

Harbor 20 - Fleet 1

HIGHLIGHTS VOL.1 APR 2024



A Message from your Fleet Captain:

Welcome to the first issue of Highlights. Our new Fleet 1 Newsletter is devoted to keeping our membership up to date on what's happening with the fleet. And there's a lot happening! So far this year your Board has met twice and seated the new Board including new Treasurer, Kris Harrison, Secretary, Heidi Hall, and myself as your new Fleet Captain.

Further, the Board has agreed to some new initiatives, a better connected education program with both in classroom and on the water components, authorized a program including tools for boat measurement, agreed to a fiscally sound budget process and agreed to run and conduct regattas and social events throughout the year.

There's great energy in the Board room and we are looking forward to a fantastic year filled with fun times on and off the water! I'm hoping that if you are involved you stay involved and if you're not, come and find out what you've been missing! See you soon!

Kari Bretschger – Fleet Captain, Fleet 1

WHAT'S AHEAD FOR APRIL-JUNE: Don't miss out!

Regattas:

High Point:

4/7 BCYC, Lorin Weiss Series #2

5/19 BCYC, Lorin Weiss Series #3

Non-High point

April, May, June NHYC, Friday Frolics

4/28, NHYC Opening Day Regatta

Starting Monday, 5/6 ALYC Sundowner Series

Starting Thursday, 5/9, NHYC Twilights

Starting Tuesday, 5/14, BCYC Taco Tuesdays

Starting Wednesday, 5/15, BYC Twilights

Starting Thursday, 5/16, BYC Beer Cans

6/8, Betinna Bents Memorial NHYC

Education:

4/6 **BCYC** On the water clinic

4/27 ALYC C's the Day

5/18 On the water clinic LIYC

Seminar on Boat Handling/Sail Trim 6/2 **BCYC**

6/15 LIYC On the water clinic

Check out our website harbor20.org or the host yacht club website for more information on Regattas and Education.

Kicking Off a Busy Season:

Regattas:

It was a busy first quarter for Harbor 20 fleet racing. There were six high point regattas in the first three months and February provided the opportunity to race every weekend either at BYC, NHYC or BCYC!



NHYC WD Schock Memorial 2/17-18/24



BYC Sunkist Series 2/3/24

Education:

Each month Peter Haynes along with Phil Thompson and a team of expert mentors provided either a seminar or a clinic to increase sailing expertise for your fleet. Participation was robust with lots of sailors looking to up their game! Thanks to LIYC, BCYC and BYC for hosting.



Course instructor Peter Haynes in action at Lido Island Yacht Club.



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MEMBERSHIP DRIVE:

Fleet membership is strong yet we still have opportunity to grow. So, we developed a flyer to provide information about the value of membership. To view click the link below and feel free to share it with someone—crew or non-member skipper/ owner—who you think would enjoy joining the Fleet.

https://www.harbor20.org/wpcontent/uploads/2024/04/Harbor-20-Flyer-rev-3-pdf.pdf

WELCOME ABOARD! (JAN-MAR)

Laura Alterman (Associate)

John (Devin) Dwyer (Owner)

Michael Fischer (Associate)

James Hardenbergh (Skipper)

Anne Hoover (Associate)

Sabrina Kerr (Associate)

Katie Robinson (Owner)

David Willke (Owner)

Sari Zee (Skipper)

Matthew Zeiser (Associate)

MOVIN'ON UP! CONGRATS!!!

B TO A

Bill Symes, "Symbo"

Mike Kennedy

С ТО В

Peter Bretschger, "Adios"

Puzant Ozbag Zorayan, "Friday"

If you want to learn more about how to move up check out the article by Gary Thorne on our website www.Harbor20.org.

WANT TO GET INVOLVED?

Contact Kari@IMWagency.com to volunteer for a committee—regattas, hospitality, communications, benchmarks, education/clinics, state of the fleet, and administration.

SAVE THE DATE!

Monday, October 7, 7pm will be our first ever State of the Fleet meeting at the Balboa Yacht Club open to all Harbor 20 Fleet 1 members. Come hear your Board members share fleet goals, initiatives and what's ahead!





H20 FLEET 1—The largest of 9 fleets across the United States and home to where the fleet began. Dedicated to Sailing, Racing, Education, Community, Maintaining a One-Design Fleet