Minutes Halifax Sailing Association 26 MAY 2022

Wind West, 16. T 81.

Meeting called to order at 6:30 PM by Commodore Burg. Present: WG Fields, Caroline Martin, Dewey Beliech, Jake Morgan, Lisa Herbster, Chris Herbster, KEN.

Minutes Accepted.

Commodore's Report:

Chase boat engine works, needed fuse.

Metered WiFi has been installed.

Suggest a mural be painted on west wall, sketches welcome.

Gate is still a problem. Jake reports repair is 2 weeks and \$1000 away.

NB: Board Members are very strongly encouraged to address each other with respect and without shouting. Thank you.

Dewey

VHF antenna remounted in secure positon.

Now time to address 4 floating docks for small sloops.

Women's group is getting getting instruction and hands-on experience in fiberglass repair using West Systems epoxy.

Jake

HSA has 132 member families

17 gold

8 silver.

Effort focused on cleaning up membership roles and eliminating non-payers.

Caroline

HSA is solvent.

Bill

2 Sunfish are fixed, 1 is almost done.

Suggests Hurricane Plan as season starts.

Haul boats

Protect docks and floats.

Need to check out ALL Sailors on All Boats.

Dewey: Can we decertify people after repeated demonstrations of incompetence. Jake: Proposed a monthly clinic to brush up and improve sailing skills.

Lisa:

High winds forced cancellation of Capri classes.

Lisa and Pete met to revise class schedule, cancelling 1 Sunfish, 1 Capri class.

August classes are full.

HYS Camp in July only.

1 session full, some space in second class.

Lisa (HYS)

Conversation with Steve Caron about transferring leadership.

Assistance from guys working with Youth Sailing, Franz et al.

Women's Group

Will run the Gary Gordon Regatta on 18 Jun

Sunfish Regatta will not be hosted at HSA.

Call for Candidates for Open Positions:

VC Membership

VC Events

KEN will run election.

Chris

ERAU Sail Club raised \$10,000 for race sails and ground cover.

Comment: With regard to elections, Chris suggested that members not sign ballots.

Members will be checked off list and given a blank ballot.

Meeting adjourned, 8 PM.

Submitted:

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Addendum: Results of elections to fill vacancies.

30 members cast proxy or in person ballots

Kim Guman won VC Membership by 17-13.

The Board thanks Jake for his devoted service.

Kim Steiert will serve as VC Events.

The Board thanks Eileen Curran for service.