

Minutes of the Open Catamaran Meeting, 11-28-15

Ten members were present at the home of Shirley Allen for the November Open Cat meeting. Meeting called to order at 5:55 by Fleet Captain Scott Stevenson.

Muddy Waters Regatta, 2016 - Those present decided they did not want another Muddy on the first weekend of October, as it has been so cold and windy that weekend for a long time. It was considered to not have a Muddy this year due to the extra work load of the Alter/Multihull Championship regatta. Scott will contact Y Flyer Dan Haile to ask if we can piggy back our regatta onto theirs, which is in Sept.

Scoring - Open cats will continue to qualify boats who have sailed 1/3 of the races, per CSA rules, but score 2/3's of all the races sailed by each boat. The Mini mega will score the best of 3 races or fewer, if 3 are not sailed. A DNF will be given a score of 1, instead of the current score of 0.

Update Fleet website - Since no one has updated the CSA Open Cat website in a long time, we passed a motion to pay a friend of Ashley's \$50 to do it for the fleet. Viewers of Open Cat page on the CSA site will be directed to our new Facebook page. Ashley will start a Facebook page for CSA cat fleet that can added to by anyone who is, or becomes, Ashley's friend on Facebook. It will include all regatta information. Facebook is easier to work with than the CSA page.

Alter Trophy/US Multihull Championship regatta - Ashley has put a lot of work into the regatta and she now is to the point where she is looking for help. Below are the areas in which she needs a chairperson.

Race PRO - Matt Bounds

Race Committee - (9 people) Pat O'Donnell

Bonfire on Wed. - Latham

Goodie Bags -

Hazlett Cabin rental - (Motion passed for the fleet to put up the cash to reserve the cabins at a group rate. We will then rent them out. For those which we do not rent, the park will refund the cash.)

Scoring -

Beach Captain & 2 helpers -

Food - Shirley

The December Christmas party will be held Saturday, 12-19-15, at 7:00 pm at Scott and Julie's house.

Meeting adjourned at 7:25.

Standing in for the Secretary,
Shirley Allen