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Lake Harriet Yacht Club

October, 2003

When Wally Peters called one fall day in 2001 and asked if I would be Commodore for the club in the summer of 2003 . . . it seemed so very far away . . . and I gladly said yes. Little did I know what the calendar year 2003 would bring to my life . . . permanent crew, an ace safety boat driver and a husband, all wrapped up into one.

The peace of my days is racing on Lake Harriet with my wonderful friends. I revel in the memories of the past ten years and look forward with great anticipation to the next ten! Most of you know that I started sailing after the death of my only brother. He was the sailor, and I inherited his old, wood masted M-16, the Poseidon. Several boats later, and a change in fleets, and sailing has become the focal point of my summers. I feel incredibly close to my brother when out doing something he loved so much and how wonderful that I can have such fun with my Lake Harriet "family."

Sadly, we lost a dear friend in Al Fleming this summer. Al and Liz Fleming have been active, racing, volunteering members of LHYC for many years. We will miss Al and will continue to work to make this club a place where everyone feels welcome, just as Al would want.

We had a successful year on all fronts at LHYC. We raced a lot of races, ate a lot of burgers and hawked a lot of T-Shirts. We have a number of new members, both sailboat owner/racers and crew and we are thrilled that they will all be joining us again next summer as we begin 2004.

Our regattas this year were highly successful with a large number of boats racing and lots of fun at the evening gatherings. Thanks to Jennifer Price and John Katics for co-chairing the Spring Regatta and to Bill Colburn and Tran Alfrey for co-chairing the Fall Regatta. Both regattas made our financial goal and the Fall Regatta set a record for the dollars earned for a regatta with 42 boats racing.

Picnics and parties this year were as fun as ever and we had several families who hosted parties for the first time. Thanks to Dave and Lorna Wilson and to Mark and Julie Anderson for inviting LHYC over to their backyards! Jim Keck, Kris Johansen, Drew Lamosse and Tran and Barb Alfrey all helped to make the three holiday weekends spectacular. Anyone who made the trip to Prior Lake for the 4th knows that the drive was worth the camaraderie and the fabulous fireworks! Thanks also to Karen Hemstad, Bill Colburn, John Katics and Rita O'Keefe and the Kirkpatricks who all helped to host wonderful LHYC gatherings this summer.

The Lake Harriet's Cup and Women's Clinic offered a no stress day for new racers and sailors to learn more about racing and sailing. A crew of volunteers helped to make both events successful. With Bill Colburn heading up the Lake Harriet's Cup and Leann Taylor organizing the Women's Clinic, both were bound for glory!

Let's not forget the Wednesday night series. Grant Hutchins and Steve Loscheider did a fantastic job of making sure that we had safety boat drivers, judges and most importantly fun! Thanks to you both!

We so look forward to continued involvement from our friends in the S.C.U.M. sailing club. They were out there racing and volunteering all summer. Thanks to everyone at S.C.U. M. for supporting LHYC.

So it is with a tremendous sense of gratitude, for a year well sailed and much enjoyed, that I move on and turn over the helm to my friend and fellow sailor Bill Colburn. I thank you all for the support you have given me in creating a club where we sail a lot and have fun at the same time. Special thanks to a wonderful 2003 Board. I could not have done it without you!

-Wendy Peter, Commodore

LAKE HARRIET COMMODORES

1941 Harold Westerman	1962 C. B. McCue	1983 Robert Hoyt
1942 Ralph Tyler	1963 Scott Long	1984 Bill Hanson
1943 Clarence Johnson	1964 Stu MacPhail	1985 Peter Taylor
1944 Clarence Johnson	1965 Bo Warner	1986 Jerry Behrendt
1945 Charles Rink	1966 Bill Burnet	1987 Al Fleming
1946 Harold Shaw	1967 Duval O'Neal	1988 Jeff Land
1947 Fred Hotchkiss	1968 Bob Mott	1989 Tran Alfrey
1948 Rome Riebeth	1969 Bob Rocknem	1990 Kathy Schurdevin
1949 Rome Riebeth	1970 Al Schultz	1991 Dolores Pospesel
1950 Darrell Holt	1971 Bill Kelly	1992 Mark Prochaska
1951 Evert Welch	1972 Dixon Tews	1993 John Barbour
1952 Earl Beaudry	1973 Jack Friedrichs	1994 John Bates
1953 Stan Vaill	1974 Jim Morgan	1995 Jim McCarthy
1954 Robert Johnson	1975 Arnold Caswell	1996 Drew Lamosse
1955 Earl Ewald	1976 Tom Aldritt	1997 Bob Sheldon
1956 Stu McLeod	1977 Larry Seymour	1998 Jim Keck
1957 Russ Backstrom	1978 Steve Woldum	1999 Tom Telzrow
1958 Fred Hird	1979 Dorothy Schepers	2000 Wally Daniels
1959 Bill Sanford	1980 Robert Wattson	2001 John Katics
1960 Marsh Wattson	1981 Harry Fuller	2002 Kristin Anderson
1961 Alex Dean	1982 Skip Chapin	2003 Wendy Peter



Wendy PETER, COMMODORE 2003

2003 LAKE HARRIET YACHT CLUB OFFICERS

Commodore	Wendy Peter
Vice Commodore	Bill Colburn
Rear Commodore	Kristin Anderson
Secretary	Karen Hemstad
Treasurer	Kristin Johansen

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Jack Zimmerschied Steve Nicol Grant Hutchins John Barbour

RACE COMMITTEE AND FLEET CAPTAINS

Bill Colburn, <i>Chair</i>	John Getsinger, <i>MC Fleet Captain</i>
Dee O'Neal, <i>Head Judge</i>	Jack Zimmerschied, <i>M-16 Fleet Captain</i>
Dave Wilson, <i>Scorekeeper</i>	John Katics, <i>Member at Large</i>
Tran Alfrey, <i>Member at Large</i>	

JUDGES

Dee O'Neal, <i>Chief Race Officer</i>	John Katics
Bill Hanson	Wally Daniels
Bill Colburn	Tran Alfrey
John Getsinger	

REGATTA CHAIRS

Spring Regatta	Jennifer Price, John Katics
Fall Regatta	Tran Alfrey, Bill Colburn

Banquet	Bill Colburn	Safety Boat	John Getsinger
Equipment	Steve Nicol	Trophies	Jack Zimmerschied
Memorial Day Picnic	Jim Keck	Webmasters	Rebecca Tolle Paul Baltzersen
July Fourth Picnic	Kris Johansen Drew Lamosse	Wednesday Night	Grant Hutchins Steve Loscheider
Labor Day Picnic	Tran and Barb Alfrey	Westrum's Cup	Wendy Peter
Lake Harriet's Cup	Bill Colburn	Women's Clinic	Leann Taylor
Membership	Joanna Lees Wendy Peter	Yearbook	Rebecca Tolle Paul Baltzersen
Park Board Liaison	Tom Telzrow	Yearbook Photos	Dee O'Neal Tran Alfrey Deborah Anderson Kristin Anderson Rebecca Tolle
Photographer	Dee O'Neal		
Scorekeeper	Dave Wilson		
Social Chair	Wendy Peter		

A FAREWELL TO AL FLEMING

The yacht club has lost one of its valued members this July.

Al Fleming loved sailing, not for the trophies he might receive or for the recognition he always deserved, but for the pure love of the sport. He and Liz did not care how they placed, they enjoyed being in their boat and the camaraderie that followed each race.

Liz and Al joined the club in June of 1972. Their son Mike sailed in X boats for 2 years. Then came their turn. In 1976, they purchased their first MC. How pleased they were to be a part of the fleet, even if they did end up bottoms up a few times. A former yacht club member, Jack Freiderichs, became very disgusted with them because it seemed that they were "bottoms up" almost every time he had crash boat duty.



Of course, his teasing was all in jest as he loved them as much as we all did. Perhaps all their "bottoms up" was why they received the "bottoms up" award at one of the banquets!

Al and Liz were loved by everyone in the club. Their friendliness and loyalty will long be remembered. In the last years of his life, Al was unable to sail as much as he would have liked to, but his love of sailing did not diminish. Al and Liz would sit on a park bench and watch the races as long

as Al was able. We know, wherever you are, Al, you are watching the races and cheering the sailors on with all your heart.

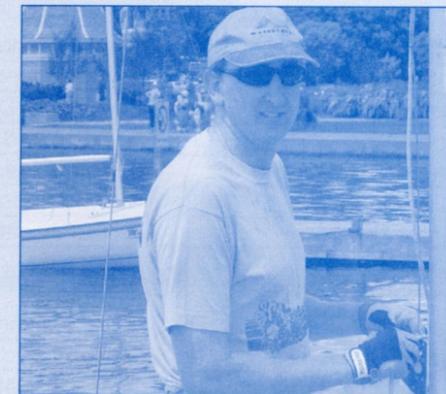
We will miss you, Al, and we will miss Flem Flam. You were a true sailor in every sense of the word!

2002 SPECIAL AWARDS

Marshmann Wattson
Women's Challenge
Schepers Memorial
Dick Adams Trophy
USYRU Sportsmanship Trophy

Bill Colburn
Rebecca Tolle
Bill Colburn
Tran Alfrey
Grant Hutchins

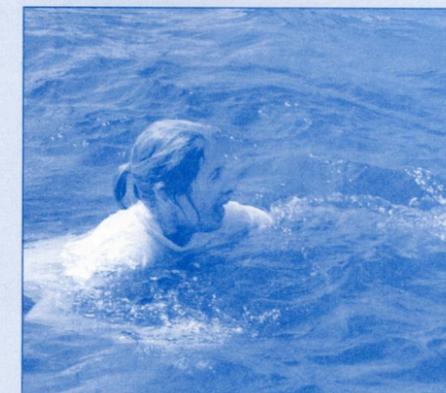
2003 WINNER TOSS (CONGRATULATIONS TO 1ST TIME WINNERS IN THEIR DIVISION THIS YEAR!)



Steve Loscheider (MC)



Grant Hutchins (MC)



Karen Hemstad (M16)



Bill Blanding (MC)

SERIES STANDINGS

Memorial Day		Labor Day	
MC	M16	MC	MC16
1. Andy Crowe	1. Karen Hemstad	1. John Katics	
2. John Katics	2. J. Barbour/W. Daniels	2. Jim Marquardt	
3. Bob Dillon	3. Jack Zimmershied	3. Andy Crowe	
4. Tran Alfrey	3. Bill Kirkpatrick	4. Bill Colburn	
5. Grant Hutchins	3. Alex Symes	5. Pete Taylor	
5. Paul Baltzersen	3. Tom Gleeson	6. Grant Hutchins	
6. Tom Aldritt		7. Travis	
Issac Reeves		Commodores Cup	
1. Bill Colburn	1. J. Barbour/W. Daniels	1. Grant Hutchins	
2. Dave Rhude	2. Karen Hemstad	2. Jim Marquardt	
3. Grant Hutchins	3. Tom Gleeson	3. Steve Loscheider	
4. Paul Baltzersen	4. Bob Lund	4. Keck/Aldritt	
5. Tom Aldritt	4. Ted Jewitt	5. Mark Anderson	
6. Jennifer Price	5. Bill Kirkpatrick		
7. Steve Loescheider			
July Fourth		Schepers	
1. Andy Crowe	1. J. Barbour/W. Daniels	1. Andy Crowe	1. Jack Zimmershied
2. Tran Alfrey	2. Jack Zimmershied	2. John Katics	2. Karen Hemstad
3. John Katics	3. Bill Kirkpatrick	3. Pete Taylor	3. Barbour/Daniels
4. Bill Colburn	4. Tom Gleeson	4. Bob Dillon	4. Bob Lund
5. Bob Dillon	5. Karen Hemstad	5. Paul Baltzersen	5. Tom Gleeson
6. Grant Hutchins	5. Bob Lund	6. Bill Colburn	6. Bill Kirkpatrick
7. 1067		7. Grant Hutchins	7. Ted Jewitt
Peter Super		Wednesday Night	
1. Bill Colburn	1. Bob Lund	1. Bill Colburn	1. Jack Zimmerschied
2. John Katics	2. Tom Gleeson	2. Grant Hutchins	2. Bob Lund
3. Andy Crowe	3. Karen Hemstad	3. Steve Loscheider	3. Ted Jewitt
4. Tran Alfrey	4. Jack Zimmershied	4. Paul Fedora/Reb Tolle	4. Bill Kirkpatrick
5. Bob Dillon	5. Bill Kirkpatrick	5. 730	5. Karen Hemstad
6. Pete Taylor	6. Dan Ross	6. 1079	6. Dan Ross
7. Grant Hutchins	7. Ted Jewitt	6. Travis	
M Challenge - 5/10, 11, 17, 18, 9/7		Aquattennial Regatta - Lake Calhoun	
1. Alex Symes		1. Bill Colburn	
2. Bill Kirkpatrick		2. John Katics	
3. Dan Ross		3. Tom Haugan	
4. Bob Lund		4. Tran Alfrey	
5. Jack Zimmershied		5. Wendy Peter	
6. Tom Gleeson		6. Andy Crowe	
Combined Holiday		Inter-Lakes Regatta - White Bear Lake	
1. Andy Crowe	1. John B./Wally Daniels	2. Bill Colburn	
2. John Katics	2. Jack Zimmershied	7. John Getsinger	
3. Tran Alfrey	3. Karen Hemstad	Grant Hutchins	
3. Bob Dillon	4. Bill Kirkpatrick	Andy Crowe	
4. Bill Colburn	5. Tom Gleeson	Jim Marquardt	
5. Grant Hutchins	6. Bob Lund	Jennifer Price	

2003 SPRING REGATTA RESULTS

LAKE HARRIET YACHT CLUB
MAY 10-11, 2003

X Boat Fleet		MC Fleet	
1	Nick Miller <i>C22</i>	1	Bill Colburn <i>LHYC</i>
		2	Dave Mott <i>LHYC</i>
M16 Fleet		2	Eric Hood <i>SYC</i>
1	Dan Ross/Kristi P. <i>CYC</i>	3	Stu Oltrogge <i>CLYC</i>
2	Jack Zimmershied <i>LHYC</i>	3	Mike Risewick
3	Jerry Peterson <i>CYC</i>	4	Andy Crowe <i>LHYC</i>
4	Bill Kirkpatrick <i>LHYC</i>	4	Noel Newman <i>UMYC</i>
5	J. Barbour/W. Daniels <i>LHYC</i>	5	John Rather
6	Ted Jewitt <i>CYC</i>	5	Tran Alfrey <i>LHYC</i>
7	Karen Hemstad <i>LHYC</i>	C Fleet	
		1	Mark Prochaska <i>LHYC</i>
		1	Bill Coppage
		2	Mike Elson
		3	David Ginsberg
		4	Hans Dickel

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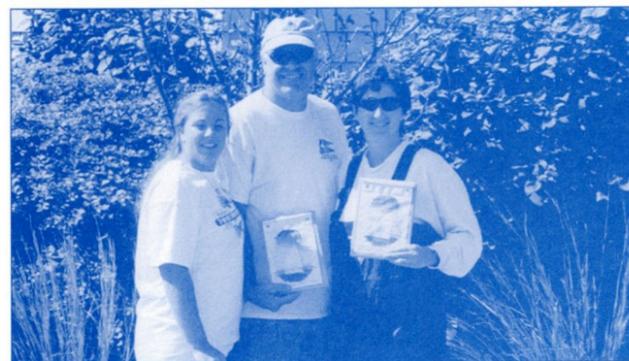
Carolynn Cooper, *Commodore*
Rich Jaegaer, *Vice Commodore*
Mike McDonald, *Chief Instructor*
David Munneke, *Racing Coordinator*
Greg Bute, *Fleet Captain*

2003 DIE HARD REGATTA RESULTS



M16 Fleet

- | | | |
|---|----------------------|--------------|
| 1 | Dan Ross | <i>JY1</i> |
| 2 | W. Daniels/J Barbour | <i>LH100</i> |
| 3 | Bill Kirkpatrick | <i>LH34</i> |
| 4 | Jake Waddington | <i>C7</i> |
| 5 | Jack Zimmerschied | <i>LH117</i> |
| 6 | Ted Jewitt | <i>C9</i> |
| 7 | Karen Hemstad | <i>LH23</i> |
| 8 | Hugh Harris | <i>C15</i> |
| 9 | Dave Munneke | <i>M6</i> |

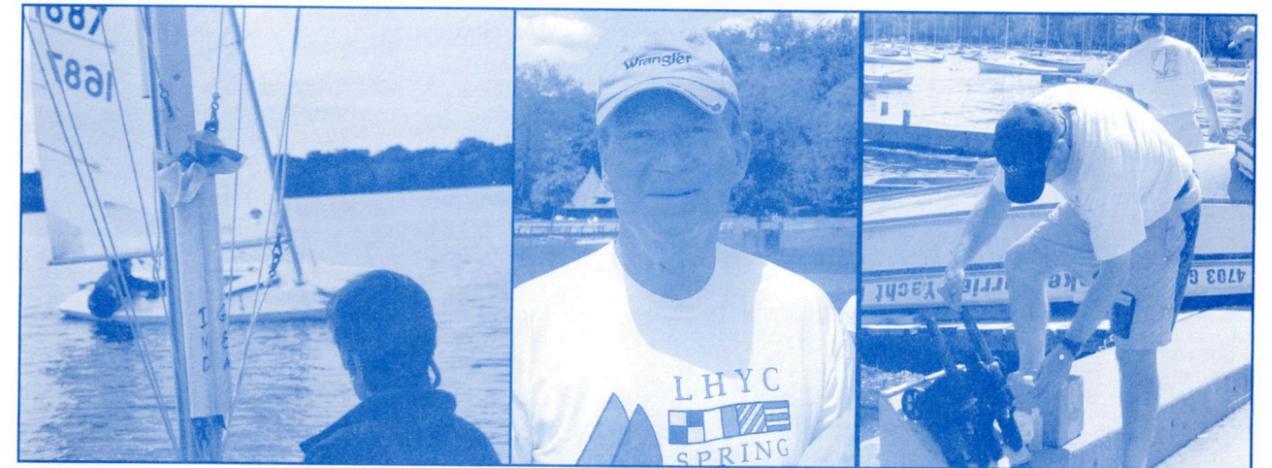


C Fleet Winner

- | | | |
|---|----------------|-------------|
| 1 | Mark Prochaska | <i>LHYC</i> |
| 2 | David Klein | <i>UM2</i> |



SOME OF THE PEOPLE WHO HELP MAKE IT ALL HAPPEN



MC FLEET SEASON CHAMPIONSHIP

- 1 Bill Colburn
- 2 Andy Crowe
- 3 John Katics
- 4 Tran Alfrey
- 5 Bob Dillon
- 6 Grant Hutchins
- 7 Paul Baltzersen
- 8 Steve Loescheider
- 9 Pete Taylor
- 10 Tom Aldritt
- 11 Tom Tait, Tom Telzrow
- 12 Jennifer Price
- 13 Mark Anderson
- 14 1067
- 15 Wendy Peter
- 16 Paul Fedora/Reb Tolle
- 17 Jim Marquardt
- 18 Travis



M16 FLEET SEASON CHAMPIONSHIP

- 1 Tom Gleeson
- 2 Bob Lund
- 3 J. Barbour/Wally Daniels
- 4 Bill Kirkpatrick
- 4 Jack Zimmerschied
- 5 W66
- 6 Karen Hemstad
- 7 Ted Jewitt
- 8 Dan Ross



COMMODORE'S PARTY



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2003 DIE HARD REGATTA RESULTS



X Boat Fleet Winners

1	Hugh Harris	C15
2	Erik Bowers	M11
3	Ben Markhart	W71
4	Gorell/Demshar	M14
5	Nick Miller	C22
6	Peter Rummel	C33
7	Brady Hutchinson	C88

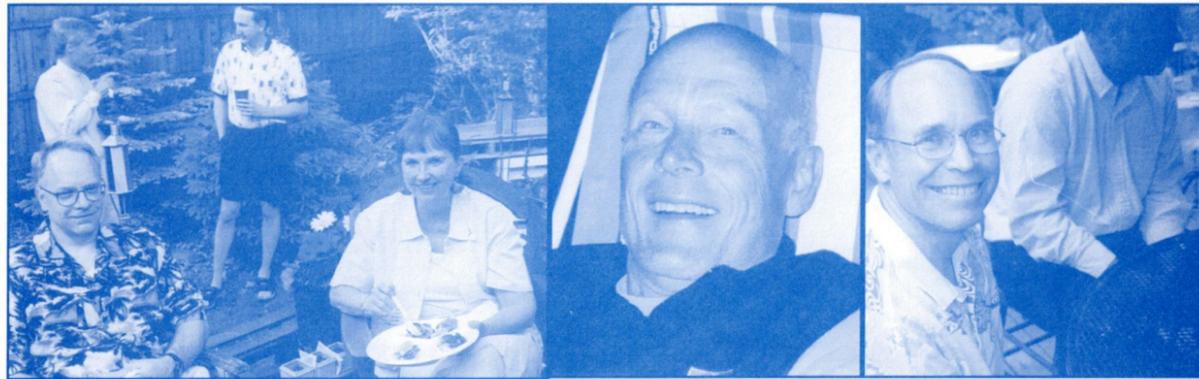


MC Fleet Winners

1	Bill Colburn	LH1933
2	Dave Mott	LH1935
3	Stuart Oltrogge	2091
4	John Getsinger	LH2239
5	Andy Crowe	LH1850
6	Bill Blanding	2234
7	Grant Hutchins	LH1203
8	Paul Baltzersen	LH1474
9	Jennifer Price	LH1687
10	Steve Dunbar	LH1349
11	Dave Wilson	LH1345
12	Tyler Dunphy	1438
13	Jim Keck	LH850
14	Bob Dillon	LH1503
15	Paul Keppel	1699
16	Nick Priaux	239
17	Steve Loscheider	LH1554
18	Mark Anderson	LH1246
19	Mike Higgins	LH1454



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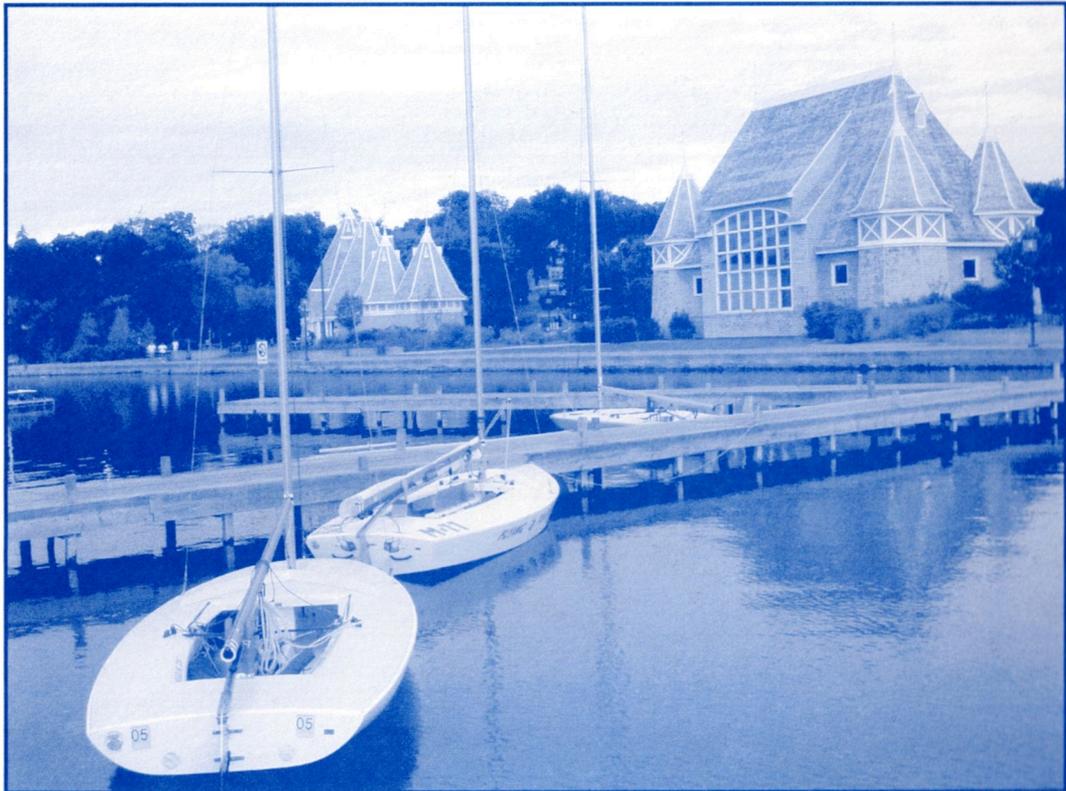
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