

Opening Ceremonies

Memorial Day Weekend
Float 2015



We had a great day at Tualatin Commons on the pond running our model power boats. By 8:30 am, there were already quite a few club members setting up tents, tables, coolers, and getting their ships and boats at the water's edge.



We started our morning with a Captain's meeting, a group of Boy Scouts presenting the flag and the Pledge of Allegiance with audience participation,



a group who sang the national anthem for us, which included our club member, **Mark Thomas**, and a blessing by Pastor Milton Culver from **Bob Muller's** church, where we hold our meetings.

Greg Moore seemed happy to take his kayak out on the pond to set buoys for us. As I looked around the



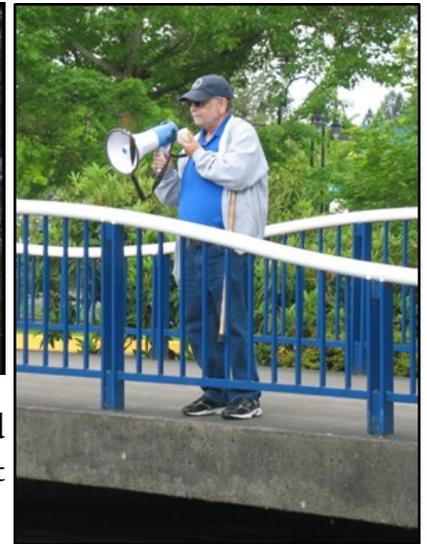
crowd I saw a lot of our new red and blue shirts, too. We even got a delivery from Jim, our shirt vendor, who stopped by and perused the many military ships and other



Gathering the Captains with their Ships and Boats



Just before 10:00 am, we had the captains gather their boats and ships, as well as could be expected, in the area near the foot



bridge to get some group pictures. Bill Agranoff made our announcements as captains and their crafts gathered.



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Guests from Other Clubs



We welcomed the Rose City Model Sailing Club to our event and they brought a nice collection of sail boats.

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We welcomed Bob Van Vranken from the San Francisco Model Yacht Club, who drove up with his wife to participate in our event. He brought a couple of boats with him and said he really enjoyed our event.



I love that this Chris Craft has it's own cooler with mini pop cans and ice cubes in it.



Close-Up Pictures and Some of our Sponsors

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A few of our sponsors had a display on the water on Bob's U.S.S. Arizona and at our tables/tents.



Lunch and the Raffle



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Lunch was served by our Event Committee.



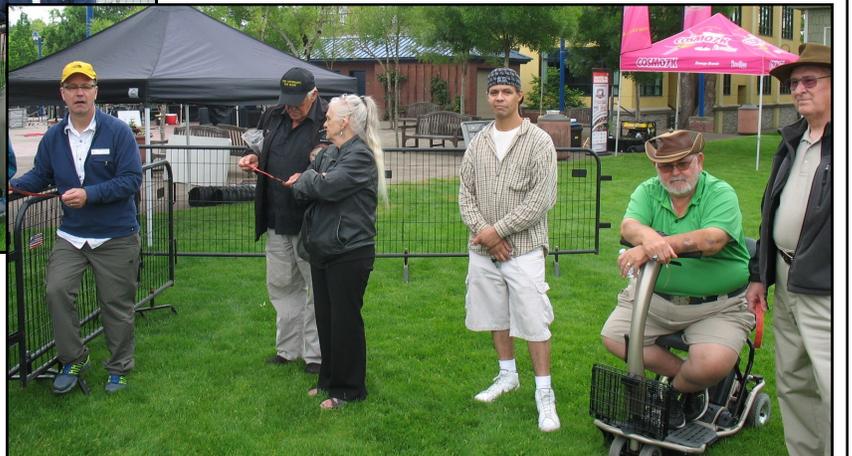
After lunch our Event Committee also ran the raffle. Bill helped hand out prizes, Don announced the ticket numbers, Bob had the bowl of prize numbers, and Cindy mixed the bag of tickets to find the winners.



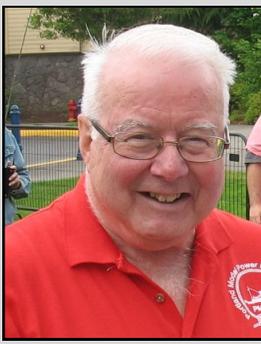
We handed out nearly 30 prizes.



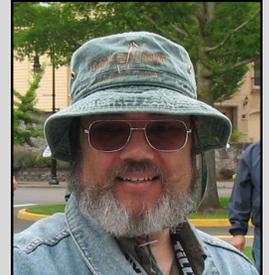
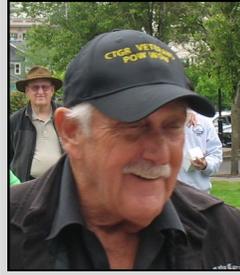
There must have been over 100 tickets sold; maybe even 150.



Raffle Winners



Terry and his two daughters took home five prizes.



These guests went home with seven (or more?) raffle prizes.

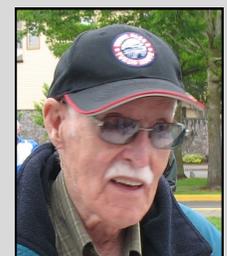


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Prize winners from our club included

(top row, left to right) George C., Joel P., Janice A., Matt C., Brad S., (bottom row, left to right) Ralph D., Greg M., Chris J., Dallas S., and George S.



Left and Right: Ticket holders waiting to see if their number gets called for a prize.

