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June Meeting: Annual Potluck and Awards Ceremony

Join your sailing colleagues and friends on the evening of Tuesday, June 11, for South Sound Sailing Society's Annual Summer Potluck on the sunny deck of the Olympia Yacht Club. We will elect our new Officers, honor our racing winners, and enjoy hamburgers, chicken skewers, salads, and your favorite beverage.

To supplement the hamburgers and chicken skewers, please bring a salad, appetizer, or dessert. It helps others if you place a label on your dish to warn of any allergens, such as dairy

or nuts, if they are present. You may also want to label any glutton free dishes that you create. Please help us reduce waste and reduce plastic use by bringing your own place settings.

The Meeting will be in-person on the porch of the Olympia Yacht Club, weather permitting,



Portsmouth Racing has started

photo by Jim Findley

located at 201 Simmons St. NW.

Doors will open at 18:00 and the potluck and meeting will begin at 18:30. The potluck is open to both Members and non-members, so invite your crew, dock mates, neighbors, and others who are interested in sailing.

Non-OYC members may park in the parking lot on the corner of Simmons and 4th Ave, which is to the immediately west of the Oyster House.

We hope to see you there.

Bob Butts, Emma Lee

Board Elections

As per our by laws, during the May 14, 2024 Meeting, the SSSS Board presented the following list of nominees for 2024-25 board positions. No additional floor nominations were heard.

Commodore Nina Goodrich Vice-Commodore (Unfilled) Secretary Colleen Carbery Treasurer (Unfilled) Race Chair Tucker Smyth Cruise Chair Mary Campbell **Bob Butts** John Martens Program Chair/At-large Past Commodore Ex officio board members (unelected):

Ship-to-Shore Editor Steve Worcester House Chair Kevin French Members will vote on this slate at the June Meeting. Come to the Meeting and support our new Officers.

Unfilled positions will need to be appointed by the new board. If you might be interested, see me or any Board Officer.

Alan Hoffman

Hartstine GT June 1-2

Star Race

June 3

Board Meeting

June 4

Wednesday Racing

June 5
Dinghy Race

June 6

Star Race
June 10

General Meeting

June 11

Visitors Welcome
Doors open at 18:00 eating starts 18:30

Wednesday Racing

June 12

Dinghy Race June 13

LifeSling Class

June 15

Star Race

June 17

Wednesday Racing

June 19

Dinghy Race

June 20

Dinghy Clinic 1
June 22

Star Race

June 24

Wednesday Racing

June 26

Dinghy Race June 27

Star Race

Star Race July 1

Wednesday Racing

July 3

Star Race

July 8

Wednesday Racing

July 10

Dues Due Now: Koosah Retirement: Cruise Photos: Last S-t-S: Season Champ

Membership Dues Due Now

As you are aware your Membership renews on an annual basis and supports our activities. This year we shifted all renewals to either May or September; this could lead to some initial confusion but should



make it easier to remember when to renew as we move forward. If you are continuing your Membership and have not renewed within the past year, now would be a great time to do so. You can pay in person at the June Meeting, on line through our web site, or download a Membership form and mail it in. You are then paid up until next May.

If you are uncertain at to your status, please check with Colleen, our Secretary, at Secretary@ssssclub.com.

John Martens, Commodore

Portsmouth Racing

By the time you read this the Harstine GT 4.0 will, we hope, have been a rousing success and a great time was had by all. 70 degrees, 5 to 8 knots of wind etc, etc. I'm crossing my fingers.

The weekly Thursday night racing is well underway. Our first race of the season which is normally cold, and rainy and sometimes no

competitors, was this time, very light wind, sunny and 70 degrees! Although we don't promise sunny and 70 for every race you too can join in the fun if you have a sailboat that is 20 feet or less and doesn't have a fixed keel. We gather just north of the Hearth Fire Restaurant at 18:30 on Thursday nights for some gentle racing. Our idea is to come out with like minded people and have fun sailing around a course. We ask that

you come by the yellow committee boat to check in before the race so we know who you are and what kind of boat you have. We race under the Portsmouth Handicapping system and supposedly all



Jarrell Cove Cruise photos, this page and next, by Kim Turver, Kevin French, and Kim Crowley. Report in the May S-t-S.

boats have a fair and equal chance.

Get that boat out on the water and enjoy it!

Jim Findley, Night Wind, and others.

The Last S-t-S

This is the last S-t-S for our 2023-24 year. We do not publish over the summer. With your help we will be back in September. So we still need to hear from you.

We are looking for photos of our summer events, to print in September. Summer is a great time for photos. There is plenty of light. There are over 50 days of racing this summer! The races are short, so the boats stay fairly close to each other. The dinghies and Stars are out and make good photos, as you can clearly see the crew. Take your camera sailing

Summer is a time to travel. Whether you explore northern waters or race in new locations with more boats, we want to hear about it. Or at least some of the high lights. The entire three month cruise might be a bit much, but I bet there are days that stand out. Each a story in itself. Race Week was fun; Oak Harbor was a good host. I would like to hear what the new Race Week is like. However you use your boat this summer, we want to hear from you.

We are usually short of material for the September S-t-S, as folks do not think to send stuff over the summer. But there is no reason to wait. Send photos as you take them. Write us as you review your adventure, and send it then. For the September S-t-S I need things by early to mid August. If you miss that dead line, we will still need photos and stories for the October S-t-S. We are counting you.

Dinghy Race

July 11

Star Race

July 15

Wednesday Racing

July 17

Dinghy Race July 18

Dinghy Clinic 2

July 20

Star Race

July 22

Wednesday Racing

July 24

Dinghy Race

July 25

Star Race

July 29

Wednesday Racing

July 31

Dinghy Race

August 1

Star Race

August 5

Wednesday Racing

August 7

Dinghy Race

August 8

Star Race **August 12**

Dinghy Race

August 15

Star Race

August 19

Dinghy Race

August 22

Star Race

August 26

Dinghy Race

August 29

Board Meeting September 3

Dinghy Regatta
September 8

General Meeting
September 10

Visitors Welcome

Doors open at 18:30 meeting starts 19:00

LifeSling Clinic June 15

If you haven't signed up for the LifeSling Clinic there might still be room for you.

The clinic will be held at the Olympia Yacht Club beginning at 0900 on Saturday, June 15. It

will begin with classroom instruction. Next, we will do dockside drills on the boats. Then, we will do actual rescues in Budd Inlet with volunteer victims in survival suits. Each participant will complete a rescue while in sole control of the boat, although under the watchful eye of an instructor. Depending on wind conditions, we usually finish in the mid to late afternoon.

The cost is just \$15 per person. The fee will be waived for skippers who bring two or more crew members.

Space is limited. Please sign up right away by texting me at (253) 732-2129 or by email at hsaller214@aol.com. I will be happy to answer any questions you have about the class.

Andy Saller, Liberty

Spring Series Race 1 April 20

Transition was RC

Points Div. 1	Boat name sai	l # Hand	. Co	rrected/Cou	rseTime
0.75	Rufus	79	93	1:29:46	1:40:00
0.75	Kulus	19	90	1.29.40	
2	Bodacious	73392	129	1:36:19	1:50:30
3	Angel Eyes	35	78	1:37:26	1:46:01
4	Rock Paper Scissors	18324	72	DNF	
Div. 2					
0.75	Koosah	39110	177	1:20:29	1:33:28
2	Liberty	64985	123	1:22:35	1:31:36
3	Fever	59128	212	DNF	

Spring Series Race 2 April 27

		I ransition wa	as RC		
Points	Boat name	sail # Ha	and. Co	orrected/0	CourseTime
Div. 1					
0.75	Mako	38044	39	1:50:22	1:58:10
2	Raven's Haven	5165	66	2:01:21	2:14:33
3	Flying Circus	69399	72	2:12:27	2:26:51
Div. 2					
0.75	Aurora	29718	156	1:30:41	1:54:05
2	Liberty	64985	123	1:42:13	2:00:40
3	Koosah	39110	177	1:48:43	2:15:16
4	Color My Worl	d 79128	225	1:57:55	2:31:40

Spring Series Race 3 May 4

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Points	Boat name	sail # Ha	and. Co	orrected/0	CourseTime
Div. 1					
0.75	Pax	12	-10	1:45:58	1:44:54
Div. 2					
0.75	Dash	63337	135	1:25:22	1:33:28
2	Aurora	29718	156	1:26:03	1:35:25
3	Liberty	64985	123	1:35:20	1:42:43
4	Iolly Rumbalow	50105	135	1:38:28	1:46:34
5	Koosah	39110	177	1:41:48	1:52:25

Spring Series Race 4 May 11 No wind, no race

Koosah Retirement

All, I am feeling such gratitude for Dave's celebration and *Koosah* retirement party, you all made it happen! Dave enjoyed seeing and talking to everyone.

Scott, Thank you for the brainstorming this party with me, buying the water bottles and all Dave's favorite sayings idea!

Thera, Thank you so much for your enthusiastic response. You totally get the grillemaster award! It was yummy and everyone got food at the same time...no dribbling in!

Linda, You rocked at getting the food out on the table and helping Thera. Thank you for the assistance.

Steve, The location was perfect. Thank you for your coordination with the Board.

Layne, Steve, Eric U. and Brian, Thank you coming early for set-up and staying late for clean-up. We had enough tables and everything flowed so nicely.

Jim and Dee, The audio system was perfect! Bob, You were the best MC and brought me to tears!

Eric, Fun to have you there and thank you for the card photo!

Joy and Shaughn, Thank you for your help on the card and all your encouragement.

We really are the Pirates of Budd Inlet!
Cheers, Cheryl

We counted just short of 70 go through the food line and there were several more that left early or came late. Besides the food and a large card to sign, there was a short tribute to Dave from the crew. Tears were shed. Photos next page.

Season Championship

Thera, Thank you so much or your enthusiastic Koosah was the only boat to finish the required 8 races. No one else has a score.

So she takes Division 2 with 27.75 points: her best 8 races. Also completing her 21st year of Perfect Attendance. Congratulations ave and crew.

Division 2 Koosah	total points 33.75	# of Races
Aurora Liberty Jolly Rumbalow Folie A Deux Reiff Dash Kokeshi Emma Lee Echo Balder 2 Yondar Star Grendel Dreamtime Junior	10.00 8.50 17.00 21.00 8.75 5.50 9.00 11.00 16.00 3.00 6.00 7.00 8.00	7 5 5 5 5 4 4 3 3 2 2 2 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
Division 1	total	# of Races
Pax Mako Rufus Bodacious Flying Circus Gru Angel Eyes Raven's Haven Spirit Rock, Paper Scissors Ziva Sunnisu Anarchy Redline	24.75 9.00 7.50 11.00 16.00 9.75 11.00 12.00 9.00	76 44 44 33 33 22 22 11

Spring Series

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place	Boat_name sa	il number	Model H	andicapRace	1 Race	2 Race	3 Sc	ore
Div.	1							
1	Mako	38044	SYD 38	39	5	0.75	3	8.75
1	Rufus	79	MEL	93	0.75	5	3	8.75
3	Bodacious	73392	BENE 35 S		2	5	3	10
3	Raven's Haven	5165	ARCONA 3		5	2	3	10
5	Pax	12	FAR 32	-10	5	5	0.75	10.75
6	Flying Circus	69399	EXPR 37		5	3	3	11
6	Angel Eyes	35	J99		3	5	3	11
8	Rock Paper Scisso	rs 18324	EXPR 37	72	4	5	3	12
Div.	2							
1	Aurora	29718	RANC 33-1	1 156	4	0.75	2	6.75
2	Liberty	64985	C&C 35	123	2	2	3	7
3	Koosah	39110	PEAR 36-1		0.75	3	5	8.75
4	Dash	63337	BEN 345		4	6	0.75	10.75
5	Jolly Rumbalow	50105	C&C 34		4	6	4	14
6	Color My World	79128	CATA 30		4	4	7	15
7	Fever	59128	San juan	212	3	6	7	16



























Koosah retirement Scott sent me most of the photos, I assume he took them? Dave sent me some, a few I took.



Thursday Night Races, May 9

		P	ortsmouth nand	nca	ipping		
Place	e Sail	Skipper	Type Race	1	2	3	Total
1	1542	French, Kevin	Harpoon 5.2	1	1	1	3
2	1623	Downing, Joe	C-15	2	2	3	7
3	1386	Brown, Adam	Harpoon 5.2	3	3	2	8
4	786	Findley, Jim	Lido 14	4	4	4	12
5	5008	Heriot, Margaret	Lido 14	6	6	5	17
6	763	Nordberg, Layne	Harpoon 5.2	5	5	7	17
7	106152	O'Sullivan, Jane	Laser	7	7	6	20

Thursday Night Races, May 2

			Portsmouth	Handica	рр	ıng		
pla	ace Sail	Skipper	Туре	Race	1	Race 2	Race 3	Tota
1	1542	French, Kevin	Harpoon	5.2	1	2	1	4
2	195939	Rulla, Chris	Laser		2	1	2	5
3	1386	Brown, Adam	Harpoon	5.2	3	3	3	9
4	763	Nordberg, Layne	e Harpoon	5.2	4	4	4	12

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Thursday Night Races May 16

ScoreMethod=Portsmouth								
Positi	on Sail	Skipper	Type	Rac	e 1	Race 2	Race 3	Total
1	171059	Visser, Alden	Laser	Radial	2	1	2	5
2	195939	Rulla, Chris	Laser		1	2	4	7
3	1623	Downing, Joe	C-15		3	3	1	7
4	Aidan	Aidan	Laser		4	4	3	11
5	106152-b	O, Bernie	Laser		6	5	6	17
6	153347	Solie, Ryan	Laser		5	6	7	18
7	763	Nordberg, Layne	Harpo	on 5.2	8	7	5	20
8	1542	French, Kevin	Harpo	on 5.2	7	8	8	23

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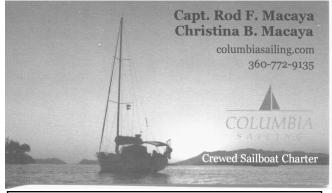


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