

Pirate's Cove Cruise - June 19-20, 2010

Cruise Leaders: Gabriella Belli & Bob Krapfel

The heat didn't stop seven boats and two land yachts from trekking down to Galesville for dinner at Pirate's Cove. But, we *were* grateful for the air-conditioning. Naturally, the wind picked up just as ***Paradox*** (with Bob & Gabriella), ***Flying Low*** (with Al & Sue Kirkendall), and ***Renaissance*** (with Dick & Marianne & Dick Kammann) were docking in the slips, making the exercise particularly exciting.

Fantastic (with Rich & Toni Hughes), ***Frequent Flyer*** (with Mike & Laura Bonham), and ***Min Van IV*** (with John & Debbie Lund) anchored a short distance from the pier. Dick and Marianne graciously offered their spacious craft for a mini-cocktail hour before the sumptuous dinner, where we were joined by Philippe and Shirley Masiee and Homer and Sherry Sandridge. Rounding out the dinner party were Lou Stewart and Lisa Reckner from the ***Crystal Beach Yacht Club***, a relatively new club housed at the Magothy Marina. They sailed their 42' Sun Odyssey from the Magothy to join MRSA.

As an added bonus, the Summer Solstice Celebration was going on in the West River, complete with bands on a floating barge! The sail back on Sunday was uneventful, but, thankfully, the predicted thunderstorm did not materialize.