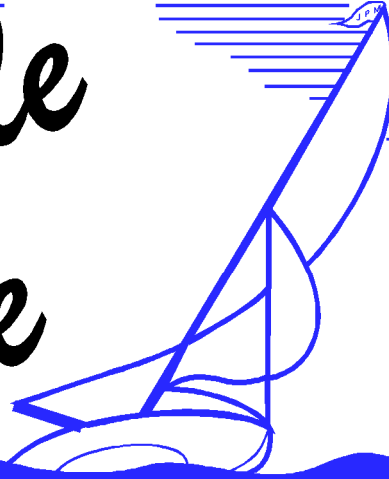


# Eagle Eye



## EAGLE LAKE SAILING CLUB

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### A Busy Start to the Summer

I began outlining this issue of the newsletter and was amazed that we have had **seven events** since March. Since a picture is worth a thousand words, I have included a montage of snap shots from all but our **moonlight sail and paddle**. We have well over 200 picture contributions from Ken Yoder, Sally Sorberg, and others posted on our Snapfish account: <http://eaglelakesailingclub2008.snapfish.com/comcast>, room code: **ELSC2009**



Notre Dame hosted the **Midwest Collegiate Sailing Association Co-Ed National** at our club April 18 -19. Eleven colleges, close to 80 sailors, competed. The University of Wisconsin, Madison team took home first place.

The sailors were very complimentary of our facilities and thankful for allowing the event to be held at our club.



Two major improvements were accomplished during **Spring Clean-up**. The first was the placement of rocks to reduce the erosion of our water front. The second was the replacement of our original 50+ year old toilets by Zolie Vida. Cheers actually rose from the crowd as Zolie carried in the new commodes.



What a bunch! Al Taig, John D'Veila (who installed our new garbage disposal), Treasurer Frank Catanzarite, Kurt Miller and Gary Tobolski taking a moments rest during our Spring Clean-Up.





The MC fleet volunteered to man the grills during our **Skipper's Meeting/May TGIF** get together. Jon Vance, MC Fleet captain, has a good handle on the grilling.



Junior Program instructor, Mark Makielski, is showing one of our newest members, Wyatt Toothaker the finer art of trimming the sail. The **Junior Program kicked off** with 12 boats on the water followed by a pizza party organized by Suzette Hudak and Laura Kapala.



Daughter, Hayley and dad, Gary Jones in their Snipe during the **Memorial Day Regatta**.



A wonderful turnout for our **Open House/ June TGIF** event. We had over 18 guest families in attendance. The beach area filled with kids is reminiscent of the late 60's and 70's at the club.



## New Member Profiles



The  
Freeman  
Family,  
Dad Jim,  
Kyle,  
Tierney and  
Mom,  
Timaria.

*“Timarie and I have been married for 24 years. We live in Plymouth Michigan, a small city in between Ann Arbor and Detroit. We have two children, daughter Tierney and son Kyle. I am the Software Development Manager for a marketing company, Evigna. Timarie is the Corporate Trainer and acting Regional Manager for a medical supply company, Gaymar. Tierney finished her junior year at Eastern Michigan University studying elementary education. Kyle is finishing his junior year in high school.*

*We have known about the ELSC for a long time. My family spent our summers at our grandparent’s cottage on North Shore Drive. Half way through high school, my parents purchased a home on Lakeview Drive where we spent 34 wonderful years as the Cassaday’s neighbors. In 2004, our family purchased a cottage on South Shore Drive where we spend many summer weekends.*

*I started out spending hours and hours sailing and racing Sunfish with the Grays, Paul and Rick Makielski as well as many others. I also had great*

*fun crewing on lots of different boats including Mark Makielski’s National and Tom Cassidy’s C Scow. The competition was fantastic and exciting.*

*Sailing has always been a source of great joy for me. I look forward to trying to race a bit more over time. There is nothing like the adrenaline rush of a start or a close finish. We also are very pleased to be members of the Sailing Club. We’ve become the third generation in our family to be part of it and look forward to supporting it any way we can.”*

--- Jim Freeman

*“Hello, my name is Adam J. Hosaflook, and I have lived here on Eagle for two years now, year round. I have always grown up around water and have always loved it. I enjoy restoring boats and working on them in the summer, and the same for snowmobiles in the winter, as I am an avid*

*snowmobiler as well. I also enjoy antique cars and am an active member of the Coachman Auto Club. For those of you that are familiar with the South Bend area, they are responsible for the largest car show in the area, the*

## Coming Events

June 28<sup>th</sup>-Sun - 1:00 pm 4<sup>th</sup> of July Regatta – Part 1 – Nationals, Snipe, Thistles (3 races)  
July 3<sup>rd</sup> - Fri 11:00 am, 4<sup>th</sup> of July Regatta – Lasers and MC’s (5 races)  
July 4<sup>th</sup>-Sat – 11:00 pm 4<sup>th</sup> of July Regatta- Part 2 – Nationals, Snipes, Thistles (2 races)  
July 4<sup>th</sup>-Sat – 1:00 pm Potluck  
July 4<sup>th</sup>-Sat – 8:00 pm Ice Cream Social and Fireworks  
July 5<sup>th</sup>-Sun - Season Races – 1:00 pm  
July 18<sup>th</sup>-Sat - Lawn Movie – Dusk  
July 23<sup>rd</sup> - 10:00am to 5:00pm – Member Club Rental

Check out our new events feature at  
<http://www.eaglelakesailingclub.org/Events.ubr>

*Cavalcade of Wheels held every March at Notre Dame. I am currently a full time student at Southwestern Michigan College with dual enrollment at Ferris State University where I hope to have my degree in Business Administration, and Accounting as well as my CPA by 2011.*

*I know little about sailing but I am a quick learn and love the challenges that it will represent. I have already learned very much from my short time already hanging out at the club, thanks to Bill Farabaugh’s excellent 30 minute lesson on his MC, I am confident I can hop in one and successfully sail it, and have already decided to go*



*with the MC fleet (unfortunately they seem to be harder to come by then kidneys right now), and I very much look forward to racing this summer.*

*I currently work at Press Ganey Associates in downtown South Bend after I was hired there last year for my internship in Business Administration. I also plan on staying there through my accounting internship and eventually through graduation. I look forward to meeting everyone around the lake, and being an active member of the ELYC.”*

*Welcome also to the following families whose profiles will be featured in a future issue: Dautel, Spaargaren, Toothaker, Vreeke,*

### Board of Directors and Officers

Julia and Mike Hoskins’ move to North Carolina created a vacancy on the board. Tim Reilly has agreed to fulfill the vacancy till the end of 2009.

### Sailing and Racing News

**Junior Sailing Program** – Sailing instructors Mark Makielski, Chris May and Gary Jones have their hands full with one of the larger groups in a long time. Thank you to all the club members who have loaned their boats out to our new members and guests and to the instructors who donate 3 to 4 hours a week to make this program possible.

### Memorial Day Regatta Results

Lasers – Chris May, Carolyn Hahn, Jon Oram  
MCs – Bill Kremer, Tom Cassidy, Tom Marosz

Nationals

- Carolyn Hahn & crew
- Frank Catanzarite & Diana Catanzarite
- David Makielski & crew

Snipes

- Mark Makielski & Annie Makielski
- David Scheibelhut & crew
- Kurt Weir & crew

Thistles

- Brian Reedstrom & Cali and Cara Reedstrom
- Chris May & Laura Makielski
- Bill Kremer & Lisa Heming



### High School Graduates Class of 2009

Drew Jones and Russell Majcher

ND Executive MBA Recipient - Scott Heming

80<sup>th</sup> Birthday - Al Taig

First Grandchild - On April 29<sup>th</sup> – Jon and Ginny Oram welcomed their first grandchild, Raphael, from proud parents Sally and Louis.

New Improved Website - Larry Latarte coordinated the update of our website. It includes calendar reminders, tweeter and blogging capabilities. (Now I just need to figure out what tweeter is ☺)

Weed Control - On June 12<sup>th</sup> the lake was treated for weeds. The club supported this through a donation to the Eagle Lake Improvement Association.

Parking Dues - If you have acquired a boat after the due and parking statements were issued, please remit the required parking fee of \$45 for the summer or \$100 for the year to Frank Catanzarite.

### House Keeping Reminders

Please remember to replace the Goose lines as you leave for the day. Our new sand has become quite an attraction for our feathered fiends.

The good news is we have several new members that need space in the sail loft. The bad news is the sail loft has become a storage area for boat parts that have not seen the water in many years. We have old Eaglette items, sails and blades from seldom sailed boats etc. **Please be a good club citizen and take a moment to remove your items that are not used and make room for the members who actively sail their boats.**

