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MESSAGE FROM THE COMMODORE

BY MAITIN RHODE

WELCOME fellow Windjammers to another sailing season!

Grass is growing, birds are singing, flowers blooming and most importantly our boats are floating. Last weekend I walked the dock, trying to avoid putting on that last coat of varnish; I saw many new faces, old friends, and noticed a few missing. It was great to catch up on news from the winter and hear all the scuttlebutt.

I thought I would mention a few of our upcoming events:

- 6/17 Chicken & Ribs! 6 PM (Don't forget to RSVP) Father's Day Race
- 6/24 Knot Tying Seminar
- 7/4 Cape May Cruise

As always, please check the postings at Cedar Creek Sailing Center or the website for additional information regarding any of our upcoming events. www.windjammersailing.com

This year there are many exciting activities, cruises, parties, races, and seminars that have been planned. I hope you will join me in attending as many of these as you can, and take advantage of the benefits of being an active Windjammer!

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Kickoff Cruise Boasts Great Weather By Justin Pasca

The annual trip to Beach Haven gets an A+ for weather and fun factor! Eight Windjammer boats made the trek. Esprit, Stormy Petrel, Sunset, Compass Rose, Stormy, Sunburn, Daydreamer and Lorelie. A light northerly breeze was the order of the day Saturday and some boats opted to sail most of the way down. With an early arrival there was plenty of time to unwind before the dock party which brought more windjammers via car.

Sunday's brunch at the Engleside was followed by some quality beach time by many. With a nice breeze blowing and the sun shining the beaches were the place to be. Of course the anticipation of the evening's main event was in the air. I'm referring to the Windjammers annual Memorial Day Mini Golf Championship!

17 participants competed for individual glory and team championship honors. We did have a surprise in the individual men's category as heavily favored returning champ Dale Harmon was upset by Cliff Simpson who walked away with the men's and overall individual best score shooting an impressive 44. Dale's wife, Wendy, did however retain her crown as women's champion for the second year in a row. (Will she threepeat?).

Four boats posted total average scores in the team competition with top honors going to Captain Dawn and the crew of Stormy followed ever so closely by Sunset and Stormy Petrel with Compass Rose a distant 4th.

Pizza and ice cream were in order after a hard evening on the golf course.

Monday morning started out a little fog to the 9:0 am departure time things had cleared up and our 3rd day of great weather was undervoor to be the Windjammers. South breezes and plenty of it (18-22), a deep broad reach at 7 knots, bright surshine an warm weather made for a fun and fast ride home.

This makes three fair weather Memorial Day cruises in a row! Let's hope we can keep the streak alive!!

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We've Teamed UP with Boat U.S.! By: Kelley Fahey

Your club officers have worked out a special deal with BoatU.S. that will add to the membership benefits you already receive — introducing the Cooperating Group program!

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R.S.V.P. NOW!

for our annual

CHICKEN & RIBS DINNER

SATURDAY, JUNE 17, 2006 6:00 p.m.



\$ 15.00 per adult \$ 7.00 per child 12 and under

MENU: BBQ Chicken, Ribs, Fried Chicken, Baked Beans, Corn on the cob, Coleslaw, Potato salad, Tossed Salad, Watermelon, Rolls, Soda, Water

B.Y.O.B. Beverage of your choice

Please bring an appetizer or dessert to share!

Please call or email your attendance to Nancy Simpson no later than June 9th –We must have a final count ASAP to make this work.

Nancy Simpson: Phone-###-#### or <email removed>

Mail payment to: Nancy Simpson

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Windjammer Sailing Club 2006 Tentative Calendar Of Events

| Day/Date | Event | Race | Dock Party |
|----------------------------|--|---------------------|--|
| June 10 th | vessel saftey check day/ moonlight cruise to Tom's River | | |
| June 17 th | | Father's day race | Chicken and Ribs |
| June 24 th | Knot tying seminar | | Clam fest |
| July 4 th | cruise to Cape May depart 6/30 or 7/1 return 7/4 or 7/5 | | |
| July 8th | Wooden & Classic boat festival (Tom's River 7/8-7/9) | | Hot dogs & Hamburgers/ Video Seminar |
| July 15 th | | | St Patrick's Day in July/ Video Seminar |
| July 22 nd | | Ladies Helm Race | Iron Women's Feast |
| July 23 rd | Captain's Meeting for Cruise | | |
| July 30 th | Depart for Cruise ? | | |
| August 12 th | Meet the Fleet returning from cruise in Silver Bay | | |
| August 19 th | | | Sloppy Joes Share stupid stories seminar & movie Captain Ron |
| August 20 th | | Sunfish Races | morie captain ron |
| August 26 th | | | Pirate Party |
| September 2 nd | Labor Day Cruise to Tuckerton | | |
| September 9 th | Seminar by Cattus Island | | Tex Mex |
| September 10 th | Canoe/Kayak Trip | | |
| September 16 th | | | Pig Roast |
| September 23 rd | | Tall Oaks Challenge | Tall Oaks Hosts Party |
| September 30 th | Cruise to Silver Bay/ Cattus Island Festival | | |
| October 5-9 | Annapolis Boat Show | | |
| October 7 th | Winterization Seminar | | Soup/Stew |
| October 14 th | | Frostbite Race | Octoberfest |
| November 4 th | | | Fall Dinner |

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