

NEWSLETTER



WWW.BLUEWATERFOUNDATION.ORG October 13, 2009

to the mix....

THURSDAY SAILS:

Weather permitting...

1. 10/22/09: Louie and Adam captains.
2. 10/29/09 Adam and Ken as captains
3. 11/5/09; Ken and Adam as captains.
4. 11/19/09; Adam and Louie as captains.
5. 12/3/09: Ken and Adam as captains.

MARINA TUES SAILS

CONTINUE...contact Bob or Catherine, Brian, Greg, David O and Ben W...every Tuesday.

WEEKEND SAILS:

1. Cory will be setting up two Saturday sails, with community groups, ON OCTOBER 31 AND NOVEMBER 14.

2. GLEAMING OCEAN

THIRD CLASS: Goes well, great kids from Light House, lessons going well...night sail coming up.

Money? About 58,000 with another donation from a member of BVBC adding 500



Boat Condition:

1. BEAR: the Board approved Jim Rumer's bid for substantial electrical work on Bear costing around 5000.00 to be completed in the immediate future. Jim has found some good used gear he can put on Bear which will save us some money.

Eric's request for authority to pay up to 200.00 for an electric oil changer was approved. Gleaming Ocean may use Bear for a "dormitory" on its Anchor Out and Jim is asked what is needed to ensure safe anchoring and to install same.

Eric volunteered to work on the bunks below to make sure they are safe.

2. Benjamin, at owner's expense, replaced its wind vane and one spreader light.

BACK GROUND

CHECKS: These are now required for BLUE WATER SAILORS and we pay any cost associated. Easily accomplished at the Franklin Street office of the SFSD and details on how to set up can be found by calling Elsa at 415-392-2018. Takes less than half an hour. YOU HAVE TO THE END OF THE YEAR TO DO THIS AND AFTER THAT TIME BLUE WATER MAY HAVE TO REMOVE YOU FROM ANY REPEAT SAILS WITH THE SAME KIDS...PLEASE DO IT BEFORE THEN!!! *Parents want it and it makes perfect sense in this dangerous world of today.*



MOB PRACTICE October 18, AT BEAR TEN O'CLOCK!

OUR ANNUAL LIVE PERSON IN THE WATER DRILL ON BEAR. SEE WHAT THE REAL THING IS LIKE. ADAM AS MAIN CAPTAIN, ALL CAPTAINS TO PRACTICE WITH CERTIFIED CREW.

PARTY AT BVBC October 24, at SIX...not a fancy deal but a get together for all of us to chill out. SHOW UP!!!

SCHOLARSHIP BEING OFFERED BY THE SATEGNA FOUNDATION WILL BE EXPLORED BY CORY AND ANNA AS A POSSIBLE BENEFIT FOR GLEAMING OCEAN OR SAILING CLUB KIDS. THEY WILL REPORT BACK TO THE BOARD.



And Lee will be sailing with Michael Carter and some ex football pros to see if their organization might work with Blue Water on some projects with kids...some other Blue Water people will attend. October 25 at noon Benjamin.

WE ARE LOOKING FOR THE GUY WHO HIT BEAR LAST YEAR ...HIS NUMBER CHANGED... SO HE CAN PAY THE COST OF THE REPAIR WHICH HE ALREADY INDICATED HE WOULD DO...STAY TUNED.



NEXT MEETING SIX O'CLOCK, NOVEMBER 10 2009 AT 12TH FLOOR, 155 MONTGOMERY ST, SF...CLOSE TO BART. FOOD AND DRINK AND ALWAYS OVER BEFORE EIGHT...

Over twenty years old now with programs on weekends and during the week...classes for kids, introductory sails for others, sailing clubs for others...SF and Oakland. All volunteer and still going strong....because of YOU.

YOU CAN'T DO EVERYTHING...BUT YOU CAN CHANGE THE WORLD...

ONE KID AT A TIME...