

ANNUAL MEETING REPORT

December 10, 2022

Murphy's Tap House

The meeting was called to order by Commodore Don Verhaeghe at 1 PM.

Regatta trophies and participation plates were handed out.

Sect/Tres Chuck Drake gave a report on membership, regatta participation, and money account.

Nomination of officers

Commodore – Don Verhaeghe

Vice Commodore – Stew Williams

Sect/Tres – Chuck Drake

DF65 Racing

A discussion on using A+ sails. It was decided to have a Silver class for beginners using the A sails which come the purchase of the DF65. And a Gold class for the more experienced skippers using whatever sails for the wind conditions. A Silver skipper who has won 4 regattas will advance to the Gold class. The DF65 regattas will race both classes using a staggered start.

Dues Change

With the difficulty in finding a private space for the annual meeting it was decided to increase the dues to \$25. With 30 members this would add \$150 to the treasurer and enable us to find a private meeting place next year.

Regatta schedule was presented.

Monthly Meeting and workshops

Meeting and workshop topics were presented by Don. We are anticipating meeting at Arbordale, but I haven't got approval yet. Expect to hear from them this week.

2023 Meeting schedule

Jan 21 – Boat Building and Tuning – Denny Hanson

Feb 25 – Racing rules – Greg LaLiberte

Mar 18 – Racing Strategy – Greg LaLiberte

There was a request to have these workshops recorded. We will see how

this can be done. Maybe by Zoom. Someone did a video recording of a workshop Greg did sometime ago. I have it in the club box of records.

Meeting was adjourned at 1:55.

There were 15 members and 1 guest present at the meeting.

A picture session took place after the meeting.