



**HOMESTEAD YACHT CLUB  
OCTOBER 2005 NEWSLETTER**

**HOMESTEAD YACHT CLUB  
GENERAL MEETING  
October 3, 2005**

**Meeting called to order.** 7:33 PM

**Opening**-Thank-you everyone for coming.

**Minutes**-There was not a September meeting therefore, no notes.

**Treasurer's Report-** Dee Riley reported as Treasurer Sharon Roesch was out of town.

<b>Income:</b> Hawk's Cay Dinner	550.00	\$550.00
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<b>Expenses:</b> Hawks Cay Breakfast	146.55	
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Waters Edge Restaurant	650.00	
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<b>Total Expenses</b>		<u>796.55</u>
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<b>Ending Balance</b>		\$4919.53
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**Guest Speaker**-Steve Vasquez the Homestead Marina dock master

Bad News: Everything that is left on docks and is not attached is "his".

Good News: The grant for channel markers was approved. Also, There are no increases in dock fees for this year and we remain 40% under other Miami Marinas.

The Columbus Day Regatta is this week-end. There will be extra officers on duty.

Bill Clemons asked that the sign for fish containers be written in Spanish, as well as English.

Steve will have a permanent position as of April 22, 2006.

Special thanks to club member Peter Dean who helped a vessel in distress.

Please be careful, there have been four outboard propellers stolen.

Thank you for using trash cans.  
Any problems contact Steve.  
There are plans for the future docks.  
Continued work on door closes and recycling.

### **Committee Reports-**

- 1) **Membership**-(Dwayne)-53 paid memberships  
Guests of Peter Dean from Massachusetts, Cassandra and Adam Berringer. Also, welcome Jack and Edith Coffin
- 2) **Park Liaison**-(Buzz) Nothing, covered by Steve
- 3) **Roster**-(Sandy Zinn)-Nothing.
- 4) **Ship's Store**-(Charlotte Burgess)-Several things on back order due to storms.  
Items on sale at meeting...will have new items next General Meeting.
- 5) **Sunshine**-Barbara Hadden is out of the hospital after a bout with pneumonia and doing better. Get well, Barbara.
- 6) **Telephone/Meeting**-Suzie Snipes says "Great job, everyone!"
- 7) **Newsletter (Annibell McDermott)** Please contact Annie for any e-mail changes or sale item ideas.
- 8) **Web Master** (Larry Roesch) Not Present. (out of town with our Treasurer!!)

### **Events-**

**\*\*\* GENERAL MEETING DATE IS CHANGED TO MONDAY, NOV. 14<sup>th</sup>. Make a note. October 15 is Oktober Fest!**-Dee Riley, Ted Newlan, Bill and Sandy Zinn, sponsors. Will be held @ German American Club on Miller. Club will pay entry fee. Lots of fun! 40 people have signed up. Must get tickets before event or pay fee at the club.  
**The Paella Dock Party** has been changed to Saturday, **November 12<sup>th</sup>**, Please contact Mario and Sonia of you plan to attend.

**Unfinished Business**-December Boat Parades. Need a sponsor for either the Key Largo or Ft. Lauderdale Christmas Boat Parade. This is not to enter a boat but to attend as a group.

**New Business** -Nothing

**Announcements**-Bill Zinn-Flyers with notice of fines in reference to boating under the influence of alcohol, etc. These will be enforced this year. Bill handed out flyers showing the anchorage and list of fines.

George McDermott pointed out that nudity is permissible at the Columbus Regatta although, live sexual acts are unlawful.  
No more than five boats should be tied together, minimum of 75' between raft-ups.  
Bill Zinn has a friend who is a hurricane flyer and has interesting pictures Katrina's destruction. Please e-mail him @ sunbil@bellsouth.net if you are interested in seeing them.

**Election for officers next year.** Committee of Ted Newlan, George McDermot and Bill Clemons. Anyone interested in serving on the board or who has a member to submit, please

contact either committee member. Names will be submitted at the next General Meeting on November 14, 2005.

**50/50 Drawing** for \$40.50 - the winner is Suzie Snipes

**Meeting Adjourned** 8:45p.m moved by and second by Ted Newland.

**Please remember:**

- 1) Speak to new members and make them feel included and welcome.
- 2) Remember...this is your club; we function on volunteers and participation
- 3) For security purposes...close the gate.

If there is no further business and no objections the meeting is adjourned  
Moved by Bill Zinn and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ted Newland @ 8:45pm.

Respectfully Submitted  
Secretary,  
Dawn Kressly

**DON'T FORGET!!!!**

**The Paella Dock Party will be on Saturday, November 5th.**

**The price per person will be \$10.00 or \$12.00, Sonia needs to get the prices together before we can confirm the amount.**

**Please e-mail Sonia ASAP if you plan to attend as she needs to get an approximate count ([Sonia@Decotruss.com](mailto:Sonia@Decotruss.com) )**

**GENERAL MEETING CHANGE: Monday, November 14th.**

**We would like to welcome our newest members, Jack & Edith Coffin.  
Please add this to your list for contact:**

Jack & Edith Coffin  
8300 SW 90 St  
Miami, FL 33156  
305-595-7646-H  
305-298-1810-C  
E-mail: [kk4w@bellsouth.net](mailto:kk4w@bellsouth.net)  
"Nicole Rose" Power 41'4" B-22

Note:

Remember if you have anything to sell, just forward the information to [McDermogG@BellSouth.net](mailto:McDermogG@BellSouth.net) and your add will be included in the newsletter.