

Dates to Remember

September 10 Annual Meeting 20-22 Dock Street Cruise 28 Commodore's Race October

26 Change of Watch **November** 12 Social at Angelos **December** 8 Holiday Party at Anthony's

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The Barnacle

Commodore's Corner Commodore Steve Foss

Well, August just sort of blew by! It started with a bang on the first; the last of the Summer Series Races followed by a summer racing season awards party hosted by Ross and Kam Chamberlain.



Held in the activity tent, the place was packed. The food was great and much appreciated. A great time was had by all. Thank you, Ross and Kam.

The board of trustees met and were very happy to accept two new membership applications. Please welcome, Christian Lamp and Joanna Molina are the owners of Sea Senora an S2, 7.9m, berthed in Des Moines at slip B-8.

Also, welcome Robert Wham, who has been sailing and racing "since a kid". He partnered in a Tartan 34, (good boat!), is currently boatless and looking to crew in our local races.

Welcome aboard!

"C" Mark is back! After a long hiatus, C mark has been completely rebuilt and was launched on Sunday in ideal weather conditions. A big thanks to Ross Chamberlain, Mike Hamilton, Brian Newman, Dwight Motz, Gordon Kells-

Murphy and everyone involved. And a special thanks to Des Moines Marina and CSR Des Moines for all of the assistance.

The summer racing season over, we have one more race before the Change of Watch; the Commodore's Trophy Race on September 28. This fun mid-length race is open to all who wish to join. Please register though Regatta Network via our website. And, contact the race committee if you would like to crew.

The next and final cruise for the season is going to Tacoma Dock Street, Sept.20-22. There's a lot going on in that area and something for everyone. It will be fun. A host for this is needed, please contact the cruise committee.

And last of all our nominations committee is hard at work trying to recruit folks to help carry the torch forward. There are a lot of very talented people in this organization that have a broad range of experience. To help this organization move on, please step up and contact Doug Andrews.

And, don't forget our semi-annual General Membership Meeting on September 10th at the Brame's. I hope to see you there.

Fairwinds,

Steve

Social Committee Doug Andrews and Linda Stryker Co-Chairs

Annual Meeting and Potluck Picnic September 10 Brame's Backyard / Des Moines 22003 10th Ave S (Across from the Field House) Kristie's Cell 214-725-1934 5 PM Happy Hour, Dinner and Program to follow



This is our annual meeting where we conduct club business. It is a relaxed atmosphere sort of a "land cruise". This year will be a potluck dinner, so please bring a dish to share, the beverage of your choice, and a bag chair. Sunset will be at 7:30, so bring a jacket!

Future Meetings

October 26th - Change of Watch Formal dinner, transfer of TTPYC Officers, awards. Formal invitations will arrive in a few weeks. RSVP is needed.

November 12th - Author Elsie Hulsizer, Glaciers, Bears, and Totems, and Voyages to Windward: Sailing Adventures on Vancouver Island's West Coast.. She has also served on the Board of Trustees for the Center for Wooden Boats.

December 2024 - Holiday Party - , December 8, 4:00, Anthony's.

Racing News Ross Chamberlain, Race Fleet Captain, Work Release Michael Hamilton, Assistant Race Fleet Captain, Amidala Dwight Motz, Past Fleet Racing Captain, Frolic



Our 2024 Series races are now complete. Following the August 1 race we had a shoreside event at the guest dock. Awards were presented, food and beverage consumed and wonderful socializing among the sailors.

Summer 2 results:

PHRF: First Solitaire, Second Sunrise, Third Les Chevaux Blancs

Cruising: First Entropy, Second Breezy

The final TTPYC race of the season is the Commodore's Trophy Race on Saturday September 28. First warning is 0925. Register at https://www.regattanetwork.com/clubmgmt/applet_registration_form.php?regatta_id=28548

There will be a social afterwards at The Quarterdeck.

The CYCT Point Series races are Sept 7, 21, Oct 19, Nov 2. These races are included in our Racing Boat of the Year award. <u>https://cyct.com/racing/online-race-entry-form/</u>



C mark is back in the water!

A big thanks to Dwight Motz, Michael Hamilton, Brian Newman, Gordon Kells-Murphy, Zach Coverdale and Steve Foss for their

assistance. CSR Des Moines and Des Moines Marina were prime players. Michael and Brian took Dwight's plan diagram and ran with the project. They

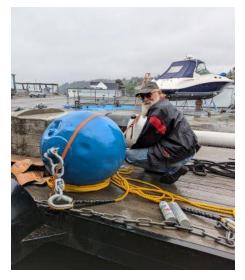
mixed and poured the concrete into the anchor form, and transported it to the marina. Gordon spliced the anchor rode, Brian and Michael assembled the anchor,



chain, line, float, and mark on a work trailer. CSR welded the



fittings. Bright and early on Sunday morning, Pat from Des Moines marina loaded the elements onto a work barge with the Travelift. With Amadala serving as escort/safety boat/navigator, Pat towed the barge the 3 miles to Three Tree Point. Brian and Zach dispatched the various components from the barge with precision.









Mission Accomplished!

Cruising News Christa and Dwight Motz, Co-Chairs

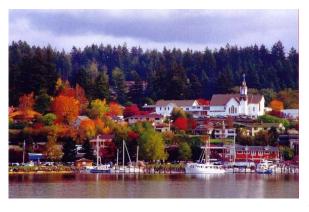
2024 Cruise Season

Informal Labor Day Cruise

This informal cruise was announced as a group anchoring out. Here is an update:

Dwight corresponded with the Poulsbo Marina regarding slip reservations on Aug 30 and 31 for a 40' sailboat.

If you're thinking about going to Poulsbo for our informal cruise and you prefer to be at the dock, the following message from Poulsbo Marina



see

<<<We are not taking reservations during this time, but we've got plenty of space for a boat of your size. Just come on in and take any slip you find that looks comfortable.

Yordon Henry Guest Services Coordinator T: (360)779-3505 x1 F: (360)779-8090 <u>www.portofpoulsbo.com</u> 18809 Front St NE Poulsbo, WA, 98370>>>

Cruising News

Hope everyone had a good summer cruising and are ready for our last organized cruise of the year!

Dock Street Marina

September 20th through September 22nd

Reservations for this weekend can be made by calling Dock Street Marina at (253) 572-2524



We have 10 slips being held for us. Once you have made your reservation, please email us so we can keep track of who is going to be attending. We are working on the details/theme of the weekend and will be sending out an e-mail in September.

This is a great location right by the Museum of Glass and downtown Tacoma. Security is good at the Dock Street Marina.

Be aware of the need to pass under the 11th Street bridge to enter the marina.

MURRAY MORGAN BRIDGE INFORMATION

11TH ST BRIDGE CLEARANCE

- 63'' at 11' High Tide (West Side of Bridge) 74' at 0.0' Tide (West Side of Bridge)
- 58' at 11" High Tide (East Side of Bridge) 69' at 0.0' Tide (East Side of Bridge)

TO RAISE BRIDGE

• Two Hour advanced notice Required

• Openings between 10:00 PM and 8:00 AM must be called in by 8:00 PM the night before 253-627-4655

Let's make this our best attended cruise of the year!

Host Still Needed - Please contact Dwight at 253-670-0425

Bubba5557@gmail.com



Ray and Debra Valpey, Membership Chairs

Our best way to recruit new members is through our members talking with fellow boaters. Direct them to our website ttpyc.org and they can find a membership application under the home tab/joining. To learn more about our club go to our facebook is <u>https://www.facebook.com/ttpyc</u>.

Member News

If you have news you want to share with members (think new grandchildren, addresses, boats, jobs, retirements, trips and/ or great photos of a trip, etc.) Just let us know. Email your announcement to Kristie, the Barnacle editor, <u>K6352@aol.com</u> Also remember to talk with new boaters on the dock. The best way to find new members is through conversations with our members.

Welcome New Members!

Christian Lamp / Joanna Molina and Robert Wham who joined us in August.

Market Place

This is a section for the benefit of our members. If you have something boat related to sell or trade, or a service to recommend, just send the info to Kristie at <u>K6352@aol.com</u> and we will place it in this section each month. Remember... this is for members only!

WE understand that grams gift closet is no longer providing our burgees. If you need one, contact Janet Sisson 206-724-4792

Burgees for sale.

Is it time to replace your tattered and faded burgee? If so, contact me so we can meet. Writing a check to TTPYC speeds up the sale. Small costs \$24.75 Large costs \$28.75



EXTRAS

This is a great way to share memories or information with our members. If you have a blog post to share send it to Kristie at K6352@aol.com.

From B.J. Chinn, A Chance to Give Back

I wanted to share with the Club a note about the Essentials Bank and the resources needed to be included in the Barnacle. The Essentials Bank services the homeless, refugees, people fleeing domestic violence, and neighbors in need. Everything is free. The Essentials Bank is open Wednesdays 10AM-1PM, down the hall from the Des Moines area Food Bank; in the basement of Des Moines United Methodist Church, 22225 9th Ave S.

With the beautiful weather, people are having Yard Sales, and what is left over could be donated.

If so, the Essentials Bank is in need of:

- Cooking pots and pans and utensils
- Small kitchen appliances
- Dishes, drink ware, and silverware
- Sheets, pillows, and towels
- Gently used Elementary School age children's clothing
- Children's "new only" underwear and socks

Fair winds,

BJ

EQUUS's Journey Continues

(Editor's Note: I checked their blog and they are off the coast of British Columbia as of August 28.)

EQUUS will be starting a new adventure. Dean and I, along with Tom Hubbard will be leaving June 17th for Alaska. We plan to be gone all summer. Our tracker address is: https://my.yb.tl/equus/4499/ and our EQUUS blog is: https://www.equus60919.com/. We also have Starlink internet with us, so we will be in connection most of the time. Not like in the "old days". See you in September!

Shelley Conti TTPYC Treasurer, Registrar Cruise Director, EQUUS 60919, Red Crow Ranch

From the Blog... Klawock



We realized that the taxi was not running Saturday, so we had no way to get to Klawock for the pole raising unless we hitchhiked. I am too old for that.

So we untied and ran up the channel to a little bay by Klawock and took the RIB to town. They were carrying the pole from the carving shed, about a mile away from the raising site. Dean jumped in and helped carry it. When we got to the raising site, I also helped raise the pole. This pole was for Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women. These two poles are for the community, so are the only poles that do not face the water, but rather the town. After the raising, we ask the mayor if we could bring the boat into the harbor, as it is guite small. He said no problem, so we went back to the boat and

anchored it at the head of the bay. Then we went to the gym for the ceremony, dinner and more dancing. The dinner was traditional food - salmon, halibut, herring roe on seaweed, salmon head, fish egg salad, dried salmon, smoked salmon, rice, potatoes, and macaroni salad. We left the dancing around 9 pm and went



back to the boat. I happened to be awake at 1:15 when I heard the drums beat the closing beats.



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