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Yaquina Bay Yacht Club, established 1947

September 2020

September Song

Sorry No August News - Between the Ed's computer breaking down and other factors, well, there wasn't much to report anyway...

September Monthly Meeting – is cancelled :(

Capri 22 Work - is happening, call Tom M. if you want to help with bottom paint/prep. Also any outboard mechanics out there, help?

YBYC still needs \$\$\$ - But many life members have stepped up with generous donations, so we're still floating, though not with much freeboard showing. Luckily clubhouse rental reservations appear to be coming back slowly.

Columbus Day Regatta—is cancelled. We had interest from the Santana 20 fleet from Fern Ridge, but there were too many negatives to making it happen, unfortunately. Next Year!

BOARD BITS

The YBYC board met on 9/1, masked and socially distanced. Items on their agenda included: Alice McNamara and Cindy Milligan trimmed the landscaping; a trailer that had been parked on club property has been removed; review of our insurance policies continues; the chase boat is still out and needing hydraulic replacement; a nominating committee has been formed for the next slate of officers, most of whom will continue in their positions; further discussions of implementing a volunteering requirement for members; Ken is applying for a pandemic economic relief grant; Columbus Day Regatta has been cancelled due to pandemic; over \$3,000 in emergency donations have been received from life members.

The board meets again on 10/6. Interested members are welcome to attend.

Members may always get a copy of the full minutes by e-mailing alimc 77@mcn.com





Commodore's Report

Ahoy YBYC members, ex-members and friends,

As Summer winds down and we realize our scrap books are going to be pretty sparse on big adventures to record for this year, at least we've had our beautiful Bay to enjoy under sail, and things could have been worse. We could all be living in LA! 120 degrees yesterday?

I hope you all are continuing to be Covid Negative and enjoying the beautiful weather of late. As usual, we are blessed with cool breezes as the rest of the state (and country) are broiling. Good thing Global Warming isn't a thing!

If you have tried crabbing lately you know the hauls have been generous and the size of the critters above average. By the look of the Labor Day crabbing crowd currently on the water there may not be many left afterwards, though!

We're looking for a few stalwart individuals to fill various BOD positions, (actually the Nominating Committee is doing the looking), so if any of you would like to help run this circus we call YBYC, please mention it to Todd, the Commodore of Vice, and I'm sure he can match you up with a fun position. One position that especially needs filling is the Newsletter Editor. It's easy and fun and only

requires a computer with Publisher or similar program, Mike says. If you have any web site editing experience, he would also like to pass on the position of Web Person. Also, anyone with any inclination to educate new sailors and the time to do it would be most appreciated. The Instructor Qualification Clinics are cheap and easy for an experienced sailor, and the revenue from lessons is very much needed by the club right now. You don't need a CG license if you don't use the motor.



- Jay Skoch, 2020 Commodore

September Race and Cruise News

September brings the equinox, fall season, shorter days, and cooler nights. With the ongoing concerns about the Corona virus, we will continue the Wednesday evening Fall Series in the same low key, non-scored, family/social bubble format that we used for Summer Series. Start times will move up just like other years to a warning signal at 6 PM because of the shorter daylight hours. We have had up to 5 boats sailing on some Wednesdays, so come on out and join the fun.

For the first time in its roughly 50 year history, the YBYC board decided to cancel the Columbus Day Regatta this year after careful consideration of current circumstances. We look forward to seeing all our friends next year for the 2021 edition of the Columbus Day Regatta.

Late summer and fall is often some of the nicest weather on the Oregon coast. Hopefully all are able to get out on the water and enjoy it.

Greg Krutzikowsky



CAPRI 22 UPDATE

YBYC's recently acquired keelboat, a very nice 2005 Capri 22, had to vacate her slip by the end of August. She needed a good cleaning and inspection anyway after a long hiatus from sailing. The mainsail had a bit of sun damage, so off it went to Kevin Almas for repair. Alice McNamara cleaned the mainsail cover and the jib. She also restored the jib sheet, which had become stiff from salt



and sun. Next up was getting the outboard started, and Todd Chandler managed that after disassembling and cleaning the carburetor right there in the cockpit. He didn't even lose any of the tiny parts overboard! We had planned to haul her out at Sawyer's Landing but couldn't arrange it. We thought it would be nice to have a center pick like Mike Fulmor's Capri 25. Well, it turned out that there is one atop the keel. Todd obtained the correct eye nut to attach there, and with yours truly, Tom McNamara, proceeded to the port hoist on August 29. Since we were only trailering a short distance to the clubhouse, we tried to leave the mast up. But each time we got her out of the water, she listed way over to starboard, Moving weight in the cabin didn't do the trick, so the mast had to come down. Fortunately, Alice was there to take a halyard and help us guide it down. No longer heeling on the hoist, she was very stern heavy, so the motor had to come off. That wasn't guite enough, so we borrowed a couple of bags of salt from a Tuna boat at the hoist and put them in the bow. The fourth try was the charm, and she came up gracefully and is now on the trailer at the clubhouse. I pressure-washed the bottom later that day, and most of the growth came right off. Many thanks to the expert hoist personnel at the Port for their skill and patience.

She does need some work to prepare her to sail again, but is a very nice boat indeed, and will be lots of fun to sail. Come by and have a look.

Among items needing help are: Outboard tune up; new tiller (the original broke just as we were hauling out); new jib halyard; motor mount; bottom paint; topside cleaning; lubrication of all moving parts, and, last but not least, a name.

- Tom McNamara

Youth Sailing

The Oregon Sailing Foundation is sponsoring a short film contest for youth sailors to win \$1,000. All they have to do is create a 3 minute film that features sailing. It can be related to sailing in any way (action, comedy, thriller, etc.) and there are also many runner up prizes. Youth 25 and under split into two age categories; Juniors under 15 and Seniors aged 15-25. Five finalists from each category will be chosen by the general public via a popularity vote on this site https://sailingfilmfestival.com/ starting at 12:00AM PST on October 5th and ending at 11:59PM PST on October 11th, 2020. Rally enough of your friends to vote, and you could make the finals. Deadline to submit a film is midnight October 4.

Some of our former high school sailing team members have made their film and it's great! Chyanna Blackburn and Madison Kinner, who have been actively sailing in the Summer Series, teamed up to make a hilarious spoof on the Great Race. You have to see it! You will certainly recognize then sailing in Yaquina Bay. So go to the website starting October 5 and vote for them to help them win!

On October 18th, the winners will be chosen by the OYSF Board of Directors during our virtual Finalists Screening Party. Details on how to attend this event will be coming soon. Make sure to join their email list for updates. They are hoping to be able to host a simultaneous in-person event as well, but will let you know how that looks as we get closer to the fall.

Name That Boat!

Since the new-to-us Capri 22 is a Club Boat, which means she belongs to all members of YBYC, it seems only fitting that we all should help finding a proper name for her. She was previously Nameless, (which might be a pretty good name itself), but whatever we decide, at least we don't have to go through the whole Denaming/Renaming process. If you don't know, that involves finding a source of Virgin Pee to anoint the vessel, which can be a logistical challenge.



Anyway, please submit your suggestions for a vote next month to decide on the winner. The prize for winning submission is TBA, but at least bragging rights. I'll start off with a possibility: *Capricious* which is very overused for Capris but most likely not in Yaquina Bay. Let's hear yours!

Member to Member

Support your fellow YBYC members! You can contact Ed (Mike F) to get your business listed here too

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New Location on HWY 20	Accountants, Consultants. 191 NW 70th Street Newport, OR 97365-4934.
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Ask for Ken Brown, mgr	
Oregon Coast Painting, LLC CCB# 187567	Ocean Pulse Surfboards
Interior/Exterior Brush and Roll Professionals, "Serving all of the Oregon Coast"	Custom shapes by Tom McNamara
	541-961-1576 , tom@oceanpulsesurf.com
1190 SE Bay Blvd, Newport, 541 961-5987	
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