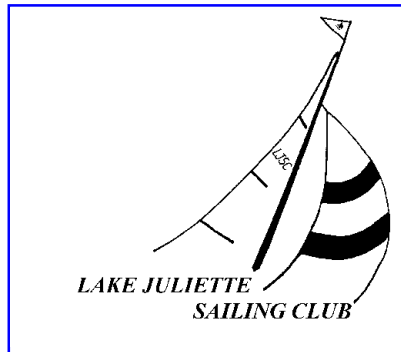


JULIETTE RUDDER

After Christmas Party

This is the most important meeting of the year. This is where we elect our new officers, propose cruising ideas, kick off our membership roster for the year, meet new members for the first time, start the planning for the years sailing calendar, and of course have a good time. If you plan to be a member of the Lake Juliette Sailing Club for 1997, this is the meeting to attend.

This year the location will be a little different than it has for the last 4 or 5 years. It will be held at the **Club House at Corder Crossing in Warner Robins**. We are renting this place for a small fee and we are able to do this courtesy of Kenny Allen. Kenny Allen had been associated with this Club and the OSYC. He is most of the time the better part of the crew on "*The Lone Ranger*", a Ranger 22 owned and skippered by John Drawe. The meeting is to be held on the **25th of January** and will **start about 4-5PM** with plans to **eat about 6PM**. The entree will be grilled steaks. (We will need some volunteers to act as grill



masters) The cost will be \$5.00 per person to cover the steaks, and bring a covered dish. Please call either Me (929-1377) or Jan LaBeause (935-2438) as soon as possible to reserve your steak. We need to know by Wednesday, the 15th, how many steaks to buy. We will need maybe a couple of card tables and probably 10 or 18 folding chairs. This meeting was originally scheduled to be held on the 18th but because of an error in time frames requested by another party we had to move it to a later Saturday. See the map to learn how to get to the Club House at Corder Crossing.

Notices

Spring Boating Courses

Boating Skills: This course will offer boating enjoyment, language, legal requirements,

aids top navigation, charts and compasses. A certificate will be awarded for successful completion by the U. S. Coast Guard Auxiliary. Tuesdays & Thursdays 7 - 9 PM Jan 28 to Feb. 18th Macon College, Rm K-206, Fee: 30 (Payable the first night of class)

Sailing & Seamanship: Learn what makes a sailboat, how a boat sails, basic maneuvering, rigging and boat handling. Tuesdays & Thursdays 7 - 9 PM, March 4 to 27 Macon College, Rm. E105 Fee: 30 (Payable the first night of class)

Boat Shows

Jan 8-12 Atlanta Boat Show, World Congress Center
Jan 11 - 12 Sail Expo, Atlantic City, NJ.
Jan 16-19 Tampa Boat Show, Convention Center
Jan 30-Feb. 1 Strictly Sail, Chicago, IL.
Feb. 13-19 Strictly Sail, Miami, FL.

Lake Juliette

The lake water level is UP!!!!. A week ago it was only about 2-3ft below normal and with the rain from last week the level should come up even more. We can sail again!!!

Editor - by Bob Horan

Each year I have great expectations for the coming sailing season. 1997 is no exception. We, as a club, will be faced with new challenges and opportunities. All of us have joined the Lake Juliette Sailing Club because we have an interest in Sailing. Most of us see the club as more than that. For many of us it is the source of some of our closest friends. Each year during the first couple of

months we learn that some of the former members are not rejoining us. I hope this year we can somehow not lose any of those friends/members. This issue goes out this year to former members as far back as 3 years. If you receive this issue, consider it an invitation to join us for what appears to be a very special year, and not just an announcement of an event of another area club. Just because you did not join last year, is not a reason to join and participate in '97. See additional info under the

heading of, After Christmas Party/Membership Meeting.

As you can see the newsletter is changing. There is a push to make the Juliette Rudder more compact and efficient. The print should be clearer although it might be smaller. This first issue for 97 is a little small but after the January meeting there should be additional material available for publishing. I have not finalized on a format, so if you have any suggestions, please call, write, or e-mail me. (929-1377, bobs-garage@juno.com)
