



The Zephyr

FROM THE ARCHIVES

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The NNYC has always been about racing in one way or another. I've always said, "if there are two boats on the water, they are racing." Not necessarily true, but certainly one measures his own progress regarding other boats on the water. In this weeks *From the Archives* lets go back to the 1860s and one of the earliest recorded races on Lake Winnebago between the *Mayflower* and the *Falcon*. [Click here](#) for the story.

GARY JOBSON

Planning is underway and the NNYC is still thrilled to be hosting Gary Jobson as a guest speaker on Saturday, July 12th. There will be a cocktail hour and dinner before the talk. Gary Jobson is a former All-American collegiate sailor. He won the America's Cup in 1977 as tactician for Ted Turner. As a broadcaster/producer (he is ESPN's Sailing Analyst), lecturer, and writer (he is an Editor at Large for Sailing World and Cruising World magazines), Jobson is the pre-eminent ambassador for sailing in the U.S. Stay tuned for more details and check out [Gary's website](#) for more info on this great sailor and author as well as some neat videos.

GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR WOMEN SAILORS

Here is an article from the Milwaukee Sailing Center about the Midwest Women's Sailing Conference. This will be an exciting day of "women teaching women" If anyone is interested in carpooling contact communications@nnyc.org.

The Midwest Women's Sailing Conference is proud to announce the keynote speaker and guest instructor for our upcoming conference, Pam Wall! Pam grew up sailing on Lake Michigan. She attended the University of Wisconsin where she was elected president of the Hoofers Sailing Club. After Graduation she moved to Florida to sail year round. After many years of cruising Pam became a Cruising and Outfitting Consultant for West Marine for 20 years. Pam now gives lectures on cruising and outfitting across the country. The sailing conference will feature the keynote speaker first thing and then move into a fun day of hands on workshops covering many topics such as introduction to sailing, safety, knots, docking, weather, sail trim, spinnaker flying, and more! Last years conference sold out and this one is filling up fast, reserve today and don't miss your chance! The 2014 Midwest Women's Sailing Conference is Saturday, May 17 8:00 am - 6:00 pm at the Milwaukee Community Sailing Center, 1450 N. Lincoln Memorial Drive, Milwaukee, WI 53202. Cost \$125.00. Visit www.womenssailing.org for more information and full class schedule.

SPRING FLING CELEBRATION

In a few weeks you will be getting postcards mailed to you for the Spring Fling Celebration on Saturday March 22nd. This years Spring Fling will be at the Holiday Inn. In Remington's back room. For \$10 you will get appetizers, pizza, and pitchers of beer and soda. Look for those cards in the mail soon and don't miss this great opportunity to come out of hibernation and kick off the 2014 sailing season in a big way!

LINKS

Check out our website's new links page by clicking [here](#) or going to the top of our homepage to see a great list of sailing resources! You will find links to local sites, weather, history, fleets and organizations, boat handling reference, rigging and repair reference, and sailing magazines. Let us know if you come across a cool sailing-related site you think deserves a link.

FACEBOOK

Get on board and like the [NNYC on Facebook](#) for lots of cool updates, pictures, and our Throwback Thursday features!



Calendar of Events

Monthly Sailor Gathering-
Wednesday, February 19
6:00 PM at Aspen Landing

Spring Fling-
Saturday, March 22nd

Memorial Day Parade -
Monday, May 26

Sailing Open House (Expo)-
Saturday, June 14th

Sailing Themed Neenah
Farmer's Market-
Saturday, June 21st

Parade of Lights-
Thursday, July 3rd

Community Fest/Venetian
Parade-
Friday, July 4th

NNYC 150th Invitational
Regatta and speaker Gary
Jobson-
Saturday, July 12th

Annual General Meeting,
Celebration TBD-
Saturday, November 8th