



### **Volunteers/Boats Needed for Boy Scout Sailing Merit Badge Training**

Ben Askren and Lou Trost are organizing a sailing education program for Boy Scouts to earn their Sailing Merit Badge. Classroom sessions will be held Thursday Aug 16<sup>th</sup> from 18:00 – 20:30 at Crestwood Christian Church, with a water lab at the Clay Lick Boat Ramp on Saturday August 18<sup>th</sup> beginning at 9:00.

**If you can volunteer a small boat, i.e. Sunfish or Laser, please contact Loud Trost. They are needed.** If you can help with either activity please contact Lou, [jonitrost@gmail.com](mailto:jonitrost@gmail.com) or Ben, [ben.askren@gmail.com](mailto:ben.askren@gmail.com) today.



The 2018 Youth Sailing Program ended with a really fun “Pirate Day” the last week in July. A total of 13 youth sailors participated in the program organized by Kelly Glines and Chuck Emrich. Details and lots of pictures inside.



## 2018 Youth Sailing Pictures





## Even More 2018 Youth Sailing Pics



Special thanks to all the CRSA members who helped with Youth Sailing including **Mark Breeden, Ruth Lawton, Charlotte and Bill Lubawy, Ken Ruhl, Sally Shafer, Dale Sturm, Seth Tawdry, Lou Trost and Graeme Wilson.**

### News About Newsletters

Your MainSHEET editor has been delinquent completing summer editions. This issue is absent news about a number of things including the Charity Regatta, Beginning Sailing and CRSA Cruises. The next issue will cover these activities.



## Great News: Mrs. Hook is Back

If you remember all members of CRSA were very concerned when Mrs. Hook learned she had serious health condition. Well thanks to a very quick diagnosis, and some even quicker surgery, Mrs. Hook's



issue was taken care of. In many respects she is completely "cured" and we are all grateful. Mrs. Hook will still be running Hook's boatyard and showing her smiling face to sailors. CRSA welcomes back Mrs. Hook and wishes her many more years.

## For Sail/Want To Sail

The MainSHEET will publish information about boats that members have for sale, or boats they wish someone else would have for sale. Send descriptions and pictures to [MainSHEET@Caverunsailing.org](mailto:MainSHEET@Caverunsailing.org).

## MacGregor, "Spirit of '76" 25 foot Venture



It's been called the prettiest boat on the lake, the red shiny one! Nissan 8hp electric start, like new motor,

recently been serviced and ready to go. Sleeps five, lights and fan in cabin, porta potty, pop top with screen for



summer nights. Sailboat has been painted, made safe with completely refurbished electrical system, reupholstered all cushions, new sails, spinnaker, and has solar charger for dual batteries. Been covered between sailings, covered all winter, and winterized each year since we owned it.

Having to sell because a formerly broken leg prevents Captain from safely operating it.

Location, Captain Hooks boat yard, across from Scott Creek Marina. Easy to launch, just drive across the road! Asking: \$4500. Call 859-223-5080 or email [Jane.Howell@uky.edu](mailto:Jane.Howell@uky.edu).

## Bic 250 Beginner's Sailboard/Windsurfer

Good to great condition Bic 250 Beginner's Windsurfer with multi-colored sail pictured below. Incredibly easy and fun to sail. Can be used as a paddle board. All parts including boom, centerboard, skeg, gooseneck etc are there. Board is incredibly stable and once was used by two 12 year old girls who were able to sail on it together. Great for teenagers or adults wanting to learn to windsurf. Current owner will provide a brief introduction to operation. Call 859-619-7942 or email [Lubawy@uky.edu](mailto:Lubawy@uky.edu). \$200.



Bic 250 Windsurfer sail

## CRSA Dinghies Meet Fridays for Lunch at Signature Club "Cellar"

CRSA Dinghies is a group of sophisticated CRSA members and guests devoted to sitting around and chatting about sailing and anything else that comes up in the course of lunch. Dinghies meet almost every Friday at noon at the Signature Club of Lansdowne Cellar Bar and Grille, 3256 Lansdowne Drive. Drop in, no reservations required. For last minute information check with Al Lawton 859-293-2793.



## The Mary Margaret II Committee Boat Now Has Sunfish Attached for Easy Use

Thanks to CRSA member **Brad Leslie**, the Margaret Mary II Committee Boat now has two Sunfish on it with blocks for relatively easy use. Sails are under the roof. Any CRSA member may use the Sunfish free after reserving the date with CRSA Harbor Master Lou Trost, [harbormaster@caverunsailing.org](mailto:harbormaster@caverunsailing.org). There is one really really really important thing to do when using the sunfish. When done make sure the sails are completely DRY before wrapping them up and placing back in the bags. Sails wrapped damp will mold in 3-4 days and are expensive to replace.



## Remember to Put the Drain Plug Back in the Pontoon Part of a Catamaran

Un-named CRSA members decided it would be a good teaching moment if they would show the results of not putting the drain plug back in the pontoon on a catamaran. Sailing was fantastic at first in 12+ knot winds, but then the cat slowed down. Eventually the boat listed to the stern where the crew members were handling the tiller. Fortunately, several motor boaters came over to help, learn, laugh a little, and tow the boat back to the ramp. Once on the ramp the pontoons were relatively easy to drain. The boat was re-launched and great sailing resumed. Special thanks to the crew and passers by for these instructional pictures, and of course to the motor boaters for helping.



## Founders of “Good Old Boat” Magazine Visit Green Turtle Bay in Western KY

Photos following were taken at Green Turtle Bay on the same pier used by CRSA member **Cliff Hynniman**. Pictures are of Karen Larson and Jerry Powlas, who founded the “Good Old Boat” magazine, and Cliff. Recently they sold it to the staff for \$1 and retired. They trailer the 30ft CandC pictured. After staying a month at GTB they went on to Lake Superior where they spend the summers on another 30ft Mega CandC. Their home is near Indianapolis.



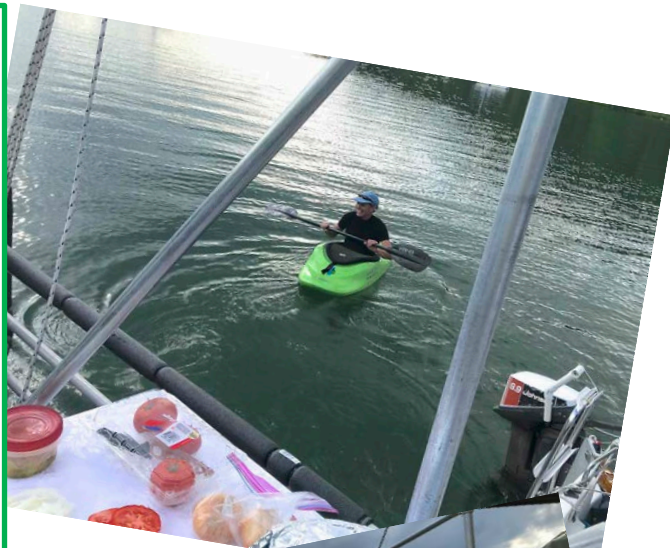
## Doing Anything Related to Sailing? Tell Us.

The editor of the MainSHEET is always looking for things that may be of interest to CRSA members. If you have taken sailing related trips, sailed in off Cave Run Lake races, or have done anything related to boats let Bill know. You can contact Bill directly at [mainsheet@caverunsailing.org](mailto:mainsheet@caverunsailing.org).



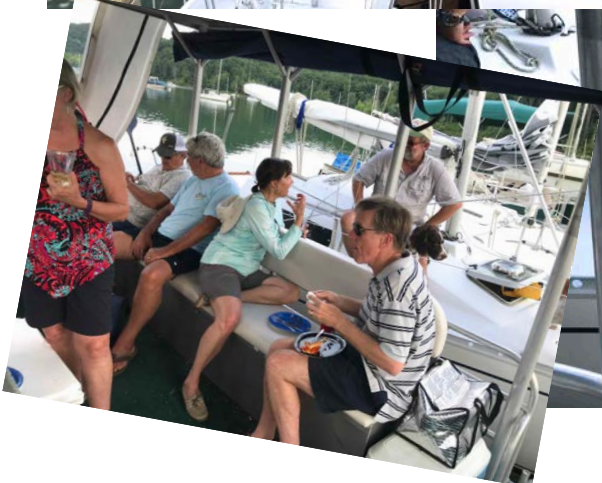
## CRSA Celebrates National Summer Sailstice

CRSA Social Chair **Graeme Wilson** organized a great Sailstice Celebration corresponding with the June solstice. Summer Sailstice is a national program organized by the American Sailing Association to promote sailing. Sailing clubs and/or individuals across the country schedule events for the solstice weekend. For the last several years CRSA has participated in these activities by scheduling a weekend raft up on the CRSA Committee boat. This year was no exception. About 35 CRSA members participated with a delicious grilled dinner of hamburgers, sausages and salads on Saturday evening followed by the raft up that night and a sausage and egg breakfast the following morning. About 10 boats were rafted together sometime during the event. It was a great time. Special thanks to **Graeme, Steve Morris, Ken Ruhl** and all the CRSA members who helped and participated





## More 2018 Sailstice Pictures





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**This issue of the MainSHEET has information on the Youth Sailing Program, the upcoming Boy Scout Sailing Merit Badge Weekend, the summer Sailstice, Mrs. Hook and some other important general announcements. Thanks to John Westfall Cliff Hynniman and Mark Breeden for pictures and other information.**