Beacon Sloop Club Broadside



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Serving the Hudson River with Pride for 43 Years

In Memoria

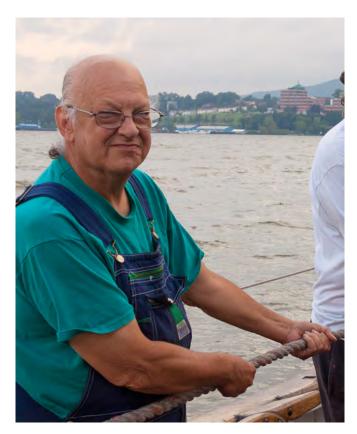
Our Vice President Saul Rozinsky passed away on February 27th. As many of you know, he had been dealing with health issues for some time but had battled back and returned to his volunteer activities recently, outlining an ambitious agenda at our January meeting.

Saul was a unique individual with many talents, an inventor and tinkerer, engineer, electrician, sailor, sound man, environmentalist, teacher, wizard of the workshop, and mentor to us all.

He served as club president at least four times, chaired the building committee, and designed and built our solar trailers. Just look around the clubhouse or the festivals and you will see his handiwork. His can-do creativity and dedication to the community embodied Pete's vision of what the sloop club was all about. We used to joke that it would take six people to do what he did; in reality we knew he was irreplaceable.

Above all Saul was our friend and we will miss his good nature, his advice, and his energy. There will always be a place for Saul and Bonnie down by the riverside and in our hearts.

So, let's pick up our tools, put Stan Rogers on the sound system, and try and carry on his good work. That is the best tribute we can make to someone who cared so very much for the club and the community.



Fair Winds - Saul

Memorial Service Saturday March 19, 12-4pm Unitarian Universalist Congregation at Rock Tavern

9 Vance Rd, Rock Tavern, New York 12575

NEXT EXEC. COM. MEETING IS Tuesday, Mar. 22nd 7:00 p.m. NEXT MEMBERSHIP MEETING IS FRIDAY, Apr. 1st 7:30 p.m., Potluck at 6:30 p.m.

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The Beacon Sloop Club Broadside is the official monthly newsletter of the Beacon Sloop Club, Inc.

The Beacon Sloop Club, Inc. is a non-profit, volunteer environmental education/action and sailing organization dedicated to cleaning up the Hudson River and its environs. Our main focus is the Beacon, Fishkill and Newburgh area.

Members meet the first Friday of every month at the **Sloop Club Building** located just across from the Beacon train station. Look for the building with the Norway spruce tree growing out of the roof! A potluck dinner starts at 6:30 p.m.; bring a covered dish to share and your own place setting. The general meeting starts at 7:30 p.m. and lasts about an hour or so. The meeting is followed by a sing-along.

The Beacon Sloop Club and newsletter are accessible from the web: www.beaconsloopclub.org.

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Chris Ancliffe, Tom Baldino, Jim Birmingham, Steve Feyl, Patrick Gallagher, Tom LaBarr, Ben Mazer,Steve Schwartz, Kip Touraine

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Beacon Sloop Club General Meeting

Minutes, March 4, 2016

'The Farewell Shanty' was sung acapella by Susan Boszo. Karen Hinderstein, Ken Miller, James Malchow, Ben Mazur and Hope Altkin in memory of Saul Rozinsky, who passed away this past Sunday. He had been sick for a while. The tentative date for his memorial is March 19 at the Unitarian Church in Rock Tavern. Watch for details.

New and returning people were welcomed to the meeting. One person returned from 25 years ago.

Treasury -The Opening balance was \$212,897. The closing balance was \$220,900.

Woody –Jim Birmingham reported that we brought the boat to the Hudson River Maritime Museum in August. The shipwright worked on it to late October. Since then when the shipwrights moved to work on the Clearwater, regular volunteers have been cranking through the work (with inspections by the shipwrights). They have been working on frames, which is above & beyond what we thought we'd do as volunteers. So far, we have paid out \$59,000 with another bill of \$44,000 to this point. There is a work party this Sunday. Skilled and unskilled workers are invited.

Sail Classes - Classes start April 13 on Wednesdays through the 1st week of June. The instructors are the Captains. The cost is \$50, which includes a book.

Upcoming Events – April 2 – the 10th annual Woody Dinner will be held at Chateau Beacon with dinner, music (Judith Tullock Band), dancing, raffles, door prizes. \$60/person.

April 10 – the Women's Work Concert at the Howland Cultural Center. Songs and performance by women. 3 PM,

May 7 – the second annual Pete Seeger Birthday Open House here at the Clubhouse from 12 -6. This year we would like to have a show of Pete Seeger pictures. See Ken Miller.

May 14 - A Day at Sloop Brewing, Elizaville, NY, on an original patentee farm. It is a whole day event that includes beer, a glass, music, games, brewery tours, karaoke, pig roast and other food (including vegetarian chili) and a bon fire. \$60/person. Tickets are available on Brown Paper Bag Tickets or direct from the committee members. This event was objected to by some vegan members of the club who felt that an environmental club should not have a pig roast. And that perhaps we are losing integrity by trying to raise money. On the other hand, as it was pointed out, we have meat at festivals, we are not all vegans and we can choose to not eat meat and still support this event.

June will have the 40th annual Strawberry Festival. The first planning meeting will be later this month. See Rosemary Thomas. Needed are an oven czar and people (including apprentices) to run the sound systems.

Lecture Series – The next lecture is March 31 (the date has changed). Sarah Womer of 'Zero to Go' will be speaking. The theme is Think Global, Act Local but also ties in with last month's issue have developing local sustainable businesses. There will also be a video on people who have taken initiative at the grass roots level.

April's speaker will be Stephen Petrus, of the Folk City Exhibit at the Museum of the City of NY, and in conjunction with the American Folk Music Museum Center.

Announcements -

Tom LaBarr said the Town of Fishkill Environmental Board is looking for members. The board reviews building plans of all proposed construction. See Tom.

Diane Hird is running against Sean Patrick Mahoney in the Democratic primary. She says she is concerned about many environmental issues as well as income inequality in the City of Newburgh.

Eugene Hammond spoke about the Pilgrim Pipeline and the proposed areas that it will travel through. Tremendous opposition has stopped the Thruway from being the lead agent. He urged us to call Cuomo.

Nora spoke of the situation in Honduras.

Rick O. shared the news that the Passaic River is going to be dredged and cleaned. It will take decades and be financed by polluters. The EPA is moving ahead on declaring the Hackensack River as a Superfund site.

Lydia is performing at Dogwood Wednesday.

David Eberle announced Friday, March 25 – Movies that Matter at the 1st Presbyterian Church – "The Newburgh

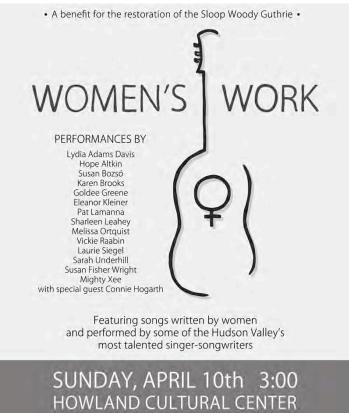
\$125 was raised to help Keith through another month without a roommate.

Bill Hudson thanked the club for helping him after the fire that destroyed everything. He said that Guy Davis and David Amran are performing at the Turning Point in Piermont as another fundraiser.

There will be a Clearwater Open Boat in Kingston on March 19.

Alan Zolner said the 12th annual 'Swim Across the Hudson' will take place August 6. Start training now.

March 12 there will be an evening of poetry and song remembering the Irish Rebellion at the Tomkins Corner Cultural Center.



477 Main St Beacon, NY (845) 831-4988 • Tickets \$15

The Woody Guthrie Restoration



We had another great turnout last weekend with many new faces.

All of the hex head bolts that were temporary have been swapped out for

carriage bolts; more work was done to secure the greenhouse sides against high winds.

We have now had over fifty individuals volunteer their time on this project. And many, many people come by to see the project and wish us well. We recently gave a tour for folks from the Lake Champlain Maritime Museum who had worked on the Lois McClure.



Ramon preparing for inspection

\$10,138 USD raised by 92 backers in 2 months 5% funded No time left Verified Nonprofit \$200,000 USD goal Flexible Funding CAMPAIGN CLOSED This

Indiegogo Campaign Raises ~ \$9000 for the Woody

A big thank you goes out to Aaron Verdile and all those who helped set up a very successful crowdsourcing campaign for the Woody. After expenses we expect to net almost \$9000.



The BSC Fulfillment center (our dinning room)



A Day at Sloop Brewing

A Fundraiser to Support The Woody Guthrie Restoration Project Saturday, May 14, 2016 1 to 8 pm

Tickets: \$60 for adults over 21 \$20 guest under 21

Online sales at: http://sloopbrewing.bpt.me/

The Beacon Sloop Club is sponsoring an Outdoor beer tasting for the Woody Guthrie restoration. It will be held at the Sloop Brewing Co. Tickets are \$60 and will include the following:

Unlimited Beer Tasting with Special Brews Just for Us

Food (Pig Roast, vegetarian options & more)
Live Music, Karaoke, Games, Activities
Bonfire
Guided Brewery Tour
Beer Glass (adults only)
Free Parking

The Sloop Brewing Co. was founded in 2011 and is located in southern Columbia County. It is a full-scale microbrewery housed in a 19th century barn on farm in Elizaville.

1065 County Route 19
Elizaville, NY 12523
http://www.sloopbrewing.com/
Overnight camping facilities nearby(for a fee)



Remembering Eva Harper

Friends:

Join us to celebrate the life of Eva Harper. Eva helped build and sail Sojourner Truth.

Sunday May 1st

1-3pm
First Unitarian Society of Westchester

25 Old Jackson Ave

Hastings on Hudson, NY 10706

(Google maps Greenburgh not Yonkers)

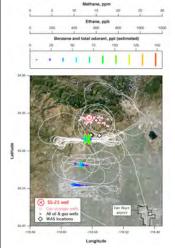
Come remember and celebrate Eva's life - an artist, a mother and grandmother, a teacher, a weaver, a sailor and a grower. Share a few words, show us something Eva made and bring some food to share.

Maryellen is collecting digital images to run through a laptop. Melhealy@yahoo.com 845-399-4630 Help us extend this invitation to all who knew Eva.

Yours truly,

Maryellen Healy, Annie Patton, Art Lowenstein

NOAA Releases Study of Natural Gas Leak in Aliso Canyon



The study was refined and finalized after the leak was permanently sealed. According to the study, coled by NOAA's Tom Ryerson and Scientific Aviation and University of California-Davis' Stephen Conley, the leak doubled the amount of methane emissions for the entire Los Angeles Basin. More than 5,000 households were

evacuated. Traces of other substances, namely benzene, were also found in the atmosphere. Benzene is a known carcinogen and was a point of particular concern and attention, according to the study.

The leak began in late October 2015 and was sealed on Feb. 11. One of the 115 wells of the natural gas storage facility at Aliso Canyon began leaking natural gas that amounted to over 100,000 tons of methane by February.

The Poughkeepsie-Dutchess County
Transportation Council (PDCTC) has initiated a
30-day public comment period for its
countywide, long-range transportation plan,
Moving Dutchess 2. Moving Dutchess 2 seeks to
present a set of policies, projects, and
recommendations designed to not only maintain
the existing transportation system, but to also
prepare it to meet the challenges of the future.
The draft MTP can be found online at:
http://www.dutchessny.gov/md2.

The public comment period ends **Thursday**, **March 17**, **2016**; please see the <u>Consolidated</u> <u>Calendar</u>. Feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Yours truly,

Shelby Tompkins
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Poughkeepsie-Dutchess County
Transportation Council

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Toward a New Human Ecology in the Hudson Valley

w/ Russ Lange

We were honored to have Hudson River Maritime Museum executive director Russ Lange as our guest speaker for the February lecture.

He documented how the valley and its riverfront communities evolved from vital nodes on water based transportation system, to industrial sites, to targets of urban renewal. He argued that the exponential drop in shipping costs was a major driver of these transitions. We are now in an era where it costs \$0.23 to ship a laptop from China.

Mr. Lange argued that it's time for local non-profits to engage the same sort of grassroots actions that led to the cleanup of the Hudson to revitalize her riverfront cities and towns.

Folk City: New York and the American Folk Music Revival w/ Dr. Stephen Petrus Thursday April 21, 6:30pm at the Beacon Sloop Club



From Washington
Square Park and the
Gaslight Café to WNYC
Radio and Folkways
Records, New York
City's cultural, artistic,
and commercial assets
helped to shape a

distinctively urban breeding ground for the folk music revival of the 1950s and 60s. *Folk City* explores New York's central role in fueling the nationwide craze for folk music in postwar America. It examines the efforts of record company producers and executives, club owners, concert promoters, folklorists, managers, activists, editors, and writers - and, of course, musicians and audiences.

Think Global, Act Local

People Making A Difference w/ Sarah Womer Of Zero To Go

A Free Event

Thursday Mar. 31 7:00 PM at the

Beacon Sloop Club (Beacon Harbor)



Featuring:

Local eco-entrepreneur Sara Womer discussing initiatives to make Beacon a greener cleaner city.

and

A video program profiling others from around the world who, decided they could make a difference. People like the "Forest Man" of India who singe-handedly planted a woodland the size of Central Park, the "Water Gandhi" of India who used simple techniques to bring back water to over a thousand ,and Kenya's Wangari Maathai who inspired a movement to plant more than 30 million trees.



Zero to Go founder Sarah Womer describes herself as Chief Forklift Operator, and well, pretty much a Jacqueline of All Trades. She is a member of the League of Women Voters (Mid-Hudson Region), Reuse Alliance, and a former board member of the Hudson Valley Materials Exchange (now the New Paltz Reuse Center). She lives in Beacon, NY.

MOVIES THAT MATTER BEACON



The Newburgh Sting

This documentary tells the story of four men lured into a plot to bomb Jewish centers in the Bronx. Their arrest was hailed as a national victory in the war on terror.

Friday, March 25, 7:30-10:00pm

Doors open 7:00pm

First Presbyterian Church of Beacon, McKinley Hall,

50 Liberty St., Beacon, NY 12508

Refreshments served

Free Admission, Donations Accepted

Info: (845) 838-2415, (914) 907-4928 www.moviesthatmatterbeacon.org

Co sponsors of film series: First Presbyterian Church of Beacon, The Peace Awards Foundation, Beacon Independent Film Festival, Southern Dutchess NAACP



10th Annual Sloop Woody Guthrie Benefit Dinner Saturday, April 2nd At Chateau Beacon.

37 Lamplight Street, Beacon

Proceeds for the Woody's Restoration!

Cocktaíl Hour 5:00 - 6:00

Cash Bar

Live Music by Judith Tulloch Band Raffle Door Prizes

Buffet Dinner Includes:

Beverages:

Unlimited Soft Drinks, Juices, Tea & Coffee

First Course:

Hudson Valley Green Salad with Raspberry Vinaigrette, Served with Fresh baked Bread

Entrees:

Chicken Marsala with Sautéed Vegetable Medley & Whipped Potatoes

Herb Crusted Tilapia with Sautéed Spinach, Rice Pilaf with Garlic Butter Sauce

Baked Vegetable Lasagna

Dessert:

Chateau Dessert Sampler

Flourless Chocolate Cake and NY Style Cheesecake Bites with Raspberry Sauce

Donation: \$60.00 per person

Reservations required. Deadline is March 23rd However, space is limited, so we suggest you reserve now! For information, call or email

Tom LaBarr: 845-831-4267 <u>labarrt@engr.newpaltz.edu</u>

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Baked Vegetable Lasagna						
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Mail to: Beacon Sloop Club / Tom		347 Roi	ıte 9D/	[/] Beacon, NY 1250		

			Beacon	Sloop Club Treasury Report					
	Submitted by Sarah Elisabeth								
March 1, 2016									
BSC General Fund	Amount	Snailmail	Paypal	Woody & Small Boats	Festival & Event	Newsletter	Harbor	Clubhouse	
Donation	1697.67								
Save Our Sloop	210.00			210.00					
Where's the Woody	235.00			235.00					
Woody Guthrie Restoration Project	50.00			50.00					
Indigogo	6994.44			6994.44					
Hats & Mugs	160.00								
Membership	628.00	528.00	100.00						
Total	9975.11								
Bank Expense	-11.77								
Computer Service	-74.95								
Central Hudson	-65.54							-65.54	
Woody Maintenance	-304.84			-304.84					
US Sailing	-200.00			-200.00					
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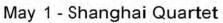


Howland Chamber Music Circle presents

Spring Chamber Music Series 2016



March 13 -Goldstein-Peled-Fiterstein Trio





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May 22 -Brentano String Quartet

At the Howland Cultural Center 477 Main Street Beacon, NY

Tickets: \$30, students \$10 call: 845-765-3021 E-mail: info@HowlandMusic.org www.HowlandMusic.org



Thank You Simone for all your support



106.5 IN BEACON

Current Calendar

Executive Committee meeting, Tues. Mar 22nd 7:00pm., at the Clubhouse

Beacon Sloop Club meeting every 1st Friday of the month: next meeting, Apr. 1st – potluck 6:30 p.m., general meeting 7:30 p.m

PLANET BLUE WITH CHRIS RUHE on radio station WVKR 91.3 FM, Every Mon., 5 to 6 p.m.

How to Let Go of the World, Mon. Mar. 14, 6 pm, O'Byrne Chapel, Manhattanville College

Memorial Service for Saul Rozinsky, Sat. Mar. 19, 12-4 pm, Unitarian Universalist Congregation at Rock Tavern, 9 Vance Rd., Rock Tavern NY

MOVIES THAT MATTER BEACON: THE NEWBURGH STING. Fri., Mar. 25, 7:30pm (doors open at 7pm) At First Presbyterian Church of Beacon, McKinley Hall, 50 Liberty St., Beacon, NY. Free. (845) 838-2415, www.moviesthatmatterbeacon.org

Winter Lecture Series – Think Global, Act Local w/ Sarah Womer, Thurs. Mar. 31, 7:00 pm at the BSC Clubhouse

10th annual Woody Dinner, Sat.Apr. 2, 6pm, at Chateau Beacon. \$60 includes dinner and live music. RSVP by March 23.

"Women's Work", eclectic music written and performed by women, Sunday, April 10, at 3PM in the Howland Center -

Sailing Class info:

Wed., Apr. 13th -June 1, 7-9pm BSC SAIL CLASS runs for 8 consecutive weds. Instruction is classroom based. Introduction-Apr. 13th, Apr. 20-Upwind Sailing, Apr. 27 Downwind Sailing, May 4, Anchoring, Mooring & Docking, May 11, Safety & Emergency, May 18, Aids to Navigation, May 25, Weather, Tides & Currents, June 1, Overall Review. Class focused on beginner through Intermediate sailing skill. The total cost for 8 sessions is \$50. includes instruction book. At BSC, 2 Flynn Dr. Beacon, NY Info: Jim 201-259-9634, jbirmingham@hvc.rr.com, www.beaconsloopclub.org



Woody work parties will continue throughout the winter at the HRMM. Contact James Malchow to receive weekly updates.

FOLK CITY: NEW YORK AND THE AMERICAN FOLK MUSIC REVIVAL with Dr. Stephen Petrus,

Thurs., Apr. 21, 6:30 p.m. and live music featuring local musicians. At the Beacon Sloop Clubhouse, 2 Flynn Dr., Beacon Free. www.beaconsloopclub.org (845) 463-4660, (914) 879-1082

Clearwater

Open boat and potluck on Sat., Mar. 19th from 4:00-8:00 PM.

VOLUNTEER:

Sundays at the Sloop: Every Sunday is a volunteer day at the sloop! Clearwater's captain is asking for some help in cleaning up the winter shop after each work week so the crew can dedicate as much time as possible to finish the restoration work in time to sail this spring. There's no need to register, volunteers can just show up on Sundays at the Kingston Home Port at 50 Rondout Landing in Kingston, NY.

Volunteer Maintenance Day: Join the crew and shipwrights in working on the sloop restoration on March 26th. Bring your work gloves and lunch- we'll provide coffee, water and a light snack!
Contact Volcoord@clearwater.org to volunteer.

For more info about the BSC: www.beaconsloop.org, or www.beaconsloopclub.org