

# THE TILLER

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## Commodore's Corner

The Commodore tells me he is very busy. To make this quicker I also work as a ghost writer.

Christmas was a short time for family and friends again this year, a break from the mundane world of work, a hard freeze and two inches of snow.

Jim and I sat in the club house one evening during the holidays and watched the resident eagle.



Haiku

The cruising eagle  
eats fresh caught fish while perched high.  
Sunset lights the lake.

Again, thank you one and all!  
For Bill Heirendt:

## Frostbite Race and Chili Cook-off

The high temperature was 41 degrees wind North at 12 – 18 veering late to NNE. We didn't start till 2:00 and it would have been hectic to start earlier but next year let's try for noon. Thirteen boats got in the race and fourteen pots tried for chili.

Gary started first and led the fleet around the first two triangles, then promptly turtled the boat. Well he would have but the mast got stuck in the mud. Larry and I towed him off the course and struggled mightily to get him back upright. He was cold and wet and very tired by the end of that ordeal so we towed him all the way home.

Jim Holcomb and Glen Brandon won the race and the Catalina 22 division. Bill Heirendt won the Catalina 25 division. Brian McMillan and Aaron Brandt won line honors.

Lots of excellent chili and a close contest again this time. Robert and Karen Richardson won first place and got their picture taken with that tasty looking Chili Trophy.

Boat	Skipper	Crew	crew	handicap	corrected	place	Time
C-22	Jim Holcomb	Glen Brandon		96.3	106.0055	1	102.0833
C-22	Ted Gay	Patty Gay	Gary Waters	96.3	114.5552	2	110.3167
J-24	Brian McMillan	Aaron Brandt		80.8	123.9686	3	100.1667
Star 22	Dean Hill	Gordon Kayser		100.9	148.4473	4	149.7833
C-25	Bill Heirendt	Penny Espinosa		95.1	153.9257	5	146.3833
C-22	Sherry Srnka	Bill Day	Jonathon	96.3	159.0862	6	153.2
C-25	Tommy Malone	Patty Malone		95.1	160.0421	7	152.2
SC-22	Robert Richardson	Brandon Barconarc		99.5	160.804	8	160
C-22	Andy Bahr			96.3	169.055	9	162.8
C-22	Roy Hinrichs			96.3	169.4358	10	163.1667
H-18	Gary Noyes			71.4	DNF	11	0
Mac-22	Bob Crow	Jennifer		100	DNF	12	0
CL-21	Ted Hubble			107.8	DNF	13	0





This year's social committee is; Patty Malone, Patti Gay, Linda Butler, Penny Espinoza and Marianne Peterson.

## Coming Soon

### Winter Series

Two races of the Winter Series will be held this month.

### Full Moon Party

The Winter Full Moon Party will be held at the Club on Saturday night January 26. Bring pot luck.

### Santana Series

The first Santana Series will be held on the first Sunday in the months of February March April and May. The race will be directly after the monthly Board Meeting and is open to Club Santanas only.

### Cowtown Great American Cleanup

The 28th annual Cowtown Great American Cleanup will be on April 6, 2013 from 8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

It is sponsored by the city of Fort Worth. We will have 2 cleanup teams from our club. One will partner with the Lake Worth Boat and Ski Club to clean up Goat Island. One team will pick up debris in the 3 city parks along Watercress Drive.

The Lake Worth Sailing Club has taken a leadership role in this endeavor in this event. It is another way we can give back something to our beautiful lake. This year may be joined by some of our neighbors.

Mary and Gordon Kayser will be responsible for picking up supplies and forms.

## Club Web Site Status;

I wanted to let you know that the new website is now online at [www.lakeworthsailingclub.com](http://www.lakeworthsailingclub.com) or [www.lakeworthsailingclub.org](http://www.lakeworthsailingclub.org). There are numerous new additions to the new website, as well. These include a new online Calendar, the 2013 Racing schedule, a five day weather forecast, a photo and video Gallery, a Newsletter section that even includes the very first newsletter posted by LWSC back in September of 1938, an online Guestbook where you and any visitors to this site can leave feedback or a comment or two about the club, an online Forum - that includes a CLASSIFIEDS section for members to post items that they want to sell or buy, a new Contacts page that shows our new CLUB phone number, and finally - we have a new FACEBOOK page at <https://www.facebook.com/LakeWorthSailingClub>. Make sure that you stop by and visit the website and "LIKE" us on Facebook. Come back and visit often, so you will get the very latest updates on any club activities or races.  
Let SAIL !! Roy Hinrichs, LWSC Webmaster

### Psephology

psephology is the scientific study of elections.

“All shades of psephological permutations have been bandied about to win crumbs of power bereft of any ideological commitment.”

“I think the correct psephological term for this is BOLLOCKS.”

‘psephological’ has a Scrabble score of 23.