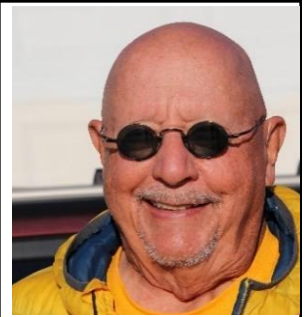


The TELLTALE

Lake Merritt Sailing Club

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<p>TELLTALE – THE WRITE STUFF</p> <p>Send your news and views to editor Duncan Carter 4521 Terra Granada Drive #2A Walnut Creek, CA 94595-4369 (925) 945-6223 or e-mail toro4181@outlook.com</p>		GREETINGS TO YOU ALL,	

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2023 SAILING EVENTS SCHEDULE

January 15 – second 2022-2023 midwinters
February 11 – third 2022-2023 midwinters
March 12 – fourth 2022-2023 midwinters
July 1 Mayor's Cup regatta
July 1 first Summer/Fall series regatta
August 12 second Summer/Fall series regatta
September 9 third Summer/Fall series regatta
October 14 fourth Summer/Fall series regatta
December 9 - first 2023-2024 midwinters

On Saturday, July 1st, our Lake Merritt Sailing Club will be holding the 2023 City of Oakland, Mayor's Cup (Independence Day) Regatta, in conjunction with the first day of our Second Annual Summer/Fall Regatta Series. We hope to see a full fleet of El Toros and Sunfish on the Lake.

In an effort to increase attendance I have just sent an invitation to San Francisco Pelican Fleet 1, and Lido 14 Fleet 62, to join us. We have already had one Lido 14 show up for the last race day of our Edna and Howard Robinson Memorial Midwinter Regatta series, and hopefully they will extol the experience to their fleet. On Saturday, June 17th, the Pelicans have scheduled races on Lake Merritt, and I plan on being present to meet them, and encourage them to join us.

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2023		
OFFICERS	LIFE MEMBER DIRECTORS	DIRECTORS AT LARGE
Commodore Denis Hazlewood	Del Locke	Paul Zander
Secretary Dennis Neary	Peggy Darnall	Art Lange
Treasurer Jackie Kearney	Vickie Gilmour	Gary Hartsock

The schedule for meetings of the Lake Merritt Sailing Club Board of Directors for 2023 is as follows: Thursday, January 26, at 5:00 pm; Thursday, April 27, at 5:00 pm; Thursday, July 27, at 5:00 pm; and Thursday, October 26, at 5:00 pm. Board members please put these dates on your calendars. ZOOM IDs and passwords will be provided for all members.

FINANCIAL REPORT									
<p>Treasurer Jackie Kearney reports liquid assets (cash basis) as of June 1, 2023:as follows:</p> <table> <tr> <td>Checking account</td><td>\$ 2,923.82</td></tr> <tr> <td>Cash box</td><td>50.00</td></tr> <tr> <td>Gift cards</td><td><u>200.00</u></td></tr> <tr> <td>Total</td><td>\$ 3,175.82</td></tr> </table>	Checking account	\$ 2,923.82	Cash box	50.00	Gift cards	<u>200.00</u>	Total	\$ 3,175.82	<p>INCOME: No increase since May 2023 report.</p> <p>EXPENSE: No increase since May 2023 report.</p>
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encourage them to join us. It's a ways off, but I would like to remind LMSC Board members that we have a ZOOM meeting scheduled for Thursday, July 27th, at 5:00pm. Duncan Carter will be hosting us on his ZOOM account, and will be publishing the meeting ID, and password.

Ketch Yawl on the water,

Denis

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MAYOR'S CUP (INDEPENDENCE DAY) REGATTA
and combined
FIRST DAY OF SUMMER/FALL REGATTA SERIES

On July 1 Lake Merritt Sailing Club hosts four races that will be scored as two regattas. The first is the Mayor's Cup/Independence Day regatta. The Mayor's Cup and other prizes will be awarded that day. The fee for participation in the Mayor's Cup regatta is \$15 per boat.

The second regatta is the first day of the Summer/Fall series to be held July 1, August 12, September 9, and October 14. Prizes for the series will be awarded on October 14. The separate fee for participation in this series is \$15 per boat per day or \$45 per boat for the whole four-day series (no refunds for cancellations).

You must pick the regattas you want to compete in, and pay the entry fee(s) before the start of the first race.

Prizes will be awarded as follows: If three boats are in a class, first place will get a prize. Four boats, first and second boats will get prizes. Five or more boats, first, second, and third place boats will get prizes.

Note that the hoist for launching opens at about 10:30. There is a ramp with minimal dock facilities for launching from trailers.

Starts will be given to any fleet of three or more boats. If necessary there will be a handicap start. Handicap calculations will be based on the U.S. Sailing 2017 North American Portsmouth Yardstick Table of Pre-Calculated Classes.