

**CRUISING CLUB OF AMERICA**  
**San Francisco Station**  
**Minutes of Meeting -June 7, 2006**

The Regular Meeting was held at the Golden Gate Yacht Club.

**Present:** R/C Cornelius, Ahari, J. Alderson, R. Allen, Bacigalupi, Bekins, Cochran, Clendenin, Edinger, Foss, Harris, Hunt, Knecht, Parkman, Robinson, Roe, Van Blaricom & Vespa. [Most of this small turnout arrived by boat on Knecht's *Nightwatch* and Vespa's *Scorpio*.]

**Guests:** none

**Newly Elected Members** were introduced and congratulated: Chris Parkman and Zia Ahari were present and reported their backgrounds. Sally Honey reported from Rotterdam.

**Treasurer's Report:** Bank balance is \$3806.83. Loan for the National Spring Meeting has been redeemed and our allotment from National has been paid. Dues delinquent list has dwindled to 5.

**Spring Meeting:** Jerry Knecht reported for the committee that the affair had been a great success and that letters of appreciation had been received from several stations. Arrangements had run smoothly and the financial deficit—covered by National—had been less than expected. Kudos to Robby for his management of the finances.

**Environmental Report:** Bill Foss reported attending the meeting of *Environmental Aspects of the Sea* in Boston and distributed 2 papers about fish.

**Meeting Venues** were discussed. Without a vote there appeared to be a consensus that GGYC was comfortable, private and attractive enough to be repeated, perhaps on a regular basis.

**Cruising:** The *Half Moon Bay Cruise* was declared a success. Club hospitality was cordial and cocktails were enjoyed on Bob Vespa's *Scorpio*. Next cruise= *Montezuma Slough*, July 14-16, and *Tomales Bay*, Sept 10-12.

**Cruising we do:** Wyman Harris reported on the *Baja California Cruise* with great satisfaction.

**Next Meeting:** Wednesday 6 September 2006. Venue to be announced.  
Have a pleasant summer with good tailwinds.

Respectfully submitted,  
Benson Roe, Secretary