

Minutes from UISC Members Meeting on Wednesday, 3/27/06 in the Purdue Room, Room 341 in the IMU.

The meeting was called to order at 7:02 p.m. by commodore Ben Miller-Todd. There 25 people attending.

- I. The minutes from the last Members Meeting on March 22nd, 2006 and were approved after one change. Len Sandler, not Glen, was the other winner of the Winter Weather Wet Water Wager. Motion (Huntley/ Steinman) to approve minutes with change passed.
- II. Officer Reports:
 - A. Amy Rohlfig, Secretary:
 - i. Amy received two emails this week addressed to secretary@uiow.edu. The first was from someone looking to donate a Snark-Mach II. The email will be forwarded to fleet captain Rich Adkins.
 - ii. The second email was from a licensing company in Japan looking to use our burgee and club name on t-shirts. The club agreed to have us send them a picture of the burgee so we could see if the company is interested.
 - B. Ben Miller-Todd, Commodore:
 - i. Can anyone else help with FUJ this weekend? It looks like there will be 13 teams and gorgeous weather.
 - C. Matias Perret, Rear-commodore:
 - i. Matias received a letter stating that we officially have permission from the DNR to host the regatta and use the dock. However, we can not kick fishermen off the dock or tie boats up and leave them. If we want a crash boat at the dock, we will have to leave it on a dolly on shore.
 - D. Rich Adkins, Fleet Captain:
 - i. The fleet is ready for the regatta this weekend. All the boats are masted except for the old yellow boat and the boat that traveled to Notre Dame last weekend.
 - E. Lindsey Schneider, Executive Advisor:
 - i. The publicity committee met on Monday. They wrote up a draft for the mass email which will be sent out a week before the open house. The draft was sent out over the Listserve.
 - ii. The publicity committee will also be working on posters to put in dorms and such and pocket sized fliers to hand out.
- III. Old Business:
 - A. Casey Judge has six dozen bagels for each morning of the regatta. She will need to know how many volunteers are coming so she can purchase the rest of the food. The food will also be at the boat ramp for meals.

- B. What happened to the boat on the Pentacrest? Lauren Trolley had offered to help, but she is now out of the country. Matias Perret will take over since he is the Open House committee chair.

IV. New Business:

- A. Businesses who donated food wanted to get tax write-offs. Casey Judge was wondering who she should contact about that. Tom Hart had the tax id number.

V. Announcements:

- A. The MCSA bill is in the mail.
- B. John Huntley needed Ben Miller-Todd's phone number for the executive listings.
- C. Albatross nominations
 - i. Jenna Burken nominated Ben Miller-Todd for thinking west was east and getting turned around 30 minutes outside of Iowa City. On the way to Notre Dame last weekend, Ben drove onto the interstate going west after we had stopped at the I-80 truckstop for dinner.
 - ii. Amy Rohlfing nominated Ben Miller-Todd for taking a cartoon-like spill into the lake at Notre Dame when the boat was still tied to the dock. We were in between rotations so everyone was on the dock to watch Ben slid off the back of the boat almost tipping it over.
 - iii. Our dignified Commodore won the coveted award for the week (although the applause was much louder for the second nomination).

The meeting was adjourned at 7:25 p.m.

Submitted by Amy Rohlfing, secretary.

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