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FROM THE HELM



Commodore – Gary Sanders

Happy New Year! We are certainly happy to see 2022 arrive, even with the troubled waters caused by Omicron. At least this time we are dealing with more of a tropical storm than a hurricane. Early last month before the storm arrived, we had anticipated that our activities would be returning to normal in January. We scheduled a Manatee trip for January and an Oyster Roast for February 5th. A few members were able to make the Manatee trip, but we have decided to push the Oyster Roast a few weeks. You should soon be receiving an event email requesting an RSVP for the event which is now scheduled for Saturday, Feb 26th outside at the Kraft Club. We hope to then resume our normal schedule of monthly meetings with the first Tuesday in March (3/1/22). More details will be emailed as the time approaches. We also had to postpone the January race which was scheduled for this Saturday. No need to use any cliché weather references to explain this decision. The forecast of temps and gusts both in the 30's suggested we wait for a better day. As a warm-blooded island native, I want to thank the race committee for making this call.

I am pleased to welcome new members Olivier & Vicki Garret and John & Colleen Hodge. They join eight other couples who joined in 2021. Unfortunately, a few members have decided to pause their membership for various reasons - Bob & Deb Wilson, John & Barbi Kropa and Glauco & Laticia Lago. We wish them fair winds.

John Kropa's departure leaves us without a Quartermaster. Please let us know if you are interested in serving in this position, helping the club organize our merchandise offerings. I will also be sending out an email with the intent of confirming the election of Fred Eichmann as Treasurer. Per our by-laws, officers need to be voted into office. Not wanting to wait for our next in-person meeting, we will try to utilize the polling functionality of our membership software. We appreciate your cooperation.

Thank you for your continued support of the club through these challenging times.



Looping Vice Commodore – Peter Kurtius



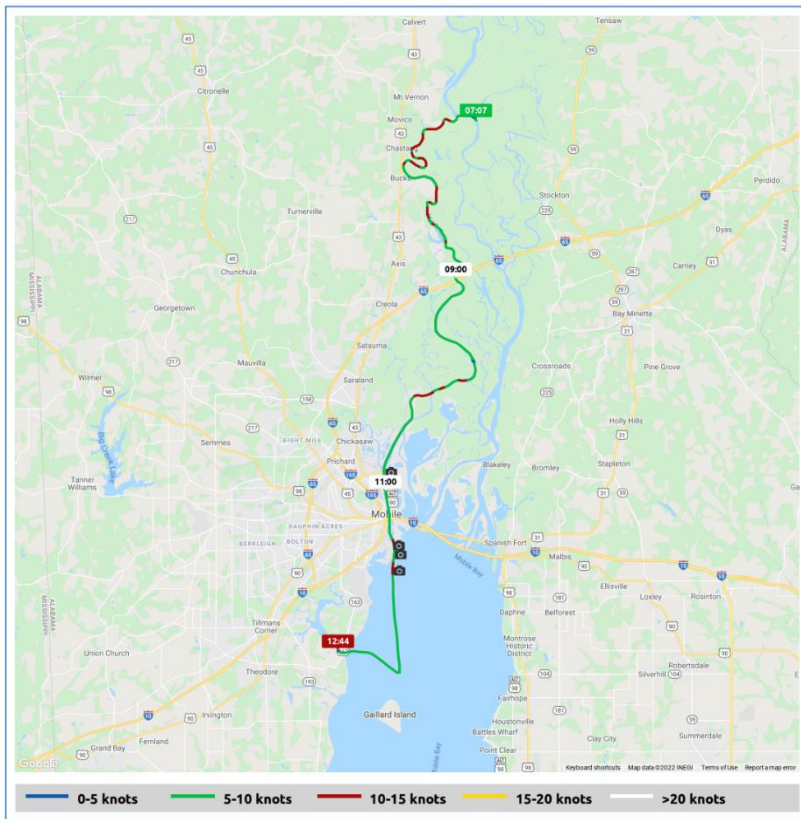
Our looping Vice Commodore Peter and Admiral Sandy are back on the loop, braving the cold weather and have now entered Mobile Bay (at least it sounds like a warmer climate):

Tipsy Turtle

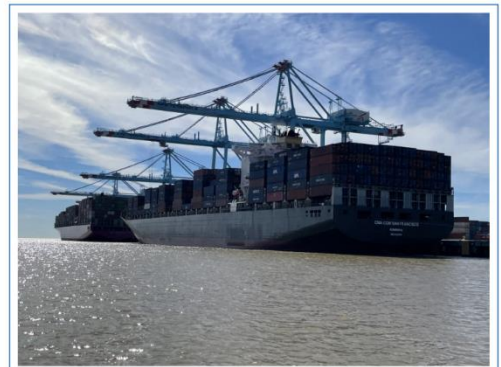
26 January 2022



Voyages	Underway (hours)	Duration (hours)	Distance (mi)	Average Speed (knots)	Max Speed (knots)
1	5:36	5:36	56.2	8.7	10.1



Mobile Alabama.
10°51'30" 44.44" N, 88° 2.51' W



Back to traveling with the big boys.
11:18 30' 40.32" N, 88° 2.02' W



(Acting) Treasurer
Fred Eichmann



AISC TREASURER'S REPORT

January 24, 2022

Checking Account Beginning Balance	1/1/2022	\$ 7,651.19
Add: Deposits		1,150.00
Subtract: Expenses		139.07
Checking Account Ending Balance	1/24/2022	<u>\$ 8,662.12</u>
 Paypal Balance		 \$ 871.20
 Income/Deposits		
Club Dues		\$ 1,100.00
Holiday Party		50.00
		<u>\$ 1,150.00</u>
 Payments/Expenses		
Merchant Fees		82.77
Water Sample Supplies		56.30
		<u>\$ 139.07</u>



AISC Club Racing -
Cathy Eichmann



The racing season is off to a slow start this year. Our Ice Bucket Challenge was changed because of cold weather--rather ironic given the name of the race. Our next race will be February 19th. Since the January race was cancelled, and the Oyster Roast is February 26th, we decided to sort of split the difference and scheduled the January race for February. Are you totally confused???? Me too. I guess I will just show up on the appointed day and see what happens.

We are already planning for our spring and fall races with Golden Isles. May 14th will be the Coastal Cup from here to St. Simons. On September 24th, we will turn the course around and sail from St. Simons to Fernandina Beach.

It sounds as if we are in for a Big Chill this weekend--definitely not a day to be out on the water. Stay warm!

Landside –
Carol
Nieberline



Be on the lookout to registering for the oyster roast planned for Saturday, 26 February. It will be held outdoors at the Kraft Club so here's hoping for some favorable weather! Also hoping to get back to some more routine club gatherings soon.



Quartermaster –

Help Wanted



We are in need of a new Quartermaster. John Kropa did a great job and found out in the Navy the Quartermaster Occupational Specialty included:

“Quartermasters stand watch as assistants to officers of the deck and the navigator; serve as helmsman and perform ship control, navigation and bridge watch duties.”

So, if you are interested in continuing with that definition or just want to handle the club items we have for sale, let us know.

Still a great time to take a look at the club merchandise!

Here's a link to our webstore:

<https://p5-productions-llc.printavo.com/merch/aisc-web-store/>



Scuttlebutt Editor
Tom Maguire



For comments and/or suggestions contact:
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February 2022 AISIC Event Calendar

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	31	Feb 1	2 Water Sampling	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19 2022 Ice Bucket Challenge Race
20	21	22	23	24	25	26 2:00 PM Oyster Roast and 1st Meeting for 2022
27	28	Mar 1 Club Social and Meeting	2 Water Sampling	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12



Amelia Island Sailing Club Membership Application

In order to ensure accurate, current information ALL members are requested to complete the application

Name(s): _____ ; _____
Last, First Last, First

Cell phone(s): _____ ; _____

Home phone(s): _____ ; _____

Email: _____ ; _____

Mailing Address: _____

Boat Name: _____ Builder & Length: _____, _____ ft

Marina, berth, or storage location: _____

What interests, experiences, qualifications or accomplishments would you share relative to sailing or boating?

Which AISC activities do you have an interest? (check as many as you like)

Cruising _____ Racing _____ Social Events _____ Boat Crew _____

Which AISC activities would you like to learn about or volunteer?

Cruising _____ Racing _____ Social Events _____ Boat Crew _____

Other Interests/Comments _____

Waiver: in consideration of the Amelia Island Sailing Club's (AISC) acceptance of my application for membership, I hereby waive, release, and discharge any and all claims against the AISC for damages, personal injuries, or property damage which subsequently accrue to me by reason of my participation in any activity (including without limitation, yacht races, cruises, and social events) sponsored by the AISC.

NOTE: APPLICATION CANNOT PROCEED WITHOUT YOUR SIGNATURE(S)

Signature(s): _____ ; _____
Signature - date Signature - date

***Please return this application and the \$100 annual membership fee to:
AISC Membership Committee
PO Box 16143
Fernandina Beach, FL 32035***