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**LAKE SOUNDINGS****PULTNEYVILLE YACHT CLUB**

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By Dave Weagley

Dear members,

We're off to a good start this season and it's good to see so many people involved in the activities. The cruise season is starting and we have an informal cruise heading for Fairhaven over the 4th. If you want details contact Don or Diane Boesel. There is a fun activity scheduled on July 11. The poker race is fun for kids and adults if you don't mind getting wet.

Just a reminder to keep an eye out for candidates for the Goody Two Shoes and On the Rocks awards. Keep last years unfortunate winners informed.

We talked about membership at the general meeting. We have been doing very good in the last two months bringing the membership back up and filling docks. We still need a few more to balance the budget. There are 5 open docks in the main harbor and a few in the Baird slips.

Just as we did last year we are announcing next years nominating committee early to give everyone a chance to discuss possible board candidates for next year. The following people have agreed to serve on this years committee.

Rich Critchlow Jane Hamilton Richard Darrow Tom Ecker Kermit Sleggs

We'll see you on the water,

Dave Weagley
Commodore

The Secretary's Corner

by Bob Hamilton

The June Board Meeting was held on June 13. Much of the meeting was discussing upcoming social activities, Pultneyville Homecoming events and current club status. We also reviewed and accepted two more new members. Current membership is at 126 Voting, 9 Non Voting and 3 Soundings only. The nominating committee for next year's officers is being established and will be announced soon.

Pig Roast is coming up on August 8th and there will be another pie auction for the clubhouse decorating committee fund.

The Fall Banquet will be held at the Rochester Yacht Club.

We have renewed our cooperating group membership with BOAT U.S. Any members who wish to join BOAT U.S. should use GA80260Y as the group membership number.

We have updated the list of reciprocal clubs and information received to date and new

copies dated 22 June 1998 have been placed in the clubhouse.

Repeat reminder - One activity we would like to see is more member articles for the Soundings. We suspect there are a lot of neat stories to share and we hope the membership is encouraged to submit them to me or Jaime Forero directly.

In this issue of the Soundings, we are also including the **Clubhouse Building Fund Surcharge**. All fees are due to me on the address provided by 1 August 1998.

There is still room for some additional members or potential members just looking for a slip, so if you know of anyone, please pass on the invite. Perspective members should contact Wendy Axtell. Dock request only should go to Tom Bolt.

Next Board Meeting will be in August 7th at the clubhouse. Time approximately 6:30PM

Enjoy the summer cruising season!

Bob Hamilton



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Bob Hamilton - Secretary

Jim Lucas - Treasurer

Peter Fisk - Fleet Captain



"I married you for your money, Max. Where is it?"

BUILDING FUND SURCHARGE



BILLING STATEMENT

Below is your surcharge statement. This surcharge is for the sum of \$45.00 per year for voting members, and \$22.50 per year for non-voting members. The surcharge will be for three more years.

All funds received shall be maintained in a separate building fund, and the amounts received shall be used to pay interest and principal on the notes that the club has secured to pay for the building.

Please remit this statement with your payment to:

Bob Hamilton, Secretary
78 Phaeton Drive, Penfield, NY 14526

Payments are due by August 1, 1998

Payments received after that date shall be charged a late fee of 5%.

Member name (please print): _____

Amount of payment:

_____ Enclosed is my check in the amount of \$45.00/\$22.50 for the 1998 year

PYC Summer Cruising

There will be a group of PYC boats going to Fairhaven on July 4th weekend (Friday-Sunday).

Also members should keep track of the season mileage tally, as well as the longest crossing/sail and farthest distance a boat is taken from the club and returns. This doesn't include boats shipped to Florida.

I will collect the data and give Peter my recommendations for a cruising award.

Sincerely,

Douglas Axtell

Mark your calendar!!

Save the date!!

Get your water pistols ready....

Because it's the.....

PYC FUN RACE

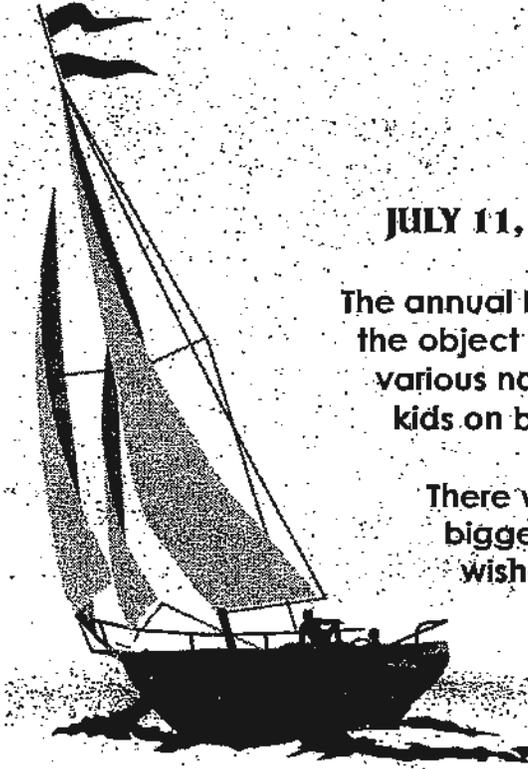
JULY 11, 1998 AT 2 P.M. *** MEET AT THE PAVILION**

The annual Poker Race is being run once again!! Join in the fun, the object is to collect the best Poker hand. Cards are given for various nautical feats (going backwards, doing 360 turns, most kids on board — some on land and some on water).

There will be games for the little kids, and a race for the bigger kids. Pot luck supper to follow for any one who wishes to join us!

COME JOIN IN THE FUN!!

(Remember bathing suits are a must - just ask Summer Snow!)



POT LUCK DINNER: JULY 11, 1998 AT THE PAVILION.



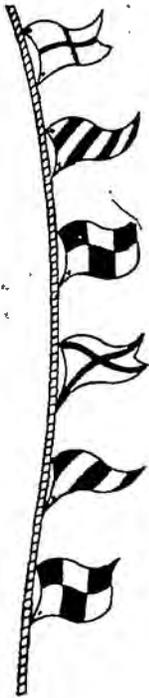
Bring your own meat, table setting and a dish to pass. Join us after the fun race - starts at 2pm - so we should be ready to continue the Party by 5pm.

Help!!!

The club needs a "small" vacuum cleaner. If you have one or know someone who does, please contact Nancy Gong on board Tai.Pan or call 716-288-5520. Thank you!

CRUISING SIGN-OUT

The OOD schedule was published in the June "Soundings". I hope everyone has work their assigned day into their schedule. If you



need to change, make arrangements with someone to switch, then let me know or make the change on the OOD sheet on the bulletin board.

Now to the other side of accommodating our visitors - Cruising sign-outs.

It has been the custom of the Club members to sign-out when they (and their boat) are going to be gone over night or longer. Sign-out sheets will be provided again this year.

Signing out is the "grease" that makes the wheels of reciprocal privileges work and makes the life of the daily OOD livable. It's tough to assign slips if we don't know for sure that you're gone and difficult to make sure your slip is empty when you get back. We really appreciate your cooperation in making reciprocal privileges work.

The sign-out sheets will again be in the back of the OOD book in the new club house. I would suggest that you write only your slip number, boat name, your last name and dates you will be gone. If you think there could be a problem, slip number, boat name, and dates will do. Each page covers one week. If you are going to be gone more than one week, please sign all the appropriate sheets.

We'll do our best to have your slip empty when you get back. If you come back early

or for some other reason your slip is occupied, be cool. Most times something can be worked out if you can stay cool enough to talk to the OOD and the visiting boat captain. If you find you're coming back early, feel free to call me; I'll be glad to change your sign-out.

The biggest problem we had in 1997 was people changing slips. Be aware, it raises havoc not knowing which slips are empty and which are not empty.

If we all do a little, it will make life nicer for a lot of people, and we all receive the relaxation and fun we want and need.

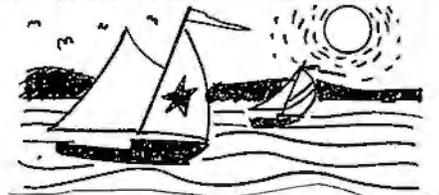
Thanks.

Rich Critchlow, OOD

LADIES SAILING

An opportunity for Ladies to get a little more helm time, and practice some sailing skills. If you would like to join us, we will be using my boat, (Puff) and participants boats, to sharpen our skills and level of comfort on the water.

We will be meeting every Friday in July and August



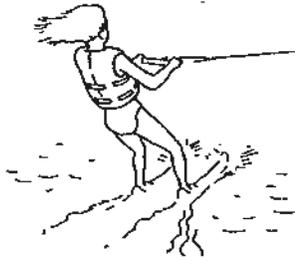
from July 9 until August 21 at 2pm. First meeting will be on Puff, which is docked on the south side of the peninsula. Bring your enthusiasm, sailing gear, and a friend. Remember to bring a life jacket that you are comfortable with. We will be going out in all kinds of weather so remember your wet gear too!!

Whether you are a power boater who longs for the quiet of the wind, or a sailor wanting to get in more time on the water, come join us. Any questions, feel free to call me at home or work.

Cindy K.

PYC KIDS

Hello everyone!



I would have to say that everyone enjoyed the brunch. I know that I had fun cooking. Others had fun by talking to people that they haven't talked to in a long time!

We have seen many new kids around the club this year. We are looking forward to a summer of warm weather and fun (and no school). Remember, almost every night of the weekend we have a campfire, and we would like everyone to feel welcome to come.

Dave and Abby Heffron

Pultneyville Homecoming



Sponsored by the Pultneyville Historical Society (315-589-9390)
LAKE ROAD & RT. 21 Rain or Shine 10:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

SATURDAY, JULY 18, 1998

ANTIQUÉ SHOW & SALE

Free Admission & Parking Walking Tour of Pultneyville - 1 pm
Food Available 7 am until. Historical Society Home Open 11 am-5 pm

Chicken Barb-B-Que 4 pm until
Sponsored by the Masonic Lodge

SUNDAY, JULY 19, 1998

Irondequoit Community Band - 3 pm

Historical Society Home Open - 1 pm to 5 pm

Pultneyville Civic Light Opera Company presents

Gilbert & Sullivan's *Princess Ida* In Historic Gates Hall

Friday & Saturday, July 17 & 18 - 8 pm Sunday, July 19 - 4:30 pm