



Soundings

Monthly newsletter
South Port Sailing Club
March 2024



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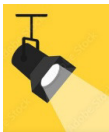
Warton Willie has predicated an early spring ! The launch day of April 20th is just a little over 7 weeks away. As we know the weather is unpredictable and changes every day. Let's get out and work on our boats every chance we get.

Form submission for launch along with payment by e transfer or cheque is due by April 1st, and if you have not paid your annual dues, please do so as soon as possible.

Dredging is a word we don't like to hear. We have been lucky with the water levels until the last few years, and we are monitoring the levels for this year. The permit process started last fall, but we are still waiting for some permits. When the final is received, dredging will begin. Let's hope for more snow up north.

The new website will be ready for launch by the end of March, and an email will be sent out advising you of the date.

Just a reminder that the Annual Membership meeting is Tuesday March 26th at 7:00 pm. I hope to see you there.



Member Spotlight - Shalaina Kitsos

This will be my third year as a SPSC member. I'm not sure if the rookie title applies, but I continue to use it as I certainly still feel like one! I did not grow up around boats so one might say boating is my new mid life adventure. I was drawn to sailing as I enjoy spending my time outdoors and I love learning new things. When I bought *Swept Back*, my Niagara 26, I envisioned long summer days out on the water with my husband and 3 kids. Turns out *Swept Back* is being used mostly for adult time with friends and practicing my skills during Monday night races. My race goals are simple..do not hit other boats and do not come in last. I have so far achieved one of my goals!

When I'm not sailing, I spend my time teaching high school science, chauffeuring my kids to hockey and soccer games, piano lessons and dance. I enjoy going on long walks, bike rides and listening to country music.

I love the community feel of South Port. Many thanks to all the members who have helped me on my sailing adventure.

Annual Members Meeting

March 26th
Main Room 7:00 pm



2024 Launch Date
April 20th

Refer to pgs 4-5



2024 Roster

Updates have been completed and you will be receiving the hard copy along with your 2024 membership card shortly



April
24



WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24, 2024 AT 7 PM - 9 PM

Border Crossing Information Night

Windsor Yacht Club

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Calendar of Events March 2024

Clubhouse duties



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	Ormshaw, W 26				Happy Hour 1	2
3	Nikota, G 4	Executive Meeting 7:00 pm 5	6	7	8	9
Daylight Savings Time  10	Gassenbeek, A 11	12	13	14	15	Clubhouse Rental noon - 11:00 pm 16
 17	Soles, P 18	 1st day of Spring !! 19	20	21	22	23
24	Hunter, N 25	Members Meeting 7:00 pm 26	27	28	29	30
 31	Lightfoot, S 1					

Thank you to Terry Gadoury for the 2024 team photo, to the spectators who attended the game and WYC & SPSC members who donated to the food drive !



SPSC vs WYC Classic February 3rd WFCU SPSC takes the win ! 7-6

Sailing School Ed Hickey

With the assistance of the School's Board of Directors plans are well underway for this upcoming season. We have a full slate of instructors for 2024 and look forward to another successful year. Registration opens March 18th at www.southportsailingclub.com 'Sailing School Site'

Head School Instructor Madison Beltran
Program Coordinator Liam Hickey

<u>Instructors</u>	<u>Instructors in Training</u>
Blake Glazer	Liam Mullins
Charlie Lilly	Adam Penner
Charlie Winney	Cody Smith
Kyle Luck	Kenneth Lamb



Harbourmaster Andy Hellenbart

Tentative Launch Date has been set for April 20th

Included in this issue is the Launch & Summer dockage form along with the fee schedule/calculation sheet. There have been some changes to the rates this year.

As requested the past few seasons, you are required to provide a copy of your boat insurance, or an insurance rider if your boat is part of your homeowners policy. The form should indicate the liability amount and expiration date. Uninsured vessels will not be launched.

Please refer to my email of February 7th. Completion of the form for online submission is available. Payment for Summer dockage can be made either by cheque payable to South Port Sailing Club or by e transfer to the treasurer at spscetpayment@gmail.com For those using e transfer, please provide the Treasurer an email with the answer to your security question.

All club members who are planning to keep their boat at the club, either in wet mooring, dry sailing or dinghy sailing must fill out and submit the form.

Please return the form to the Harbourmaster by April 1, 2024 to allow the committee to work out well assignments. If yours is not received on time, your former well or dry sail space may be assigned to someone else. There will be an administrative fee of \$100.00 for late submission.

If you have any questions Andy can be reached at 519-735-6863 or spsc.harbourmaster@gmail.com

Property Jackie Timothy

When the weather breaks, property will be looking for volunteers to prepare the grounds for the season. There are no major changes planned for the property, but the 'to do' list as far as maintenance should keep everyone busy and allow you to log some work hours.

Just a reminder if you are discarding a tarp, to fold or roll it before disposing in the driveway bin. If you are getting rid of an old sail in any condition, please fold it and leave in the foyer with a note for Doris Hellenbart. She will deliver it to the foster parent who makes duffle bags for the kids at The Children's Aid. When the ground water is turned on for your use in April, and the outside washrooms are available, I will send an email out.

Social Committee

As we emerge from winter and launch gets closer, why not come out to the March Happy Hour this Friday and reacquaint yourselves with your fellow sailors. This Happy Hour will be a game night if you want to play. A variety of board and card games will be available, or if you want to bring along a favourite, that would be great too. Food will be chili in a bowl or on a baked potato with all the fixings for \$5.00 per person. Later in March or early April we will be having a bowling night, so keep an eye out for more details.

Hope to see you soon !

SUMMER DOCKAGE RATES 2024

			\$1.89	\$199.00		13%	
MODEL	LENGTH	BEAM	DOCKAGE	LIFT/HOIST	SUBTOTAL	HST	TOTAL
Abbott 22	22.00	7.50	\$311.85	\$199.00	\$510.85	\$66.41	\$577.26
Alberg 22	22.00	7.00	\$291.06	\$199.00	\$490.06	\$63.71	\$553.77
Aloha 8.2	26.75	9.50	\$480.30	\$199.00	\$679.30	\$88.31	\$767.60
Beneteau 345	34.50	11.42	\$744.64	\$199.00	\$943.64	\$122.67	\$1,066.31
Beneteau 350	33.83	11.25	\$719.31	\$199.00	\$918.31	\$119.38	\$1,037.69
Beneteau 352	35.00	12.50	\$826.88	\$199.00	\$1,025.88	\$133.36	\$1,159.24
C & C 24	24.00	8.81	\$399.62	\$199.00	\$598.62	\$77.82	\$676.44
C & C 25	25.17	8.67	\$412.44	\$199.00	\$611.44	\$79.49	\$690.93
C & C 27 Mk I & II	27.33	9.25	\$477.80	\$199.00	\$676.80	\$87.98	\$764.78
C & C 27 Mk III & IV	27.92	9.17	\$483.89	\$199.00	\$682.89	\$88.78	\$771.67
C & C 27 Mk V	26.50	9.17	\$459.28	\$199.00	\$658.28	\$85.58	\$743.86
C & C 30 Redwing	30.25	8.75	\$500.26	\$199.00	\$699.26	\$90.90	\$790.16
C & C 30	30.00	10.00	\$567.00	\$199.00	\$766.00	\$99.58	\$865.58
C & C 34 +	35.50	11.70	\$785.01	\$199.00	\$984.01	\$127.92	\$1,111.93
C & C 35 Mk I	34.58	10.50	\$686.24	\$199.00	\$885.24	\$115.08	\$1,000.32
C & C Corvette	31.08	9.08	\$533.37	\$199.00	\$732.37	\$95.21	\$827.58
Cal 22	22.00	7.75	\$322.25	\$199.00	\$521.25	\$67.76	\$589.01
Capri 22	22.00	8.00	\$332.64	\$199.00	\$531.64	\$69.11	\$600.75
Capri 25	25.00	9.00	\$425.25	\$199.00	\$624.25	\$81.15	\$705.40
Catalina 21	21.00	7.67	\$304.42	\$199.00	\$503.42	\$65.44	\$568.87
Catalina 26	26.00	9.80	\$481.57	\$199.00	\$680.57	\$88.47	\$769.05
Catalina 27	26.83	8.83	\$447.76	\$199.00	\$646.76	\$84.08	\$730.84
Catalina 320	32.50	11.75	\$721.74	\$199.00	\$920.74	\$119.70	\$1,040.44
CS 27	27.00	9.33	\$476.11	\$199.00	\$675.11	\$87.76	\$762.87
CS 33	32.67	10.67	\$658.83	\$199.00	\$857.83	\$111.52	\$969.35
Drascome Longboat	21.75	6.58	\$270.49	\$199.00	\$469.49	\$61.03	\$530.52
EDEL 665	21.83	8.21	\$338.73	\$199.00	\$537.73	\$69.91	\$607.64
HR 28	28.25	8.42	\$449.56	\$199.00	\$648.56	\$84.31	\$732.88
Hughes 31	31.00	9.67	\$566.57	\$199.00	\$765.57	\$99.52	\$865.09
Hunter 18	18.42	7.08	\$246.48	\$199.00	\$445.48	\$57.91	\$503.39
Hunter 23	23.80	8.40	\$377.85	\$199.00	\$576.85	\$74.99	\$651.84
Island Packet 31	31.00	11.60	\$679.64	\$199.00	\$878.64	\$114.22	\$992.87
Irwing 37	37.00	12.50	\$874.13	\$199.00	\$1,073.13	\$139.51	\$1,212.63
Melges 24	24.00	8.20	\$371.95	\$199.00	\$570.95	\$74.22	\$645.18
Mirage 24	23.83	8.42	\$379.23	\$199.00	\$578.23	\$75.17	\$653.40
Mirage 25	25.17	9.50	\$451.93	\$199.00	\$650.93	\$84.62	\$735.55
Mirage 27	27.42	9.25	\$479.37	\$199.00	\$678.37	\$88.19	\$766.56
Mirage 275	27.50	9.67	\$502.60	\$199.00	\$701.60	\$91.21	\$792.81
Mirage 30	30.00	10.50	\$595.35	\$199.00	\$794.35	\$103.27	\$897.62
Mirage 33	33.50	11.67	\$738.89	\$199.00	\$937.89	\$121.93	\$1,059.81
Mirage 35	35.50	11.67	\$783.00	\$199.00	\$982.00	\$127.66	\$1,109.66
Niagara 26	26.67	8.33	\$419.88	\$199.00	\$618.88	\$80.45	\$699.34
O'Day 27	27.00	9.00	\$459.27	\$199.00	\$658.27	\$85.58	\$743.85
Pearson 27	26.92	9.17	\$466.56	\$199.00	\$665.56	\$86.52	\$752.08
Pearson 30	30.00	9.50	\$538.65	\$199.00	\$737.65	\$95.89	\$833.54
S2 7.9	25.92	9.00	\$440.90	\$199.00	\$639.90	\$83.19	\$723.09
Shark	24.00	6.83	\$309.81	\$199.00	\$508.81	\$66.15	\$574.95
Soling	26.75	6.25	\$315.98	\$199.00	\$514.98	\$66.95	\$581.93
Tanzer 22	22.50	7.83	\$332.97	\$199.00	\$531.97	\$69.16	\$601.13
Viking 28	28.17	8.33	\$443.50	\$199.00	\$642.50	\$83.53	\$726.03
Wavelength 24	24.00	9.00	\$408.24	\$199.00	\$607.24	\$78.94	\$686.18



2024 Summer Dockage and Release Form

TO BE RETURNED BY APRIL 1ST 2024, TENTATIVE LAUNCH APRIL 20th 2024

NAME : _____ MEMBERSHIP NO: _____

BOAT NAME: _____ HULL/SAIL NUMBER: _____

TYPE OF BOAT: _____ LENGTH _____ BEAM _____ WEIGHT _____ DRAFT _____

INSURANCE COMPANY _____ POLICY # _____

Please include a copy of the Insurance for the boat, uninsured boats will not be launched

DOCKAGE/STORAGE AT SOUTH PORT SAILING CLUB

Are you planning on launching your boat at SPSC this year? (Check one): Yes No

What type of mooring do you require this year? (Check one): Wet Mooring Dry Mooring

Do you require dinghy storage? Dinghy name/Hull number _____

Do you require trailer storage? Trailer license plate number _____

DETERMINE THE COST AS FOLLOWS AND ATTACH YOUR CHEQUE OR MAKE AN E-TRANSFER PAYMENT

CHEQUE: Yes E-TRANSFER: Yes

Be sure to email your answer to the e-transfer question to treasurer at spscetpayment@gmail.com Jonn Shaw

Summer Dockage and Storage	\$ _____
Dinghy storage (\$84.00)	\$ _____
Storage in rack (\$42.00) laser, paddleboard, canoe	\$ _____
Trailer Storage (\$126.00)	\$ _____
Crane Lift Charge (\$199.00 for members; \$262.00 + tax for non-members)	\$ _____
Small Boat Hoist Fee ** (\$199.00)	\$ _____
** Requires approval of the Harbour committee	
Subtotal	\$ _____ x1.13 (HST)
Total Cost	\$ _____

DOCKAGE/STORAGE AT A LOCATION OTHER THAN SPSC

The undersigned hereby requests the Club:

1. To launch the sail boat herein described;
2. To permit wet or dry mooring on Club property for one week;
3. To permit the use of gin pole for mast stepping and un stepping only.

In so doing, the undersigned hereby waives, release and quit claims South Port Sailing Club, its members, directors, officers, and agents of and from any claim, action or damage of any kind whatsoever, (including negligence whether by omission and commission or otherwise) except a claim which may lawfully be made against South Port Sailing Club for which insurance is provided to South Port Sailing Club or against any independent contractor engaged by South Port Sailing Club to provide a crane. The undersigned further warrants that the above insurance policy is in effect for the boat described above.

Signature: _____ Date: _____