

“...and the mentor was amazing to work with. I had to face my fears by being courageous [sic].”



The Blue Water Foundation has been an all-volunteer, non-profit, 501 (c) 3, corporation since 1992. Our volunteers and the youths we serve come from all over the San Francisco Bay Area. To achieve our mission, we work with various Bay Area Youth Programs.

### Probation Program

#### Camp Sweeny, Alameda Co.

- Double sail Sunday, Jan 29

#### Log Cabin, SF County (all Double sails)

- Sail Saturday, Jan 21 at 9 AM – 3 PM
- Saturday, Feb 18
- Saturday, March 18
- Saturday, April 15
- Saturday, May 20

### Community Sails

**Edgewood Kinship** is a support program for extended family members to raise the children when the parents cannot.

Tentative sail dates:

- Sunday, Feb 26
- Saturday, Mar 25
- Saturday, Apr 22

**Girls Stepping Up for Change** is a girls program through the Marin County Probation Dept.

- Saturday, April 1

**SF Rec & Parks** has day camps and programs for a wide range of the county's children.

Scheduled sail dates:

- Friday, June 16
- Friday, June 30
- Friday, July 28

**SF Rec & Parks** Greenagers program. Teens working in the department.

- Saturday, July 8
- Saturday, Aug 12

**SF Unified School District** - We will arrange a meeting to discuss whether we can continue. Lee, Leonard and April will represent Blue Water Foundation.

### BWF Operations

**Fundraising Committee chair** is needed. Please contact Bill. It is noted that it will be necessary to up our efforts in fundraising with the deteriorating SFUSD relationship. Please consider helping us in this area.

**Committee help is needed in IT, Welcoming Volunteers and others.** Please come to the next Board Meeting **TUESDAY, FEB 14<sup>th</sup>**

**Fleet photo:** We want to do an all fleet photo – under sail – tentatively March 11, we will need as many captains and crew as possible for this fun outing!

**Treasurer's report:** Several end-



of-year donations kept us net positive again.

### Boats

**Golden Bear** – new fender and line purchased, re-wire of the bilge is underway and the grinder appears to now be working.

**Aleta** – backstay was tightened

**Benjamin Walter** – Hauled out.

**Fernweh** – Hauled out.



Currently in Round One for selecting the Volunteer of the Year Award, contact Lee at [lstimmel@stimmel-law.com](mailto:lstimmel@stimmel-law.com)

## Annual Party!

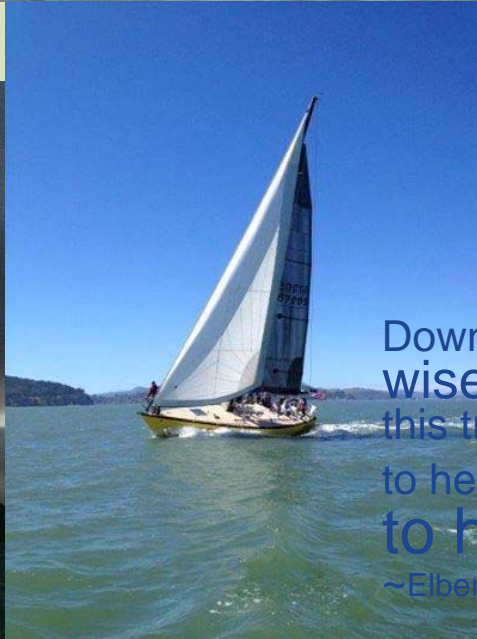
**MARCH 11, 6:00 PM** at the Berkeley Yacht Club; 1 Seawall Dr, Berkeley, CA 94710  
\$20 per person, Silent Auction, dinner, awards, boats, drinks...

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Down in their hearts,  
wise men know  
this truth: the only way  
to help yourself is  
to help others.

~Elbert Hubbard

Next Board meeting!

**FEBRUARY 14, 6:00 PM**

always done by 8:00 PM. 155  
Montgomery St 12<sup>th</sup> Floor

**BE THERE!**

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