



2018 SAILING SEASON BEGINS

The 2018 Ten Mile Lake sailing season begins with the Fourth of July Race on June 30 followed by the Memorial Cup the following Saturday on July 7.

Having the races on back-to-back weekends gives us the best chance that people who come to the lake that week can participate in two races.

We'll do the same thing for the Moxness Cup and End of the Summer race. Those races will be on July 28 and Aug. 4, respectively.

There are two open weekend Saturdays on the schedule – July 15 and July 22 – that we'll reserve for make-up races and sailing clinics, if there is interest.

As usual, the first race begins at 1:30 p.m. In case of foul weather or no wind, the races will be held at 10:30 a.m. Sunday. If you have any questions, email the commodore at grant.moos@gmail.com.

We'll have the traditional sailing kickoff party at the Moos cabin following the races on June 30 -- about 4:30 p.m. Until then, get your boats tuned up and we'll see you at the Fourth of July

regatta. All races will begin at 1:30 p.m. Saturday.

In case of foul weather or no wind, the races will be held at 10:30 a.m. Sunday. If you have any questions, email the commodore.

2018 Sailing Schedule

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| June 30 | Fourth of July Regatta Sailing season kickoff party |
| July 7 | Memorial Cup |
| July 28 | Moxness Cup Regatta |
| Aug. 4 | End of Summer Regatta |

Sailing Club founder remembered

It's with great sadness that we note the passing of our club's patriarch and founder, Richard (Dick) Garbisch, this past Dec. 24. He was 101.

Dick was an excellent sailor and instructor who taught many of the current generation of Ten Mile Lake sailors how to sail. His daughter, Mimi Garbisch Carlson, and son, Tom, are still active members of the sailing club.

Our club began in the 1930s when Dick, Jim Brandt, Bob Buck and Jimmy Gamble began racing around three buoys anchored around the lake.

Although Dick stopped racing several years ago, he took a keen interest in the sailing club, which has continued to hold

its annual awards ceremony on his beach in his honor.

You can read more about Dick in the April 2018 edition of the [Ten Mile Lake Association Newsletter](#). A memorial party will be held on July 25 from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. July 25 on the Garbisch Beach, 5338 Lower Ten Mile Lake Road.



Richard "Dick" Garbisch

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Follow the Sailing Club on Facebook

We've created the [Ten Mile Lake Sailing Club](#) community on Facebook to make sharing updates even easier.

This site will supplement our old www.tmlsailingclub.org website, which is on life support. It served its purpose well but several features – like the local weather and slide show -- no longer work. So we're debating its future.

We think the Facebook option will work better so we can quickly post updates. So please log on to Facebook and follow the [Ten Mile Lake Sailing Club](#).



Welcome back TM1 to racing

The Putneys have long been members of the Ten Mile Lake sailing community as their iconic sail number -- TM1 -- suggests. But they have not been active racers in recent years.

That began to change in 2017 when Brad and his brother, Blake, were at the starting line for the Fourth of July Regatta.

Their father, Mark, had sailed for many years in the 1970s and 1980s.

And Brad has taken photographs of the races for years – several of which have appeared in the Squall Line and on our website. But it was a rare – and memorable – Blake sighting.

Although the Putney brothers did not sail to a podium finish, Blake did set the bar for summer fashion with his patriotic shorts.

They were an inspiration, and we hope to see more of Blake and Brad this season.



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Sail numbers

Here is a list of sail numbers and the boats they are registered to.

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| TM 1 | Putney |
| B 1 | Smith |
| TM 2 | Nelson |
| TM 3 | Olsen |
| TM 4 | Ellerston |
| TM 5 | Crabb |
| TM 6 | Hoffman |
| TM 7 | Garbisch |
| P 7 | Brandt (Bim) |
| TM 9 | Brandt (Ben) |
| TM 10/89 | Carlson (Mimi) |
| TM 11 | Sigveland |
| TM 19 | Robison |
| TM 23 | Roberts |
| TM 25 | Moos |
| TM 32 | Thomas |
| TM 40 | Hamsa |
| TM 55 | Brandt (Tom) |
| TM 78 | Staunton |
| TM 99 | Cox |

Light wind marks the 2017 season

The 2017 sailing season was characterized by some of the lightest winds in recent memory at all four of our regattas.

Two of the second races – at the Memorial Cup and the End of the Summer regattas – were canceled due to a lack of wind. And we struggled to find enough wind to hold the other regattas.

But the season did create some memorable moments. After we delayed the start of the Memorial Cup race, Committee Boat Volunteer Ed “Pete” Crandall noticed there was a wind line off Loufek’s Point.



So Ki Hoffman quickly set up a wonderful short course, Tom Brandt Jr. had a superb port start and sailed to an early lead, and there were multiple wind shifts to keep things interesting. Ki ended up winning the race, followed by Grant Moos and Tom Brandt.

Then the wind died again – a pattern that repeated itself all summer long. But it was great to see Tom Brandt Jr. out for two regattas, capturing third places in both.

Pete Roberts had an excellent season, sailing to first place finishes in both the Fourth of July and the End of Summer regattas. And Grant Moos won the Moxness Cup regatta.

The Summer Series trophy – which is awarded to the sailor with the highest cumulative score from all the races during the season – was won by Grant Moos. Ki Hoffman came in second followed by Pete Roberts in third.

Let’s hope for more consistent winds this year. But no matter the wind or the weather, it’s always great to be out sailing.

Fancy new radios

The Sailing Club recently purchased two new VHF marine band radios to improve communications with the Committee Boat.



The radios have a greater range than the portable radios we have been using and are waterproof and float.

We’ve lost a couple of our old radios over the years so we think this is a good investment.

These are the types of radios used at major sailing regattas to communicate with sailors about weather delays, course changes and other updates.

An added benefit is safety. We plan to have the radios on at all times so sailors can call if they get into trouble on the water.

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Sailing kickoff party June 30 at Moos cabin

The kickoff of the 2018 sailing season begins Saturday, June 30, at the Moos cabin at about 4:30 p.m. – shortly after the races end.

All sailors, friends of sailors, and anyone who has ever seen a sailboat, are welcome.

We're at 4503 Alder Lane on the northwest shore about a quarter mile north of Gainey's Point.

Check out our website at www.tmlsailingclub.org for more information, and to get on our mailing list for regular updates.

We hope to see everyone at the party – or even before out on the lake.



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