



OFF SOUNDINGS CLUB

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Prizes & Awards Committee Report

Commodore Davis,
Members of the Board of Governors,
of the Off Soundings Club:

As a change from the recent past all the prizes for the Spring and Fall Series in 1980 were purchased from A.G.A. Correa of Wiscasset, Maine, for a relatively favorable cost of \$1710 including engraving, compared to a cost of \$2001 the previous year. First prize for all classes consisted of a set of 11 ounce cocktail glasses with two color club burgee and name of prize inscribed. Second, third and fourth prizes were mahogany candle sconces, slate pepperweights, and mahogany pencil holders respectively, each bearing a stainless steel plate with the sailplan, number and name of the winning boat and the prize. Although the inscription of the sailplans on the prizes necessitated a delay in delivery to the winners, it is believed the prizes were generally well received. On the other hand there are advantages in having the Mystic Seaport Museum Stores handle the prizes as they take care of a number of burdensome details such as engraving and packaging, and this is after all our "home port", a good central location.

The 72 prizes went to 65 different skippers, 58 members and 7 guest skippers. All skippers received their trophies.

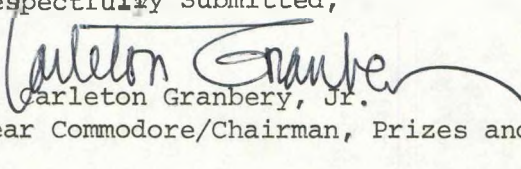
Perpetual Trophies will be returned and re-engraved this winter and Keeper Plaques provided for the first three places in each class.

Attached is a list of the 1980 Spring and Fall Series winners, and list of the items and prices of the Trophies including engraving charges.

I again wish particularly to thank Vice Commodore Eliot Porter for taking over the distribution of the prizes when I was unable to attend the Fall Series.

Any suggestions to improve the prizes and awards effort will be welcome.

Respectfully Submitted,


E. Carleton Granbery, Jr.
Rear Commodore/Chairman, Prizes and Awards Committee

WINNERS - OFF SOUNDINGS 1980

SPRING

FALL FALL

CLASS A-1

1st Puritan	Donald Robinson	Bonnie Lassie	R.A.Wilson, Jr.
2nd Katrinka	Frank Winder	Puritan	Donald P. Robinson
3rd Tynaje	Peter C. Ross	Tynaje	Peter C. Ross
4th Dulcinea	Howard Bidwell	Freedom	Harry Elliott

CLASS A-2

1st Katrina	J. Nicholas Newman	Tumbler	Kenneth B. Tate
2nd Blueflower	Samuel Hird	Xaipe	Thomas S. Wadlow, Jr.
3rd Tempest	David G. Bourne	Dolphin	John Lockwood
4th Tumbler	Kenneth B. Tate	Bow-Wow	Nicholas Staub, II

CLASS B-1

1st Chanteyman	E.L.Raymond	Sunshine	A. Bryson Dawson
2nd Paramour	Walter D. Strang, Jr.	Black Arrow	W.L.Ames
3rd Jaeger	Mark A. Turner	Minandet II	John S. Lovell
4th Ladybug	Wm. E. Fortmann	Ladybug	Wm. E. Fortmann

CLASS B-2

1st Marionette	Thomas R. Mrston	Tigress	Allen Anderson
2nd Cookie Monster	William A. Loweth	Easy Pace	Darryl Hersant
3rd Tiki	Joe & Rex Walden	Velero	Reinhard Sarges
4th Afta-Five	Arthur H. Meyers	Piper	Robert Almeida, Jr.

CLASS C-1

1st Wahoo	James R. Sweet	Banshee	Robert Almeida
2nd Firebrand	Dennis Posey	Scamper	J.K.Baker
3rd Rampage	Robert L. Boger	Dilemma	C.T.Sturgess
4th Blixtar	J.K.Baker	Alethea	John Holstein

CLASS C-2

1st Risk	S. Carter Gowrie	Crystal Blue Persuasion	Ronald Levine
2nd Pirate	Bill Baxter	Ginch	Paul Connor
3rd Jet Stream	Jack Wills	Impulse	Grant Rawding, Jr.
4th Manace	James G. Dill, Jr.	Sea Yanker	R.P.McManus

CLASS C-3

1st Magic Dragon	Fred Prella, Jr.	Maria	Donald C. Davis
2nd Kachina	B.G.Tremaine, Jr.	Fire Girl	Mark S. Hough
3rd Ruby Begonia	Alfred Fritzsche	Elusive	C.E.Poindexter
4th Anticipation	Harold Elston, Jr.	Celebration	John Baird

CLASS C-4

1st Ragtime	Rodney Johnstone	En Charette	Ronald K. Noe
2nd Daddy Wagon	Bill Healy	Ain't Misbehavin'	Bob Evelyn
3rd Ain't Misbehavin'	Bob Evelyn	Yachtzee	Bruce Biddle
4th Popinjay	William A. Lieber	Popinjay	William Lieber

CRUISING CANVAS CLASS

1st Shady Lady	John B. Johnstone	Sparky	Jack Haugh
2nd Spindrift	William Rich, Jr. & III	Magic	Herbert Owen
3rd Rights of Man	Samuel J. Geiger	Irresistible	James Slimmon, Jr.
4th Persephone	John M. Mills	Kona	C. Wallace Tiernan

Itemized list of 1980 Off Soundings Race Series
Prizes and individual retail prices at A.G.A.
Correa including cost of engraving.

SPRING AND FALL SERIES: (All classes)

FIRST	Burgee Glasses	\$26.00
SECOND	Candle Sconces	27.00
THIRD	Paperweights	21.00
FOURTH	Pencil Holders	21.00

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TO: Commodore Don Davis

The following interim report is forwarded for review and discussion at the 10/18/80 Board Meeting.

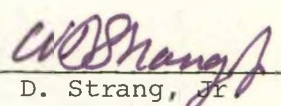
Balance on Hand 10/01/80

Checking Account	\$8,119.13	
Savings Account	<u>5,313.91</u>	\$13,433.04

Actual (a) and Estimated Expenses Through 12/31/80

Race Committee (a)	292.80	
Launch Service (a)	600.00	
Race Secretary (a)	16.16	
Films (e)	350.00	
Xmas Gifts (e)	200.00	
Board Meeting(e)	175.00	
Fall Race Party (e)	2,500.00	
Race Committee Rooms (e)	200.00	
Fall Race Results (e)	300.00	
Miscellaneous (e)	<u>500.00</u>	5,133.96

Estimated Balance 1/01/81		8,299.08
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W. D. Strang, Jr.
Treasurer

Reference:

1981 - 8,299.08
1980 - 6,716.61
1979 - 7,082.15
1978 - 9,094.26

Original - Secretary - Richard W. Woolworth
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Report of the Vice Commodore

To: The Board of Governors
Off Soundings Club

Gentlemen:

Your vice commodore figured that as a matter of self interest the most important thing to do this year was to keep the Commodore healthy and on station. Consequently I prescribed daily vitamin pills.

On Friday, June 13th, he finished a respectable 8th out of 23, but on Saturday in spite of the fact that the wind ran out on the entire class C-3, I somehow expected him to finish. Alas he motored in like all the humans in the rest of his class.

This shook me up a little so I doubled the dosage of vitamins for the next three months 'til the Fall Series. Maybe I overdid it just a wee bit because on Friday, September 12th, Commodore Davis and Maria beat 23 hot boats to Block in 1st place and on Saturday led them around the Island with another 1st for a natural 1st overall.

I breathed a sigh of relief and felt my season was successful.

Two other items to report:

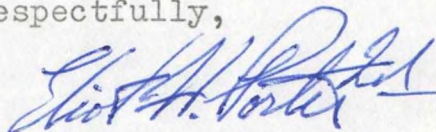
The Annual Dinner last April at Seamans Inn was planned with the very capable help of Eileen Ames and the clout of Seaport Trustee Dick Woolworth, and Eileen and Bill Ames handled the tickets and accounting. 257 dinners at \$15.00 were served for which we paid \$3,855. We collected \$3,722. There were 16 guest dinners but a few paid-ins didn't show reducing the deficit to only \$133.

Item 3; If I am requested to plan the Annual Dinner next spring I would propose to negotiate again with Seaman's Inn for the best meal for as close to \$15.00 as possible, space the bars adequately, and have enough waitresses for quick service. Any other suggestions from the Board would be appreciated.

I would further propose for your consideration the addition of two casual entertainment features to be sprinkled into the evening program to add to its festiveness. These are Bill Ames' four-piece "Rock of Ages" Dixieland Group and Tom Russell's "Starboard Watch" Barbershop Quartet. These features could be worked in separately without prolonging significantly what is normally a fairly early evening - possibly during cocktails, dinner breaks, after trophies, and with both groups for a short sing-song after the movies. The cost in either guest-dinners or cash would be about \$60.00 for each group.

If this idea meets with the approval of the Commodore and the Board I would pursue it further.

Respectfully,



Eliot H. Porter 2nd,
Vice Commodore