





Commodore – Gary Sanders

The holiday season has started, and we hope to continue adding activities to our calendar. Last month, in addition to our normal events, we added a deck party (thanks to Katharina and Michael Kiehne), we were invited by "The Marauders" to join their Halloween Party and we resumed our annual "Picnic on Talbot". Our water sampling efforts continue as does our end of month races. Please let us know if you have any requests or ideas for us to consider for next year.

Planning is underway for the Holiday Party which is still scheduled for Friday, December 2nd. The announcement and sign-up form should go out by email next week.

It looks like we should have a good turnout at our Thanksgiving dinner next Tuesday. If you have not yet signed up, please do so to ensure that we buy a big enough turkey! Per our normal calendar, we do not have a speaker planned but will be conducting our required annual vote of officers. It is not too late to volunteer or nominate someone for a 2023 term.

See you next week. Gary





AISC TREASURER'S REPORT

October 30, 2022

Checking Account Beginning Balance Add: Deposits Subtract: Expenses	9/30/2022	\$ 7,958.56 200.00 137.19
Checking Account Ending Balance	10/30/2022	\$ 8,021.37
Income/Deposits Amelia River Sunset Cruise Tickets Member Dues		\$ 100.00 100.00 200.00
Payments/Expenses Merchant Fee Ocean Challenge Flag Printing KAC Rental		\$ 16.57 70.62 50.00 137.19







We had quite an interesting race on Saturday, October 29th. Just before the start of the race, the Coast Guard informed us that we needed to make a change in our course. A sub was coming in between 10:00 and 12:00, basically any time during our race. A quick course change had us going around buoy 2, and then south to the marina, north to 4-5 and repeat.

Going south was easy. Heading back north into the strong incoming tide was an adventure. At least we had plenty of wind. Misty was first, Morning Glory was second, and Salty Sally was third. Unfortunately, Rebecca's Reach succumbed to a broken tiller just short of the finish line. I had a unique experience of starting the race and then changing hats to be crew, all on the same boat, Morning Glory. It was a lot of fun, and we sure did a lot of scrambling around back and forth. We will be having our last race of the season November 19th.

		AISC Ra	ce 29 October	2022	
Start Time	10:00:00				
Course Length (nm)	6.4				
			Raw Finish Ti	me	Adjusted Finish Time
	PHRF	hr	min	sec	
Misty	146	11	44	6	11:28:32
Morning Glory	187	12	10	14	11:50:17
Salty Sally	181	12	31	31	12:12:13
Rebecca's Reach	230	DNF	DNF	DNF	DNF

Happy Thanksgiving to everyone.



Our November potluck is just around the corner on November 8th. In the spirit of Thanksgiving the club will be providing the turkey and we will ask the members to bring the rest to complete our Thanksgiving celebration meal. We would love to revitalize our monthly potlucks and this is our last one until February next year. If you have not attended one of our potlucks in a while please join us. We miss you!

Members with last name starting with A-L please bring sides Members with last name starting with M-Z please bring desserts.



Here's another interview by Stan. This time Stan talked to Norm Wentworth, owner of a new Catalina 355:



Here are the questions and highlights:

- 1. Which came first, your membership in the club or boat ownership?
 - a. Description of Catalina purchase; a pushbutton boat:
 - i. Bow thrusters
 - ii. Other features
 - iii. Totally Controllable
 - b. First sailboat owner
- 2. Previous sailing experience?

a.

- 19 foot centerboard Flying Scotsman
 - i. Competed in national championship
 - ii. 6000 Flying Scotsman in world
 - iii. Won the championship
- b. Father was a boatman
- c. Boating most of my life
- 3. Best new adventure in Catalina 36?
 - a. Saint Mary's sound
 - b. Off shore
- 4. Water sampling prior experiences?
 - a. 2 times
 - b. Great experiences
- 5. Where do you think the club should head?
- a. Provided commodore 12 years' experience; and gave the club suggestions such as:
 - i. New younger members
 - ii. Better speakers
 - iii. Get more people on the water especially in racing
 - iv. Trying rotating meeting locations
- 6. Anything you want to add?
 - a. Happy to be here
 - b. Career as CPA
 - c. Wife Maggie returning to meeting place with Maggie



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December 2022 AISC Event Calendar

Month: December 2022 a							
Week Month Year Sector							
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
27	28	29	30	Dec 1	2 Holiday Party	3	
4	5	6	7 Water Sampling	8	9	10	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	
Jan 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	