

Spring 2011-05-12

What a great weekend! We had 41 boats and around 100 people all having fun trading items at the swap meet, picking up a WWBA hat or shirt, and talking about boats. The weather was better than it's been for the last couple of years: no rain. On Saturday evening, it was mild and we were able to enjoy the company of our fellow members while we devoured another famous pot-luck feast: thanks to Jean Racine for providing a 'table' for the pot luck on "Penelope Isle." After dinner we were entertained on the dock thanks to a talented group made up of couple of our members, Barry (Townley Isle) and Lance (Raven) and their friends playing blue grass music.

There was a feeling of real friendship and harmony expressed by many over the weekend.

The sailpast on Sunday morning went well with "Early Mist" leading the way and boats tooting their horns as they passed "Swear Boat 2". When the boats were finally all in a circle – as if by design – a couple of fighter jets flew over the group.

Thanks to everyone that pitched in to help when it was needed. A special thanks to CBFWA for making some room at the docks. Also, a big thank -you to Dave Erickson, who despite working odd hours and having a young family, managed to get things organized for this event.

Thanks to all the WWBA members that attended with or without vessels: it's the members that make these events so special.