

The Zephyr

CORN ROAST

This years Crew Appreciation Night and Corn Roast will be held on Tuesday, August 26th at the Whiting boathouse. For \$5 you can get burgers, brats, sides, and all the amazing corn you can take down. Beer and wine will be available for \$2/each and cans of soda and bottles of water available for \$1. Celebrate a great season of racing and visit with your friends at the timelessly cool Whiting Boathouse. The corn roast is definitely not to be missed! Please RSVP to Terry Smith at social@nnyc.org or 920-428-7831.

FROM THE ARCHIVES

It's time to help your Club Historian a bit . . . and I promise it will be fun and worthwhile!

I've spent considerable time- and will continue to do so regularly- in putting up all kinds of archival documents - highlighted by the following:

- Neenah Yacht Club, Nodaway Yacht Club and NNYC minutes from the 1890's to the 1940's
- Newspaper articles from the 1870's and into the 1940's
- Racing programs from the 1920's through the 1960's
- Photographs and pictures from the 1880's up to present day - over 700!!

Now I need your help! A couple of things . . .

1) **Pictures** - most are numbered and all are named. I need help in identifying people and boats/skipper. If you can make any ID's for me please forward them to me at okoboji@new.rr.com. This would be very helpful in making our heritage clear and meaningful.

2) If you have any pictures, news articles, or other NNYC memorabilia that you can share and add to our history, make me aware and I will get with you directly to determine how to archive it.

I know many of you have "stuff" that could add to our history base - please share you knowledge and anything else you can contribute.

Doug Hatch, NNYC Treasurer and Historian

FUN POST-SEASON RACE

We will be having a special post-season race on Tuesday, September 2nd. Your boat will still be in the water so why not get some use out of it? Get ready to have a blast racing once around a triangle like the NNYC did in the old days (this one won't be 12 miles long though). We will score the race using the NNRF rating. Race will start at 6 and end in time to get back before dark. We will meet at the Holiday Inn after the race for a casual social gathering and presentation of some special trophies. Biodegradable water balloons and squirt guns encouraged! Stay tuned for more details!

NNYC LITTLE FREE LIBRARY

Steve Laedtke recently completed a little free library (LFL) that has been installed at the shed at the harbor. A little free library is a "take a book, return a book" gathering place where neighbors share their favorite literature and stories and they are growing in popularity. The library will house books for people to take and return or provide a spot to drop off unused books, especially on the topic of sailing. Our LFL will be registered and featured on maps of libraries. See a picture of the library below. It is a very nautical design featuring cleats for handles and a solar powered lighthouse. If you have some unused sailing books please think about placing them in our LFL. Way to go, Steve!



The recently completed NNYC Little Free Library (above)



FVSS adult class students go out for a sail with NNYC members on their Keelboat Night (two photos above)



Calendar of Events

Crew Appreciation Party (Corn Roast)-
Tuesday, August 26th

Labor Day Race-
Saturday, August 30th
10:00 AM

Fun Race-
Tuesday, September 2nd
6:00 PM

Race Committee Assignments:
See www.nnyc.org/race-committee/ for more details

THIS WEEK

Tue, Aug 19
Kevin Quinn
Peter Holzworth

Wed, Aug 20
John Anderla

Thu, Aug 21
Paul Ruthven

NEXT WEEK

Tue, Aug 26
Rob Curran
Larry Kaup

Wed, Aug 27
Mark Hallett

Thu, Aug 28
Series Leader

Submit your sailing photos to communications@nnyc.org or upload them to our Facebook page and they might end up in a Zephyr!