

St. Francis Sailing Foundation  
Presents the 9th Annual



# NIGHT WITH THE STARS

Supporting Our Junior Sailors, Olympians and Olympic Hopefuls

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## Welcome



Dear Guests,

Welcome to the St. Francis Sailing Foundation's 9th Annual Auction. This evening celebrates the many contributions made by Tom Allen to further the Foundation's goals of promoting, supporting, and enhancing the sport of sailing. A BOD member and Grants chair from the Foundation's inception until his death in December, Tom was pivotal to the support and development of many of the fine athletes you will meet this evening.

Thank you so much for attending tonight. Your generosity makes our activities possible, and on behalf of the many sailors we support—the just-getting-started Juniors, the students, the world-class competitors, the Olympic hopefuls, the adaptive sailors—we express our deep gratitude.

We hope you enjoy the evening, bid enthusiastically, and remember the joy our wonderful sport has brought your way. Consider giving back just a little this evening.

Sincerely,  
Carolyn Patrick  
President  
St. Francis Sailing Foundation

# Remembering Tom Allen



The St. Francis Sailing Foundation and the sport of sailing lost one of its biggest contributors when Staff Commodore Tom Allen crossed the bar in December. As a founding board member of the Foundation and Grants Chair for 29 years, Tom championed young sailing aspirants, competitive sailors in pursuit of world championships and Olympic glory, and maritime education. Over the years, Tom guided over \$2 million in Foundation grants to sailors and important sailing activities.

Tom's gift to the sport we love will continue through a very generous endowment to the Foundation in excess of \$1 million. This extraordinary gift helps to secure the Foundation's good work for generations to come and greatly advances it towards a goal of assured sustainability.

We miss Tom, but his legacy will live on through the smiling eyes of sailors achieving their dreams as a result of his magnetic enthusiasm, caring guidance, and selfless generosity. As the saying goes, they broke the mold when they made Tom. We are thinking of him this evening.

## St. Francis Sailing Foundation Grantees: Noteworthy Accomplishments



### **Claire Dennis**

2013 ISAF Sailing World Cup - Laser Radial, 3rd American  
2011 US Sailing Development Team  
ICSA Women's All-American Skipper



### **Erika Heineken**

2012 Course Racing World Championships- 1st Place Women's  
2012 Canadian National Championships, 1st Place Women's  
2012 Los Barilles Lord of the Wind 1st Place



### **Johnny Heineken**

2012 Rolex Yachtsmen of the year  
2012 Course Racing World Championships- 1st Place Men's  
2012 Canadian National Championships, 1st Place Men's  
2012 North American Championships, 1st Place



### **Kristin Lane, Molly Carapiet**

2013 ISAF Sailing World Cup - 49erFX, 3rd Place



### **Marion Lepert**

2013 Qualified for the ISAF Youth Worlds in Cyprus  
Became a member of the U.S. Sailing Team Sperry Top-Sider  
2012 US Sailing Youth Development Team Member  
2012 US Windsurfing Formula Women National Champion



### **Paige Railey**

2013 ISAF Sailing World Cup, Laser Radial, 1st Place  
2012 US Olympic Team, Laser Radial



### **Zach Railey**

2012 US Olympic Team, Finn - Team Captain

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### **Molly Vandemoer**

2013 ISAF Sailing World Cup - 49erFX, 2nd Place (with Anna Tunnicliffe)  
2012 Olympic Team, Women's Match Racing  
2012 ISAF Women's Match Racing World Championships, Silver



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# Program

**5:30 pm**

Wine Reception and Silent Auction  
Golden Gate & Northwest Rooms

**6:45 - 7:00 pm**

Silent Auction closes  
Adjourn to the Main Dining Room for dinner  
and evening festivities

**7:00 pm**

Dinner Served  
Main Dining Room

**7:30 pm**

Welcoming Remarks  
**LIVE AUCTION**

**9:30 pm**

Auction Check-out Opens  
Foyer

# Menu

## **First Course**

Spinach Salad with Beets, Belgian Endive,  
Crumbled Goat Cheese, Walnut Vinaigrette

## **Entree\***

Blue Cheese Crusted Filet of Beef with a Red Wine Sauce,  
Caramelized Carrots, Gratin Potatoes, and Green Vegetables

## **Dessert**

Mixed Berry Crème Brûlée

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# Auction Rules & Regulations

## General Auction Rules

- All participants must have a bid number. Bid numbers will be handed out during check in and can be used during the silent auction. Paddles with the same bid number will be found on the dinner tables to be used in the live auction. Participants are responsible for all purchases made with the bid number assigned to them.
- All sales are 'as is' and final. No exchanges or refunds will be made.
- All items must be paid in full by cash, personal check, credit card or St. Francis Yacht Club membership chit before the buyer's departure from the event on March 19th.
- Unless otherwise specified or negotiated with the donor, all services and certificates are subject to availability and must be redeemed by March 19, 2014.
- The St. Francis Sailing Foundation reserves the right to withdraw any items from the auction prior to the conclusion of bidding.
- Each bidder assumes all risks and hazards related to the auction and items obtained at the auction. The St. Francis Sailing Foundation, its directors and volunteers, sponsors, agents and assigns connected with the auction shall be held harmless from any liability arising from this event and related activities.

## Silent Auction Procedures

- The silent auction begins at 5:30 p.m. and concludes at 7pm unless otherwise announced.
- Each silent auction item has a separate bid sheet.
- To enter a bid in the silent auction, please sign your bid number and name on the appropriate bid sheet.
- At the close of the silent auction, volunteer staff will determine the purchaser based on the highest bid.

## Live Auction Procedures

- Make your bid by raising your paddle with the number visible to the auctioneer.
- The highest bidder acknowledged by the auctioneer is the final purchaser.
- In the case of a dispute, the auctioneer will have the sole discretion to determine the successful bidder. An acknowledged bid constitutes a legally binding commitment by the bidder to purchase the item or service at the acknowledged bid prices.

## Auction Check-out Procedures

- Auction checkout will open at 9:30 p.m.
- If you did not pre-swipe your credit card at registration, please see the cashier located in the checkout area to pay for your purchases and retrieve your items.
- If you did pre-swipe your credit card at registration, you may by-pass cashier and retrieve your items.

## Item Value & Tax Information

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Jennifer Dunbar, 2013 Auction Co-Chair

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Thanks to the Foundation Board members and their efforts in making the auction a success.

We are forever appreciative for the generosity of Tom Allen and the continual guidance from Bill Hoehler.

Enjoy the evening!

# AUCTION





## Lot 1

### **Dinner for 12 prepared by Commodora Lili Smith and Commodore Jim Cascino**

Please join us for a festive and memorable evening, dedicated to Spain's culinary delights. Commodora and Gourmet Chef Lili Smith will be preparing her extraordinary Spanish Paella with all the extras, including some of the best homemade sangria and superb hard-to-find wines from Spain, Argentina and Portugal - all perfectly paired with delicious, home-made paella. Commodore Cascino will be assisting with the cooking, which just might be quite a spectacle in its own right.

Your private dinner will be held in the most beautiful room in the Club - the Northwest Room, where you will be entertained by a live Flamenco guitarist, Pisco Sours. Your Paella Banquet must be scheduled on a mutually agreeable date prior, to July, 2013 , or after mid-October through year end.

Donated by Commodore Jim Cascino and Lili Smith



## Lot 2

### **Jet to Palm Springs**

Wish you could do a long weekend in the desert but hate the hassle and time to get there? Throw your clubs in the trunk and drive straight to the plane. The fuel crew will load your bags and park your car in the hangar. In an hour you'll be on the ramp in Palm Springs and your rental car will be driven to the plane. You'll sign and go. But be forewarned, "Luxuries, once tried, become necessities."

Depart Thursday a.m. Return Sunday afternoon.

Limit 4 people. Excludes car rental and lodging. Jon and Betsy Andron will ride with you.

Donated by Jon and Betsy Andron

# LiveAuction



## Lot 3

### One Week Stay at the Bitter End Yacht Club

The Bitter End Yacht Club is located along the tranquil waters of the North Sound on the island of Virgin Gorda, British Virgin Islands. Reached only by sea, Bitter End has been the ultimate Caribbean retreat for water sport enthusiasts for nearly 40 years. Bitter End's Signature 7 night/ 8 Day Admiral's Package includes accommodations for two in a Beachfront Cottage, all meals, Manager's Welcome Cocktail Party, Sunset Sails, unlimited use of the Club Fleet of over 100 boats, Blue Water Snorkeling Excursions, Sunday Regatta, Beer Can Regatta, trails, 3 beaches, freshwater pool and more! Life at the Bitter End is all about playing on the water, whether on a SUP or Laser or joining fellow guests on private snorkeling or sailing excursions and relaxing on the beach or by the pool, indulging in spa treatments or simply catching up on reading while relaxing in your hammock on your private wrap-around deck or in one of many private cabana's scattered about Bitter End's mile of waterfront.

Donated by Bitter End Yacht Club



## Lot 4

### Ultimate America's Cup viewing and dining experience

This package includes on the water viewing of the America's Cup finals for 8 aboard Jim and TL Diepenbrock's Tiara 58 motor yacht Wingman followed by a specially prepared gourmet meal in the St. Francis Dining Room. On Saturday, September 7th, day one of the AC finals, you can board Wingman near the St. Francis Yacht Club dock, or be picked up at your club and proceed to the race course to watch the action. Enjoy a sumptuous lunch spread and afternoon cruise, with drinks prepared by a special guest bartender / commentator, while watching the historic competition.

Captain Diepenbrock will then drop your party off at the St. Francis Yacht Club to enjoy a gourmet dinner prepared by Executive Chef Bruno Massuger, paired with a wine selection by our Club Sommelier, Daniel Salgado. Your guest will especially enjoy this first class experience with the sun quietly setting in the background beyond the world famous Golden Gate Bridge.

Donated by Jim and TL Diepenbrock, and the StFYC



## Lot 5

### **One VIP experience Starting Line Room table for 8 during the America's Cup Finals**

You pick the day during the AC finals and come watch the races! If you want the ultimate place to entertain your friends, clients or whomever, this is it.

This item includes a table for eight for an afternoon of fabulous food, cocktails, wine and the best viewing of the Cup Finals anywhere. The St. Francis Yacht Club Starting Line Room will be transformed into a luxurious suite with a courtyard lounge serving premium liquor, wine and beer. Food stations around the room will be overflowing with fresh, sumptuous cuisine before and during the races. Along with an ideal view of the racecourse, big screen TVs will provide a live, up-close view. This is your opportunity to sit in the lap of luxury and treat your friends, family or professional acquaintances to an experience possible only at the Club.

Donated by the St. Francis Yacht Club



## Lot 6

### **Fund-A-Need "Supporting our Competitive Sailors!"**

In the room this evening are athletes personifying the St. Francis Sailing Foundation's achievements over past years and our hopes for the future. Junior sailors, high school up and comers, Olympic hopefuls, Olympic medalists, world champion kite boarders are all here. Team racers, match racers, adaptive sailors, and kids learning life skills through sailing at Treasure Island Sailing Center are here tonight to show their appreciation for your support. There are even some America's Cup stars who began as youth sailors and are now here to give back to perpetuate the future of their beloved sport.

These people represent accomplishments great and small that help keep the sport of competitive sailing alive and relevant. These endeavors require significant investment of time and resources over many years.

Your support enables us to provide these resources. Whether you have purchased an item this evening or not, we ask for your participation in Fund-A-Need to support the ongoing development of our athletes and the sport of sailing in America. Thank you for your support.

# LiveAuction



## Lot 7

### Exotic vacation experience at CASA VELA

Enjoy an idyllic holiday at a private 100 acre nature preserve near Playa del Carmen in the Riviera Maya just 30 minutes south of Cancun. Casa Vela is a handcrafted, all hardwood home being expanded this summer to 4 bedrooms, 6 baths, perfect for up to four couples or perhaps 2-3 families to relax and experience this unique location in luxury. Though the house does not have air conditioning because it is off-the-grid and relies on solar panels, it does have many modern conveniences including satellite TV, internet, and a commercial kitchen. Most visitors choose to purchase the daily housekeeping, masseuse and chef service, all at a reasonable cost.

The white sand beach is at your feet, and there are ecological walking and biking trails, passing through diverse eco-systems: forest, jungle, and mangrove. Kayaks, stand-up paddle boards and Lasers are at your disposal to provide endless activities. Please, no smokers.

Donated by Bruce J. Stone



## Lot 8

### Seven Day Cruise on Moorings 46' Catamaran

...with Bill and Paula LeRoy as your captain and mate. You can choose to help with the sailing or just relax and watch the beautiful waves go by. You can choose to go to Tahiti or the Caribbean with up to 6 guests hosted in 3 queen sized staterooms each with its own head and separate shower.

Enjoy the warm tropical waters, gentle trade winds and delightful views for a week of relaxation. Cruise from island to island, walk pristine sand beaches or jump overboard and check out the tropical fish with your snorkel. The details are up to you!

Donated by Staff Commodore Bill and Mrs. Paula LeRoy

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## Lot 9

### Watch the America's Cup with Larry Finch

A party of four will spend an afternoon aboard the 130 foot Ed Dubois design sloop Janice of Wyoming with owners Larry and Jan Finch. This high performance super-yacht has raced and cruised around the world and is sure to be the Queen of the spectator fleet.

Enjoy a gourmet lunch and see the races from this magnificent and luxurious vantage point. This prize will be available at a mutually agreed upon date during the 2013 America's cup races in San Francisco

Donated by Larry and Jan Finch

## Lot 10

### USA 76 Sail on the Bay with Brad Webb and Oracle Team USA Base Tour

You and 9 guests will enjoy a thrilling private sail with America's Cup winner Brad Webb on San Francisco Bay and experience what it's like to be a crew member for the America's Cup aboard USA 76! You will sail to the ORACLE Team USA base at Pier 80 for a tour of the compound and receive your team hats. There you will enjoy the most intimate and up to date knowledge of the 2013 America's Cup.

USA 76 was previously owned and raced by ORACLE Racing in their challenge for the 2003 America's Cup in Auckland, New Zealand and is one of the most recognized yachts in international sailing. USA 76 won 21 of 33 races in the 2003 America's Cup and it is sailed by Brad Webb, America's Cup legendary bowman and one of the longest serving crew of the ORACLE Racing team. **The Sail must be reserved at a mutually agreeable date prior to June 30, 2013.**

Donated by Brad Webb



# SilentAuction

## 2013 America's Cup

- 101 A day in the life at Artemis Racing for 2 - includes base tour with Paul Cayard, lunch with the team, a photo op, and a chase boat ride to watch the team sailing first hand.**  
Donated by Artemis Racing
- 102 One 60' slip for a day at the StFYC during Americas Cup finals**  
Donated by the StFYC
- 103 One 60' slip for a day at the StFYC during the Louis Vuitton finals**  
Donated by the StFYC
- 104 One VIP experience Starting Line room table for 8 during the Louis Vuitton Cup Final - your choice of dates!**  
Donated by the StFYC
- 105 America's Cup Event Authority gear pack; jacket, hat and water bottle**  
Donated by America's Cup Event Authority
- 106 An Absorbing Interest: The America's Cup History 1851 - 2003. A lavish two volume collector's edition of the history of the America's Cup. By Bob Fisher**  
Donated by Chris and Joyce Andersen
- 107 Oracle Team USA Team Gear**  
Donated by Oracle Team USA
- 108 Authentic and rare 1995 New Zealand Louis Vuitton America's Cup Bag**  
Donated by Sondra Blake

## 2013 America's Cup Cont.

- 109 Paul Cayard America's Cup Memorabilia**  
Donated by Paul Cayard
- 110 Moet & Chandon three liter champagne with crystal America's Cup logo**  
Donated by the Donated by the StFYC
- 111 Private Helicopter ride during America's Cup races**  
Donated by Howard Hamlin
- 112 Kiwi America's Cup Base Tour and Meet the Crew!**  
Donated by Emirates Team New Zealand

## On The Water and Entertainment

- 201 Private charter of 82' Seaward for 40 people**  
Donated by Call of the Sea
- 202 Arrive by boat to lower box seat viewing of a Giants game**  
Donated by Staff Commodore Bill and Mrs. Paula LeRoy
- 203 Cruise to SFYC with Grant and Joni**  
Donated by Staff Commodore Grant and Mrs. Joni Settlemier
- 204 Afternoon cruise on Daisy**  
Donated by Mario Schuhmann
- 205 Knarr Bar party at the Settlemier's home**  
Donated by Staff Commodore Grant and Mrs. Joni Settlemier
- 206 Bocce ball party at the Kaplan's home**  
Donated by Paul and Chrissy Kaplan

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## Get-a-ways

- 301 Relax at a Silverado condo**  
Donated by Randy Scarlett
  
- 302 Week at get-a-way house, Marathon Key, FL**  
Donated by Dan and Ann Railey
  
- 303 A week at the Wasson Beachfront Estate on the Sea of Cortez**  
Donated by Jan and Channell Wasson, Marion Mack
  
- 304 Donner lakefront cabin for the weekend**  
Donated by Bill and Chris Canada
  
- 305 Squaw Valley condo – four summer nights**  
Donated by Chuck Eaton
  
- 306 One week in a Fabulous 2BR beachside Puerto Vallarta condo  
Can be used some time during June - Oct 2013**  
Donated by Esther Lerner and Dan Carrico
  
- 307 One week at the luxurious Casa del Mar Golf Resort & Spa,  
Your Hacienda Oasis in Cabo San Lucas Mexico.**  
Donated by Henson Orser
  
- 308 Tinsley Island Lighthouse Summer Holiday! Three nights (M-W)  
booking of the whole Tinsley Lighthouse, July 22-24,  
includes 5 double bedrooms.**  
Donated by the StFYC

## Services

- 401 On the Bay pizza delivery by Waypoint Pizza**  
Donated by Melissa Purdy
  
- 402 “Learn to Sail” package from Spinnaker Sailing**  
Donated by Spinnaker Sailing
  
- 403 Kite board beginner lesson from Kitopia**  
Donated by Kitopia
  
- 404 Erika Heineken two hour intermediate/advanced kite board lesson**  
Donated by Erika Heineken
  
- 405 Beauty Bash makeup party at Benefit**  
Donated by Lisa Edwards
  
- 406 Haircut, highlights and Kerastase treatment from Larkspur’s Cooper Alley**  
Donated by Cooper Alley Salon
  
- 407 Haircut and styling services by John Paul Strand, founder of Hair Academy**  
Donated by John Paul Strand
  
- 408 A one hour photo session at your location of choice  
with Amelia Plumb Photography**  
Donated by Amy Plumb Fisher

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## Art and Wine

- 501 Exciting 30" x 40" high quality giclee of Artemis**  
**By Jim DeWitt**  
Donated by Jim DeWitt
- 502 Limited edition pen and ink print of Bark Gatherer**  
**By Caleb Whitbeck**  
Donated by Caleb Whitbeck
- 503 Limited edition pen and ink print of Dirigo off Cape Horn**  
**By Caleb Whitbeck**  
Donated by Caleb Whitbeck
- 504 Limited edition pen and ink print of General Banning on SF Bay**  
**By Caleb Whitbeck**  
Donated by Caleb Whitbeck
- 505 The Baruna and Bolero limited edition "giclee" is artist enhanced, framed**  
**By Caleb Whitbeck**  
Donated by Caleb Whitbeck
- 506 Framed photo of a painting of Groth Winery and Mount St. John**  
**Painted by Suzanne Groth. Includes a 3 bottle gift pack of**  
**Sauvignon Blanc, Chardonnay and Cabernet Sauvignon.**  
Donated by Suzanne Groth
- 507 Fine Wine**  
**1997 Diamond Creek Gravelly Meadow, Cabernet Sauvignon**  
**1992 Diamond Creek Volcanic Hill, Cabernet Sauvignon**  
**1998 Peter Michaels Les Pavots 79% Cab, 12% Merlot, 9% Cab Frank**  
**1995 Rombauer Cabernet Sauvignon- Diamond Selection**  
**1995 Silver Oak Cabernet Sauvignon Napa**  
Donated by Peggy McCormick

- 508 Fine Wine**  
**1997 Diamond Creek Red Rock Terrace, Cabernet Sauvignon**  
**1991 Diamond Creek Gravelly Meadow, Cabernet Sauvignon**  
**1992 Diamond Creek Volcanic Hill, Cabernet Sauvignon**  
**1994 Beringer Spring Mountain Marson, Cabernet Sauvignon**  
**1997 Peter Michaels Les Pavots 79% Cab, 12% Merlot, 9% Cab Frank**  
Donated by Peggy McCormick
- 509 Fine Wine**  
**1994 Beringer Spring Mountain, Marson Cabernet Sauvignon**  
**1998 Turley Zinfandel Hayne Vineyard, Napa**  
**1998 Peter Michaels Les Pavots 79% Cab, 12% Merlot, 9% Cab Frank**  
**1997 Peter Michaels Les Pavots 79% Cab, 12% Merlot, 9% Cab Frank**  
**2000 Chimney Rock Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon**  
Donated by Peggy McCormick
- 510 Fine Wine**  
**1995 Chateau Montelana Cabernet Sauvignon Napa**  
**1995 Silver Oak Cabernet Sauvignon Napa**  
**1996 Rombauer Cabernet Sauvignon Diamond Selection**  
**1998 Turley Zinfandel Hayne Vineyard Napa**  
**2000 Chimney Rock Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon**  
Donated by Peggy McCormick
- 511 Fine Wine**  
**1998 Peter Michaels Les Pavots 79% Cab, 12% Merlot, 9% Cab Frank**  
**1995 Silver Oak Napa Cabernet Sauvignon/**  
**wooden box with 2 glasses**  
**1997 Duckhorn Merlot 3 Liter Bottle Three Palms Vineyard Napa Valley**  
Donated by Peggy McCormick
- 512 Truchard Vineyards Wine Club - One year membership**  
Donated by Truchard Vineyards
- 513 Cultivar's Reserve Wine Club - One year membership**  
Donated by Jody and Michelle Harris, and Caspar Estate
- 514 Private tour and wine tasting for 8 at Caspar Estate**  
Donated by Jody and Michelle Harris, and Caspar Estate

# SilentAuction

## More Great Items!

- 601 New course race kite board, designed and autographed by World Champion Johnny Heineken**  
Donated by Johnny Heineken
- 602 Kearsley luxury linens, 300ct finest Egyptian cotton and can be customized for a boat**  
Donated by Heather Kearsley Wolf
- 603 BR-371 Blueridge Parlor Guitar and Case crafted of the finest materials**  
Donated by Richard Keldsen
- 604 Unique nautical table setting for 8**  
Donated by Adrienne Mally
- 605 12' Fanatic Rey Touring Stand Up Paddleboard**  
Donated by Stephen Pugh
- 606 Railey Olympic Memorabilia**  
Donated by Paige and Zach Railey
- 607 2012 Olympic Flag autographed by US Olympic Sailing Team Members**  
Donated by the US Sailing Team
- 608 Gorgeous vintage Stella & Dot Necklace**  
Donated by Stella & Dot
- 609 Harken Ball Bearing Blocks Upgrade for the Laser - Replacement boom and traveler blocks that are lighter, stronger, and lower friction than the original style.**  
Donated by West Coast Sailing
- 610 FAST Canvas Laser Deck Cover - Made from top quality 600 denier polyester fabric to ensure that your boat will remain protected through all seasons.**  
Donated by West Coast Sailing
- 611 McLaughlin Opti Race Charter for your next big Opti regatta**  
Donated by McLaughlin Boat Works

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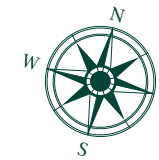
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9<sup>th</sup> Annual StFYC Foundation Auction ~ Night of the Stars!

# ACKNOWLEDGMENTS



# Auction Volunteers

Your auction purchases for this evening will allow the St. Francis Sailing Foundation to help sailors, like tonight's auction volunteers listed on the following pages.



## **Lindsey Baab - 16**

My favorite sailing memory is of the last day of US Junior Women's Singlehanded Championship in Chicago this past summer when I won the last race of the regatta. I knew that I had to do really well in the last race to place in the scores. I ended up winning the pin at the start and won the race finishing 2nd in the regatta.



## **Emiliano Bache - 16**

My favorite sailing experience so far is to go out when it is windy in San Francisco Bay and blast reach across the bay, an opportunity that is not really common in Cancun where I am from.



## **Lola Bushnell - 17**

My favorite sailing experience was the second day of the 2011 Turkey Day Regatta at ABYC, in Long Beach. A huge storm came in that day and racing was cancelled, but a few of my team mates and some other sailors decided to go out anyways. The wind was gusting over 30 knots, the waves were about 10 feet tall and 15 feet wide and were breaking near shore. On the way out, I got washed out of my boat and I flipped a few times, but the downwind was more than an adequate prize. There is nothing more amazing than flying down a breaking wave at top speed!



## **Francesca Dana - 17**

I think one of my favorite moments sailing was last year at NorCal Champs when it was rainy, cold, light, and miserable on Saturday. Sarah Bunney and I just went out there to sail and made the most fun of it as we could. When we walked into the Junior Room at the end of the day, we saw our names at the top of results! Even though the next day didn't go so well, it was the first time that I knew I really had it in me.



## **Will Dana - 16**

One of my favorite sailing experiences was representing the St. Francis Yacht Club in the Sears Cup last year. First off, I sailed with a great crew and we all worked hard to learn how to sail together. Furthermore, sailing J22s was a totally different experience and I learned a ton in a new boat thanks to our coach Adam Corpuz-Lahne. The whole Sears cup program lasted about three weeks and it was definitely a great learning experience.



## **Parker Dittmore - 13**

I have sailed Opti's for a number of years and have now started in the Laser Radial fleet. One of my favorite sailing experiences was last Christmas in New Zealand when I got to skipper the NZL 68 through the Auckland Harbor.



## **Marguerite Hermand - 15**

My sailing memory was the first time on the podium with Zola in silver fleet last year at the Oyster Shell Regatta. It was so great to sail well and win!

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## **Zola Johnson -16**

My favorite sailing memory was last year at the NorCal Champs at the St. Francis Yacht Club, it was the last race of the day and my team mate, Marguerite and I finished 1st place. It was the first time we had ever finished first and it was the best feeling ever after a long rainy and windy day on the water.



## **Will Paulsen - 16**

Probably one of the most memorable experiences I have had sailing was last summer in August during the St. Francis 420 race camp and the America's cup boats were flying by us. It was sick!



## **Nicolai Sponholtz - 16**

My favorite sailing memory is still the Santa Barbara regatta last year, when we all created a tent-topia between 5 schools and all had a blast, whether on the beach or on the water. The awesome camaraderie between all these schools is really amazing.



## **Sebastian Sponholtz - 15**

Being part of the High School Sailing program at the Saint Francis yacht club has already been an amazing experience for me. While some of my craziest sailing memories have been learning how to sail 29'ers on the SF bay, my favorite sailing memory by far, was winning 1st place in Silver fleet at the High School NORCAL Regatta in Santa Cruz , sailing as a team with my brother Nicolai.



## **Sumner Strumph - 14**

My favorite sailing experience was last year when I went for a ride on the Team Oracle AC45. I was able to meet all the sailors and steer the boat, it was amazing!



## **Lawson Willard - 16**

I started sailing at age six. Since then I have sailed Opti's, Lasers and 420's. My favorite sailing experience was driving a Mumm 30 with Russ Silvestri and Claire Dennis in 30 Knots in the StFYC Interclub Regatta.

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