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A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Now that it's beginning to warm up and most of us are getting into the sailing mood again I hope you will all participate in the production of the Bow Wave. Jonathan (my son) did a couple of issues last year, but decided to join the Navy and has not yet made arrangements with Uncle Sam to continue on the Lido circuit. Timing was unfortunately poor, and the Championship Issue was left grounded. Efforts to complete the Yearbook were also a majority priority and John Papadopoulos once again stepped up to the task and was able to overcome difficulty with the publisher and finally get an issue in the mail. Thanks for the effort, again, John.

Chris Collins has now stepped to the task of Bow Wave editor and has planned an aggressive schedule of publications for 2003. Chris will need your help though. All of you can share your news with the rest of the class by simply sending him materials and photos of your activities. Most of this kind of information is already available in your fleet newsletter and can be painlessly E-mailed to Chris for editing. It may be old stuff you your fleet, but the rest of us would like to know what's happening, share it please.

Chris was previously assigned the task of working on Perpetual Awards (refurbishment, correction of data, etc.) and this task was passed on to Director John Gresham. John put together the discussion page >Lido14Group@yahoogroups.com< for us and needed some other work.

I regret that we received the resignation of Derek Paulin from the Board of Directors. Derek was beset by a number of personal obligations that precluded his continued participation on the Lido Board. Thanks for your efforts in 2001-2002.

Your Board of Directors has been busy with the new fiscal year voted in at the last annual meeting. Details of execution were left to the current board, and important items like dues and schedule needed some work to implement. Look for the more on how this will work in this issue.

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Lido 14 Class Association President Dave Carroll showing fine form as he leads the Lido 14 Class in 2003.

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Recently, I've been catching a bit of flack about District Championships and such. It came to my attention that we were without District Secretaries (with the exception of D2) and I called upon the fleets to have elections for their Districts. So far we've got Sidney Lee in D2, Allan Stults in D6, and Richard Hoover in D9. They are included in the workings (and actually members) of the Board of Directors, administer District activities, and are your local contact. I welcome them to the Governing Board.

The Class Championships for 2003 will be in Mission Bay. Roger Patterson, chairman, is on top of the schedule and most written work is final. Additionally, the Women's, Junior, and Novice regattas are included in the same week. It's been a busy winter. August will be a great month I'm sure. Thanks, Roger and all the helpers.

So get those wheels greased up and clean the leaves out of the old hull. Meet up you're your sailing buddies and have a good time on the water. We're off to a busy season.

David Carroll
President
Lido 14 Class Association

FROM THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

At the November 2002 Board of Directors meeting the Board discussed and a motion was made on the process for instituting the new dues policy that was passed at the Annual Class Association meeting in Sequim, Washington. The Class is going to a January through December dues year beginning in 2004. Membership dues for the next year will be due from the fleets as follows:

- Senior Members and Syndicate Members: \$42 by 30 days before the annual meeting in August. This is the traditional time for billing per the old bylaws.
- All other classes of membership (Associate, Jr., etc.) will be 1 1/2 times the rate now shown in the yearbook. Due and payable at the same time.
- Until the annual meeting in August, it will be \$28 for the year 2002/2003 as before. Dues collected are prorated and will be in force for the remainder of 2003, 2004 and will be valid until January 15, 2005.
- New fiscal year dues will be due and payable January 15, beginning 2005 and each year thereafter.
- March 1, the fleets send the dues and registrations to the Class Executive Secretary. May 1, all of the cards, stickers, etc. should be released to the fleets.

The search for the Roy Woolsey Trophy: The Roy Woolsey trophy is awarded to the top sailor under fifteen years old in the Junior Class Championships. The trophy has not been seen for several years and a fairly extensive search by Dave Carroll to find it has been thus far unsuccessful. If you know the whereabouts of the Woolsey Trophy or think you may have seen it, please contact Dave Carroll.

2003 2003 2003 RACING CALENDAR 2003 2003 2003

Visit www.lido14.org for a full calendar and updates

| Date(s) | Event | Location | Host/Sponsor |
|-----------------|----------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| May 3 | Learn to Race Clinic | Mission Bay | Mission Bay YC |
| May 3-4 | Lake Piru Regatta | Lake Piru, CA | San Fernando Valley YC |
| May 17-18 | SOCKS Regatta | Shilshole Bay | Seattle YC |
| May 17-18 | Pete Jefferson Invitational | Mission Bay | Mission Bay YC |
| May 24-25 | Memorial Day Regatta | Ferr Ridge Lake | Eugene YC |
| May 24-25 | Whiskeytown Regatta | Alamitos Bay | Alamitos Bay YC |
| May 31 | Fleet 1 Championships | Redding, CA | Whiskeytown SC |
| June 7-8 | Go for the Gold Regatta | Newport Harbor | Bahia Corinthian YC |
| June 21-22 | Lake Skinner Recreation Regatta | Scott's Flat Lake | Gold Country YC |
| June 28-29 | Emerald Cup Regatta | Lake Skinner | Fleet 7 (Mission Bay) |
| July 6-7 | 4th of July Regatta | Ferr Ridge Lake | Triton YC |
| July 12-13 | High Sierra Regatta | Alamitos Bay | Alamitos Bay YC |
| July 19 | Sunsplash Reggae Summer #1 | Huntington Lake | Fresno YC |
| July 26-27** | Howard Prairie Regatta | Newport Harbor | South Shore YC |
| August 9-10 | Al Morris Regatta | Howard Prairie | Rogue YC |
| August 9-10 | Lido 14 Class Championships | Yale Lake, WA | Williamette Sailing Club |
| August 9-14 | Lido 14 Class Championships | Mission Bay | Mission Bay YC |
| August 30-31 | Labor Day Regatta | Alamitos Bay | Alamitos Bay YC |
| September 6-7 | Harvest Day Regatta | Ferr Ridge Lake | Eugene YC |
| September 7 | Ullman "B" Regatta | Newport Harbor | Balboa YC |
| September 13 | Summer #3 & Camp-out | Lake Skinner | South Shore YC |
| September 27-28 | Wyssocki Memorial Regatta | Santa Margarita Lake | Morro Bay YC |
| October 11-12 | Lido 14 District II Championship | Richardson Bay | San Francisco YC |
| October 11-12 | Western Regional Champs. | Mission Bay | Mission Bay YC |
| October 11-12 | Fall Invitational Regatta | Lake Mission Viejo | LMVYC |
| October 25 | Fall Invitational Regatta | Newport Harbor | Balboa YC |
| November 1 | Sunkist Series #1 | Alamitos Bay | Alamitos Bay YC |
| November 22-23 | Turkey Day Regatta | | |

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W.D. SCHOCK MEMORIAL REGATTA MARCH 1-2, 2003 By Bette Jenkins

The annual W.D. Schock Memorial Regatta hosted by the Newport Harbor Yacht Club was another fun affair. The "A" and "B" fleets chased the Harbor 20s around short windward leeward courses on Saturday. Typical Newport Harbor conditions with current and shifty wind conditions left the 9 boat "A" fleet trading places throughout the day. The large "B" fleet of 16 boats also had tight racing. As usual, the dinner and live music hosted by the NHYC made for good socializing as we all sat around reminiscing over the day's racing and waiting to see if the America's Cup racing would be on for the night or not.

Sunday dawned with amazingly clear views of the snowcapped mountains and ominous Santa Ana winds. Things had calmed down somewhat by the time the racing began and the wind shifted around just in time for the first race to be entirely a reaching course. The race committee chased the wind around for a while after that and we were left with a few longer windward leeward races up and down the bay in moderate breeze.

After a lot of good visiting and fun racing Mark Gaudio won the "A" fleet and John DeRosa won the "B" fleet. As always, the W.D. Schock Regatta was a fun event and one to be looked forward to each year.

| A FLEET | | B FLEET | |
|----------------|-----------------|----------------|------------------|
| 1 | Mark Gaudio | 1 | John DeRosa |
| 2 | Freddie Stevens | 2 | Steve Mueller |
| 3 | Eric Kownacki | 3 | Randy Welch |
| 4 | Dave Smith | 4 | Kim Zuelsdorf |
| 5 | Tom Jenkins | 5 | Jim Jackman |
| 6 | John Henke | 6 | Peter Bretschger |
| 7 | Dave Carroll | 7 | Terrie Cannon |
| 8 | Roger Patterson | 8 | Jim Forquer |
| 9. | Eric Kaltenbach | 9 | Roger Tilton |
| | | 10 | Ron Clanton |
| | | 11 | Roy Woolsey |
| | | 12 | Margie Brown |
| | | 13 | Nancy Davidson |
| | | 14 | Marcel Hughes |
| | | 15 | John Nugent |
| | | 16 | George Schelten |

SCYA MIDWINTER REGATTA

FEBRUARY 15-16, 2003

By Chris Collins

The 2003 racing season for Southern California Lido 14 sailors kicked off with the Annual Southern California Yachting Association MidWinter Regatta, hosted by the Alamitos Bay Yacht Club. Despite the weatherman calling for rain, nineteen Lido 14s were on the line for the start of race 1.

Racing was tight in both the A and B fleets throughout the regatta. The breeze on Saturday ranged from 3 - 10 knots with some healthy shifts that meant no lead was ever big enough.

Four races were sailed on day one with four different race winners in the A fleet; Jeff & Matthew McDermid, Freddie & Fred Stevens, Chris & AnnMarie Collins, and John & Will Gresham all tallied bullets. At the end of the day Collins held a slight 2 point lead over Stevens with several others duking within a few points. The B fleet shared the bullets as well, with Steve & Shelly Mueller taking 2 first place finishes, Randy Welch & Pete Labahn, and Don Burdge also won races on day one. After four races, Mueller and Welch were deadlocked at the top with Burdge just one point back.

Day 2 showed promise of more sunshine and more breeze than Saturday. In the B Fleet Don Burdge picked up where he left off and ran off a string of firsts to take the regatta by 2 points over Welch and Labahn, who finished with a string of seconds. The Muellers ended the regatta in third. In the A Fleet, Stu Robertson won the first race of the day with Tom Jenkins hot on his transom at the finish, Collins and Stevens had finishes of 5th and 7th respectively, compressing the things at the top of the leaderboard. These four battled it out from start to finish in the final two races. John Gresham added another bullet to his score in second race of the day and Collins held off a chad charging Robertson for the victory in the final race. When the final scores were tallied, Collins held on for the win, with Stevens and Robertson in a second place tie and Jenkins just one point behind them.

| A Fleet | | | B Fleet | | |
|---------|-------------------------------|---------|---------|--------------------------|---------|
| 1st | Chris/AnnMarie Collins | 15 pts. | 1st | Don Burdge | 9 pts. |
| 2nd | Fred/Freddie Stevens | 20 pts. | 2nd | Randy Welch/Pete Labahn | 11 pts. |
| 3rd | Stu Robertson | 20 pts. | 3rd | Steve/Shelly Mueller | 24 pts. |
| 4th | Tom/Bette Jenkins | 21 pts. | 4th | Roger/Anne Hinton | 25 pts. |
| 5th | John/Will Gresham | 29 pts. | 5th | Roger/Pat Tilton | 27 pts. |
| 6th | Kurt/Evelyn Wiese | 31 pts. | 6th | Marcel Hughes | 29 pts. |
| 7th | Randy MacLaren/Robin Townsend | 42 pts. | 7th | Margie Brown/Chuck Cover | 35 pts. |
| 8th | Dave Carroll/ Dave Smith | 44 pts. | | | |
| 9th | Bob Martin | 46 pts. | | | |
| 10th | Grant/Barbara Williams | 49 pts. | | | |
| 11th | Jeff/Matthew McDermid | 63 pts. | | | |
| 12th | Garrett/Kevin Brown | 67 pts. | | | |

2003 LAKE MISSION VIEJO SPRING INVITATIONAL

By John Papadopoulos

It was sunny with a few puffy white clouds and beautiful views of the green hills and the Cleveland National Forest. Big winds were predicted in Southern California and for the most part it seems they showed up. I'm guessing that the winds on the lake were in the 12-17 knot range. Despite the wind, it was reasonably warm.

Lake Mission Viejo is a man made reservoir formed by a dam in a canyon in the foothills below the Cleveland National Forest in Orange County, California. The prevailing winds flow up the canyon and spill over the dam and swirl their way down the lake, however there are plenty of opportunities for winds to come down the sides of the hills and approach the lake from other directions. True to form, we saw lots of big wind shifts, a few large enough to count as "auto" tacks. At a more micro level, there are the geographical shifts along the shore lines that come into play - in short there are no shortage of opportunities to make good gains. As we sailed up the lake towards the dam, the wind velocity decreased and became more erratic, making for some nervous moments while competitors tried to figure out how to hold their place in the fleet.

It is standard for the race committee to set the start/finish line approximately in the middle of the elongated lake and use the permanent marks around the perimeter of the lake for the courses. For this regatta, the Lido 14s raced mostly in the upper half of the lake.

The racing consisted of three races with a short break between race #2 and race #3. Many teams parked their boats at the public docks near the start/finish line, dropped their sails, and had a quick lunch. All in all, the lake is excellent for Lido 14 racing and the day's racing was surprisingly fun.

The organizers did a fine job in organizing the day's events from registration, the skippers meeting, and the awards. They were especially good at feeding the sailors: breakfast stuff at registration, snacks and dinner after racing. A very nicely run event.



| Place Skipper & Crew | | Boat | Club | R1 | R2 | R3 | Pts. |
|----------------------|---------------------------------|------|-------|----|----|----|------|
| 1st | John Papadopoulos/Nikki Derelle | 6188 | BYC | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| 2nd | John & Will Gresham | 4550 | ABYC | 2 | 2 | 2 | 6 |
| 3rd | Arnold & Susan Christensen | 4136 | LMVYC | 3 | 4 | 3 | 10 |
| 4th | Rod & Audrey Simenz | 6026 | LMVYC | 4 | 3 | 4 | 11 |
| 5th | Doug Shepard/Donna Freeman | 345 | LMVYC | 5 | 5 | 5 | 15 |

Lake Skinner Recreation Regatta and District 1 Championships

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TURKEY DAY REGATTA/WESTERN REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Alamitos Bay Yacht Club hosts many regattas each year, including national and even world championships. But they save the biggest, and one of the best of the year for, last, 22 Lido 14s were among several hundred boats sailing in nearly 20 different classes in the season finale Turkey Day Regatta. This year the Turkey Day Regatta also served as the Lido 14 Western Regional Championship.

The racers were treated to warm, sunny weather both days with the wind ranging from 5-10 knots.

In the B Fleet, Larry Walter and Kim Zuelsdorf had a solid first day and continued to sail well on Sunday to edge Nancy Davidson and Missy York, who came on strong with 2 firsts on Sunday. Randy Welch and Pete Labahn sailed a constant regatta to take home the third turkey.

Racing in the A Fleet was close all weekend, with no runaway winners in any of the five races. The teams of Jenkins/Giddings and the Collins came down to a winner take all battle in the final race. The Collins held off Jenkins and a hard charging Bob Yates to take the final race and the regatta.

"A" FLEET

| | | |
|----|-------------------------------|----|
| 1 | Chris & AnnMarie Collins | 7 |
| 2 | Tom Jenkins & Joss Giddings | 9 |
| 3 | Bob Yates & Pat Kincald | 11 |
| 4 | Stu Robertson | 15 |
| 5 | John & Will Gresham | 16 |
| 6 | Dave & Jeanne Smith | 23 |
| 7 | David & Stefanie Carroll | 27 |
| 8 | Keith & Cory Dodson | 30 |
| 9 | Greg & Buddy Rodgers | 30 |
| 10 | Garrett & Kevin Brown | 31 |
| 11 | Roger Patterson & Steve Howes | 39 |
| 12 | Rich Osborne & Susan Theran | 45 |

"B" FLEET

| | | |
|---|------------------------------|----|
| 1 | Larry Walter & Kim Zuelsdorf | 7 |
| 2 | Nancy Davidson & Missy York | 8 |
| 3 | Randy Welch & Pete Labahn | 9 |
| 4 | Tracy Conn & Mark Stanlier | 14 |
| 5 | Ron Clanton & Ryan Clanton | 23 |
| 6 | Chris Kip | 24 |
| 7 | Jim Drury & Dan Rossen | 24 |
| 8 | John & Liz Bergan | 26 |
| 9 | Sidney Lee & Tanla Alexander | 31 |



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