start getting longer now. It won't be long before it is sailing season again. Next up on the Windycrest agenda is schedule planning, dues collections, and our annual awards party.

Our fleet captain and activities captains do a lot to put together our schedule. This month Lisa will be holding a Fleet Captains meeting to set up this year's PRO's and set the racing schedule. Matt and Sue arrange party and function assignments. The stuff like beach and dock parties, raft ups and so forth. It always takes a little time to put it all together. Even after the schedule comes together, our events can use little ideas and tweak to make them better. Please let Lisa, Matt, or Sue know if you have any suggestions to make our functions better.

One important change to note in this year's schedule: The Work party is scheduled for April 27, 2012 instead of the traditional first Saturday of May. Please plan accordingly. There is always lots of graduations around then, and we're trying to avoid them.

Yeah, yeah, yeah it's dues time again. Dues were mailed on 12/31/12, so you should have them by now. If you don't, let the Club Secretary know you need another copy. Be sure to sign the form and send it in by February 1st. If we don't get it by February 15th, you'll get nailed with a \$25 late fee. On March 1st, it's another \$25 bucks. Those late fees are easy money for the Club. We collect it every time from every member who's late. Heck, we even have late fees for if you don't pay late fees. So beat us at our own game and pay your dues on time.

Hey! Don't forget our 2013 Awards party coming up. The details can be found in this issue of the Windword.

Stay thristy my friends,
Danny Ziegler

**VICE COMMODORE'S REPORT**

The facilities are in good shape for the most part. Jack is working on a plan to make a better situation for the dock connecting to the school boat dock. He has a good crew to help him. Speaking of good crews, John Kerr, is helping to solve needs on the breakwater. We thank you.

Please note our new date for the main Work Day of April 27th. Too many folks wanted it changed from May so we'll try this. If it doesn't work I will take responsibility. We do our best to serve everyone so we ask you to do your best in showing up and helping to make a difference at our club. I liked the idea in the past of meeting at the pavilion for lunch so we can visit but I also think we should bring a sack lunch.

Ian and I sailed the second weekend in January. Make plans to sail more this year and you will be glad you did. We had a perfect day with near perfect wind. It is way more comfortable than August.

Let me know what I can do for you. I will do my best.
Michael Jones



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REAR COMMODORE'S REPORT

Well, first I would like to wish everybody a Happy New Year. I am already planning my sailing season for this year. I have already picked out the new hiking boots, the new sail, the new marine radio, and a few other items too numerous to mention. I trust that my wife will let me get a few of them anyway. I hope that you are as excited as I am. Oh, did I mention the regattas that I am planning to attend? This is when I make all those plans that usually don't quite pan-out the way I wished. I hope that some of you are planning to join in the training programs that we are offering at Windycrest this year.

We do have some of the dates that pertain to the training program and they are:

- The swim test that is to be at the Salvation Army pool at 4403 S. 129th West Ave. in Prattville on the 20th of April from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.
- Junior Training Program that will start on June 1 and run to August 10 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.
- The Windy Bowl will be held on August 10
- We will have a CSSA Junior Regatta on June 22

Anybody wanting to participate in any of the training programs will need to attend the swim test, whether in the Adult or Junior Programs. Nobody will be allowed to participate in the training programs without passing a swim test. There will also be certain items that you will be required to bring. I will have registration forms at Windycrest functions starting with the Award's Assembly. If you are interested in attending the training program this year you will need to have a registration form completed. If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact me at 918 865-2719.

Sunny Skies, Warm Water, and Fair Winds
Darrel



Winter Boredom?

The following are some suggestions you can do at home, just in case you are missing being aboard your boat! These are adapted from an article written in 1999, possibly a CSSA newsletter.

1. Sleep on the shelf in your closet.
2. If your basement floods, during a sudden thaw, or due to broken pipes, go down and start bailing.
3. Once a month, select a major appliance, take it completely apart, and put it back together.
4. Every so often, throw the cat in the tub (large sink, a bucket, etc.) and shout, "Man overboard!"
5. Then practice, man overboard drills.
6. Try some crunches, squats, one legged squats, push-ups, and balance activities in prep for the up-coming season.

Waiting Lists - January 1, 2013

Changes: For any changes, additions or questions about the waiting list, please call Darrel Daniel, or email at vice.commodore@windycrest.com. Requests for water space, dry sail space upgrades and trailer space MUST BE MADE IN WRITING to the Vice Commodore. The list date is the postmark date if mailed, the date of hand delivery or date email is sent. Past due fees will cause removal from the list. Your membership must be current to be on the list.

All requests are based on dated, written requests submitted to the Vice Commodore.

SLIP UPGRADE LIST

7/21/2001 Rex Donley, C to B
10/20/2005 Barbara Montalbano, C to B
3/26/2012 Rick Floyd, C to B or D

SLIP WAITING LIST

2/6/2012 Scott Williams
2/7/2012 Matt Loyd*
3/3/2012 Eric Yost*
3/5/2012 Greg Tiffany*
8/29/2012 Paul Scott
9/1/2012 Mark Lobo
9/3/2012 Evelyn Hayes*
9/10/2012 Bob Wandres
9/11/2012 Chris Hardgrave*
10/1/2012 Don Henry*
10/17/2012 Steve Caruthers*
* currently on mooring

MOORING UPGRADE LIST

9/10/2012 Bob Wandres

MOORING WAITING LIST

PASSED SLIP LIST

Members who have reached the top of the Slip Waiting List or previously held a slip may request to be placed at the top of the Waiting List at any time.

6/2/1997 Ed Dailey
1/30/2002 Roger Seimens
1/30/2003 George Thomas

10/5/2003 Wendy Hawkins
2/3/2004 Darrel Daniel
4/1/2005 Margaret Hamlett
4/19/2006 Kurt Kraus
6/11/2007 Maurice Casad
6/30/2007 Chris Gill
9/2/2008 Clay Agent
11/28/2008 Bob Ibanez
5/21/2009 Stu Bernd
6/8/2009 Mike Dixon
8/18/2009 IV McNamara
10/22/2010 Preston Bannon
2/1/2011 Ron Reese
2/1/2011 Dave Runnels
1/4/2012 Michael Gent
3/20/2012 Paul Jensen
6/18/2012 Rick Floyd
9/14/2012 Jan Garvin
1/1/2013 Grant Gerondale

TRAVEL TRAILER WAITING LIST

5/6/2011 David Williams
11/18/2011 Les Howard
6/25/2012 Roy Lagore

PASSED TRAVEL TRAILER LIST

2/27/1999 Barbara Montalbano
10/30/2001 John Lissau
10/9/2004 Reid Barcus
10/10/2004 Joe Perrault
10/11/2004 Terry Dannar
4/1/2005 Margaret Hamlett
4/1/2005 Diana Opalach
7/1/2005 Sam Mieir
11/30/2010 David Runnels



A reminder from the Windycrest Store-

Please be sure to contact me for any Windycrest Store needs, either at club events, by phone or email. If ordering clothing it is possible to just order one of a wide variety of items. Jackets, slickers, fleece vests, windbreakers with or without linings, short or long sleeve polos, and denim shirts are just some of the things that can be ordered with the Windycrest logo.

In-stock items include:

Burgees Lapel pins
Koozies Caps

Soft lunch coolers,

And some youth denim shirts



Do let us know if there is anything you would like to order.

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E-MAIL, MAILING LABEL/ADDRESS CORRECTION

Please check your E-Mail and/or mailing label. If you find errors or want to correct or change something, please contact Sally Daniel at 918-235-1145 or secretary@windycrest.com.

Boats for Sale



Boat for Sale

1980 Fixed Keel Catalina 25, No trailer,
Jib has a roller furler, 9.9 hp outboard
Stern pulpit is slightly damaged, Lazy jacks,



Tiller tamer, Portapotty,
Anchor and line,
AM/FM radio
The navigation lights need
some work

Asking \$2500

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918-664-1071**



FOR SALE

Catalina 27 1974.#1640
Rigged for cruising or racing.
7.5 electric start Mercury outboard.
Sails and interior in good condition.
6000# hydrohoist also for sale
See in B3 slip

\$4000

**918-742-8565
Joe Mc Donald**

Boat for Sale

MacGregor 22. and accompanying trailer.
It is a good first boat for someone who wants to get into
sailing. It is easy to rig and easy to sail. As an aside to that,
the boat handles fine with just the main.

The main and jib are in good condition.

This boat is light, so once Keystone starts white capping,
extra ballast would be helpful.

The boat has a large and comfortable cockpit..
918-852-3642 - Warren & Barbara Graham

ACTIVITY CAPTAIN'S REPORT

Hope you all had a wonderful Holiday!! We want to
thank everyone that came out to the Christmas party
at Ti Amo. Thanks again also to the following compa-
nies for their generous donations:

Backwoods: \$50 gift card

Academy Sports: \$40 gift card

West Marine: (2) sailing calendars and life vest

Reasor's: \$20 gift card

The annual awards party is coming up soon. This
year it will be at:

Charles Schusterman Jewish Community Center
2021 E 71st Street
Tulsa, Oklahoma

The event will be Saturday, Feb. 23rd, beginning at 6:30 pm
Don't miss it!! Come out and support our racing members
and give them a pat on the back. Snacks, dessert and drinks
will be served.

We will also have some Windycrest merchandise available
to purchase or order.

See you all at the awards party!!

Sue and Matt Gillis

Sign Here

for Jr. Program or Adult Training Program
at the Annual Awards Party

FROM THE TREASURER



It's dues time again. Dues and fees are due February 1, 2013 and late fees apply after February 15, 2013. Postmark dates are controlling. Please include your

SIGNED membership renewal form and check for the entire amount due, all annual renewals are due in full (Bylaws Article XIII, Sec. 1d.). Since storage spaces (moorings, slips, etc.) are assigned to a specific member, that member must pay the full amount of storage fees since the Club is not party to any agreement you may have with co-owners.

Please help us by making sure you complete the information requested, make any corrections needed and sign the form. Please use the P.O. Box for your renewal and any other financial transactions with the Club. This helps insure that your personal information is not left unattended in an open mail box and minimizes delays in processing since the post office, bank branch and Treasurer's office are all within ½ mile of 21st and S. Lewis Ave.

Prepayment option:

If you so desire, you may prepay your 2014-15 dues and fees at any time by sending a check marked 2014 dues in the amount of at least \$25 for each prepayment. Your payment will be credited to your account and available for application to your 2014-15 billing. Please pay any other amounts due the Club by separate check. No interest will be paid on prepayments.

Thanks to the 20% of members who have paid their 2013-14 accounts as of January 11, 2013. See the December, 2012 Windword for tips on making the renewal process go smoothly.

TAX TIP – Windycrest Sailing Club, Inc. is not qualified to receive income tax deductible charitable contributions. All payments made to the Club are considered to be for value received.

SPECIAL REQUEST

Volunteers to teach or assist with Jr. and Adult Training Programs. Please contact Darrel Daniel at rearcommodore@windycrest.com or call: 918-865-2719

PAST COMMODORE'S REPORT

Even when the club is in "off season", the BOG is constantly thinking of ways to entertain our members, be it racing, cruising or just relaxing. Always in search of that special event that will get more and more members at the club, at the same time, enjoying the amenities that the club has to offer. We are always open to new ideas or old ideas that have been forgotten. If it will get more of us together at the lake at the same time, we are interested.

The social events are being organized and the regattas are being scheduled. Enough cannot be said for the Fleet Captain and the Activities Captain of our club and everything they do to get the next year's activities planned for our enjoyment.

While you are hibernating for the winter, there are folks out there getting ready for the next year's activities at Windycrest Sailing Club. So, the next time you see Matt and Sue Gillis or Lisa Weatherholt, show them a "little love" for everything that they do making sure that when we go to the lake, we have things to do together.

See you on the water,
Doug Lewis, Past Commodore

Our Windycrest Family

Many of us fondly remember the smile, the kind word, the helping hand that was so characteristic of Jo McMillen and his wife, Joyce. Together they enjoyed their Catalina 25 for many years. They were very active until Jo's eyesight failed. Wednesday nights would find them cooking hamburgers. Jo would often paint during the day creating beautiful scenes. He passed away on December 28, 2012.

The McMillan Catalina 25 was sold to Sam and Janis Mieir when the former owners were unable to sail. Janis has just lost her father.

We extend our heartfelt prayers to these families.

FLEET CAPTAIN'S REPORT

On Sunday, January 13th, eighteen WSC members--mostly active racing sailors--met and discussed ideas that might lead to increased participation in organized sailing events at our club. This mostly refers to racing, but includes the 'fun' events such as a Poker Race or Sailing Skills contest that I have alluded to in the past couple of months.

Keep in mind that the meeting was for the purpose of discussion--few decisions were made.

First, we distributed a draft of the 2013 sailing calendar so the racing sailors at the meeting were able to sign up for their club racing PRO duties. The calendar will be revised and there will be another opportunity to sign up at the Awards meet-up in February. After that, I'll be filling in the blanks - so grab that pen before I do!

Here are the main ideas that were discussed:

- On regatta weekends, do not have Sunday afternoon club races

- MC fleet members claim that older MC hulls are not as fast as the newer white-hulled boats; separate scoring is a possibility.

- Make the first two sailing dates of both the centerboards and the keelboats count as a 'mini-regatta'. These races will be scored in the series (Spring CB or KB) and as the mini-regatta. Trophies will be awarded at rehash on the 2nd race day.

- Hold at least one weeknight seminar during the winter to learn about the newly-revised 2013-16 Racing Rules of Sailing

- Look for more members who are interested in racing, but need to meet separately and possibly have racing sailors help them practice racing skills

- Participation premiums: Offer a special item (including, but not limited to, a shirt or hat) to members who participate in a certain number of club races and activities.

- More emphasis on college sailing: establish a link to OSU Sailing Club members. Offer opportunities for college students to participate in the racing program at Windycrest. Also on the wish list--look into the possibility

of establishing a sailing club or program with the University of Tulsa.

- Move one CB race day and one KB race day to a Saturday during the Summer series

- Add races later in the year; i.e., include more races in the Winter series

- Since lake levels for OCBC and NSA are very low, invite those sailors to participate at Windycrest

- Decide on details for putting on our annual charity regatta--it is still scheduled for the weekend following Labor Day, but it is no longer affiliated with the MS Society.

- Look for more ways to attract new members to Windycrest.

Special thank-you's to Doug Lewis for reserving the Tulsa Firefighters union building for the meeting, and to Sally Daniel, who took meticulous notes at my request.

Looking forward: Please attend the Awards Ceremony in February.

Windycrest is YOUR club and - especially during winter months - it is a lot of fun to get together with other members. Any excuse will do. So come to the Awards Ceremony in February.

Everyone is welcome!

Plus, you've already paid for the desserts and beverages! There are many awards that do not involve racing! We always get fired up about the coming year's events!

It's a great time to plan a late-winter sailing date, too.

Lisa Weatherholt WSC Fleet Captain

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Jack London, from The Cruise of the Snark, 1911

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50 - 60	1 - 2 hours	1 - 6 hours
60 - 70	2 - 7 hours	2 - 40 hours
70 - 80	3 - 12 hours	3 - Indefinite
Over 80	Indefinite	Indefinite



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Annual Awards Party

Saturday, February 23rd

6:30 - 9 p.m.

**Charles Schusterman
Jewish Community Center
2021 East 71st Street
Tulsa, Oklahoma**



snacks, dessert and drinks