



# *The Doings*

*Of the Dixie Sailing Club*  
*October 2011*



**Keith & Jennifer Bennett on  
"Screamin'"**

**Mark Cline, Dick Cline &  
Chuck Newman on  
"Full Tilt"**



**Mickey Richardson, Sandy  
Cox & Ron Dettwiler on  
"Mischief"**

**DSC was well represented at the 2011 Gone With The Wind Regatta at Lake Lanier, GA**

**Commodore's Corner**  
*By Commodore Charlie French*

**Dates to remember:**

**Scotalina TuTu Regatta October 29 – 30, 2011**

**Annual Member Meeting November 12, 2011**

It's great that the hot summer weather is over and the cooler fall sailing and fun weather is here. We look forward to the Scotalina TuTu Regatta the last week of this month. We want to thank Burl Murphy and Royetta Link for their work and planning for the regatta. We also appreciate everybody that it takes to make a regatta happen.

Our annual meeting of members is scheduled for November 12, 2011. The two nominating committees chaired by Dee Randolph and Ron Dettwiler have nominated the following members to replace the three outgoing board members and the one board member who has resigned:

Wayne Carroll

Mark Cline

Bill Hoster

Roger Smith

David Wimberley

For the election at the annual meeting on November 12, 2011, the floor will also be open for additional nominations. The election is very important because that is the future of Dixie Sailing Club.

October's Super Saturday started with a great brunch prepared by Randy and Chrys Randolph on Randy's Birthday. We had great winds for a beautiful day of sailing. We had monetary rewards for the sailors who came to happy hour. The pot luck dinner was fantastic as usual.

The fall is one of the great times of the year for sailing. The water is warm and the wind is fresh. Bring those friends you have been meaning to invite to Dixie Sailing Club for a day of sailing.

Fair winds and smooth seas to one and all,

*Charlie*

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## **From the Vice**

*By Vice Commodore Royetta Link*

October 1st, Randy and Chrys Randolph hosted the best Super Saturday Brunch hands down! Hash brown casserole, smoked sausage, egg casserole, pancakes fresh off the griddle with hot toppings that put any IHOP to shame.

Don't forget the Annual Scotalina TuTu is just around the corner. Place your Boston Butt order soon. I have orders for eight and room for eight more. Just drop me an email at [Royetta.link@live.com](mailto:Royetta.link@live.com) .

*Royetta*

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**21<sup>st</sup> Annual Scotalina TuTu Regatta**  
**October 29 & 30, 2011**  
**Hosted by: Dixie Sailing Club**  
**Notice of Race**

**Rules:** The races will be governed by *rules* as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2009-2012*. Catalina 22 One Design Class Rules will apply for all Catalina 22's entering.

**Races:** Five races are scheduled, of the windward/ leeward variety. Scoring will be low point as per RRS Appendix A with all races counting towards the final results. One race will constitute a regatta. No score will be excluded, this changes RRS A2.

**Venue:** The Dixie Sailing Club, Lake Martin, Alabama. The racing area will be in the Kowaliga Bay (big lake) or in the small lake adjacent to the club.

**Fleets:** Five fleets are scheduled: Flying Scot, MC Scow, Catalina 22 Gold Fleet, Catalina 22 Silver Fleet, and Open Portsmouth Fleet. A minimum of three boats must be registered to constitute a fleet. In the event insufficient competitors register to form a Silver Fleet they will be registered in Gold Fleet. Catalina 22 competitors who have won a regional or national C22 event in any fleet are ineligible to compete in Silver Fleet and must register in Gold Fleet.

**Eligibility and Entry Fee:** The regatta is open to all boats meeting their respective class participation requirements as set forth in their class rules. Eligible boats may enter by completing the entry form attached to this NOR. The entry fee is \$45 and includes one Saturday evening dinner, and a hat for the skipper. Additional meals and hats may be paid for when registering. Bag lunches for Saturday may also be purchased, see the entry form.

**Schedule of Events:** All times are preliminary. Check official Notice Board for updates after arriving.

**Friday, 10/28** All day, DSC open for early arrivals/rigging/practice

**Saturday, 10/29** 8:00 - 10:00 AM Free Continental Breakfast  
8:00- 10:00 AM Check-in & Registration  
10:00 AM Skippers' meeting  
11:45 AM Warning signal for first race. NO RACE STARTS AFTER 4 PM  
5:00 PM Post race Happy Hour  
6:00 PM Catered Dinner

**Sunday, 10/30** 8:00 - 9:00 AM Free Continental breakfast  
9:30 AM Warning signal for first race  
Additional race follows, no race starts after 11:30 AM  
12:30 PM Awards & Post race activities

**Sailing Instructions:** Full Sailing Instructions will be available at Registration/Check -In, Saturday 10/29/2011.

**Radio Communication:** Courtesy broadcasts may be made on VHF channel 72 or as designated by the race committee. The failure to have a working VHF radio, misinterpretation of the courtesy broadcasts, or failure of the race committee to provide a broadcast shall not be grounds for redress. Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

**Awards:** Awards for 1st, 2nd and 3rd will be given for the five fleets racing, provided that three or more boats are entered and racing in each fleet.

**Disclaimer of Liability:** Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS, Rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or to, during, or after the regatta.

**Amendments to the Notice of Race:** The organizing authority reserves the right to amend this Notice of Race from time to time. Please check [www.dixiesailingclub.com](http://www.dixiesailingclub.com) or [ww.catalina22.org](http://ww.catalina22.org) for updates.

**For any further information:** Contact Burl Murphy, Regatta Chairman, 334-285-9053 day time, or by e-mail to [bmurphy@elmore.rr.com](mailto:bmurphy@elmore.rr.com)

**Registration Form**  
**21<sup>st</sup> Annual Scotalina TuTu Regatta**  
**October 29 & 30, 2011**

**REGISTRATION INFO:**

Skipper \_\_\_\_\_ Boat Name \_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Club Affiliation \_\_\_\_\_  
Boat type \_\_\_\_\_ C22 Class \_\_\_\_\_ Sail Number \_\_\_\_\_

**COST INFO:**

***Registration is per skipper. One event hat & one Saturday evening catered dinner included with the regatta fee.***

Regatta fee: @ \$45.00 \_\_\_\_\_  
Extra hat: @ \$15 each \_\_\_\_\_  
Extra Catered Dinner Saturday Evening: @\$10 each \_\_\_\_\_  
Saturday Bag Lunches @ 2 for \$5 \_\_\_\_\_  
Saturday Happy Hour, Saturday & Sunday Continental Breakfasts -- Free

**TOTAL ENCLOSED:** \_\_\_\_\_

**THIS AGREEMENT CONTAINS A RELEASE AND WAIVER  
and COVENANT NOT TO SUE**

Sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury. Competitors in this event are participating entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The race organizers (organizing authority, race committee, protest committee, host club, sponsors, or any other organization or official) will not be responsible for damage to any boat or other property or the injury to any competitor, including death, sustained as a result of participation in this event. By participating in this event, each competitor agrees to release the race organizers from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

*Make checks payable to:* DSC

Mail to: Scotalina TuTu  
Attn: Burl Murphy  
PO Box 856  
Millbrook, AL 36054

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### **Upcoming Events and Responsibilities**

#### **October 2011**

- Sun 16      **Club Racing – 2:00**  
RC Chair: Bennett  
RC Assist: Squires, Merry Hardy, Murphy
- Sat 22      **Club Racing – 10:15**  
RC Chair: R. Cline  
RC Assist: Riddle, Savage, W. Smith
- Sat/Sun 29/30 **Scotalina TuTu Regatta**  
RC Chair: Regatta CRO  
RC Assist: Riley, King, Jody Miller  
Kitchen Duty: (Chair) Hilgendorf, Link, Wimberley, Floyd, Tilton

#### **November 2011**

- Sat 5      **Club Racing – 12:30**  
RC Chair: Hoster  
RC Assist: R. Cline, Blake, George Hardy
- Sat 12      **Championship Sailoff – 10:15**  
RC Chair: R. Cline  
RC Assist: Morris, Merry Hardy, TBD
- Sun 20      **Club Racing – 2:00**  
RC Chair: Carden  
RC Assist: Morgan, Ford, Riggs

#### **December 2011**

- Sat 10      **Frostbite Regatta II – 11:00**  
RC Chair: Mote  
RC Assist: Savage, Morris, Tilton