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**CHECK THE
CLUB
CALENDAR
FOR**

IMPORTANT EVENTS

Photo Above:
Sunset over one of the many uninhabited
(by humans or any animals other than
birds) islands around Cape Horn. Taken by
Billy Pratt





Commodore's Report Stan Nieves

As usual the first few months of the year for the boat club are calm sailing. I'm sure there are those that enjoy the idle time on the surface. But rest assured there are always things going on behind the scenes.

On the social scene this month, we have the Mardi Gras party on Saturday, February 10, at 18:30hrs. Dinner will be \$10. **And for the first time in O.C.B.C. history we will be accepting Credit or Debit Cards!** O.C.B.C. has now joined the 21st Century. Credit/Debit cards will now be accepted at all boat club functions. Lighthouse will be soon to follow! Other events this month are...

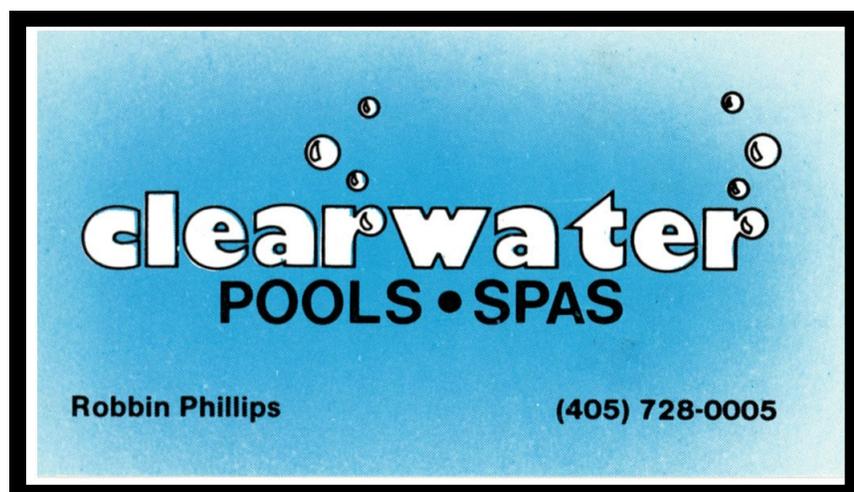
On the technology scene, O.C.B.C. member Mark Phillips is still moving forward on updating the O.C.B.C. website. What does that mean? Our website was created in a computer language that is no longer compatible with today's servers. One example of this is trying to view the website from your cellphone. I'm sure many of you have noticed that when you look at the website on your cellphone certain things display incorrectly or sometimes not at all. In other technology news, Dwight Bays is still moving forward on getting our weather station back up and running. We now have all of the equipment in and testing will begin soon with plenty of time to spare before sailing season.

Last but not least let's not forget about our landlord, The City of Oklahoma City. We are making great strides moving forward in compliance. Let's keep the momentum going!

There are several new projects, events, and regattas on the horizon!

Best Regards,

Stan Nieves, Commodore





Vice Commodore's Report Ric Drennan

We will have a long range / mid-range planning meeting on Saturday, February 17th at noon at the boat club. I will bring a few pizza's and will open up the beer taps. Bring your ideas and your appetite.

We had a good Lighthouse meeting last month and got the schedule down and are working on a web page. Mark Bartusch will start a Square account for the Lighthouse and Youth program.

We have most of the positions filled but could use more help. Please come out for the next meeting and give us a hand. Please contact Mark Bartusch if you would like to have your name on the sign this year.

Here are the Lighthouse meeting notes.

January 18th, 2018 Lighthouse Planning Meeting

Attendees:

Robbin Philips
Mike Groshong
Bruce McDermott
Chris Bayouth
Shawn Cooper
Richard Walford
Steve Bryant
Ann Kilpatrick
Mark Bartusch
Dean Schafer

Action Items-

Website

Purpose is to allow donors to vet our organization
Access to Lighthouse P&L
A place to announce Lighthouse events and details
Instructions on how to donate to Lighthouse (corporate and individual)
Need to create a mission statement
Link to Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions
Link to Youth Sailing
Link to OCBC

Update sponsor agreement – (Ann and Chris will have for next meeting)

Tee Shirt options – Shawn has a good design, will update and bring to next meeting

Event dates corrected – 6/22/18, 6/23/18, 6/24/18

Event structure:

Friday June 22nd 17:30 – Skippers meeting
 18:00 – First start Challenge Cup Regatta (Dean Shafer and Art Caples)
 20:00 – Burgers & Brats (need donations, Billy Pratt)
 20:00 to 22:00 – Entertainment by Sam Kahre

Saturday June 23 7:30 to 9:00 – Breakfast – Jay Collins and Frank Newcomb make omelets

7:30 to 9:00 – Registration for Lighthouse Regatta

9:00 – Skippers Meeting

10:00 – First start Lighthouse Regatta (1-2 races)

12:00 – Lunch at clubhouse

13:30 – Resume races (1-2 races)

16:00 – Races end for the day

17:30 – Dinner – Hefner Grill (Duke Fuzzell)

18:30 to 22:30 – Ronnie Kay

Sunday June 24 7:30 – 8:30 - Breakfast – Jay and Frank make Omelets & Waffles

9:00 – First start, two races

12:00 – Lunch – Left-overs

13:00 – Awards Ceremony

Committees-

Regatta – (Art Caples and Dean Shafer)

Race Committee help

Trophies

Food – (Bruce McDermott)

Volunteers (ask entertainment committee for help with this)

Head count (plan for 150 people)

Cooks (Friday night burgers & Brats) (breakfast – Jay and Frank)

Servers (ask entertainment committee for help with this)

Music – (Chris Bayouth)

Friday – Sam Kahre 20:00 to 22:00

Saturday – Ronnie Kay 18:30 to 22:30

Sales Items – (Shawn Cooper)

Tee Shirts (ordered 160 last year with 57 left over)

Tee Shirt Design – Shawn Cooper (logo on front, Picture on back, Sponsors on back, names only)

Hats, Electronics, Wine, Other ideas

Donations – (need a volunteer to head this up)

East Wharf (Ann and Duke)

Ask businesses for Bling to make goodie bags

Challenge cup donations from businesses

Corporate donations

Individual Donations

Donor sign replication (Larry Dieball), Picture for sign background

Beer – (Mike Groshong)

Will try to get the beer donated

Beer supplier will earn a place on the donor sign

Outreach – (Art Caples)

Need to form a one paragraph letter to ask for race participants

Art to contact other clubs to increase attendance



Rear Commodore's Report

Hello OCBC Sailors,

Well, six more weeks of winter until spring will be here (regardless of what the Groundhog says, lol) Until our Spring rains come though, our water level continues to drop. Please check your dock lines to make sure they are properly adjusted and not chaffed. Dock lines should be made of nylon! DO NOT USE OLD RUNNING RIGGING! which is made of non stretching Dacron. Nylon will stretch and absorb loads from jerking boats in a wind storm, better for your boat and better for the docks. Dock Lines should also be tied to the tide riser ring. If your riser gets hung up at the bottom (not uncommon) a short length of chain can be wrapped around the riser for a substitute. Hope to see you on the water.

Best Regards Craig Bilodeau

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