
NEWSLETTER



WWW.BLUEWATERFOUNDATION.ORG **AUGUST 11, 2009**

End of SUMMER
SAILS-BEGINNING
OF NEW SCHOOL
YEAR...

1. 8/16 FINAL CIVIC
CENTER STUDENT
TRAINING SAIL (four

student crew coming
regularly now. Bear,
Catherine, Bob B and
others. Noon.)

2. 8/25: St Francis
community sail;

Possible double sail
but at least a Bear
sail with Catherine,
Ben and Louie
captains. (Noon or
before)

3. SCHOOL SAILS
BEGIN 9/24 and
remember it's once a
week for those-the
first six sails are
OCTOBER 1,
OCTOBER 8,
OCTOBER 15,

**OCTOBER 22 AND
OCTOBER 29. MARK
YOUR CALENDERS
NOW.**



**GLEAMING OCEAN
PROGRAM RETREAT**

**AUGUST 16...at Benjamin at
ten to two. We will discuss
methods and plans to make this
year better than the last...though
Cory advised the Board about
some pretty wonderful and moving
stories deriving from this cruising
program for the students...we
have changed some lives...some of
the GO graduates have
volunteered to be crew for other
kids this year!!! Be there to
share your thoughts.**

***MONEY?* Marty reports
about 59,625 in the
bank...good but we may need
a new mast for Bear soon,
so read on....**

**BOAT CONDITION:
BEAR: Jim finished the winch
work and will be checking out the**

12 volt system to propose a bid
on some upgrades there and
perhaps the AC system. Erich is
doing engine work before the
regular school sails. Carlos
finished up his paint fix up from
the old collision and the boat
looks great; Jim is checking out
ordering an inspection of the
mast for its condition: it may be
time to start raising money for a
new mast (40-50,000 cost) so
stay tuned.

**And...we didn't drop a VHF
overboard this month...**



**Nothing to report on
Benjamin.**

**CPR FIRST AID CLASSES
COMPLETED BY LES...ELEVEN
SHOWED AT THE LAST CLASS...**

MOB LIVE PERSON
IN THE WATER

DRILL

10/04 AT TEN

O'CLOCK...BEAR...required for certification and very different training than one gets picking up floats in the water...Catherine the lead captain on this.



INFORMAL PARTY AT BAY VIEW BOAT CLUB STILL ON FOR OCTOBER 23, 600. THE BOARD AUTHORIZED UP TO 1000.00 FOR FOOD.

The web address issue was resolved by Yury after a thousand calls and the Board authorized Lauranne to purchase an appropriate gift for our savior...our web site is up again!

NEXT MEETING AT SEPTEMBER 15, 2009, 6-800...ALWAYS OVER AT 800 OR BEFORE. FOOD, DRINK AND A LOT OF SAILORS TELLING LIES...HOW CAN YOU RESIST? 12TH FLOOR, 155 MONTGOMERY STREET, NEAR BART.

MORE SAILS, MORE BOATS, MORE SCHOOLS, MORE COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS, ST FRANCIS AND BAY VIEW BOAT CLUB...WITH MORE VOLUNTEERS, AND...MORE NEED. HELP US HELP THE STUDENTS AND CHILDREN WHO NEED THIS COMMITMENT MORE THAN EVER...

You can't do everything...but you can change the world...one child at a time...