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COMMODORE'S LETTER

50 YEARS BEHIND THE MAST! a fitting summary of the fifty years of legends and goings on at the LHYC and a fitting title for the revelry at the 1991 Fall Trophy Awards Banquet.

It all began on Monday evening June 30, 1941, when "a nucleus of the Lake Harriet Yacht Club was formed." The first race was run Sunday morning July 6th, won by Ralph Tyler, Class C, and Elizabeth Westerman, Class X. The roster of 38 members included "boatowners, their wives, their children, and interested friends." Dues were one dollar. After spending money on "watermelons, candy for a treasure hunt, postal cards and postage, and 8 yards of red percale," the "total assets" of the club were \$28.97.

50 years later, our roster of members numbers over 100, we still include "boatowners, their wives, their children, and interested friends." We even include treasured Honorary members, Judges, and members on distant shores. Revenue from memberships and race fees totaled \$6802 in 1991. But these were not our only resources, and we have learned to spend proportionately!

Our greatest resources are our members and friends, our patient families, our outstanding Lake Harriet setting maintained and supported by the Park Board, and the members and volunteers from all of the 50 years before us.

This year while the rest of the world was embroiled in events like Desert Storm, the Clarence Thomas/ Anita Hill harassment hearings, and revolutions in Russia and Yugoslavia, on Lake Harriet, we became members of the international sailing community by joining IMCSRAA* Protest hearings were revived, memberships and yacht registrations flourished, permanent buoys became light and humanly manageable. A renewed emphasis on safety stimulated extensive training in safety boat handling, proper boat righting techniques, race rules, racing procedures, and greater general interest in rules and rights.

Social events rounded out the year: Moonlight Sail, our ecological replacement for the earlier famous "watermelon races," alumni picnics at Aldritt's, club get-togethers, Westrums and Miniscow regattas, Lake City and Gull Lake outings.

Our Spring and Fall Diehard regattas set records for fun and participation. The X fleet is back, the M16's are growing, the Miniscows are prospecting and the MC's dominate the lake, not the milfoil - yet!

Very special thanks and gratitude to the most energetic, creative, imaginative workers any club could dream of having. This is a club of winners. Thank you for a memorable year.

*International MC Class Sailboat Racing Association



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Denny & Sharon Lander
Linda Lawson
Tom & Sue Reddin
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Dorothy Schepers
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Fleet Captains

M-16 John Barbour
MC Steve Jensen
Mini Tom Telzrow
X Peter Byers

Race Committee

John Bates, Chair
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Tom Telzrow

Season Championship MC

Place	Yacht	Skipper	
1	846	TLC	Pete Taylor
2	1239	Sundance	John Bates
3	820	Obsession	Mark Prochaska
4	1155		Dave Mott
5	1229	Tom Turkey	Tom Aldritt
6	LH 46	Beowulf	Jim McCarthy
7	LH 18	First Down	Dick Walker
8	1012	Priority	Tran Alfrey/Susan Dees
9	1348		Steve Jensen
10	LH 24	MC2	Tom Louis/Bob Bellafronto
11	970	Flygebat	Steve Lein
12	819	Chaser	Bob Sheldon
13	927	Microcosm III	Bill Hanson
14	LH 3	Número Uno	Jim Keck
15	1208	Bad Air	Denny Lander/Jeff Land
16	1401	Bar Code	Chuck Nagle
17	LH 41	Flem-Flam III	Al Fleming
18	LH 0	Puff	Gary Fechtmeyer/Marge Byers
19	605	Easy Money	Caroline Kroening
20	906	Class Action	Tom Reddin
21	383		Tom Kremer
22	815	Hummer	Bill Colburn
23	853	Retread	Dave Butler/Chuck Siftar
24	337	Eagle	Randy Roland
25	LH 25	Faye Ellen	Patrick Born
26	1010		Al Bernardi
27	514	Ray Spack	Charles Mitchell/Art Roberts
28	1230	Bonk-Bonk	Todd & Sandy Knaeble
29	1078	Sun Kissed	Tim Hennessy
30	979	My Raah	Myra Urness
31	ML 5	Rampage	Paul James
32	1115	Johnson	Mark Demeules
33	394	Jet	Jeff Thompson



Season Championship Class Miniscow

Place	Yacht	Skipper	
1	176	Sea Gherkin	Gedney Tuttle
2	528	Stress Relief	Louis Hunt
3	597	Water Music	Paul Fedora
4	221	Noproblemo	Kathy Schurdevin
5	665	Trilogy II	Tom Telzrow
6	494	Compromise	John Lehman
7	113		Jerry Semmler



Season Championship Class X

Place	Yacht	Skipper	
1	LH 55	X-Plosive	Peter Byers/Susan Lander
2	UM 11	X-Press	Emily Daniels/Maura Barbour
3	LH 10	Afternoon Delight	Whitlock/Miley/Breyer
4	M 9	Over Easy	Johanna Traver/Chris Heffelfinger
5	M 88		Mark Heaney
6	W 58	True Blue	Mark Kueppers



Season Championship Class M-16

Place	Yacht	Skipper
1	LH 1	M Classy
2	LH 44	Valkyrie
3	LH 75	Mare's Tail
4	DM 11	Ladeeda
5	LH 15	Magic
6	M 16	M-16
7	LH 7	Circumference
8	LH 31	Dread Knot
9	LH 47	Eleanor
10	LH 16	
11	UM 5	Local Motion
12	PL 26	Soleil
13	LH 85	Mistral
14	LH 17	Serendipity



Special Awards

1990

1991

Scheper's Memorial	Pete Taylor	To be announced
Women's Challenge	Kathy Schurdevin	To be announced
Dick Adams Trophy	Denny Lander	To be announced
Marshmann Wattson Trophy	John Bates	To be announced
VSYRU Sportsmanship Trophy	Ed Kirsch	To be announced

Club Series Winners

Series	Class MC	Class M-16	Class Miniscow	Class X
1 Isaac Reeves	John Bates	Hallaway/McCarthy	Kathy Schurdevin	Byers/Lander
2	Pete Taylor	Mike Traver	Paul Fedora	Mark Heaney
3	M. Prochaska	Drew LaMosse	Gedney Tuttle	Daniels/Barbour
4	Steve Jensen	Woodburn/Rhude	Louis Hunt	
5	Dick Walker	Barbour/Daniels	Tom Telzrow	
1 C McC. Reeves	Pete Taylor	Hallaway/McCarthy	John Lehman	Byers/Lander
2	John Bates	Woodburn/Rhude	Kathy Schurdevin	Whitlock/Miley/Breyer
3	M. Prochaska	Mike Traver		Daniels/Barbour
4	Tom Aldritt	Barbour/Daniels		
5	Dave Mott	Drew LaMosse		
1 June	John Bates	Hallaway/McCarthy	Gedney Tuttle	Byers/Lander
2	Pete Taylor	Woodburn/Rhude	Louis Hunt	Whitlock/Miley/Breyer
3	Tom Aldritt	Mike Traver	John Lehman	Mark Heaney
4	M. Prochaska	Drew LaMosse	Paul Fedora	Daniels/Barbour
5	Dave Mott	Steve Myers	Tom Telzrow	
1 July 4	Alfrey/Dees	Hallaway/McCarthy	Kathy Schurdevin	Byers/Lander
2	Jim McCarthy	Woodburn/Rhude	Jerry Semmler	Whitlock/Miley/Breyer
3	M. Prochaska	Drew LaMosse	Tom Telzrow	Daniels/Barbour
4	Dick Walker	Barbour/Daniels	Paul Fedora	
5	Lander/Land	Mike Traver		
1 Peter Super	John Bates	Woodburn/Rhude	Gedney Tuttle	Byers/Lander
2	Bill Hanson	Hallaway/McCarthy	Louis Hunt	Whitlock/Miley/Breyer
3	Dick Walker	(Lh 7)	Tom Telzrow	Mark Heaney
4	Tom Kremer	Mike Traver	Kathy Schurdevin	Daniels/Barbour
5	Bob Sheldon	Steve Myers	Paul Fedora	Heffelfinger/Traver
1 Bronze	Jim McCarthy	Barbour/Daniels		Byers/Lander
2	Al Fleming	Joan Bren		Daniels/Barbour
3	Tom Kremer			
1 August	Louis/Bellafronto	Hallaway/McCarthy	Gedney Tuttle	Daniels/Barbour
2	Dick Walker	Mike Traver	Paul Fedora	Byers/Lander
3	Steve Lein	Barbour/Daniels	Kathy Schurdevin	Whitlock/Miley/Breyer
4	Bob Sheldon	Joan Bren	Tom Telzrow	Heffelfinger/Traver
5	Jim McCarthy	Woodburn/Rhude	Louis Hunt	
1 Labor Day	John Bates	Woodburn/Rhude	Kathy Schurdevin	Daniels/Barbour
2	Pete Taylor	Barbour/Daniels	Louis Hunt	Whitlock/Miley/Breyer
3	Bob Sheldon	Drew LaMosse	Paul Fedora	Byers/Lander
4	Tom Aldritt	Hallaway/McCarthy	Tom Telzrow	Heffelfinger/Traver
5	Alfrey/Dees	Steve Myers	Gedney Tuttle	
1 Wednesday Night	Steven Jensen	Woodburn/Rhude	Paul Fedora	Byers/Lander
2	Jim McCarthy	Hallaway/McCarthy	Tom Telzrow	Whitlock/Miley/Breyer
3	Louis/Bellafronto	Jennifer Hunt	Kathy Schurdevin	Heffelfinger/Traver
4	Bill Hanson	Steve Myers	Louis Hunt	Daniels/Barbour
5	Butler/Siftar	Mike Traver	Gedney Tuttle	
1 Jim Schepers	Peter Taylor			
2 Memorial	Jim McCarthy			
3	M. Prochaska			
4	Tom Aldritt			
5	Steve Jensen			

Regatta Sailors

LHYC SPRING

MC

Pete Taylor
Mark Prochaska
Steve Jensen
Al Fleming
Todd/Sandy Knaeble
Jim McCarthy
Steve Lein
Tom Kremer
Dick Walker
Chuck Nagle
Pat Born
Myra Urness
Denny Lander
Susan Dees
Tom Louis
Caroline Kroening
Jim Keck
Gary Fechtmeyer

M-16

John Barbour
Jim Woodburn
Drew LaMosse
John McCarthy
Steve Myers
Stephen Russ (U of M)

X

Mark Heany
Susan Lander/Peter Byers
Rob Whitlock
Mark Kueppers

Miniscow

Kathy Schurdevin
Gedney Tuttle
Louis Hunt
Paul Fedora
Tom Telzrow

AQUATENNIAL

MC

Mark Prochaska
Pete Taylor
Dave Mott
John Bates
Bill Colburn
Dave Butler
Tran Alfrey

M-16

Jim Woodburn
Drew LaMosse
Jeff Wangenstein (U of M)
Valerie Nackel (U of M)

FOREST LAKE

MC

Mark Prochaska
Pete Taylor
Dave Mott
Chuck Nagle
Marge Byers
Tran Alfrey

INTERLAKES

MC

Mark Prochaska
Pete Taylor
Steve Jensen
John Bates
Tom Aldritt
Bob Bellafronto
Dick Walker

GULL LAKE

M-16

Steve Myers
John McCarthy
Mike Traver
Drew LaMosse
John Katies
Jeff Wangenstein (U of M)
Valerie Nackel (U of M)

Open

Chuck Nagle
Marge Byers

LHYC MINISCOW

Tom Telzrow
Paul Fedora
Louis Hunt
Gedney Tuttle
Steve Hunt
Steve Lein
Jerry Semmler

LYHC DIE-HARD

MC

Bill Colburn 2nd
Pete Taylor 4th
John Bates 5th
Jim McCarthy
Steve Jensen
Dick Walker
Bob Bellafronto
Mark Prochaska
Tom Aldritt
Jim Keck
Myra Urness
Denny Lander
Randy Roland
Tom Louis
Marge Byers
Art Roberts

M-16

John Barbour 4th
Jim Woodburn 5th
Steve Myers
John Katies
Joan Bren
Drew LaMosse

X

Susan Lander
Peter Byers
Miley, Breyer, Whitlock

Miniscow

Louis Hunt
Kathy Schurdevin
Paul Fedora
Tom Telzrow
Jerry Semmler

LAKE CITY YACHT CLUB

Match Race

Chuck Nagle
Tom Telzrow
Mike Traver
Myra Urness
John Barbour
Paul Fedora
Jim Keck
Mark Prochaska
Jim & Vicki McCarthy
Marge & Peter Byers
Barb Haugen
John McCarthy

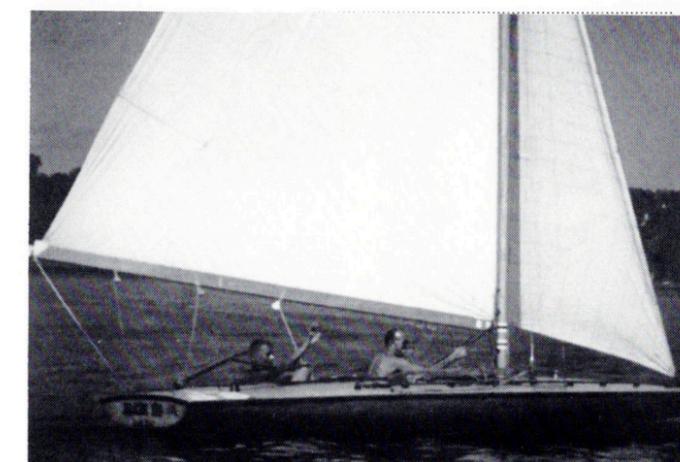
Fleet Champions 1950-1991

YEAR	CLASS D	CLASS C	CLASS X	CLASS M16	CLASS MC	CLASS MINISCOW
1941-1949	Records Not Available					
1950		Don Yager	John Sheahan			
1951		Peter Taylor	John Pilney			
1952		Don Yager	John Pilney			
1953	Larry Johnson	Peter Vaill	John Coppage			
1954	Larry Johnson	Jack Steele	John McLeod			
1955	Peter Vaill	Mike McAdams	Dick Einan			
1956	Bill Nolan	Bill O'Hanlon	Mike Einan			
1957	Dick Backstrom	Larry Johnson	Doug Backstrom			
1958	Dick Backstrom	Diane Wickizer	Doug Backstrom			
1959	Dick Backstrom	Jeff Land	Doug Backstrom			
1960	Dick Backstrom	Don De Laria	Dick Whiting			
1961	John McLeod	Don De Laria	Jeff Drogue			
1962	Larry Johnson	Don De Laria	John Loomis			
1963	Tom Wirt	Bruce Nicolle	Greg Warner			
1964	Dixon Tewes	Doug Backstrom	Bill, Tom Barnett			
1965	Pete Wattson	Doug Backstrom	Bob Doerr			
1966	Maribeth Cadwell	Bruce Nicolle	Craig McNulty			
1967	Greg Graham	Chuck Strothman	Jeff Haugen			
1968		Jack Friedrichs	Bob McCarthy	Carl Fritzner		
1969		Bill Stephens	Dave Mott	Jim Adams		
1970		Jim Berger	Jim Dahl	Chris Dahl		
1971		Bill Stephens	Jim Dahl	Carl Fritzner		
1972		Bill Stephens	Kate Carney	Dave Mott		
1973		Steve Woldum	Paul Keppel	Dave Mott		
1974		Bill Stephens	Paul Keppel	Dave Mott		
1975		Jim Morgan	Tom Keppel	Pete Taylor		
1976		Steve Woldum	Chris Seymour	Lance Olson	Roger Freeberg	
1977		Steve Woldum	Chris Keppel	Larry Seymour	Don Bailey	
1978		Jim Morgan	Chris Keppel	Mathewson's	Pete Taylor	
1979		Steve Woldum	Tom Seymour	Martha Morgan	Dave Butler	
1980		Jim Morgan	Bill Butler	Chris Seymour	Don Bailey	
1981		Steve Woldum	Mike Rummel	Brian Mathewson	Pete Taylor	
1982		Steve Woldum	Jim Seymour	Paul Keppel	Jeff Land	
1983		Steve Woldum	Bill Colburn	Paul Keppel	Jeff Land	
1984		Steve Woldum	Bill Colburn	Paul Keppel	Jeff Land	
1985			Bill Colburn	Jim Seymour	Jeff Land	
1986			Amy Leighton	Jim Seymour	Jeff Land	Kathy Kerr
1987				Lisa Aldritt	Jeff Land	Kathy Kerr
1988				Meg Rummel	Pete Taylor	Steve Lein
1989				McCarthy's	Pete Taylor	Tom Brown
1990			Peter Byers	John Barbour	Pete Taylor	Gedney Tuttle
1991						

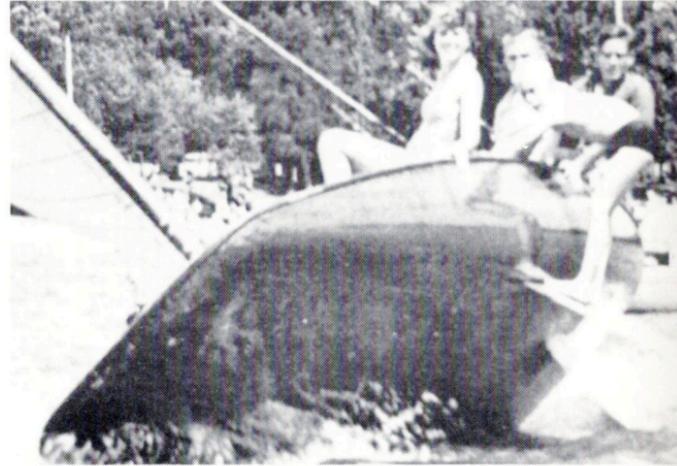
Fleet History 1951 -1991

YEAR	D	C	X	MC16	MC	MINI	TOTAL BOATS
1951		14	16				30
1952		14	20				34
1953	4	12	19				35
1954	11	11	19				41
1955	12	8	19				39
1956	12	8	20				40
1957	11	10	18				39
1958	11	12	18				41
1959	13	20	23				56
1960	18	18	26				62
1961	20	20	26				66
1962	21	23	23				67
1963	20	25	24				69
1964	19	33	28				80
1965	17	34	31				82
1966	15	38	23				76
1967	10	36	24				70
1968	3	36	32	17			88
1969		25	23	29			68
1970		28	18	15			61
1971		33	23	20			76
1972		26	14	19			59
1973		24	14	18			56
1974		25	14	21			60
1975		21	12	23			56
1976		18	8	18	15		59
1977		13	11	17	18		59
1978		14	11	13	16		54
1979		15	7	16	13		51
1980		10	5	16	15		46
1981		9	6	15	15		45
1982		19	8	15	17		50
1983		11	7	12	15		45
1984		8	5	7	18		30
1985			1	11	18		30
1986			1	11	24	5	41
1987				8	25	14	47
1988				8	28	13	49
1989				7	27	14	48
1990			6	7	26	11	50
1991			6	14	32	7	58

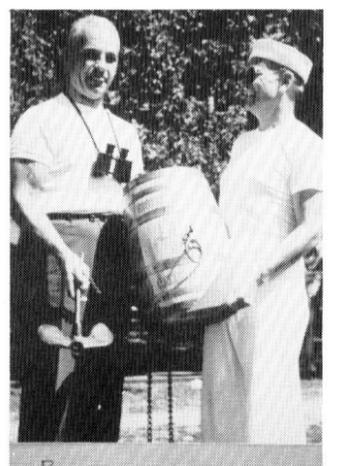
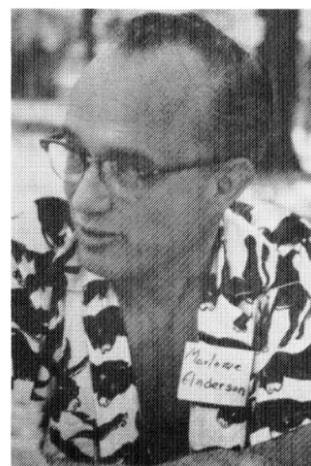
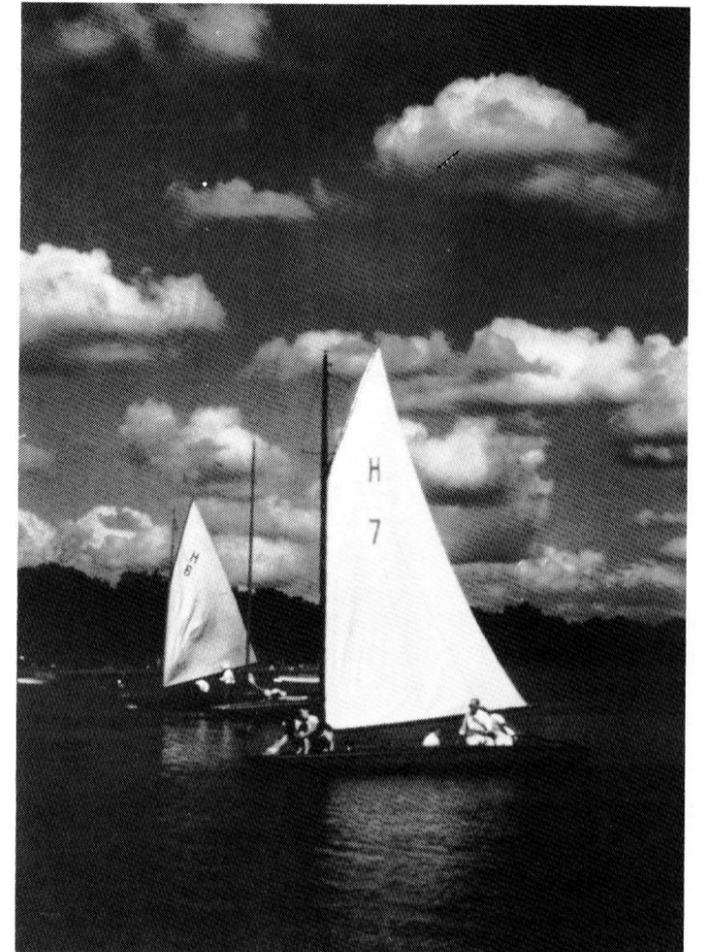
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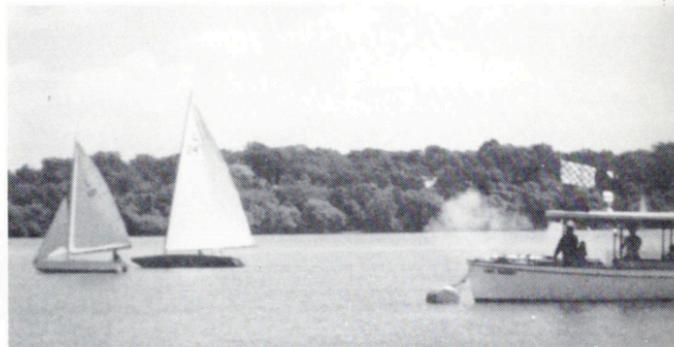
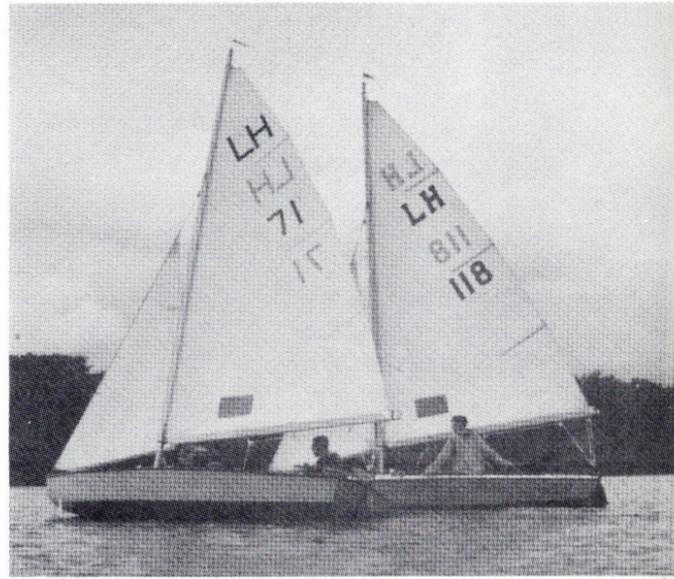
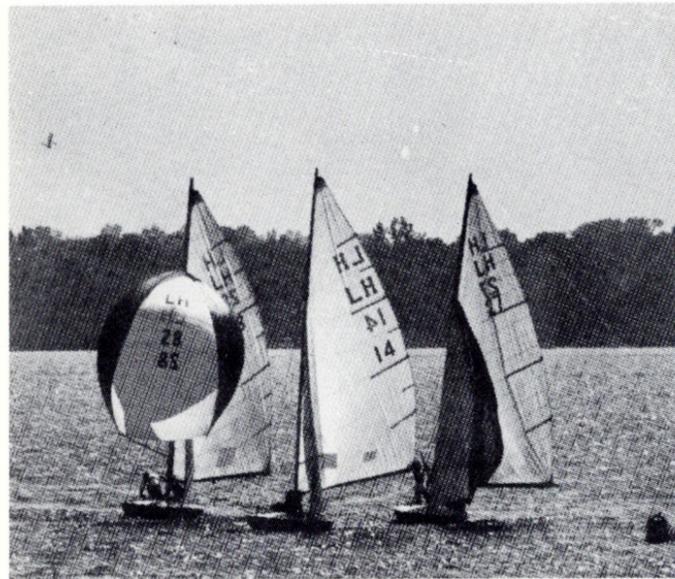
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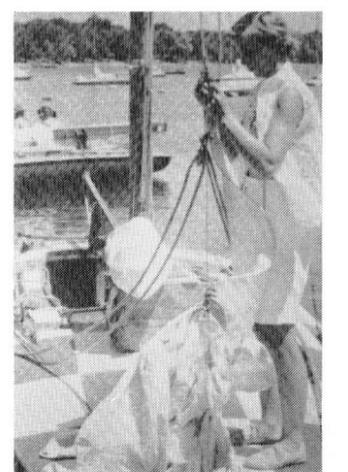
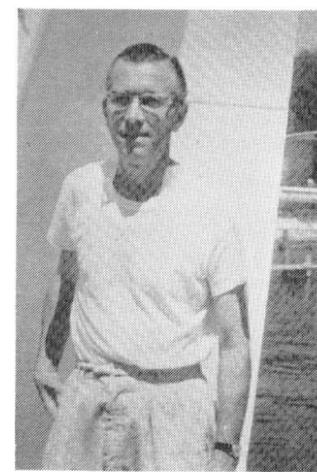
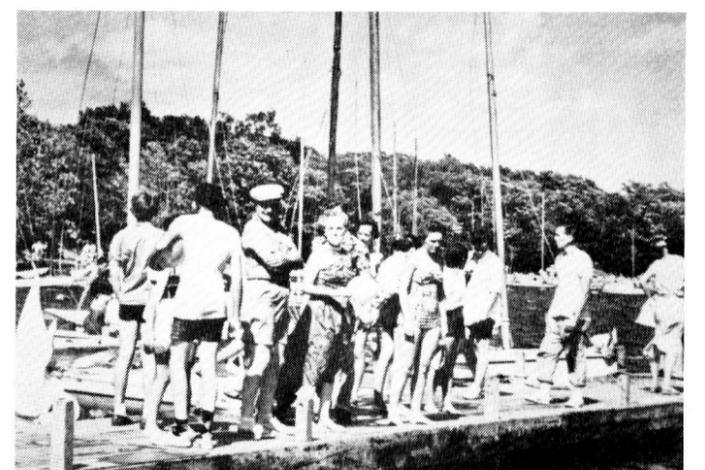
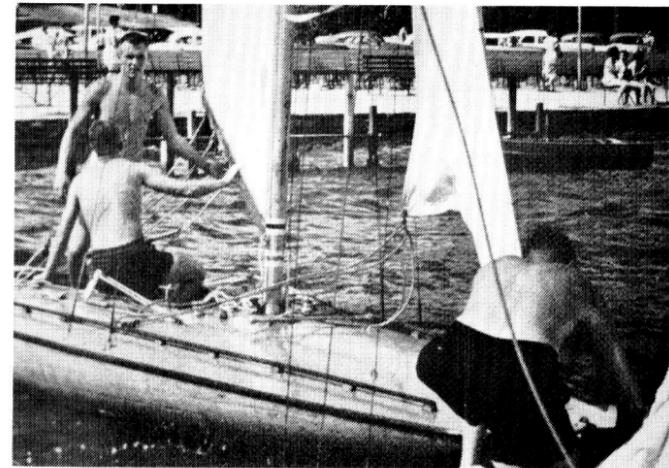
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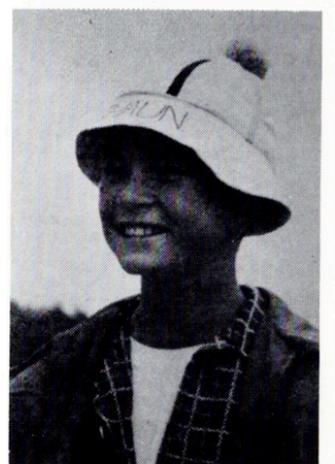
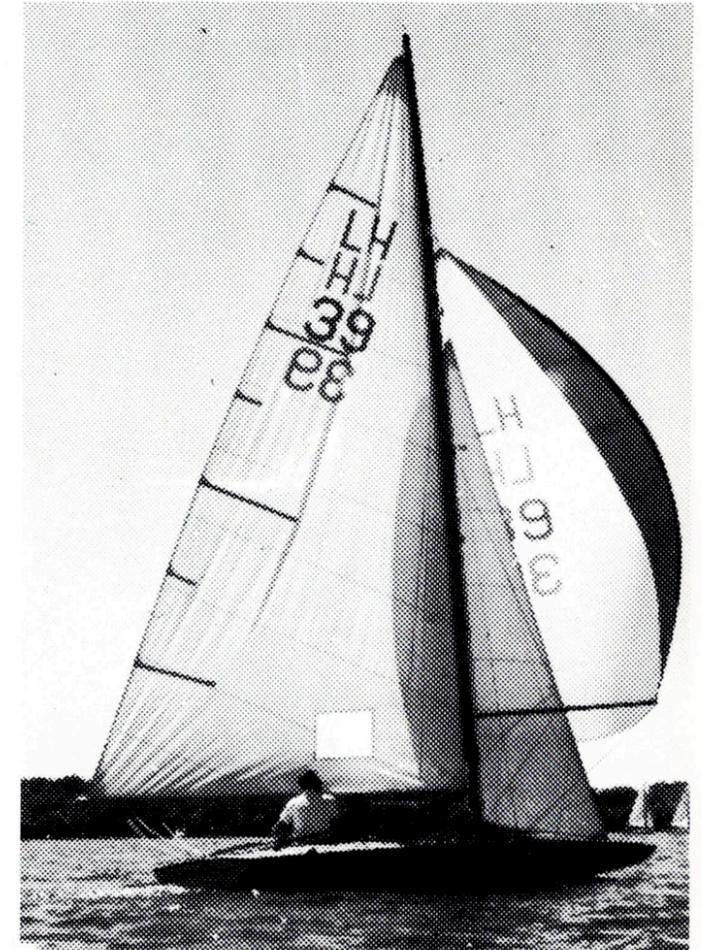
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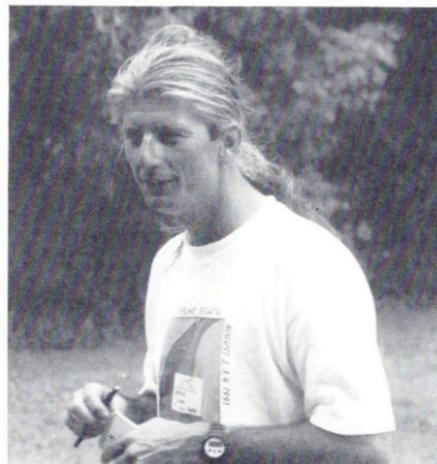
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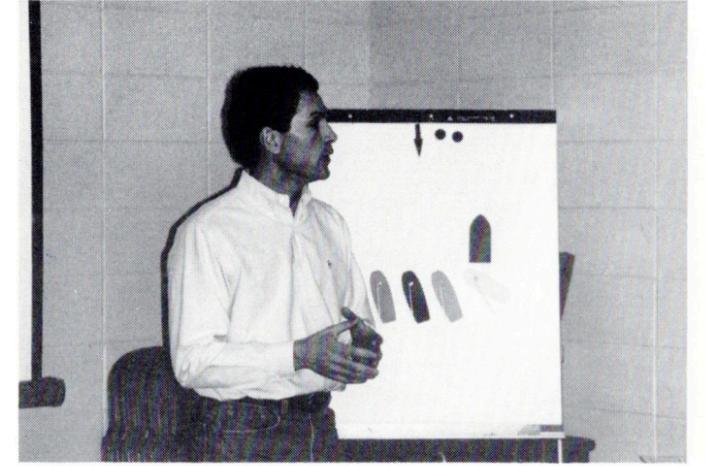


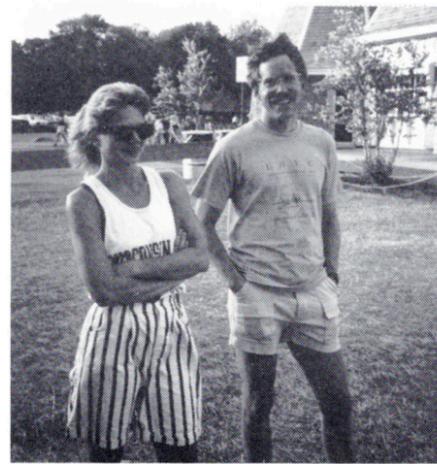
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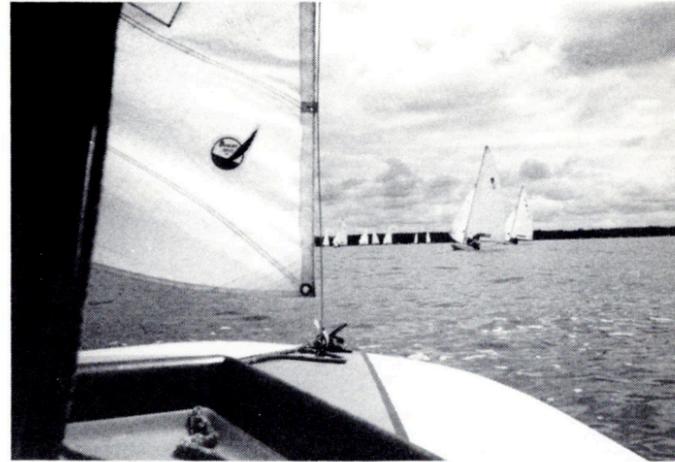


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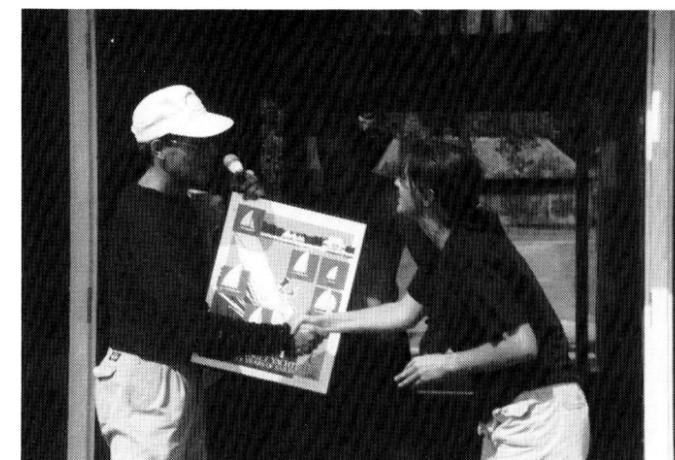
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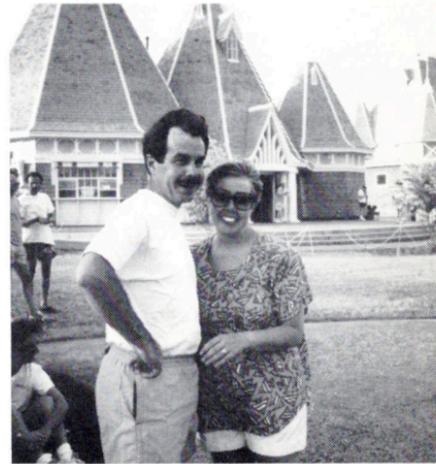


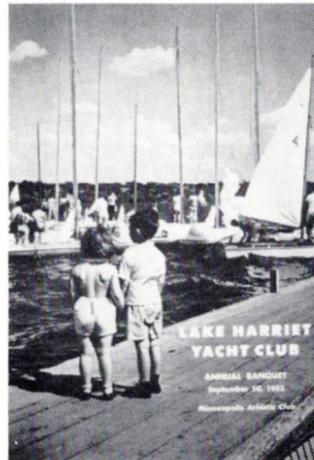
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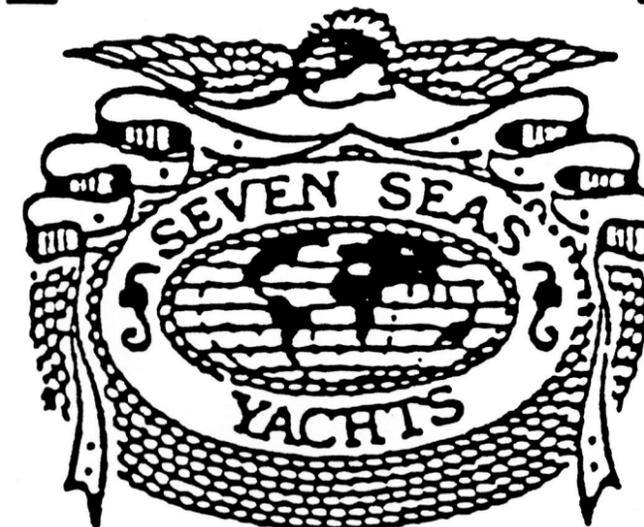
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