Commodore Remarks August 2022

Ramp Repair to Begin! West Sac has approved our ramp repair drawings. The ramp will be closed from August 8th until late August early September. Check our web site <u>Washington Outboard Club</u> and your email in-box and spam folders for updates regarding its reopening.

Thursday August 11th Membership Meeting Speaker: Maury Hatch. A local fly-fishing guide. <u>Home (firsthatchguideservice.com)</u>

All 2021-2022 Members Given Credit for Their Participation Requirements. Due to COVID restrictions and member concerns about participating in Club activities the Board gave all members (except those 2018/2019 members not completing their requirements) credit for meeting their 2021-2022 participation requirements.

2022/2023 Renewals. They were completed as of July 31st. We had over 550/92% of our 598 members renew.

WOC License With West Sac Term. Since 2018 the WOC and West Sac have deferred discussing a longer than one-year term license until the WOC decided what we would do with the ramp and receive West Sac approval to proceed. Now that we are proceeding with the ramp repair, we have asked for a longer-term license. We sent West Sac the information regarding total WOC membership, numbers and % of West Sac and Clarksburg residents in mid-July.

Reminder. Members Personally Liable While Attending WOC Club Activities. In accordance with section 6 Part B of our By-Laws "**Members are responsible for self and guest where personal liability is concerned and are responsible to carry their own insurance policy**".

Our Membership Enrollment, yearly Renewal Form has the following statement "I agree to abide by all club rules outlined in the WOC By-Laws or forfeit membership in this club and its privileges. I understand that all WOC keys, membership cards and window stickers remain the property of the WOC".

The WOC is not responsible for any injuries or damages that take place when attending any club activities, membership meetings, dinners, derbies, using the docks, launching or retrieving a boat and work parties.

All new members have been provided a copy of our By-Laws and a copy is available on our web site <u>Washington Outboard Club</u>.

2023-2024 Officer, Board Members, Port Captain Vacancies/Volunteers.

We have need of a Purser, one Board Member (Derbies) and a Port Captain. Please contact me if interested for job description and person currently holding the position to talk to.

General Membership Meeting Date and Volunteers Needed.

Thursday, August 11th. Hall Set-up/tear down. 4 volunteers needed, 5:30-8 (contact Tom Padilla, 916-837-4753 tp082014@gmail.com). Clothing Sales Setup/tear down. 2 volunteers needed, 5:30-8 (call Roger Mc Manus, 916-271-3019, rmcmanus51@yahoo.com).

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Thursday, September 15th. Hall Set-up/tear down. 4 volunteers needed, 5:30-8 (contact Tom Padilla, 916-837-4753 tp082014@gmail.com). Clothing Sales Setup/tear down. 2 volunteers needed, 5:30-8 (call Roger Mc Manus, 916-271-3019, rmcmanus51@yahoo.com).

Port Exclusive Use Dates.

Saturday, August 13th. LWSC Delta Dinghy Ditch Regatta – Exclusive Use Noon to closing.

Thurman (Tee) Watson

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