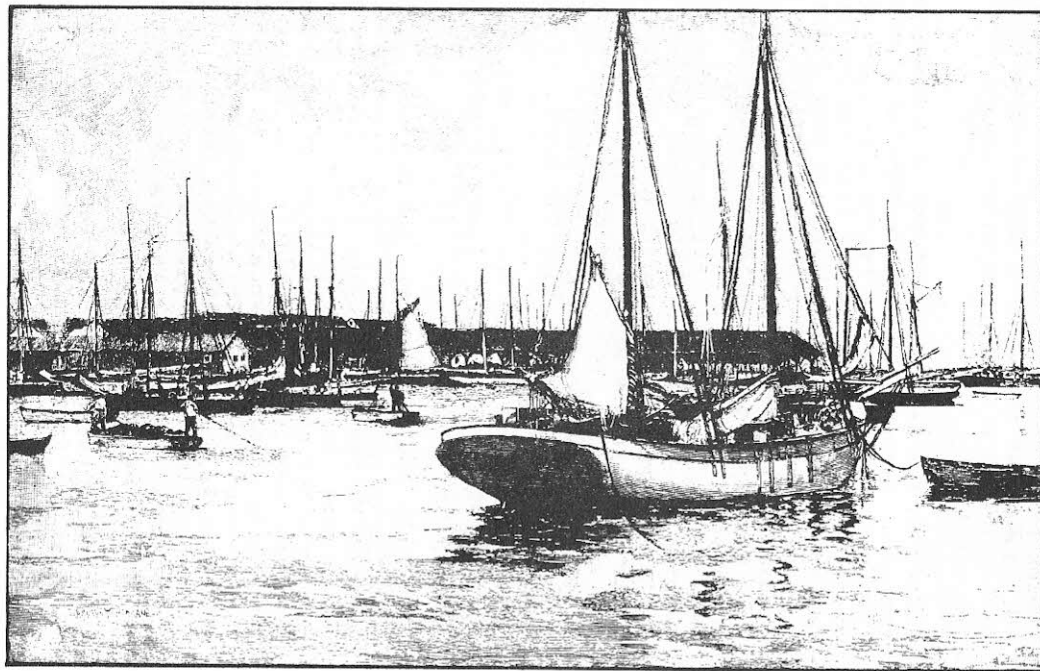


# The Clipper

October  
1986



# COMMODORE'S REPORT

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I suppose the most apt phrase to describe the 1986 sailing season is: short and sweet. Like most of us I enjoyed this summer at the club, I only wish there had been more of it. At least with all the rain we've had we won't have to dredge for a while.

Thanks to the dedicated efforts of a gratifyingly large number of members, the Club enjoyed some outstanding functions this year, including the recent QCYC Pig Roast, a function traditionally managed by the late Tom Tomblin and Len Canham. This year, Dave Toms and Dave Fowler took charge of the Roast, and, along with their various helpers, can take credit for the best Pig Roast in years - Len Canham tells us that more guests were served, with less waiting, than at any other year.

One of this year's best sailing days came along to make our Regatta a memorable one, with great racing, and flags for Queen City sailors, including a first for Past Commodore Klaus Noack in his Alberg 37 TIME PASSAGE. Our Alberg 30's did well too: a second for Peter Ashby in CANDY CANE, and a third for Ron Cameron's ROUGH BOUNDS. Congratulations. I am pleased to report that the dinner hosted by Vice Commodore Bill Eckersley and myself on September 20th was a sell-out success, and was greatly enjoyed by all our many guests. Our thanks to George Johnson (HEATHER J II) who supplied the fabulous desserts.

On a more practical level, you may have seen the first fall work party in progress a couple of Saturdays ago when members in the first locker block provided themselves with a new roof, in the best Queen City tradition of pulling on work clothes and doing it on their own. Some projects, of course, need professional attention, being too big, and demanding specialized knowledge: the leaking clubhouse roof is one such example. This and other problems will have to be resolved, sooner rather than later. Your Board is investigating the most palatable solutions to these challenges, and will be keeping the Membership informed of proposals as they occur.

Looking to the future, the Board adopted the following amendment affecting Senior Membership:

1. (1) Upon the death of a Senior Member, the surviving spouse shall be entitled to apply to the Board of Directors to have the Senior Membership, together with all rights and privileges accruing by reason of the seniority of the said deceased spouse, transferred into the name of the said surviving spouse.

- (2) 'Spouse' means either of a man and woman who,  
(a) are married to each other, or  
(b) cohabiting together in a conjugal relationship whether within or outside marriage.

Once again we were deeply saddened by the passing of an Honorary Member when John Perdue died suddenly at his home on Algonquin Island on September 21st. John's association with Queen City goes back many years, including several seasons when he served on the Board as Entertainment Chairman. A keen sportsman, John also raced cars as well as boats. We extend our sympathies to Betty and Toni, Patti, Christopher and Marshall at this difficult time.

Barry Hardy,  
Commodore.

## MOORING

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The time for haul-out is fast approaching. To avoid losing a mooring tire, chain and block through the winter, I advise you to make sure your mooring tires are tied together before you leave. Also, remove mooring lines so that ice flow does not remove blocks and tires.

Remember while you are browsing through the boat shows that any new boat you obtain must fit in your designated mooring. Though you may think it will fit, it still has to be approved by the Board. If the boat does not fit, it will have to be moored elsewhere until a mooring becomes available.

Clive Pinkney,  
Mooring Chairman.

## MEMBERSHIP

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APPROVED FOR ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

Paul Dilworth

Bill Nichols,  
Membership Chairman.

NOMINATIONS FOR THE 1987 BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

You are invited to tender nominations for next year's Board positions, ideally before the end of October.

If you wish to run for any Board position, or would like to nominate someone else, contact any one of the Nominating Committee members:

Len Canham (SASSY) r. 421-1790  
b. 449-6344

Herb Pitcher (SIMAARON) r. 368-8216  
b. 585-5065

Fred Mayerhofer (RUNNING FREE) r. 489-8504  
b. 264-2453

Klaus Noack (TIME PASSAGE) r. 621-1771  
b. 231-7701

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

DATE: Tuesday, December 9th. 1986, at 7 p.m.

PLACE: The Education Centre (Top floor)  
155 College Street (College at McCall Streets.)

- PURPOSES:
1. To hear the reports of your officers.
  2. To elect your Board for 1987.
  3. To consider and vote on any motions properly presented to this meeting.

Brian King,  
Secretary.

