HOMESTEAD YACHT CLUB NAUTINEWS

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As last month's General Meeting had to be canceled because of Katrina there are no minutes for this newsletter. You can only imagine the mess that Redland Country Club's kitchen was with all the spoiled foods, etc. Well, we are all about back to normal at least in our area, I'm sure everyone feels blessed compared to the Louisiana and Mississippi areas, and now Texas and Louisiana again.

George and Annibell (our newsletter editor) McDermot's son, Kyle and his wife, lived in New Orleans. Their home was 9' under water so Annibell has been very busy and preoccupied this past month with trying to help them get settled. She asked that I assist her this month so that's why this is coming from me and it isn't the normal newsletter

EVENTS:

Be sure to look at the photos from our **Miami Beach event**. You will see...we had a good time. Many thanks again to Larry & Sharon Roesch and Dee Riley and Ted Newlan for hosting and making this event successful.

Hawk's Cay was a successful and fun event as usual. Bill and Linda Clemons always do a super job. There were 22 members for dinner. The girl's "golf game" was held and Sharon Roesch won.

Our next event is the **Oktoberfest**, Saturday, October 15th. Ted Newlan and Dee Riley, Bill and Sandy Zinn will be our hosts. There is food, drink, music and dancing. The admission fee of \$10.00 will be paid by the club with advanced reservations because the tickets have to be bought in advance.

November's function has been changed. We will have a **Paella Party** on Dock B hosted by Mario and Sonia Espiniera. We will have more information at our October General Meeting but mark the date of November 19th.

Again, we have survived another hurricane. Of course, the season isn't over so don't get too relaxed.

You have no doubt noticed the new trash bins on the docks? Are we "uptown" or what??

General Meeting is Monday, October 3^{rd,} be there, we need to get regrouped after the hurricanes so until then, safe boating...

Cheers

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