



British Columbia Multihull Society

December 2012

BCMS wishes you and your family a very
Merry Christmas and a safe, Happy New Year!

...all I want for Christmas...check out the [GC32](#) from Great Cup...



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Pub Nights @ *Rusty Anchor Pub*
Captain Cove Marina
6100 Ferry Road, Ladner, BC @ 7:30 PM

January 15, 2013

Notice

BC Multihull Society Annual General Meeting Saturday May 18, 2013

As part of our May Long Weekend Sail-In, the Annual General Meeting of the British Columbia Multihull Society will be held at 20:00 hours on the beach or nearby facilities at Port Browning, North Pender Island on Saturday May 18, 2013

Agenda will include:

- Report to Members
- Budget Approval
- Financial Statements
- Election of Officers

All members of the Society in good standing are encouraged to attend.

Also, if you have not renewed your membership for 2013 please do so. You can pay either by PayPal on the BCMS website: [BCMS Pay online](#) or use the application form on the website and mail a cheque.



Notice to Members

BCMS has a library, currently located at Stuart Kerr's house, with books, VHS tapes, and back issues of the Multihull magazine. The library has bounced around through several directors homes. The material in the library is seldom accessed by our members.

The directors would like to solicit from the members advice on what to do with the library. Some current suggestions are:

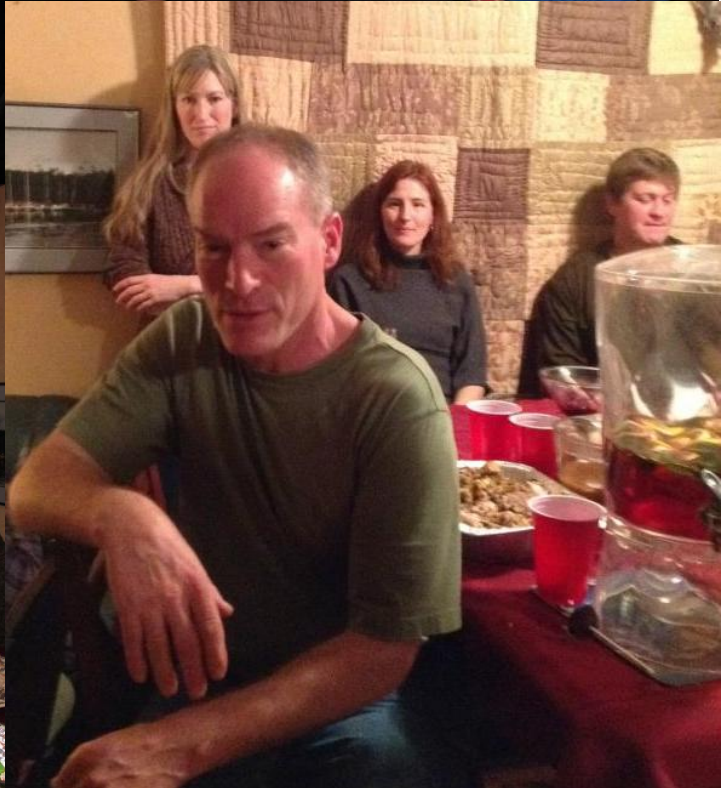
1. Donate to BC Maritime Museum.
2. Donate to local libraries.
3. Box up a selection and give them away as door prizes at the sail-in's.





BCMS Christmas Party at the home of:
Walter and Celia, Dorian and Pikeira





You could win this bicycle!



BCMS would like to thank Gordon Low for the donation of the bicycle.

BCMS is having a contest to give the bicycle to a lucky member.

The rules are simple:

1. Write a short email, (200 words or less) 'Why you should win the bicycle', in an email to: directors@bcms.bc.ca or by mail to:

BCMS Directors
c/o 19897 36A Avenue,
Langley, BC V3A 2R8.

2. The submissions received by May 15, 2013, will be read aloud, without names, at the AGM on the May long weekend at Port Browning.

3. The BCMS members present will vote on the 'best' submission. The submission with the most votes will win the bicycle.

Check out BCMS News @ www.bcms.bc.ca

Congratulations to Roy and Shirley Mills on the occasion of their 60th Wedding Anniversary!



"Not exactly a multihull item, but I may have established a target for others to aim at. Shirley and I celebrated our Diamond (i.e. 60th) anniversary on Oct 4th."



Roy Mills, update on his catamaran

I was too tied up getting the cat ready, the completion of which had been put back by a decision to replace the pivoting centreboards with daggers. The interior of the centre board boxes did not look in very good shape and I thought sliding a box inside them to hold a more slender dagger board might be the best way to deal with it. I had



various other interruptions of one sort or another but I guess you know I did finally get her in the water and found she is easily driven. She is now back out of the water and under wraps until sometime next spring, I hope. Anyway, here are a couple of pix.

Manitou undergoes a major refit with a new diesel engine.

Photos courtesy of Peter McKercher



Old engine, seen better days...



Using the cabin top to lift the engine out



Shiny new engine, almost ready to go.



Launch day...



Before ...



...After, looking good!

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