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# Commodore Report

## July 2023 Report

### Greetings, CYCT!

Summertime is here! First meeting at the clubhouse is in the books! Was great to see everyone, and have some hot dogs, snacks, and drinks with everyone! Thanks to Brendan and Harmony for their cooking skills!!

As I type this, several members from CYCT are fighting for the club's honor at Race Week NW in Anacortes! We wish them all the best of luck, fair winds, Etc!

Also, the time of year for Pink Boat Regatta is upon us... September 16th at Rock the Dock! I'd love to see all the CYCT racers get in on the Regatta. If you have any questions, please reach out to me. This is all for charity and Every dollar counts. CYCT is a long-time sponsor of the Pink Boat Regatta, as a Race Committee and other things... It's been great!

If you don't have a team to donate to, Tim Garchow and I are joining forces this year on Odin. You can go to <http://pinkboat.coyneworld.com> and donate to our team! Thanks for the Club's continued support!

Looking forward to seeing everyone on the water and at the clubhouse!!!

## June

HAPPY SUMMER!!

I have to say, May was certainly interesting... gotta love the heat wave in the spring... As I type this, I'm preparing to represent CYCT at Swiftsure in Vancouver this weekend! Gardyloo will be headed up and ready to race on Saturday! Hopefully you're cheering us on!

A huge thank you to all for a wonderful turn out at Opening Day! Your club was well

## Commodore Report Continued...

represented, and a fantastic time was had by all on Zero Dock. The shenanigans didn't disappoint, as usual. Anyone get let into the Canada Party? I had to bring a bottle of Crown Royal and get searched by Mounties to get in there, but it was fun!

The parade was a great time, and I'm sure there are some fantastic pictures floating around. Here's a fun pic of your flag ship Odin, with officers practicing their parade rest...

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The only one you can't really see in the picture is me. I'm up by the mast (you can just make out my hands)

Thanks to Brendan, Clay, Mike, Janice, Gary, Dan and Jeremy for hanging with us. And of course, to Tim Garchow for bringing the mighty Benetteau Odin up for the festivities.

And lastly, our cruising chair Shari and her crew of Volunteers! We would not have looked good without you! THANK YOU!

Racing is well underway, and we finished the 1st Wednesday night series. Congrats to the class winners and to our prestigious Race Committee for putting on a great program! Remember, club, we need volunteers to help, so please sign up with Danny!

Lastly – if you haven't paid your dues, you are now EXPIRED. Please get your dues paid ASAP, so we can continue to offer you all the benefits of this wonderful club.

See you all on the water!

John Coyne  
Commodore  
S/V Wild Thing  
commodore@cyct.com



# Vice Commodore Report

Hello all,

Summer is in full swing! Lots of CYCT events going on, please make sure you are checking the website and Facebook page for updates.

Next general meeting is Monday July 10th at the Clubhouse. We will have a BBQ with hot dogs and hamburgers going. We are asking \$5 to help cover the cost. It is also a potluck style event so please bring a dish to share. You can also bring your own protein and we will make room on the BBQ. Dinner starts at 6PM and the meeting will begin at 7PM.

We are beginning to search for a Rear Commodore for next year. Please see myself or Clay if you are interested in Commodoreship. Please don't make my Commodoreship one without a Rear!

**Brendan Smith**  
**Vice Commodore**  
**S/V Knotty Coug**





# Rear Commodore Report

## June 2023 Report



May was a awesome month, we had a great turnout for opening day. 8 boats made the trip along with quite a few who drove up. A cold Friday gave way to a decent Saturday. For me , I had a blast the only downside, my fault was at 2 o'clock Saturday morning I woke up and realized my hat/cover was still at home, so I got to do a early road trip, yeah.

As you know our meetings will be at the clubhouse for the next couple of months. The clubhouse got some new paint and this june we will get the deck painted, I will post on Facebook when that will happen. We will need a few volunteers and ladders to get that done.

Thanks to the Demmel s who donated a popcorn machine, and for all those that came out and helped on opening day, this is a great club and a great bunch of people.

Happy sailing  
Slightly starboard,

Clay Anderson  
Rear Commodore  
S/V Firefly



# Treasurer Report

## **Bank accounts (rounded)**

An increase of about 12% over last year at this time

## **Race fees**

We've received the rough equivalent of 33 members paying for a full season. On the same date last year, we'd collected about 21 full seasons. In 2022 we started collections about two weeks earlier and the numbers to date were about the same..

## **Dues**

We've collected the equivalent of 62.25 active memberships and 2 new Lifetime memberships. In 2022 we had collected 65.75 active memberships.

**Ken Whitney**  
CYCT Treasurer



# Membership Report

Greetings Club-mates,

Summer is here and that means our General Meetings are now being held outside at the CYCT Clubhouse @ Tyee Marina. Last month we had 46 members in attendance and the potluck food was bountiful and delicious. Many thanks to Vice Commodore Brendan Smith who manned the BBQ-helm and cranked out some tasty burgers.

Mark your calendars for the next General Membership Meeting on July 10th . Remember to bring your name tags or see me to pick your name tag up. Please note that name tags are only produced in batches of ten at a time for those members who have paid their 2023 dues. Some folks who renewed in June may not have a name tag yet.

The 2023 Membership Drive is now over. Thank you to all the existing members who reached out to bring in our new members!

	Paid (New)	Totals
Active Memberships	53	5
Assoc.	7	2
Crew	37	11
Life	16	2
Totals	113	20

A special happy birthday to all our members who have birthdays in June and July! (See page 20 for a list of all the June and July birthdays)

**Please welcome our new members:**

## Membership Report Continued...

<b>Active Members</b>	Emily Wood, SV Peace Amelia Ehrens, SV Tiller Whale Kyle & Nicole Roethle, SV Emoyeni Nicki Remy & Ken Lazarus, SV Amelia Edward & Liz Lansing, SV Windswept	June June June April April
<b>Associate Members</b>	Todd Snyder & Lindsey Deake-Snyder Tyler Braun & Caroline Dutchess	June April
<b>Crew Members</b>	Meredith Taylor JB Cianciarula Sarah Commet Christopher Young Robbie Carrey Christian Hunt Mandy Born Ariel Brantley-DalGLISH Mae McCaffrey Travis Nicholes Ali Metcalf	July June May May May May April April April April March
<b>Lifetime Members</b>	Don & Debbie McAdams Ken & Julie St. John	May May

If you have changed your name, address, or boat name, please let me know by sending me an email to [membership@cyct.com](mailto:membership@cyct.com).

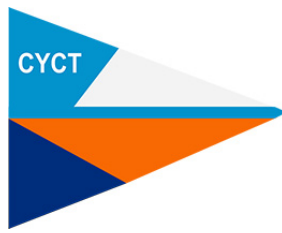
If it's gonna happen, it's gonna happen out there, so see you ought there!

Greg Greene

CYC Membership  
SV Whisper  
Lido 14 #4326 Huzzah!  
Lido 14 #4525 Tally Ho!



# In Memory of



# Donald J Kimball

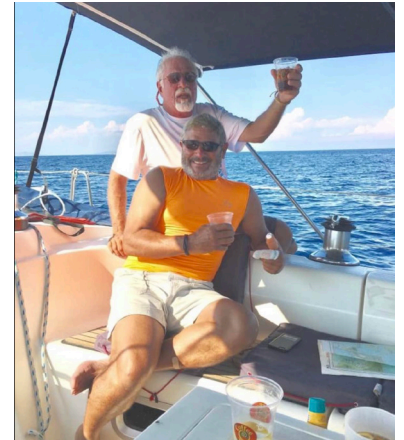


## THE SHIP OF LIFE

Along the shore I spy a ship  
As she sets out to sea;  
She spreads her sails and sniffs the breeze  
And slips away from me.



I watch her fading image shrink,  
As she moves on and on,  
Until at last she's but a speck,  
Then someone says, "She's gone."



Gone where? Gone only from our sight  
And from our farewell cries;  
That ship will somewhere reappear  
To other eager eyes.



Beyond the dim horizon's rim  
Resound the welcome drums,  
And while we're crying, "There she goes!"  
They're shouting, "Here she comes!"



We're built to cruise for but a while  
Upon this trackless sea  
Until one day we sail away  
Into infinity.

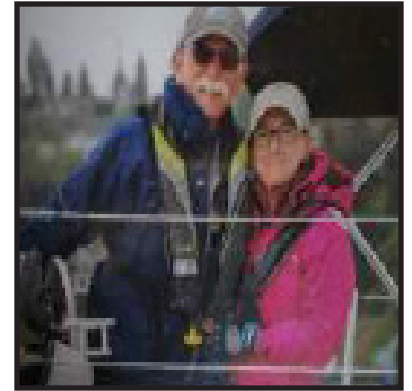
by John T. Baker







# Cruising Report



## Hi Cruisers

Summer is in full swing and a lot has happened. Memorial Day weekend saw seven boats make their way to Penrose st park. We enjoyed decent weather and a great picnic of pulled pork and a lot of great sides. We had close to 30 attend with a lot of club members driving down. Thanks to Mike Stanford and Steve Rosa for helping set up down at the point and for the Andersons for cooking up the pulled pork. LaSirena, Red Splash, Firefly, Knotty Coug, Zepher and the Mikleborgs new to them 48 Defever rounded out the boats.

We had a day sail rally on June 10 , the day started out we and cold but eventually turned out to be a nice afternoon, the wind could have been better, but we still had fun. Five boats came out to play, Zilla, Odin, Red Splash, Lucia and Firefly. Zilla got top points and Lucia won the poker hand. There were plenty of wildlife sightings and some strange ones also as part of the points gathered were photos of different wildlife. Next rally we will narrow the rules, even though it was pretty funny. Thank you to Emily Wood, Steve Rosa, Michael Stanford and Ross Demmel for helping out on Firefly.

The Fathers day cruise in Bremerton was lightly attended, weather was a factor, as Sunday was supposed to be a bit wild, however in true pnw tradition it turned out to be pretty manageable. The Holbrooks on Constellation hosted the weekend and we



## Cruising Report Continued...

were treated to a lovely steak barbecue, we also took a guided tour of the Turner Joy, and a continental breakfast on Sunday morning. Whisper came down after her haul out and Greg got to try out his new prop, awesome. Firefly, Welcome Home were there, and Judy Clark and family brought their new to them Catalina 320 came over from Port Orchard and spent the night Saturday.

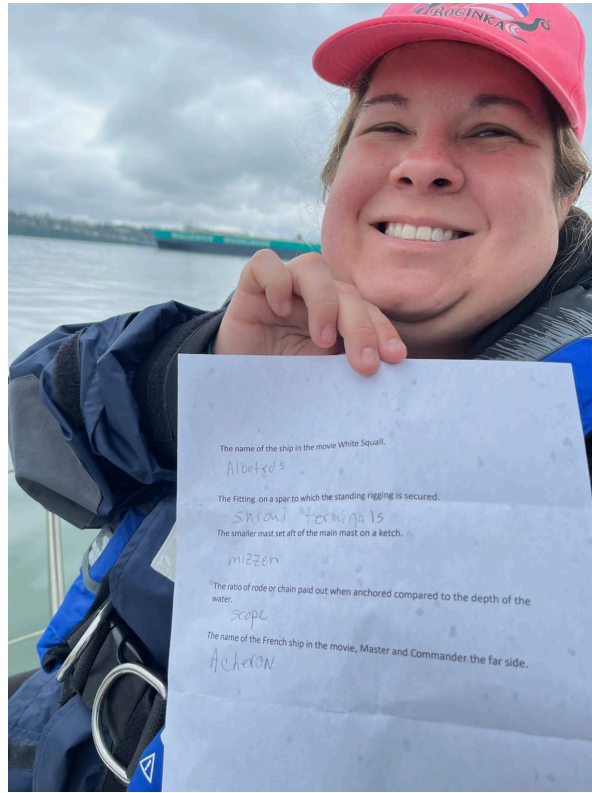
### Other upcoming events

- ◆ July 4th Quartermaster Harbor we are planning on being there Sunday to grab a good spot to raft up.
- ◆ Labor day weekend in Gig Harbor
- ◆ Cyst picnic Dockton King county park, Vashon Island sept 17 cruise or drive in
- ◆ Stay safe out there, we are headed to the San Juans in July and August.

Shari Anderson  
Fleet Captain Cruising  
S/V Firefly







## Day Sail Rally – June 10, 2023







# Social

## **Summer Picnic**

Sunday, September 17 at Dockton (King County Parks)

The Walker's will not be able to host, and there was a schedule conflict with Evie as she will be out of town. I have reserved a picnic shelter 9:00am-2:00pm.

Club will provide burgers, dogs and fixins'. Please bring sides to share. If you would like to bring Lidos that would be fun. There will be a poster fun frame to take pictures with for end of summer memories.

There is ferry service from Point Defiance. Check WA State Ferries Schedules. You can spend the weekend by boat if you're not participating in Pink Boat or come after Pink Boat to spend the night. Dock space is first come. There are 30 slips.

2022 slip costs are

- \* \$20/ night boats up to 26 ft
- \* \$25/night boats 26-32 ft
- \* \$30/night boats over 32ft.

There is no power. There were no current 2023 slip fee prices listed. For information go to Dockton Park and Marina.

RSVP by September 17 to

AngieMoralessocial@cyct.com for a head count for food preparation.

## **Christmas Party**

Gary and Joy Ballentine will work on getting BPIC reservations for Friday December 8 or Friday December 15.

## **Commodore's Ball 2024**

Tentatively scheduled for either Friday January 12 or Saturday January 20. I will know sometime this June or July. Once a date has been reserved, I can see if The Lost and Found band from last year is available. Or, if you have other band considerations shoot me an email.

Angie Morales

social@cyct.com

S/V La Gitana

M/Y Cactus Clipper (CC)



# Racing Report

Hello All,

Spring has gone and left us quickly. Summer is now here. This means long days of sunshine well into the evening. Perfect for sailing (and more specifically racing) if you ask me. We have already concluded our Early Spring and Late Spring series of Wednesday evening racing. We now move on to the second half of our season of Wednesday night races. But that is not all. Several Saturday races will "dot" the calendar for the remainder of the season as well. Among the upcoming Saturday races are the 3 Hour Tour Series as well as our Vashon Challenge distance race. We look forward to seeing everyone out on the water competing. Let's make it a great summer of racing.

I want to thank all our competitors for their patience this year, especially in our Late Spring Series which was plagued with challenges. The biggest of which was the loss of our committee boat for 3 consecutive Wednesdays. Not being able to secure a different option we were forced to use my vessel (S/V Lucia) which was really limited in what it could provide. With it we were able to get a starting line with a single rounding but nothing more. Big thanks to Paul Grove for getting our committee boat back out on the water. With it we have the ability to set 3 temporary pins plus anchor the boat all in depths of 200+ feet. This gives us many different options for setting up a race-course.

I also want to acknowledge an area where we, as a whole, have improved and that is staying clear of vessel traffic entering and leaving Port of Tacoma Waterways. So, thank you Skippers for doing your part. For our part on race committee, we contact vessel traffic at 4:00pm on race day and receive a schedule of any commercial traffic entering or exiting the port. We have also settled into a starting line area between Hyllebos and Blair Waterways which leaves enough room for Tug/Tow traffic to traverse either side of us safely. Let's all keep up the good work here.

As a reminder Romeo Charlie still needs volunteers for the remainder of the season. Both for our Wednesday series and our Saturday races. Thank you to all who have volunteered so far this season. Skippers, if you haven't already, please consider having one of your crew members sign up to volunteer once this season.

Racing Report Continued...

We now have a simple sign-up form that you can access using one of these methods:

By hyperlink: <https://forms.gle/p7UMgmz3EGiFovwt6>

Or Scan this QR code:

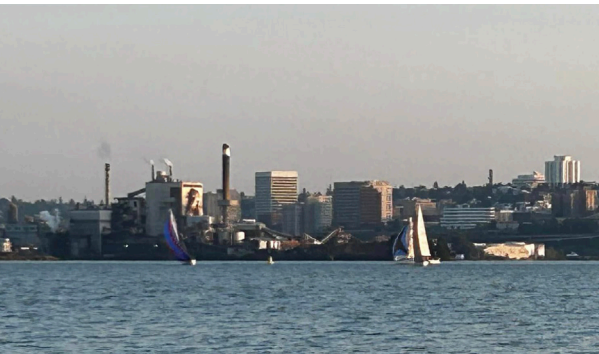


That is all for now. We will see you on the water on Wednesdays.

Danny Kenck  
CYCT Co-Race Chair  
S/V Lucia



# CYCT Windseeker Racing– June & July







## Turtle Regatta @ Willamette Sailing Club, Portland, OR

## June Report

## June 24th – CYCT Lido 14 Fleet Regatta

		Race #	1	2	3	4	5	6	Corrected Total	Place
Sail No. & Name										
#3187 Blue By U	<b>Skipper</b>	<b>Chuck Queen</b>	1	1	2	1	1	1	7	1
	Crew	Michele Samples								
#4226 Pickle	<b>Skipper</b>	<b>Tyler Braun</b>	4	2	1	2	2	3	10	2
	Crew	Carly <u>Dutchess</u>								
#2181 Flying Wasp	<b>Skipper</b>	<b>Tom Olsen</b>	2	4	3	4	3	5	16	3
	Crew	Terri Benz								
#4326 Huzzah!	<b>Skipper</b>	<b>Greg Greene</b>	5	3	5	3	7	2	18	4
	Crew	Robbie Carrie								
#4689 Ping Pong	<b>Skipper</b>	<b>Penny Shen</b>	3	8	4	5	4	4	20	5
	Crew	Justin Kim								
#2181	<b>Skipper</b>	<b>Emily Wood</b>	6	5	6	RET	8	6	31	6
	Crew	Scott Dewhirst								
#6352	<b>Skipper</b>	<b>Erik <u>Mikkeltorg</u></b>	7	6	8	6	6	7	32	7
	Crew	Jacob <u>Mikkeltorg</u>								
#4839	<b>Skipper</b>	<b>Eddie Stanford</b>	8	7	7	DSQ	5	8	35	8
	Crew	Michael Stanford								

A HUGE round of thanks and applause goes out to the RC Team headed up by PRO Cyndi Larrison, Greg Sandwick, Michelle Miles, and Jasmine Paik. Additional thanks go out to Erik Mikkleborg who loaned out his hot-rod RIB to aid as a mark boat. After racing we celebrated with tacos and cervezas followed by awards and prizes!

### **What's coming up?**

**July 8th** – Sailing with SSSS in Olympia (Swantown Marina)

The South Sound Sailing Society's dinghy fleet (which includes three Lido 14's) will be hosting an informal racing clinic. This is an excellent opportunity for trailer-sailers. Contact Greg Greene for more information.

**July 8th** – Boat Measuring at Tyee Marina 9 am

**July 9th** – Sunday Fun-Day @ Tyee Marina (2pm launch)

**July 14th** – CYCT Fleet 82 – Fun-on-Friday (6pm launch) & Sail clinic by Chuck Queen.

**July 21st** – CYCT Fleet 82 – Fun-on-Friday (6pm launch) & Sail clinic by Chuck Queen.

**July 27 – 30th** – Lido 14 Class Championship Regatta (@ Eugene Yacht Club)

We now have five Fleet 82 boats & crew planning to make the trip to Eugene: Greg Greene & Robbie Carrie, Chuck Queen & Ruthie White, Brian & Cheryl White, Penny & Evie Engnoth, and JB & Chauncy Cianciarulo. All boats will need to be measured and weighed by July 8th. Greg and Chuck will be coordinating this schedule. Register by July 1st to get the early bird registration discount.

**August 5-6** – WSC (Fleet 25) – Al Morris Regatta

Hosted at Yale Lake this year!. The event will be August 5th & 6th in Cougar, WA. Don't miss out on the best summer regatta!

<https://willamettesailingclub.com/2023/05/al-morris-regatta-yale-lake-aug-6-7/>

**August 11th** – CYCT Fleet 82 – Fun-on-Friday (6pm launch)

**August 27th** – CYCT Fleet 82 – Sunday Fun-Day (2pm)

**September 2-3** – CYCT Cruise & Lido Sailing at Gig Harbor

Cruise your keelboat and tow your Lido over to Gig Harbor for a fun weekend at Gig Harbor. There is also an easy ramp/put-in at Gig Harbor for any trailer-sailers.



Lido 14 - Fleet 82 News Continued...

## September 17th – CYCT Picnic and Lido Sailing at Burton (Vashon Island)

This year's CYCT picnic will be a cruise-in to Burton with Lido's in tow. Come out for a fun day of food, sunshine, friends and Lido 14 Sailing.

More information will be posted on the CYCT Website and Fleet 82 Facebook page, so stay tuned in!

Greg Greene  
CYCT Lido 14 • Fleet 82 Captain  
[lidofleet@cyct.com](mailto:lidofleet@cyct.com)  
SV Whisper  
Lido 14 #4326 Huzzah!  
Lido 14 #4525 Tally Ho!



# Crew Events

## Come Sailing on Commencement Bay in Tacoma - Tye Marina

Come join the crew a boat on a Wednesday evening sailboat races on Tacoma's Commencement Bay! These are hosted by the Corinthian Yacht Club of Tacoma (CYCT), and occur every Wednesday From April 12 through the end of August. While some sailing experience is helpful, all are welcome. Get out on the water, meet some new people and learn about the fun sport of sailboat racing! RSVP on the CYCT Meetup page: [https://www.meetup.com/CYCT\\_racing/events/292570016](https://www.meetup.com/CYCT_racing/events/292570016)

## JULY CALENDAR

**FOR MARCH EVENTS, PLEASE CHECK UPCOMING EVENTS ON THE  
CYCT WEBSITE:**

[HTTPS://CYCT.COM/EVENTS/](https://cyct.com/events/)

**CYCT FACEBOOK PAGE:**

[HTTPS://WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/GROUPS/257572770984529/](https://www.facebook.com/groups/257572770984529/)

## JUNE & JULY BIRTHDAYS

Tim Garchow	June 1st	Michael Brygger	June 21st	Jeremy Bush	July 19th
Chuck Queen	June 4th	Liz Lansing	June 23rd	Cindy Jenks	July 21st
Janice VanRavenswaay	June 7th	Matt Thomas	June 25th	Thomas O'Hara	July 20th
Jennifer Leitzinger	June 8th	Courtney Tuck	June 29th	Beth Broadhead	July 21st
Kyra Gautesen	June 8th	Dana Bachellerie	June 30th	Joy Ballentine	July 23rd
Ali Metcalf	June 8th	Drew Alexander	July 4th	Erik Mikkelsen	July 23rd
Ed Pinkham	June 13th	Jeremy Krakosky	July 6th	Aubre Nelson	July 25th
Mark Stopka	June 16th	Zachary Tuck	July 7th	Barb Demmel	July 27th
Lydia Zepeda	June 19th	Justin Kim	July 7th	Cyndi Larrison	July 27th
Beth Broadhead	June 21st	Cindy Chao	July 15th	Amy Kamp	July 28th
Pei-Fang Shen	June 21st	Richard Morales	July 18th	Christine Nelson	July 31st



# Classified Ads

Have nautical related item/s to sell, donate or gift? Contact the manisheet to list it here.

## BASIC RULES:

- You must be a CYCT member or sponsored by a CYCT member to post an item.
- Each month the CYCT posting member must submit their items for sale before the 25th of the month (send your post to mainsheet@cyct.com ).
- Items must be submitted each month or they will not be reposted.
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Vice Commodore: Brendan Smith  
Rear Commodore: Clay Anderson

## **BOARD POSITIONS**

Secretary: Evie Engnoth  
Treasurer: Ken Whitney  
Membership Chair: Greg Greene  
Fleet Captain-Cruising: Shari Anderson  
Fleet Co-Captain-Racing: Danny Kenck  
Past Commodore: Michael Stanford

## **REPRESENTATIVES**

PHRF Handicapper: Eric Nelson  
PHRF Director: Eric Nelson  
PIYA Rep: Eric Nelson

## **STANDING COMMITTEES**

Crew Coordinator: Eric Johnson  
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Trophies: Christine Nelson  
Education: Ed Pinkham  
Social: Angie Morales  
Historian: Vacant  
Long Range Planning: Greg Greene  
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Racing Protest: Dan Walker



**ON THE COVER...**

## *The Sailor*

Taken sailing the Cyclades in the Aegean Sea, Greece.  
September 2017

**Photo by: Jennifer Madsen-Tenney**