



December 2010

## Commodore's Log

The Christmas Party at Janet and Mike Asher's really special. We had 70 RSVP's and probably a few more than that actually showed up. After plenty of drinks and a BBQ and Beef Tenderloin dinner, awards, recognitions and elections followed.

We want to thank everyone who provided such great side dishes and desserts and Joan Sykes for doing the entrees. The Asher's house is really a unique place to have a party, be sure to say thanks whenever you see them.

The Club Sailing Championship Trophy was awarded to Jo Hood and his boat Cannonball. Brett Holk was second, Paul Sykes was third, Steve McGonigal was fourth and John Horner was fifth. It is significant to note that the first three boats were the only ones to sail all four races. The Commodore's Award for "Outstanding Contribution to the Club" was presented to Melodie Shatzer. Her work, as Chair of the Entertainment Committee, made our parties something special this year.

The Commodore then recognized each of this year's Officers and Board members with a gift of appreciation for their service in this most difficult year.

The Members present then Elected next year's Officers and Board Members. They are:

Commodore - Nick Steen  
Vice Commodore - Robert Clark  
Rear Commodore - Gary Beson  
Fleet Captain - John Horner  
Secretary - Marghuerita Roberts  
Treasurer - Paul Sykes  
Board Member - John Ericksson  
Board Member - Dean Gould





Two Board members will be serving the second year of their term, Linda Keiffer and Herman Roberts. We are most fortunate to have such a talented and seasoned group who are willing to contribute to our Club's welfare.

After the election, the new Commodore's first official act was to present a beautiful ceramic platter from Sea Oates Studio to the new Past Commodore.

Nick also presented a unique ceramic pitcher to Joan Sykes, the new Past "Commodorable".

The Commodore then presented Burgees to the new officers and closed the meeting.

The party continued for some time while the clean up was going on.

The Sykes' want to thank everyone for the good wishes expressed to us during the evening. The support this atypical year was outstanding.



Paul Sykes  
Past Commodore

HAVE A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS  
AND WONDERFUL NEW YEAR