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On the banks of the Ottawa River
Toledo, Ohio

The Skulldugger

Monthly Newsletter of Jolly Roger Sailing Club



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I hope everyone has noticed the new addition to our House. At our rear parking lot entrance we now have a chair lift. Dean and crew are in the process of completing the lift project, putting in some guards and hardwiring the lift in.... JRSC will be soon handicapped accessible. Thank you all so much.

Be sure to stop by the club on Friday nights. From 6-8, EDISTO, our own Sandy Burke's band will be playing at the club. They play a mix of country, blues, folk, and a southern back water. It's been really enjoyable, and I smile all night. Plus our kitchen is open and Stephanie has been providing great meals.

Our first adult sail group has graduated. Some still need sailing time but we have lots of good sailing weather left in the season. You may have met some of them as we have had quite a few show up for Thursday night racing and they are showing their skills. One team changed jibs mid race and another new sailor was working the sails like a pro and her boat beat our own DON. I think we may have some new, VERY competitive members in the wings.

Our basement project is complete. Walls are repaired, leaks fixed, and floor and walls all painted. We are in the process of setting it up as a training/small meeting room.

The Gulburg Race out of Meinkes/Anchor Point was held this past Saturday. We had five bigger boats participate. There was about 2 hours of good sailing, then, as we approached the Harbor Light, the wind died. At that point, the race was called for lack of wind...as in **no wind at all!!** After the race, many of us met and had gulburgers at Meinkes. Many thanks to Tom Beck for sponsoring and promoting this fun event.

Lastly, we are less than a month away from the Dyer Dinghy drawing . It will be held AUGUST 27 at the Fall Series awards ceremony. Anyone who wants tickets, contact me at 419-466-8919 or send me an email. This raffle is the perfect opportunity to support your club and have a chance to win a beautiful DINGHY worth \$5,000. If every member buys one ticket, it will have been a great success.

Commodore Jan





Vice Commodore Dhil Fry

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Three-Foot-Itis

So let me tell you about someone you've never met. His name is Sven Yrvind. (No, he's not from Middle Earth. He is a real person.)

Sven is Swedish. He's 83 years old. He sails big oceans on small boats. Really small boats.

His first boat was "Bris"...a little over 19 feet, which he built in his mom's basement. He eventually rounded Cape Horn on "Bris" and wrote a book about it. Aptly named "With Bris Round Cape Horn". When I think "bris", I imagine something entirely non-nautical (and painful)...but I digress.



A couple boats later, in 2018, Sven completed "Exlex". Again, that name makes me think of something else...but "Exlex" in Swedish means "Outlaw". This new boat was even smaller...18 feet, 11 inches, and only 3.5 feet wide. With a couple stops and starts along the way, "Exlex" made it from Norway to the Azores in 2021. You see, "Exlex" sails very slowly...about two knots.



You can find out more about Sven at www.yrvind.com.

So why do I bring up Sven Yrvind? Well he's four I's. Intrepid...Interesting...Inspirational...and Immune to Three-Foot-Itis. Yes, that dreaded disease that some of us suffer from.

Those infected buy an 18 foot Interlake or 22 foot Catalina and immediately start thinking about a larger boat. "A twenty five footer would be great." From there twenty seven feet is in range...then thirty and beyond. Where does it end?

It ends when you realize that you can have as much fun on an 18 foot boat as you can on an 80 foot one. Sure you won't have a flat screen TV in the salon, but who goes sailing in order to watch television? You won't have an enclosed head, but buckets have worked reliably for hundreds of years.

And here is a "truth" that you may not know. (Come closer while I whisper a revelation.) Small boats get sailed more often than large boats. And they are much cheaper to maintain, dock, and store.

When I owned a Catalina 22, I suffered badly from Three-Foot-Itis. "There is no cure," I sadly told myself as I searched online for a bigger boat. Then I moved up to my Columbia (28+ feet). I moved from JRSC to Toledo Beach Marina and started racing against NCYC sailors. Sure I was having fun...but not any more fun than I had with the Catalina at JRSC. Then Mary reduced her time sailing with me because the big boat was just "too much work".

My inoculation against Three-Foot-Itis came last year when I drove to Iowa (a true sailing mecca) and towed back my 18' Seaward Fox catboat. My case of Three-Foot-Itis had ended. A desire for a larger boat no longer haunts me.

The Seaward catboat is incredibly fun to sail. Mary loves it (as does anyone else who has sailed with me). It's easy to single hand. It's cheap to maintain. We can tow it. And we're planning trips to the Finger Lakes and beyond. (Couldn't do that with the Columbia.)

JRSC is a small boat club! It started out that way back in 1946. As long as we remain on the Ottawa River, we'll remain a small boat club. (I was pleasantly surprised this year when most of our Adult Sailing Students preferred to go out on small boats.)

I'm certainly not alone in my defeat of Three-Foot-Itis. Many of our JRSC big boaters now own small boats too. Come to the club on a Thursday night and see how many fellow members are having a blast on small boats.

My Seaward Fox will always dock at JRSC, but at 18 feet it might be a little too big for efficient towing and ramp launching. A 14 foot Com-Pac Picnic Cat is starting to look pretty good...

Yikes! I'm starting to show signs of a new infection, Just-One-More-Boat-Itis. Sadly, for this there is no known cure.



Vice Commodore Phil Fry

"Ladies Fun Bunch Lunch"

Thursday, August 11th Gideon Owen Winery Port Clinton



Contact Judy Owens to RSVP and for more info.... 419-367-7759 15170magi@gmail.com

hope to see you there!



"Lunch Bunch" Vince Hebert

419-340-3618 vcatvince@hotmail.com

Mark your calendars now!!!

The next Lunch Bunch gathering will be Wednesday,

August 17th at 11:45...

Black Forest Café located at 3624 Seaman Rd, Oregon OH

Until then.....Capt. Vince



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NOTICE OF RACE

2022 JRSC Fall Series Saturday, August 27, 2022

Jolly Roger Sailing Club

5961 Edgewater Drive Toledo, Ohio 43611

The JRSC Fall Series is open to the Catalina 22 class, all PHRF boats (with valid PHRF-LE certificate), and all JAM boats (with valid PHRF-LE certificate). A minimum of three boats will constitute a class. There will be two venues. Yachts participating in the PHRF or JAM class will race a roughly windward/leeward course using the fixed North Cape Yacht Club marks. Catalina 22's will race in the Ottawa River and Bay, with the starting line off of the JRSC docks. Class splits will be announced at the Skipper's Meeting and posted online atwww.noticeofrace.net. The Race Committee will monitor Channel 71.

Registration fee \$35 per boat (includes dinner)

Schedule of Events:

Friday, August 26

1900: Skipper's Meeting (Jolly Roger Sailing Club)

Saturday, August 27 (PHRF & JAM; starting line at the NCYC Center Mark)

0955: First Warning Signal

1000: JAM Class B Start (blank start if necessary)

1005: JAM Class A Start

1010: PHRF Class B Start (blank start if necessary)

1015: PHRF Class A Start

Races 2-3-4 to follow immediately after each class finishes. One completed race will constitute a series. No starts after 1500.

Saturday, August 27 (Catalina 22 class; starting line off of the JRSC docks)

1055: First Warning Signal

1100: Catalina 22 Class Start (One race only.)

Saturday, August 27

1700: Awards and Dinner at the Jolly Roger Sailing Club

For further information contact Race Chairman Phil Fry at 419-283-1340 or e-mail philfry@juno.com or visit our website www.jollyrogersailingclub.com.



2022 JRSC Fall Series Registration Form Jolly Roger Sailing Club August 27, 2022

The cost is \$35 per boat for registration. Includes dinner following racing and awards. Make checks payable to "Jolly Roger Sailing Club".

Skipper/Owner Name:			_
	Rating:		_
Club Affiliation:			_
Class: []Catalina 22	[]PHRF	[]JAM	
Street Address:			
City/Town:	State:	: Zip code:	
Telephone number: ()			
E mail Address:			
Please return this completed reg certificate, and proof of insuran Fall S	nce to:	th applicable fees, copy of Roger Sailing Club	of current PHRF-LE
596	61 Edgewater Dr., T	Гoledo, ОН 43611	
Please accept my entry in the JRSC Fall S		_	
(See RRS 4, Decision to Race) It shall be the		· ·	
start or to continue to race. I agree to be b United States Sailing Association and by a			
by law, I hereby waive any rights I may h	· ·	·	-
committee, protest committee, host club, s			
event with respect to personal injury and/		•	
participation in this event and hereby rele	ease the race organizers f	rom any liability for such injur	y and/or damage.
OWNER/SKIPPER:		DATE:	

\$20 RAFFLE: **2003 DYER DINK with Trailer.** Recently donated to the club.

Contact Jan Wasilausky 419-466-8916 jandellsailor@gmail.com or a board member for tickets. Drawing will be at the Fall Series August 27th.

AS NEW CONDITION. Ideal for river/bay sailing or boat tender. 10' Long, 4' Beam, 2' Draft

Classic Philip Rhodes designed in 1934, Spruce spars and boom, bronze fittings, Dacron sail. Two 7 ft oars, One 5 ft paddle, 2 throwable devices. 2 life vests, wind vane, Misc. Other items. Full owner's manual for trailer and dingy.

Boat, trailer and items valued at approximately \$5,000

The dingy is available for viewing in the JRSC barn.

Drawing August 27th at the Fall Series



Club Boats for Sale

Jolly Roger Sailing Club is selling several club boats that are no longer used. They will be initially offered to club members and learn to sail students, then to the general public.

See our web site for further details/photos.

Contact jrsccommodore2021@gmail.com if you are interested. First with the money gets the boat.

1978 Chrysler 22. Complete with YARD trailer. One set of sails in fair condition. Needs a good cleaning inside and out. Was in the water and in use last year. \$750 without Motor, \$950 with outboard motor. Can be seen in the JRSC Yard against the back fence.



1978 Oday 23. No trailer. No sails. Sold for parts or as project boat. Due to water damage needs new wooden bulkhead inside. \$250 without Motor. Can be seen in the JRSC Yard behind the barn.





UPCOMING EVENTS.....

JRSC— Weekend Cruse, August, date to be determined, Toledo Yacht Club

JRSC-Learn to Sail Session #2 Orientation, Monday, August 1st

JRSC-General Meeting, August 9, 7pm

JRSC- Fall Series Meeting, August 9, after general meeting

JRSC-Fun Bunch Lunch, August 11-see details in this edition

JRSC-Lunch Bunch, August 17-see details in this edition

JRSC - Board Meeting, August 23, 7 p m

JRSC- Fall Series Skippers Meeting, August 26, 7pm

JRSC- Buccaneer, Sept. 4th—info in this edition

JRSC- Jolly Rogers Got Talent, September 9, 6-8 pm-info in this edition

JRSC - Weekend Cruise, September 9- 10, or 11, Maumee Bay State Park Marina

JRSC-Flea Market & Auction, September 10, \$5/Table

JRSC-General Meeting, September 13, 7 pm

JRSC-Fun Bunch Lunch, September 14

JRSC—Lunch Bunch, September 21

JRSC-Last Bash, September 23-25-info in this edition

JRSC-Learn To Sail Session #2 Graduation, September 26th

JRSC-Board Meeting, September 27, 7pm



VESSEL SAFETY CHECK

The purpose of the Vessel Safety Check (VSC) is to assure that the vessel is in compliance with State and Federal requirements. In other words, that the vessel is equipped to operate safety on our waterways. VSC is free and takes fifteen to thirty minutes to complete, contingent upon the length and type of vessel. Vessels that meet VSC requirements are awarded a decal, an indication to other boaters that the vessel meets minimum requirements to operate safety.

VSC Decal Requirements

- ⇒ Display of Registration number
- ⇒ State/Federal Registration Documents
- ⇒ Personal Flotation Devices
- ⇒ Visual Distress Signals
- ⇒ Fire Extinguishers (must be less than 12 years old)
- ⇒ Ventilation (gasoline inboard engines)
- ⇒ Backfire Flame Control (gasoline inboard engines)
- ⇒ Sounding Producing Devices
- ⇒ Navigation Lights
- ⇒ Pollution Placard (vessels 26 ft. and over)
- ⇒ MARPOL Trash Placard (vessels 26 ft. and over)
- ⇒ Marine Sanitation Devices
- ⇒ Navigation Rules (vessel 39.4 ft. and over)
- ⇒ State /Local Requirements

Brief explanations of the above requirements are available on request: email John Miga at migaim@toast.net to download a copy.

To schedule a VSC: contact John Miga......consider having VSC before launching.





THANKS!!! CAPTAIN VINCE

JULY LUNCH BUNCH (THINKING THIS IS A RECORD TURN OUT)



"FUN BUNCH DECIDED TO GET TOGETHER TWICE IN JULY.....REGULAR SECOND WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH AND ANOTHER "TWEEN" FUN BUNCH GATHERING.....



AT WHISKEY & THE WOLF



AT COOPER'S HAWK



Friday Nights 6 to 8 pm

Light food will be available.

Come on out and enjoy!!!!



Sundown • Lead Guttar and Vocals
419.464.6235

Bobby Lee Currier • Bass and Vocals
C. Sandy Burke • Dojo and Vocals
Nancy Sloan Burke • Vocals
419.531.3940



NOTICE OF RACE



Jolly Roger Sailing Club 2022 West Sister Buccaneer Distance Race 20 Nm Sunday, September, 4, 2022

Labor Day Weekend

Meinke Marina, Anchor Pointe Marina

10955 Corduroy Rd. Curtice, Ohio 43412

Come join us for the inaugural West Sister Buccaneer Race!

The Regatta is open to all Sailing Boats—Jib & Main and Cruising boats.

There will be 2 classes:

Jib & Main

Cruising

There will be one race from Anchor Point Marina to a Tetrahedron on the southwest corner of West Sister Island and back.

A six hour time limit will be in order. (Weather conditions permitting). The exact format and starting order will be included in the Sailing Instructions (available at registration).

This regatta will be governed and scored per the 2021-2024 Racing Rules of Sailing, the Sailing Instructions of this regatta.

The Inaugural West Sister Buccaneer is open to all Jib & Main and Cruising Boats. There will be 2 starts.

Schedule of Events:

8:00 am	Audible Cannon Sound
8:30 am	Skipper's Meeting.
9:20 am	First Warning Signal.
9:30 am	Start of first class, Race 1
6:00 pm	Awards and Dinner

The West Sister Buccaneer will be sailed on Lake Erie out of Anchor Pointe Marina. The start and finish lines will be 1-1/2 miles North East of the entrance to the channel. The length is calculated at 20 Nm.

The registration fee for the regatta will be \$35 per boat. Registration will take place at JRSC on August 26th at 6 p.m (along with registration for the Fall Series). You are also able to register via email to david@toolcomp.com. Registrations will also be taken the morning of the Race at the committee boat docked along the wall at Anchor Point.

We will have bottled water and snack bags available free of charge for all participating crews.

JRSC will be hosting a Barbeque Rib cook out after the race at Meinke Marina, Dock E-10 & 11, for \$12 per person. TOOLCOMP will provide free beer until the keg runs dry!

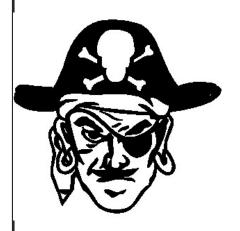
We ask that you email us in advance if you plan to attend so that we may have ample food on hand .

For further information contact David Gonzalez, Buccaneer Race Chairman, at 734-497-9492(cell) or 419-478-9122(work)

or e-mail david@toolcomp.com

or visit the JRSC website ... www.jollyrogersailingclub.com

2022 JRSC West Sister Buccaneer



Sunday, September, 4, 2022
Labor Day Weekend
Meinke & Anchor Pointe Marinas
10955 Corduroy Rd
Curtice .Ohio 43412

We need volunteers for the mark boat and the barbeque and awards after the race.

Contact David Gonzalez:

734-497-9492 (cell)

419-478-9122 (work)

e-mail: david@toolcomp.com





NOTICE

On Saturday, September 10, 2022, JRSC will be holding a flea market/auction.



We are cleaning up the basement, barn, bar, and yard. Sails, boats, tillers, masts, trailers, and anything sitting around, WILL BE SOLD IF NOT CLEARLY TAGGED AND LABELED WITH YOUR NAME. If items are not identified, they will be considered JRSC property and be included in the sale.

Tables will be available to any interested parties at \$5.00 per table.

So, get all those white elephant pieces you just don't know what to do with out and bring them to the flea market.

Lynne Fogle Entertainment Chair

734-476-0576 Imfogle@hotmail.com



Jolly Roger's Got Talent Show Friday September 9th, 6 - 8 pm



Musicians, singers, dancers, comedians, magicians, etc. wanted.

Performers of all ages encouraged.

For more information contact Lynne Fogle.



DON'T MISS ...

THE 27TH ANNUAL LAST BASH

Meinke Marina Sept 23-25th

Overnight Docking Available For a Minimal Fee

This year will again be at Meinke Marina West, Corduroy Road. We've had great turnouts the past couple of years. People came to the celebration that we hadn't seen in years!

Friday Evening: 6 pm dinner at the Bilge at Anchor Point.

RSVP to Bill and Judy Owens by Monday, September 19th.

Saturday Morning: Pot luck breakfast around 9 am.

We are in need of the following for breakfast.....

Eggs

Bacon/sausage Plates, cups, utensils

Pancakes?

Fruit Juices Milk

Coffee cake/ muffins/ donuts

Does anyone have a large coffee pot? Anything else you'd like to bring?

<u>Please let us know</u> what you would like to bring so we don't have too much of one thing

and not enough of another.

<u>Saturday Afternoon</u>: There will be a "sail in" of sorts including boats from Meinkes, Anchor Point and from the Club docks rendezvousing at the Maumee River Channel <u>RADAR BOUY at approximately noon</u>. From there we will all sail back to Meinke Marina. For anyone who may be uncertain about sailing from the Radar Bouy to Meinke Marina, members will be available to sail with you. Just let us know and we would be happy to have someone join you.

For those who may not be going out to sail, there will be yard games, snacks and, of course, wine. Please bring some of each to share.

Saturday Evening:

Pot Luck dinner at 6 p.m. Bring your choice of meat to grill and a dish to pass.

We'll need a couple of extra grills, so if you have one, please bring it.

Sunday Morning: Breakfast "left overs" and sail for home.

Come for a few hours, the day, or all weekend!!!

Aren't able to sail? Drive over!!

If you have any yard games, please, BRING THEM!

See you there!!!!

For more information and RSVP's.....

contact Bill and Judy Owens

419-367-7759

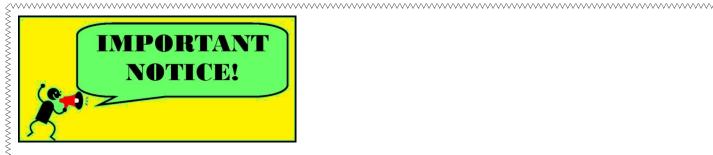
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AYE!! AYE!!

Captain





ALL boats on the JRSC FINGER DOCKS need to be on the hard by October 2, 2022. Also, any boats using the BULKHEAD for summer storage should be moved to the yard as this space will be needed for finger dock storage. After that date we will begin pulling the docks for the winter.

Last year, the City of Toledo installed the winter bulkhead before we could get the docks pulled. This caused considerable damage to the docks and resulted in lost revenue to the club. The City of Toledo's history is to close the bulkhead around October 15.

We are, therefore, requesting all boats be off the docks and bulkhead by October 2, this will give us 2 weekends to get the finger docks on the hard.

Once the finger docks are on the bulkhead, we will have work parties to restore and refurbish the fingers so we can have a smooth installation next Spring.

Thank you.

Commodore Jan

ADULT SAILING REPORT - SUMMER SESSION

Income:

Tuition \$1,875.00

Sale of books (net) 105.00 (21 books)

Pizza Party (donations) 42.00

\$2,022.00

Expenses:

Graduation Certificates 15.00 West Marine Awards 55.00

Pizza Party (cost) 67.00 - \$137.00

Net Gain \$1,885.00

SIX NEW MEMBERSHIPS: 1 ACTIVE

5 SOCIAL

SPECIAL THANKS TO OUR CLASSROOM AND ON-THE-WATER INSTRUCTORS:

Becky Aumiller
Steve Theiss
Bill Davidge
John Miga
Ralph Grudzinski
Don Schalitz
Dean Weygandt
Hank & Jan Wasilausky
Don Carsten
Neil & Nancey Whitehead
Dan Strohmeier

Prepaid for Fall Session \$1,815.00

Fair Winds,

Vice Commodore Phil Fry

CLASSIFIEDS

August 2022

For Sale - Newport 17 - \$1100

Swing Keel, 2Hp Evinrude, 2 foresails, main, tiller tamer, anchor with chain and line, paddle, fire extinguisher, 2 bumpers, newer halyards, newer jib sheet, and new bunks on the trailer.

This is a nice boat with a solid hull that is ready for the water.

Call or email Dick Harley at 419 474 4194

rjharley@buckeye-access.com





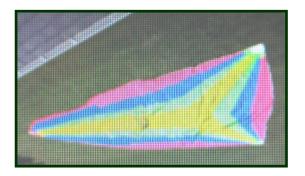




Text or Call: Neil Whitehead 419 376 6463

Greiner Symmetrical Spinnaker for Sale: \$350

Yellow/Green/Blue/Pink. 40ft Luff x 20.5ft Foot. Excellent condition and still has that new feel to it.





From the Editors

Bill & Judy Owens/Diane Silas
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Cut off date for the September 2022 edition will be August 26th.



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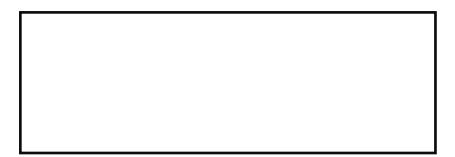
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	Adult Learn to Sail Orientation 7 pm				Live Music 6-8 p.m.	
7	8	9 General Mtg 7 pm	10	11 Fun Bunch Lunch Race Night	Live Music 6-8 p.m.	13
14	15	16	17 Lunch Bunch	18 Race Night	Live Music 6-8 p.m.	20
21	22	23 Board Mtg 7 pm	24	25 Race Night	26 Live Music 6-8 p.m.	27 Fall Series Dyer Dink Raffle
28	29	30	31			

September 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Race Night	2 Live Music 6-8 p.m.	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Buccaneer Race	LABOR DAY			Race Night	Live Music 6-8 p.m.	Flea Market & Auction
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
		General Mtg 7 pm	Fun Bunch Lunch	Race Night	Live Music 6-8 p.m.	
18	19	20	21	22	23 Live Music	24
			Lunch Bunch	Race Night	6-8 p.m.	
					LAST	BASH
25	26 Adult Sail Graduation 7 p.m.	Board Mtg 7 pm	28	Race Night	Live Music 6-8 p.m.	



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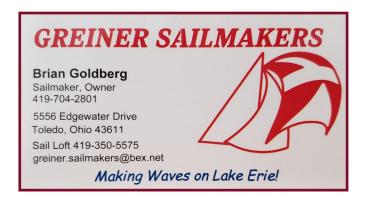
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