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Wind and Rain With Surprises on the Side KITSAP LAKE

With all the wind Saturday many thought Pat Gleason's RC Unlimited might be the only boat on Kitsap Lake all weekend.



The weather delay also afforded Patrick a moment to ask Club permission to Marry. With members OK, Commodore Dwight Pronounces "Nuptial Okey-Dokeys".



One of the nicest surprises of the weekend was the appearance of Glen Wesanko from Victoria Canada. Glen's been restoring the boat for quite a while, and the result is beautiful. With his rookie drive, Glen becomes the first active Western Canadian outboard racer in several years. Welcome aboard Glen.

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Meeting Minutes

22 May, 2007

Activity Reports:

Stock:

Dave Anderson spoke on the first couple races for the Tohatsu at the new prop-height, and listed items needed for Nationals. Dave added that he's averaging a phone call per day from people interested in coming out.

Mod:

Howard Shaw noted Oroville Divisionals with a surveyed 3/4 mile course.

PRO:

Steve Greaves noted dates for PRO Divisionals and Nationals, Adding that Depue would host the UIM 0175 World's Championships, and al old timer Driver's reunion.

Old business:

Fuel Meter:

Dwight Malhiot told members that the replacement for our ailing fuel meter has arrived and was checked out at Kitsap Lake.

Bridgeport:

Dick Rautenberg reported to members members on racing at Bridgeport. Dick noted sunny weather with little to no wind, and only one overboard. He reported 52 entries and was

concerned that members aren't turning out in bigger numbers.

Inboard Lawrence Lake:

Russ and Carol Dodge started by describing how a novice driver with a fogged canopy managed to park his 5-Liter on the community club dock. Russ went on to describe the racing, noting a record for J-Stock a, a pair of inboards and an OPC.

Kitsap Lake:

Kyle Bahl got as far as telling members it was windy on Saturday before being drowned out by whooping and hooting from tablemates, but eventually told us that Saturday was a blow-off. Kyle noted Sunday was a day of single heat races and with rain that got more and more intense throughout the day. Kyle noted the reappearance of Larry Oberto's Karelsen D with John Peeters Driving, and a turnout of 11 J-Hydros.

New Business:

At Risk Site Status:

Dwight reported confirmation that Warden Lake is off the schedule due to closure by the Department of Wildlife. Capitol Lake however has been cleared for racing and will be run as scheduled. Silver Lake Eatonville was still unresolved but unlikely.

Silver Lake, Everett:

Howard Shaw reported the event ready to go, noting that the Kiwanis trailer would be on site with food and drink.

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Wooden Boat Festival:

Steve Greaves described the display and activities at the Lake Union wooden Boat Festival (June 30 - July 4) and is looking for boats to display and volunteers to show them.

Capitol Lake:

Dwight focused on the Friday 13th test-day, noting what boats would be on hand for new driver rides, and that time would be set aside for J-classes only.

Other:

Lawrence Lake:

San Shaw reports that county approval permits are completed. Jan noted changes to the site. All the big cottonwood trees are gone, cut down to head off problems they'd cause for a new septic system. Jan says that water levels are currently high.

Edmonds Waterfront Festival:
Craig Fjarlie explained the festival and its goals and asked members to consider displaying boats there.

Silent Auction Props:
Dwight pointed out several propellers arrayed on a nearly table avail in a silent auction, and announced a closing time for bids.

Raffle:

Thermal Cups:
Drew Thompson, Steve Greaves, Art Losvar

Popcorn:
Dwight Malhiot

Caramel Popcorn:
John Peeters

Gazillion Candlepower spotlight:
J W Myers

Car Wash Kit:
Tim Salmon

Flashlight set:
Rick Sandstrom, Sheri Greaves

Kill-Switch Lanyard:
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Endangered Site News

Here's the latest word regarding threatened SOA racing sites

Capitol Lake: The milfoil issue was found not to be a concern and the event is cleared to run.

Silver Lake Eatonville: There has been an offer for the site that appears to be agreeable to all and that will allow the cointinuanace of racing out of the resort. Current status is upgraded to Tentative.

Changes are noted on the Page 4 schedule. Be aware that the Board could revise Babcock race schedule.

NATIONALS NEEDS

An ongoing list of items we'll be needing for the nationals.

1. We need a "Starter" for the Nationals. This person must be an APBA member and will be a member of the race committee. If anybody else is willing to help announce, we may rotate them between flags and announcing.
2. Trailer Towers: We will need four or five rigs to tow the SOA equipment over and back to Moses Lake.
3. We are in need of 4 or 5 signs/ banners for the nationals.

RV and camping spots are going fast. Please make your reservations now by calling Russ Bircher 360 458-1833

We need donations to help make this a great event. They'll help to subsidize the costs of the Prime Rib & Salmon banquet plus a qualifiers banquet, a drivers night and a possible family night at the water park. In order to do these things we need to have a raffle. NO ITEM IS TOO SMALL!!! Please send your donations to:

Sheryl Rucker 19719 28th Dr SE, Bothell, WA 98012

CLASS REPRESENTATIVES NEEDED

The club still needs your help with class representation. Here's a list of positions that need to be filled:

**C-Mod Runabout D-Stock Runabout D-Mod Hydro
D-Mod Runabout Formula-E hydro Formula-E Runabout**

Contact John Paramore (425-672-2757 or 350hydro@eskimo.net



2007 RACE SCHEDULE

~~April 28/29 (Sat. Babcock)
Columbia River, Bridgeport, WA~~

~~May 12/13
Inboard Lawrence Lk., Yelm, WA~~

~~May 19/20 (Sun. Babcock)
Kitsap Lake, Bremerton, WA~~

~~May 26/27
Willamette River, Newberg, OR~~

~~June 2
Silver Lake, Everett, WA~~

~~June 23/24
Cullaby Lake, Astoria, OR~~

~~July 7/8 **CANCELLED**
Warden Lake, Warden, WA~~

July 13 (Testing & Novice Rides)
14/15 (Sun. Babcock)
Capitol Lake, Olympia, WA

August 6 thru 12
Stock Nationals, Moses Lake, WA

August 18/19 **TENTATIVE**
Silver Lake, Eatonville, WA

September 1/2
Lake Lytle, Rockaway Beach, OR

September 7 (Testing)
8/9 (Sun. Babcock)
Lawrence Lake, Yelm, WA

September 29/30 (Sun. Babcock)
Moses Lake, Moses Lake WA

October 6 (7 Blowoff)
D-Lake Kilos Lincoln City, OR



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KITSAP LAKE Results

Kitsap Lake offered a little bit of everything...A wind-fest and blow-out on Saturday, followed by a little Sunday morning drizzle that developed into a downpour worthy of comparison to a cow urinating on a flat rock. The weather threat was good enough to keep racers on the beach Saturday and hold racing to a late start Sunday.

The weekend treated all to a variety of sights and surprises, including Pat Gleason's request for permission to marry, a LOT of J-Hydros chasing Ashley Rucker, Jared Martin's first-first, winning J-Runabout, and Glen Wasanko's appearance to bring a Canadian presence back to SOA races.

Sunday 20 May

J-Hydro:

- 1 Ashley Rucker Bothell, WA
- 2 Zach Hegemann Ravensdale, WA
- 3 Aaron Salmon Shorline, WA

- 4 Aaron Peterson Renton, WA
- 5 Jared Martin Black Diamond, WA
- 6 Shane Thompson Renton, WA
- 7 Addison Harper Pt Townsend, WA

J-Runabout:

- 1 Jared Martin Black Diamond, WA
- 2 Zach Hegemann Ravensdale, WA
- 3 Addison Harper Pt Townsend, WA

A-Stock Hydro:

- 1 Mike Perman Maple Valley, WA
- 2 Jonathan Nilsen Edgewood, WA
- 3 Aaron Peterson Renton, WA

A-Stock Runabout:

- 1 Mike Perman Maple Valley, WA
- 2 Jonathan Nilsen Edgewood, WA
- 3 Aaron Peterson Renton, WA

ASX Hydro:

- 1 Aaron Peterson Renton, WA
- 2 Zach Hegemann Ravensdale, WA
- 3 Ashley Rucker Bothell, WA

ASX Runabout:

- 1 Brian Bartlett Forest grove, OR
- 2 Aaron Peterson Renton, WA
- 3 Annie Thurman Hillsboro, OR

20ss Hydro:

- 1 Mike Perman Maple Valley, WA
- 2 Kyle Lewis Federal Way, WA
- 3 Kay Brewer Lk Stevens, WA

C-Stock Hydro:

- 1 Jonathan Nilsen Edgewood, WA
- 2 Kyle Lewis Federal Way, WA
- 3 Kyle Bahl Edmonds, WA

C-Stock Runabout:

- 1 DrewThompson Mukilteo, WA
- 2 Kyle Bahl Edmonds, WA

OSY400:

- 1 Kyle Bahl Edmonds, WA
- 2 Jonathan Nilsen Edgewood, WA
- 3 Ryan Johnson Renton, WA

D-Stock Hydro:

- 1 John Peeters Arlington, WA
- 2 Kyle Bahl Edmonds, WA
- 3 Troy Holmberg, Seattle, WA

D-Mod Hydro:

- 1 J W Myers Burien, WA
- 2 Corey Peabody Tacoma, WA
- 3 Troy Holmberg, Seattle, WA

C-Service Runabout:

- 1 Jim Nilsen Edgewood, WA
- 2 Zach Malhiot Allyn, WA

350cc Hydro:

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- 2 Sam Wallick Rochester, WA
- 3 Kay Brewer Lk Stevens, WA



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NEWBERG Results

Saturday 26 May

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- 1 Aaron Peterson Renton, WA
- 2 Zach Hegemann Ravensdale, WA
- 3 Addison Harper Pt Townsend, WA

J-Runabout:

- 1 Addison Harper Pt Townsend, WA
- 2 Jared Martin Black Diamond, WA
- 3 Zach Hegemann Ravensdale, WA

A-Stock Hydro:

- 1 Mike Perman Maple Valley, WA
- 2 Jonathan Nilsen Edgewood, WA
- 3 Kyle Hannon Hillsboro, OR

A-Stock Runabout:

- 1 Mike Perman Maple Valley, WA
- 2 Cameron Hansing Beaverton, OR
- 3 Jonathan Nilsen Edgewood, WA

ASX Hydro:

- 1 Zach Hegemann Ravensdale, WA
- 2 Aaron Peterson Renton, WA
- 3 Cameron Hansing Beaverton, OR

ASX Runabout:

- 1 Brian Bartlett Forest grove, OR
- 2 Zach Hegemann Ravensdale, WA
- 3 Aaron Peterson Renton, WA

20ss Hydro:

- 1 Mike Perman Maple Valley, WA
- 2 Tony Lombardo Concord, CA
- 3 Koell Abell portland, OR

C-Stock Hydro:

- 1 Kyle Lewis Federal Way, WA
- 2 Kyle Bahl Edmonds, WA
- 3 Koell Abell Portland OR

C-Stock Runabout:

- 1 Darrell Sorensen Chowchilla, CA
- 2 Dave Tonge Des Moines, WA
- 3 Kyle Bahl Edmonds, WA

OSY400:

- 1 Tony Lombardo Concord, CA
- 2 Jonathan Nilsen Edgewood, WA
- 3 Daren Goehring Arlington, WA

D-Mod Hydro:

- 1 Kyle Bahl Edmonds, WA
- 2 Dave Anderson, Kirkland, WA
- 3 Mark Allen, Salem, OR

C-Service Runabout:

- 1 Jim Nilsen Edgewood, WA
- 2 Mike Cruver Monroe, WA
- 3 Dwight Malhiot Bremerton, WA

Sport-C:

- 1 Jack Lawson Bend, OR
- 2 Wes Fridell LaConner, WA
- 3 Randy Limbeck Redmond, OR

45ss:

- 1 John Peeters Arlington, WA
- 2 Jamie Nilsen Edgewood, WA
- 3 Jason Diamond Bonney Lake, WA

SST 45:

- 1 Wayne Peeters N. Lakewood, WA
- 2 John Peeters Arlington, WA

F 150:

- 1 Rick Adams Anacortes, WA
- 2 Ken Adams Anacortes, WA
- 3 William hough Renton, WA

SST 120:

- 1 Kevin Christensen Pasco, WA
- 2 William Hough Renton, WA
- 3 Ken Adams Anacortes, WA

Sunday, 27 May

J-Hydro:

- 1 Addison Harper Pt Townsend, WA
- 2 Aaron Peterson Renton, WA
- 3 Austin Peterson Renton, WA

J-Runabout:

- 1 Brian Bartlett Forest grove, OR
- 2 Zach Hegemann Ravensdale, WA
- 3 Jared Martin Black Diamond, WA

A-Stock Hydro:

- 1 Mike Perman Maple Valley, WA
- 2 Kyle Hannon Hillsboro, OR
- 3 Kristina Kelly Auburn, WA

A-Stock Runabout:

- 1 Mike Perman Maple Valley, WA
- 2 Kyle Hannon Hillsboro, OR
- 3 Mike Bartlett Forest grove, OR

ASX Hydro:

- 1 Kelly Hannon Hillsboro, OR
- 2 Cameron Hansing Beaverton, OR
- 3 Tyler Roth North Plains, OR

ASX Runabout:

- 1 Brian Bartlett Forest grove, OR
- 2 Aaron Peterson Renton, WA
- 3 Cameron Hansing Beaverton, OR

20ss Hydro:

- 1 Koell Abell portland, OR
- 2 Mike Perman Maple Valley, WA
- 3 Tony Lombardo Concord, CA

C-Stock Hydro:

- 1 Kyle Lewis Federal Way, WA
- 2 Mike Perman Maple Valley, WA
- 3 Kyle Bahl Edmonds, WA

C-Stock Runabout:

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- 2 DrewThompson Mukilteo, WA
- 3 Darrell Sorensen Chowchilla, CA

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- 1 Dale Bartley Olympia, WA
- 2 Kyle Bahl Edmonds, WA
- 3 Mark Allen, Salem, OR

C-Service Runabout:

- 1 Jim Nilsen Edgewood, WA
- 2 Mike Cruver Monroe, WA
- 3 Dwight Malhiot Bremerton, WA

Sport-C:

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- 2 Jack Lawson Bend, OR
- 3 Wes Fridell LaConner, WA

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- 2 Jamie Nilsen Edgewood, WA
- 3 Jason Diamond Bonney Lake, WA

SST 45:

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- 2 John Peeters Arlington, WA
- 3 Jason Diamond Bonney Lake, WA

F 150:

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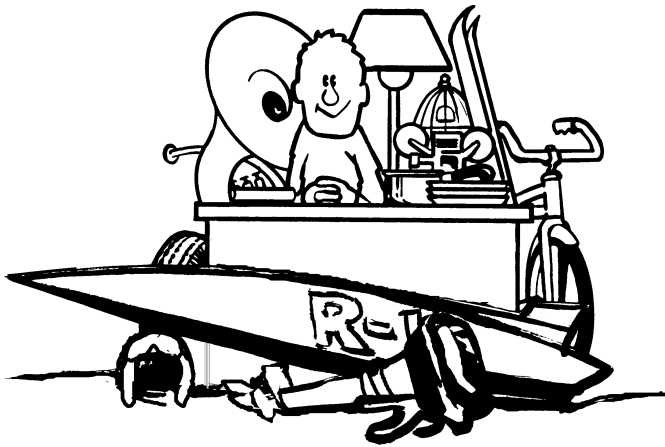
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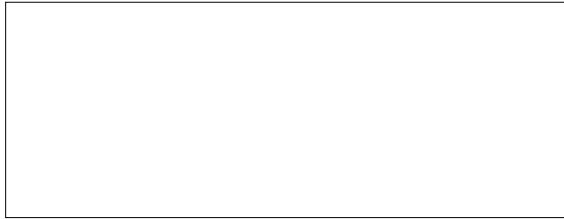
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