



THE TELLTALE

The newsletter of the Port Oliver yacht club

June 2008

Announcements and monthly news

POYC June Minutes

Doug Roberts, Commodore

Past Commodores Present:

Barry Sanders, Herb Siewert, Lee Huddleston, Ronnie Hendricks

31 members Present

Purser's Report: We lost \$400 on the Huddlston Cup (less than usual). Last full principle payment on docks made -\$2,600 - with \$2,000 to go. About \$6,000 in cash. \$130 in the AED fund (only Bill Grapes contributing).

New Members approved by motion: Bob Zoellner & family (Sustaining) Will Battalie (Associate)

Yankee Doodle - Herb Siewert hosting. 10 am Skipper's Meeting. Herb contacted several sources for pig and arrived at solution at under \$300. Motion passed - no half assed party. \$10 per person for dinner/\$15 per captain racing. Capt. Siewert needs help on the Committee Boat - Call him at 843-1210 to help out.

Vice-Commodore - Stressed need for those on dock to watch their fenders as the dock is taking a beating. Lee chimed in as to the correct way to place a bow fender - fender should be placed on the dock; not strung from the boat. This way the fender stays in place much better.

Cooks are still needed for this season - and secured **July** - Doug Roberts, **August** - Randy Edwards, **September** - Gary Reimer, and in **October** Barry Sanders will again warm us up with his wings.

Summer Sailstice - June 21st - Capt John Burford was down from Louisville to pump up for this one. All members urged to come on out this weekend for a social/raftup at the POYC. Members can go on line to Sailstice.com to register for prizes if participating in this international event.

Social Chair - Capt Debbie Champion announced that the first movie night was such a success that another is planned this summer...Stay tuned.

Capt Dale Sturm reminded us that the Bluegrass Games are slate for August 9th...we adjourned around 8 pm.

Claudia (mostly) and Peter(some)Kafer provided us with an African stew for our entrée; and along with the tasty sides that showed we had a great dinner prior to the meeting. Thanks to the Kafers and all the cooks along the way that helped provide us with some good repasts.

Sail Away

by *Commodore Carol Kersting,*
Commodore Frank Kersting

Through three decades, Carol and I have treasured the POYC sailors and life at the club property. The camaraderie shared with fellow sailors has made our stay in BG so very rich. The changes in the club have been primarily in the treasured memories of sailors and their families with whom we have shared some great times, while the facilities have remained largely intact since joining in 1977.

Time has come. We tried this gambit 2 years ago and could not leave. This year, however, and delivered, accepted an Corps to serve Ukraine. We 2008. This is season with two years. Peace Corps, our future us, our son like to themselves” are taking our Flying Scot is For would like to membership opportunity to club life. We



we are signed, sealed well almost. We have invitation from Peace 27 months in the are leaving Sept. 25, will be our last sailing the club for at least When we return from we are uncertain of residence. Luckily for and his wife would “reacquaint with sailing so they Catalina 22. The for sale. Carol and me, we thank the POYC for allowing us the fully participate in have enjoyed serving

in various capacities on the POYC board. Whether sailing with POYC sailors on Barren River, the Great Lakes, Kentucky Lake, or the Caribbean, these adventures have given us memories and stories for a life-time! Being part of the POYC sailing community is a treasured memory of our 32 years in BG.

We do not necessarily view this as leaving POYC, but rather establishing POYC on the Black Sea! There is always the possibility of sailing and showing the POYC burgee in a foreign port or two! Keep in contact, our e-mail is frank.kersting@wku.edu and visitors are always most welcome. Sailing and POYC friendship share a common feature: although the ship may creak in weather, it is sturdy and reliable, so too are the friends we have in the yacht club.

Wind's up, time to sail, Commodore *Carol Kersting,* Commodore *Frank Kersting*

Boats for Sale!

Treasured Sailboat Available: Flying Scot, 19 feet. Built in 1979. Good condition, some deck work required. Very fast with new racing sails; superior sailing in light winds. Spinnaker equipped with spinnaker sail. Trailer included. Owner financing possible. Asking \$4400. Call 991-1994

Capri 22 Sailboat: main, jib, 155 jennaker, 2000 4-horse Mercury, very good condition. Trailer. Moored at Barren River Lake, Peninsula Marina by the store. Asking \$5000. Call 842-0805 or 535-3483 for LeeAnn Austin.

Month	Date	POYC June/July 2008 Calendar
6	13	POYC membership meeting at the lake
6	21	Summer Salistic == see below for more info
7	5	Yankee Doodle regatta and Independence Day party/pig roast
7	13	POYC membership meeting Potluck with meat provided
7	19	Poker Run & Luau & Raft up

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