

Minutes from UISC Members Meeting on Wednesday, 3/1/06 in the Purdue Room, Room 341 in the IMU.

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Commodore Ben Miller-Todd. There were 21 people attending.

- I. The minutes from the last Members Meeting on Feb. 22nd, 2006 were read by Secretary Amy Rohlfig. Motion to approve minutes without change passes.
- II. Officer's Reports:
 - A. Rich Akins, Fleet Captain:
 - i. Spec sails arrived today.
 - ii. Daniel Rogge picked up the wayward sails from UW Madison.
 - iii. Went through FJ sail inventory last Sunday and labeled spec sails.
- III. Committee Reports:
 - A. Ben Miller-Todd, 420 committee
 - i. The University of Chicago is planning on buying 8 boats from Vanguard, but only want to keep 4. They have not yet named a price.
- IV. Unfinished Business:
 - A. No heater updates. Just remember to turn down the heat when you leave the boathouse.
 - B. There are currently only two people signed up for CPR. There are eight spots available. Contact Ben Miller-Todd at bmillertodd@msn.com if interested.
 - C. John Huntley purchased two CPR posters that he will post in the boathouse.
- V. New Business:
 - A. Steve Schmid is looking for club volunteers for the FUJ regatta on April 1st and 2nd.
 - i. The team needs people for race committee, crash boat, and protest committee as well as people to help with food, clean-up, and any other random jobs at the boathouse.
 - ii. John Huntley and Bill Budelier volunteered for protest committee.
 - iii. We will need volunteers from about 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 or 5:00 p.m. on Saturday and from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Sunday. If you are interested in volunteer, please contact Steve at Stephen-schmid@uiowa.edu.
 - B. The coffee maker at the boathouse doesn't work well, we should probably buy a new one before FUJ.

- C. Ben Miller-Todd wanted to clarify the club's intentions with 420s.
 - i. The original idea was to purchase a few boats to practice with and diversify the fleet. We would purchase the boats after we sell the E scows, not with our current budget.
 - ii. John Huntley mentioned that we might want to keep our eyes out for a Flying Dutchman. FJs (Flying Juniors) are training boats for the Flying Dutchman. We would have a gorgeous fleet with FJs, 420s, short masted laser rigs, and a Flying Dutchman.
- D. The team needs to tow an FJ to the freshman regatta a Notre Dame (March 25th and 36th). Amy Rohlfing will be towing. Moved (Huntley/ Adkins) to allow team to tow one FJ to Notre Dame. Motion passes unanimously.
- E. The club should think about conducting a talent search for someone with design and silk screen talent to be a ships stores officer.
- F. Matt Legg talked to rec. services about renting the social center for our camping trip, but they told us that under no circumstances are we allowed to rent the social center overnight. He is still planning a camping trip for Friday March 10th (the first Friday of spring break). We will be camping at a campsite on the south arm of the lake.
- G. There have been some small complaints about the Sanctuary (the food is too expensive, there is not enough room, etc.). It was suggested that we go to Old Capital Brewery or Quinton's. No one showed any interest in changing social spots, so we will continue to meet at the Sanctuary (at least for this week).

VI. Announcements:

- A. Several club members went ice boating this weekend. There was just enough ice and no wind.
- B. The photo contest rules have been posted on the website, but there is no link to it yet. Photos will be accepted starting after spring break. Take your camera to all club events. There's \$50 to win!
- C. Albatross Nominations
 - i. Eli Otdoerfer nominated Matt Legg for falling out of a tree this weekend. Matt climbed into a tree that hung over the water (to look for wind, of course) and half jumped/fell out of the tree through the ice and onto a rock.
 - ii. Rich Adkins and Matt Legg nominate Eli Otdoerfer for testing the thickness of the ice by riding on the front of the iceboat Matias was driving. Unfortunately, he found that the ice around the shore was not thick enough when the iceboat and Eli took a nosedive through the ice submerging Eli and the boat. The boat had to be pulled out with ropes, while Eli ran up to the boathouse to change into dry clothes. Eli ran back onto the ice to try another boat.
 - iii. Bill Budelier nominated everyone who went iceboating this weekend. There was no wind and we spent the entire day

pushing each other around. A man who lives on the lake came by when people were pulling the boat out of the out of the water and told us we were very brave. He lives on the lake and wouldn't be iceboating that day.

- iv. All those who went iceboating were voted the winners of the award by applause. The coveted award went to about ¼ of the club.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Submitted by Amy Rohlfing, secretary.

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