

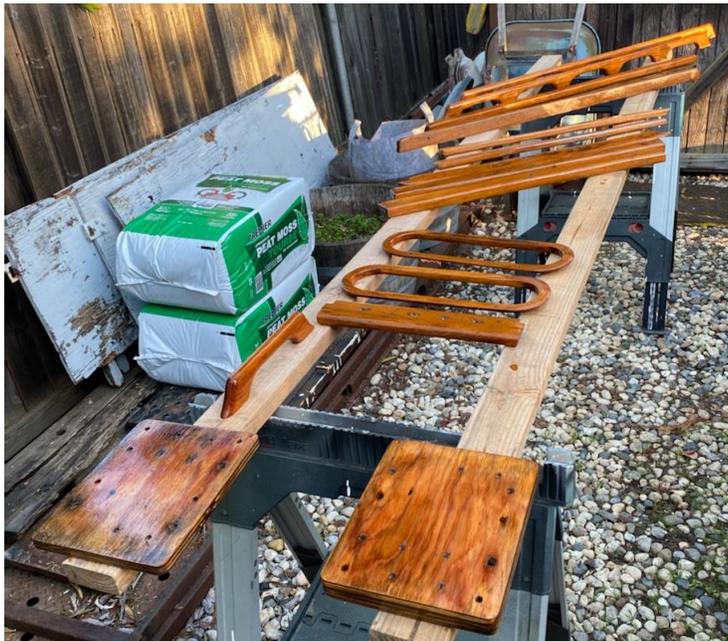


# Catalina 22 Fleet 4 4UM



**June**

**2020**



Quarantine boat project by new member Rich Mason.

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### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### ❄ June 2020 ❄

- 6/3 **Race:** FLYC Beer Can, 6:00pm, Folsom Lake, every Wed. thru Aug.
- 6/12 **Race:** FLYC Summer Series #2, 6:00pm, Folsom Lake
- 6/19 **Membership BBQ Picnic, NEW DATE,** 6:00pm, Rayfuse's home
- 6/20 **Bigs & Littles Sail Day and BBQ, CANCELED**

#### ❄ July 2020 ❄

- 7/3-5 **Cruise:** Independence Day Weekend, 10:00am, Folsom Lake or S.F. Bay
- 7/17 **Race:** FLYC Summer Series #3, 6:00pm, Folsom Lake
- 7/18 **Race:** FLYC Centerboard (+Keel?) Regatta, 9:00am, Folsom Lake
- 7/31 **Race:** FLYC Summer Series #4, 6:00pm, Folsom Lake

#### ❄ August 2020 ❄

- 8/1 **Race:** FLYC Singlehanded Regatta, 11:00am, Folsom Lake
- 8/13 **Ice Cream Social,** 7:00pm, Rayfuse's home
- 8/14-16 **Cruise:** Shooting Star, 10:00am, Union Valley Reservoir

The Fleet 4um is published bi-monthly in even-numbered months. The deadline for submission is the 25th of the odd-numbered month prior to publication for the next month's edition.

**Please send your submissions for the August edition by July 25<sup>th</sup> to:**  
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## ➤ **CAPTAIN'S CORNER** ◀

Kevin Clancy, Captain  
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We have had a tough start to the season, no doubt. As all of you are aware, the world we once knew has been turned on its side for the moment. As restrictions lift and California continues to open more and more, it is important to remember to take care of yourself and each other. This will be a season marked with precautions and calculated risks. Sailing is a great activity and can be safe to enjoy with certain caveats. It is up to each of you to determine the amount of risk you are willing to accept. Each club member will make his or her own decision about how they wish to participate in scheduled events this year. These decisions are personal and should be supported by the entire membership. I hope all of you will find a way to eventually participate in some of the remaining events on our calendar.

Joanne and I launched *Miss Irene* this week. She is berthed for the season at E Dock, slip #29. Please stop by anytime to say Hello! Once we all get more comfortable being around others, I want to invite members to join me on board *Miss Irene* to work on some basic boating skills, including but not limited to:

- Motoring in and out of a slip
- Anchoring
- Man over-board
- What else???

We can all learn together and have fun. I'm certainly not an expert, but I am willing to bang up my boat learning! Let me know if this is something you are interested in (916/956-6246).

In other club news: start to look for some changes in our public notifications. New member, Rich Mason, has offered to help clean up and consolidate our Facebook presence. A big Thank You to Rich!

One last seed to plant: next year I plan to sail from Santa Cruz to Monterey, stopping over in Moss Landing before meeting the rest of the Fleet in Monterey for our annual Martin Luther King, Jr., weekend cruise. If this sounds like an adventure

you want to be a part of, give me a shout and help me plan this multi-day cruise.

## ➤ **SOCIAL SOUNDINGS** ◀

Madeline Rayfuse, Social Chair  
Sirius, C22 #3088  
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Well hello Fleet 4 Members,

I guess we have been all sailing a Covid 19 lately. She is so demanding it's hard to keep up with the new class rules.

Our next meeting is the Fleet BBQ. It will be held at our home on [June 19th at 6:00 PM](#).

The BBQ will NOT be a Potluck this year. A grill is going to be hot and ready for you to cook on. Everything else is BYOF (bring your own food). Soda and water will be supplied by the Fleet or BYOB.

We are ready to PARTY. It has been too long since we have seen our sailing friends.

You may have already heard that the Big's and Little's is canceled this year. It is sad so many cruises, races, graduations, parties, etc. are canceled.

We are excited to see you all at the BBQ Friday June 19th!

Madeline Rayfuse  
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## ➤ **CRUSING CHATTER** ◀

Susan Patchett, Cruising Chair  
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The next cruise will be on July 3-5. The location is Folsom Lake, or S.F. Bay. If you would like to lead this cruise, please contact me at 916 996-5697.

Also, I am trying to reschedule the Orville Cruise. The tentative date is October 9-11. Please add this to your calendar.

We walked to Beal's Point on April 3rd to see Folsom Lake up close. It was a 4-mile walk (round trip) from our house; by the time we got home we were beat. The lake is pretty low, but since then we have accumulated more than 3 1/2 inches of rain. Steve has a rain gauge hanging on the fence. The picture shows how low the lake is, and also shows the mountains that are covered with snow.



Folsom at Beal's Pt., and mountains covered with snow.

### Memorial Day Weekend Cruise Report

Roy Moore, Cruise Leader  
*Allegro*, Catalina 22  
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It was a lovely day at the "zoo" Sunday, and Saturday was near perfect sailing. The skippers meeting at 11:00 on Saturday included Laura-Ann Charlot, Pat MacIntosh, Arnold and Bonnie-Lee Boeck, and Roy and Noreen Moore.

Richard and Carolyn Mason tried to join the meeting, BUT (here's a take-away for future cruise leaders) what Fleet members are used to calling "top of the ramp at Brown's Ravine" is really about 40 meters east under the trees. The Masons naturally understood the top of the ramp to be where the asphalt turns to sloping concrete. My bad. The Masons went out to New York Cove and stayed overnight and had a lovely time there. While the Moores had to put up with wavelets slapping *Allegro* all Saturday night, the Masons had a quiet night of watching the panorama of stars through the open hatch as *Blew* slowly circled on her anchor. The Masons and Moores met in the parking lot

Sunday evening and enjoyed a lovely chat. Karen and Gary Preston came to the lake Sunday afternoon.



Karen Preston at the helm of *Charmed Life*.

Laura-Ann had *Quiet Time*, and the Preston's had *Charmed Life* in their slips by Friday, the Moore's had *Allegro*, and Pat had *Ramblin' Rose* in Friday evening, and Richard and Carolyn had *Blew* in Saturday morning. Bill Martin tried to come to Brown's Ravine late morning on Sunday and meet up with the Masons, but it and Folsom Point had full parking lots. Granite Bay had a line of cars on Douglas Blvd. -- Folsom Lake was a zoo. So, Bill and family went swimming at Lake Natomas. Kevin Clancy and Joanne tried to launch *Miss Irene* on Memorial Day morning, but Folsom Lake was still a zoo, so they postponed to Tuesday.

Winds on Saturday were awesome, 7 – 10 mph most of the day. The water, at least near shore, was swimmably warm. So, in summary, Fleet members really came through on this cruise, but encountered unusually heavy traffic. Five boats participated during the weekend and two more tried to.

➤ **RACING RAG** ◀

Mike Rayfuse, Racing Chair  
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**RACING SCOREBOARD:**  
**COVID = 19 // FLEET-4 = 0**

That's the bad news for the few fleet 4 racers. However, there is a possibility that there is good news on the event horizon.

I have been in contact with Folsom Lake Yacht Club (I have membership there), as I run a race every July for the centerboards [July 18 at 9:00am].

Pending an Insurance review and FLYC board ok, we are going to try a "mini or half Trans-Folsom", which will consist of 2 races back to back using the south fork of the American River.

- The races will be separated by a lunch stop at or near the rafting pullout near Salmon Falls Bridge.
- The intent is to get everybody out for a race that will be divided into at least 2 classes with separate starts, so the centerboards are not shadowed by the bigger boats.
- The races will consist of one leg that is mostly downwind and one that is mostly upwind using as much of the south fork as wind will allow. On average it's about 1 hour each way.
- The prevailing thought is to do a 'pursuit' type of race using the start sequencing ala Trans-Folsom, but that decision is pending.
- Due to social distancing, the meal between races will probably not be provided, and the 'after party awards' will be modified.

The only other 'localish' race in the near time frame, Go for the Gold [on Scott's Flat near Grass Valley], has been cancelled as of this writing. The Delta Ditch race (June 5) is also cancelled.

➤ **SECRETARY'S REPORT** ◀

Roy Moore, Secretary  
*Allegro*, Catalina 22  
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The Fleet Board met May 19 via Zoom. All officers were "present".

The Bigs and Littles event, originally planned for June 20 got postponed until a date to be decided at another Zoom meeting by June 13. Karen is staying in contact with the Bigs/Littles organization and with FLYC. (FLYC's involvement provides liability coverage for the event, and FLYC members usually provide boats.) [NOTE: Since the Board Meeting, the Bigs and Littles Sail Day has been canceled for this year.]

The Fleet BBQ Picnic is still on. It will be on June 19 instead of June 5, but 6:00 p.m. at the Rayfuse home remains unchanged. This year, we won't have a potluck due to COVID-19, but we bring our own food. There will be a grill for whatever meat we want to cook. The officers plan to phone members with these changes.

We are on schedule to have the roster available at the Fleet BBQ. We have a few new names in the roster this year!

## CATALINA 22 FLEET 4 – 2020 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

DATE	DAY	TIME	EVENT	VENUE
	<b>Color Codes:</b>		MEETING	SOCIAL/OTHER
			CRUISE	RACE
<b>JUNE</b>				
6/3	WED	6:00pm	Beer Can Race (every Wed. thru Aug.)	FOLSOM LAKE
6/12	FRI	6:00pm	FLYC Summer Sunset Series Race #2	FOLSOM LAKE
6/19	FRI	6:00pm	Membership BBQ Picnic <b>NEW DATE</b>	Rayfuse's home
6/20	SAT	9:00am	Bigs and Littles Sail Day <b>CANCELED</b>	FOLSOM LAKE
<b>JULY</b>				
7/1	WED	6:00pm	Beer Can Race (every Wed. thru Aug.)	FOLSOM LAKE
7/3-5	FRI-SUN	10:00am	Independence Day Cruise	FOLSOM LAKE or S.F. BAY
7/17	FRI	6:00pm	FLYC Summer Sunset Series Race #3	FOLSOM LAKE
7/18	SAT	9:00am	FLYC Centerboard (+Keel?) Regatta	FOLSOM LAKE
7/31	FRI	6:00pm	FLYC Summer Sunset Series Race #4	FOLSOM LAKE
<b>AUGUST</b>				
8/1	SAT	11:00am	FLYC Singlehanded Regatta	FOLSOM LAKE
8/5	WED	6:00pm	Beer Can Race (every Wed. thru Aug.)	FOLSOM LAKE
8/13	THUR	7:00pm	Ice Cream Social	Rayfuse's home
8/14-16	SAT-MON	10:00am	Shooting Star Cruise	UNION VALLEY RESERVOIR
8/16	SUN	12:00pm	FLYC Governor's Cup Series Race #1	FOLSOM LAKE
8/30	SUN	12:00pm	FLYC Governor's Cup Series Race #2	FOLSOM LAKE
<b>SEPTEMBER</b>				
9/13	SUN	12:00pm	FLYC Governor's Cup Series Race #3	FOLSOM LAKE
9/25-27	FRI-SUN	10:00am	New Malones Cruise	NEW MELONES RESERVOIR
9/27	SUN	12:00pm	FLYC Governor's Cup Series Race #4	FOLSOM LAKE
<b>OCTOBER</b>				
8/8	THUR	7:00pm	Membership Meeting (6:30pm dinner)	Round Table Pizza, 9500 Greenback Ln.
10/9-11	FRI- SUN	10:00am	Lake Oroville Cruise <b>RESCHEDULED</b>	LAKE OROVILLE
8/24	SAT	10:00am	Halloween Cruise	FOLSOM LAKE
<b>NOVEMBER</b>				
11/7	SAT	6:30pm	Awards Banquet	TBD

# CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

## *Allegro is For Sale*

Roy Moore, 916-201-4737



Catalina 22 built in 1978. Swing keel. Dinette cabin configuration. Includes cockpit cubies, hard point for preventer or spring lines, mast raising rig, bimini, and cabin roof pop-top. The pop-top includes gas spring lifts.

The 135% genoa sail is on a Flexible Furler. The main sail is "loose-footed" on the boom, and includes lazy jacks for the boom. Includes spinnaker. The Minnkota electric trolling motor is ridiculously easy to start and has plenty of power to get in and out of a marina, come home when the wind quits, etc. Hummingbird depth sounder/fish finder. Standard Horizon VHF marine radio.

Asking \$2500. Call or text 916-201-4737 with questions or for an appointment to view *Allegro*.

## Free "Cruising Notes"

Pat McIntosh, [cruisingnotes@yahoo.com](mailto:cruisingnotes@yahoo.com)

We had the seminars and the 10th edition of the book ready to go the day that the Pacific Sail & Power Boat Show was cancelled. BUT here is the silver lining (if there is one):

The Pacific Sail & Power Boat Show, Latitude 38, and Cruising Notes Seminars have decided to use our book "***CRUISING NOTES - Things to know before you go***" as a token of our appreciation of sailors' past attendance at the boat shows and seminars. And as an effort to assist sailors in getting ready for the upcoming sailing season, we are joining with them to ***GIVE A FREE COPY OF THE NEW 10TH EDITION TO EVERY SAILOR WHO WANTS ONE!***

[www.encyclopedia.com/cruising-notes-things-to-know-before-you-go-free-download/](http://www.encyclopedia.com/cruising-notes-things-to-know-before-you-go-free-download/)

If any Fleet 4 member has an item or service you would like to offer to other members, please write an ad, and submit it to:

Gary Preston, Fleet 4UM Editor  
[Gary\\_Karen\\_Preston@compuserve.com](mailto:Gary_Karen_Preston@compuserve.com)

The ad is free for Fleet 4 members.



# Fleet 4 Membership & Renewal Form for Year 20\_\_

**Renewing Members:** fill in your Name and only the information that has changed since last year, and sign.

Name (1<sup>st</sup> member) \_\_\_\_\_ Registration # (CF) \_\_\_\_\_

Name (2<sup>nd</sup> member) \_\_\_\_\_ Boat Name \_\_\_\_\_

Children (under 16 who sail with you) \_\_\_\_\_ Boat Type (make & model) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Sail Number \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Marina \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Berth \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ C22 National member? Yes No (circle)

Work Phone (1<sup>st</sup> member) (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Boat Equipped with: (for cruising safety)

VHF Radio Yes No (circle)

Work Phone (2<sup>nd</sup> member) (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ GPS Yes No (circle)

Radar Yes No (circle)

Cell Phone (1<sup>st</sup> member) (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

The Fleet 4um newsletter is distributed bi-monthly by email to all members and posted on the Fleet 4 website. Would you also like a mailed copy?

Cell Phone (2<sup>nd</sup> member) (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

YES, I prefer a mailed copy.

Email (1<sup>st</sup> member) \_\_\_\_\_

NO, email and online posting is fine.

Email (2<sup>nd</sup> member) \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby release all Fleet 4 members, cruise leaders, and board members from any liability for injury, death, or damage to property arising from participation in any Fleet activities and/or cruises. I also acknowledge that the decision to participate, race, continue to race, or cruise in the events is the sole responsibility of the individual skipper and his or her crew.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Fleet 4 dues: \$36**

**Due January 1<sup>st</sup> of each year**

(New members prorate less than 1 year at \$3.00 per month.)

Make checks payable to: **Catalina 22 Fleet 4**

Then mail with Membership Form to:

Fleet 4 Treasurer  
c/o Gary Preston  
4113 Big Live Oak Lane  
Sacramento, CA 95821

For membership questions, contact Bill Martin:  
(916) 804-5240 or email: bimartin@hotmail.com

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Roster needs updating

New member packet sent

Needs membership badge

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