



## News from around the club:

### 2022 Racing Season Overall results

**Club Champion** Bruce Allen If Ida

**Saturday Series** 1 Bruce Allen If Ida

2 Bill & Ty Baumann Ziji

3 Jim Hepp Grand View

**Rock Pile Series** 1 Bryan Retterbush Mariah II

2 Doug Drury Wrinkled Sheets

3 Bruce Allen If Ida

**Regatta Series** 1 Doug Drury Wrinkled Sheets

2 Bryan Retterbush Mariah II

3 Bruce Allen If Ida

## Wind and Waves

### EXTRA!! EXTRA!!

- Snipe still for sale. Will take reasonable offers (previously \$300 minimum)
- Stephen Nudge wins the coveted Tegetoff Award for 2022!
- Bruce Allen wins the overall Racing Club Champion for 2022
- Watch your email for New Social Events Calendar for 2023 and Racing Events Calendar for 2023, likely arrival in late April or Early May.

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## Up Coming Events for SMBC

- o April 2nd, General Membership Meeting on Sunday afternoon at 4:00 P.M. and Potluck immediately after.
- o April Mid Month, Club clean up day Watch for more details to be announced
- o May 7th, General Membership Meeting on Sunday afternoon at 4:00 P.M. and Potluck immediately after.
- o May 27-29th Memorial Weekend Regatta, lots of additional activities yet to be announced

## Commodore's Comments

Well, 2022 is in the books. I first want to thank outgoing Board of Governor's members Jim Hepp and Diane Haller. Both were very active and a great source of ideas and advice. Incoming BOG members John Bachle and Phil Albertson will bring a lot of energy to the group as well. While Brandi could not be at the last meeting, our finances are in GREAT shape and she manages things for the Club quite well. If you consider how many of us are sending things in through the year, the bills that have to be paid etc, it's a lot of work and as noted we can breathe pretty easy money wise.

We had another good membership year with I believe somewhere between seven and ten new members. I frankly lost count. We had three join the last month! With new folks and new boats, the docks will be a little tighter and we'll need everyone's cooperation to make best fits for all boats. I have some hope the State may be setting aside some more docks down the channel for us, based on where they placed a new sign. Stay tuned.

Next year we hope to have a very active Social slate in our 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary year. We need folks willing to plan out the calendar and also take charge of an event to make this work. Contact me if you want to jump into this. Trust me, you don't want my ideas involved in this.....Similarly as Doug Drury said we need a more active "Offshore" set of activities. I'd like to hear ideas from anyone on changes to racing, special events we could do, or how to slow down my boat. Along the idea of "ideas" at the party we asked people to fill out cards with ideas – I have about 25 to sort through. However at any time you have a crazy thought I'd like to get it on deck.

I hope to turn the water & heat on next March 15 or so and hope to see you at the first meeting Sunday April 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Commodore Phil,

# Pictures From Christmas Party at SMBC



## Please Welcome Our New Member



Please welcome new member Jeremy Price to SMBC. Jeremy is from Greenville, Oh. Jeremy's first boat was a Northern American 15 fishing boat. He recently purchased a Catalina 25, which is his first sail sailboat. Jeremy is joining SMBC in hopes of learning a lot from fellow members about sailing and owning a sailboat. Please invite Jeremy to join you for a sail or lend him a hand, anyway you can.

### **BLAST FROM THE PAST:**

#### **Notes from the November 2014 Board of Governors Meeting:**

- The Board of Governors voted in the following as permanent members: Note this was a sort of a catch all as most had already been voted in during the year but to make sure no one was missed.
- Bill and Ty Baumann
- Mike and Ann Cecil
- Rich and Becca Deforde
- Rick and Mary Jane Fellers
- Phil & Sue Fuerst
- Matt Niekamp
- Stephen and Joyce Nudge
- Richard Siebenthaler
- Dave Sorg

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### Board of Governors and Terms:

Trevor Wurth	2021-2023
Tim Terry	2021-2023
Stephen Nudge	2019-2024
Kerry Beamer	2022-2024
John Bachle	2023-2025
Phil Albertson	2023-2025

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If there is anything you would like to see in upcoming editions of Wind and Waves just let me know and I will work at getting it in for you. It is YOUR newsletter.

Also if you have pictures you would like shared please feel free to forward them to the above e-mail address. Thank for your support.

If you have something for sale and would like it featured on the Classifieds page please e-mail the information to me and I will get it in the next month's edition.

### CLASSIFIEDS:

#### Sycamore Shores Boat Service

15312 Fox Ranch Road  
Wapakoneta OH 45895  
Cell (419) 203-5452

#### FIRE SALE:

Large selection of sailboat accessories & parts:

Some smoke and water damage but still functional. Very reasonable prices!

Large selection of pre-owned sailboats, ready for the water and used sails.

Outside space and large tarps for winter storage