

SEATTLE OUTBOARD ASSOCIATION PIT PREVIEWS

December 2005

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From the Commodore

The previous two years have been very rewarding for me. I look back at all of the great names and events in SOA's history, and I am humbled at the honor of having served as Commodore.

There is a lot of untapped talent within the membership of SOA. I hope that those members who have yet to come forward and volunteer for various leadership positions will go ahead and accept the challenge head-on. Obviously, there are opportunities to serve on the Board of Directors. There are other ways to serve too. SOA always needs volunteers at our races, in positions such as race director, referee, inspector, scorer, and other duties. By serving in Various Capacities, I'm Certain you will find that the experience deepens your appreciation for racing, and adds a dimension to your involvement in the sport.

Finally, I want to thank everyone who helped me during the last two years. There are too many people to name individually, but you know who you are. I couldn't have done it without you. Your willingness to sacrifice time and energy in order to get things done is greatly appreciated.

See you in the first turn.

Craig Fjarlie

Ex-Officio

D-LAKE Results

Five records were set on D-Lake despite a low turnout and a Saturday blow-off



There were 17 entries, of which three were by Bob Waringer however when wind blew kilos off Saturday Bob had to leave to attend UIM meetings, leaving only 14 entries for perfect conditions on Sunday. Following are records that were set:

Randy Limbeck, Sport C, 60.023 mph.

Jason Williams, D Mod Hydro, 94.269 mph.

Aaron Peterson, J Hydro, 38.830 mph.

Dustin Echols, 2.5 Mod, 137.279 mph.

Larry Lauterbach, National Mod, 152.274 mph.

There were two region records set, one by Limbeck and one by Echols. (Limbeck's region record was actually faster than his APBA record.)

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Meeting Minutes

25 October, 2005

Activity reports:

Stock:

Dave Anderson noted an upcoming Stock Commission meeting that should determine the outcome of a racer's appeal of a fuel disqualification. He added that business includes a decision on the destiny of the Tohatsu D-motor. He also made a request to members with proposal possibilities to get them to Jim Nilsen or Dave to be presented at the national meeting.

Mod:

Ryan Johnson reported that John Read will be stepping down as Mod Chairman.

PRO:

Steve Greaves announced dates for PRO Nationals and reminded members of commission elections.

J- Class:

Rockey Peterson noted three new rules for the upcoming season. These include rules on lifting rules, restrictors needing to be stamped "APBA", and an open book test for new J-drivers. Rockey noted that the test can be downloaded.

Region:

Jim Codling noted ballots are out and will be counted on 6 November, and reminded members of the November 27th Banquet.

Old Business:

Moses Lake:

Ryan Johnson reported that Moses was blown off Saturday, and that the "Apple cup" was taken by Central Washington.

Oroville:

Records were noted for J. Michael Kelly in 25ss Runabout and Jim Nilsen in C cacing Runabout. J. Michael was also the weekend "iron-man" racing 18 heats. Jim Nilsen backed up his record run by blowing over in a later antique heat, and Dave Anderson gave spectators a boat shredding demonstration in testing.

D-Lake Kilos:

Dick Rautenberg said kilos were blown off Saturday but good water was available for Sunday trials. He was disappointed in the event only drawing 17 entries. 5 records were set, plus 2 region records. One of the record setters ran for a region record as well, turning a faster time in his region mark than in his APBA record.

The "J" Project:

Tony Perman reported a good turnout at the Hydro Museum for the initial meeting on the J-Project, in which several J-Hydros will be constructed by kids and parents with the help of the museum and racers. These

boats (5 Sorensen Kit hydros) will be completed through the winter and raced by the kids as new drivers next season. Unlimited and outboard racers J W Myers and J Michael Kelly were on hand to help the young builders. It was decided that work would be weekly for two hours from noon to two on Saturdays, and assistance from SOA members is welcomed. Darrell Sorensen will be in town to help start the project and David Williams is working on arrangements for loaned motors.

Craig Fjarlie said that there's a suggestion we hold our novice school at the museum in March.

2007 Stock Nationals:

Dave Anderson announced the first major sponsor for the event as America's Choice Painting, which will sponsor trophies for the event. Dave says he thinks he may have a title sponsor, but is awaiting word of confirmation. Finally, Dave announced a meeting on the Nationals on 1 November.

New Business:

APBA/NBRA/AOF:

Jan Shaw noted a call from Roy Mackey who said that an NBRA short course Nationals is to be held at Banks Lake on Fathers day, and all APBA cards will be recognized as valid for the event. There is currently quite a bit of such fraternal interaction either approved or proposed between APBA, AOF and NBRA.

CPR classes:

Jan Shaw noted that we're behind in CPR carded members and is proposing classes to qualify interested members.

2006 Officer election results:

Craig Fjarlie read results of the SOA officer election. Here are the results:

Sergeant at Arms:

J. W. Myers

Secretary:

John Paramore

Treasurer:

Joanne Heggeman

Vice Commodore:

Drew Thompson

Commodore:

Dwight Malhiot

Craig Fjarlie Passed the Gavel to new Commodore Dwight Malhiot

SOA Board of Directors

Nominations:

Commodore Dwight Malhiot opened nominations for SOA's 2006 Board of directors.

Nominations for 5 openings were as follows:

Troy Holmberg

Todd Cragin

Corey Peabody

Rockey Peterson

Kathy Myers

Mike Kelly

Debi Perman

Carl Lewis

Russ Bircher

Raffle:

Steering clips:

Dylan Lewis

T-Shirts:

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Wingdome Card:

Zach Heggeman

Pass the Pot:

Phil Williams

Al Peffley

Wayne LaChapelle

Dick Rautenberg -- Winner

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- 2 Aaron Peterson Renton, WA
- 3 Ashley Rucker Spokane, WA

J-Runabout:

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

K-PRO Hydro:

- 1 Tyler Roth Hillsboro, OR
- 2 Jonathan Nilsen Edgewood, WA
- 3 Kelly Hannon Hillsboro, OR

AXS Hydro:

- 1 Mike Perman Maple Valley, WA
- 2 Anthony Short Pt Townsend, WA
- 3 Aaron Peterson Renton, WA

AXS Runabout:

- 1 Aaron Peterson Renton, WA
- 2 Anthony Short Pt Townsend, WA
- 3 Jonathan Nilsen Edgewood, WA

A-Stock Hydro:

- 1 Mike Perman Maple Valley, WA
- 2 Anthony Short Pt Townsend, WA
- 3 Jonathan Nilsen Edgewood, WA

A-Stock Runabout:

- 1 Mike Perman Maple Valley, WA
- 2 Jonathan Nilsen Edgewood, WA
- 3 Ryan Johnson Renton, WA

20ss Hydro:

- 1 Jonathan Nilsen Edgewood, WA
- 2 Ryan Johnson Renton, WA
- 3 John Pucek Everett, WA

C-Stock Hydro:

- 1 J. Michael Kelly Auburn, WA
- 2 Jamie Nilsen Edgewood, WA
- 3 Cass Hegemann Ravensdale, WA

C-Stock Runabout:

- 1 J. Michael Kelly Auburn, WA
- 2 Kyle Bahl, Edmonds, WA
- 3 Todd Cragin Kirkland, WA

OSY-400:

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

25ss Runabout:

- 1 J. Michael Kelly Auburn, WA
- 2 JW Myers Kenmore, WA
- 3 Mike Perman Maple Valley, WA

350cc Hydro:

- 1 Bill Diamond Tacoma, WA
- 2 Zach Malhiot Silverdale, WA
- 3 John Pucek Everett, WA

D-Stock Hydro:

- 1 Todd Cragin Kirkland, WA
- 2 Craig Fjarlie Edmonds, WA
- 3 Dave Anderson Kirkland, WA

D-Mod Hydro:

- 1 Pat Gleason Bellevue, WA
- 2 J. Michael Kelly Auburn, WA
- 3 JW Myers Kenmore, WA

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SOA CLUB



AWARDS

Now's the time to bring in club and region perpetual trophies for the annual overhaul before Presentation to new recipients at region and club banquets.

If you haven't yet done so, get those trophies in to Kathy Myers or bring them to the SOA general meeting on October 25th.

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2005 SCHEDULE

April 30/May 1

Columbia River, Bridgeport, WA

May 14-15

Inboard Lawrence Lake

May 21/22

Kitsap Lake, Bremerton, WA

May 28/29

Willamette River, Newberg, OR

June 11

Silver Lake, Everett, WA

June 25/26

Cullaby Lake, Astoria, OR
PRO Western Divisionals

July 16/17

Capitol Lake, Olympia, WA

August 20/21

Scootney Reservoir, Connell, WA

August 27/28

Silver Lake, Eatonville, WA

September 9/10/11

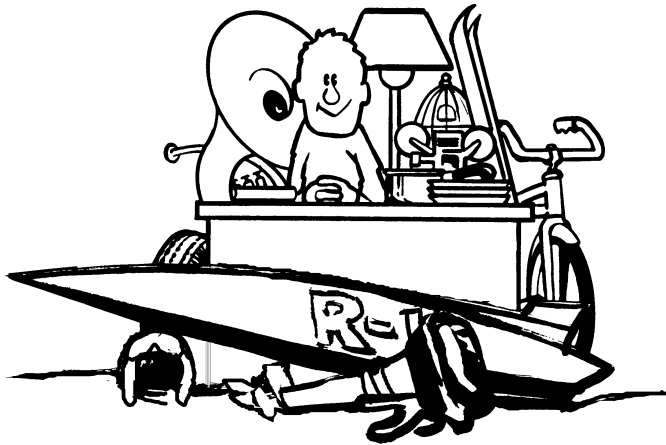
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October 1/2

Moses Lake, Moses Lake WA

October 15

D-Lake Kilos Lincoln City, OR



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The SOA Board meets at the same address, same time on the second 2nd Tuesday of each month



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SOA GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22nd AT THE KIRKLAND EAGLES, 258 CENTRAL WAY, KIRKLAND, WA

*The Next General Meeting is at 7:30 p.m.
 Tuesday, November 22nd at the Kirkland Eagles
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