

Put-in-Bay Community Swim and Sail

2021 Annual Report

Put-in-Bay Community Swim & Sail Program is a 501(c)3 nonprofit dedicated to providing instruction and training to children, teenagers and adults for the purpose of improving and developing their capabilities in the areas of swimming, sailing and water safety.

LETTER FROM OUR PRESIDENT



Dear Friends of Put-in-Bay Community Swim and Sail,

After a challenging 2020, the Put-in-Bay Community Swim and Sail Program came roaring back this year with enrollment growth in both swimming and sailing.

With the sailing program, we were able again to travel to I-LYA and AYC events around the area. Our teams competed in regattas at North Cape Yacht Club, Jolly Rogers Sailing Club, Edgewater Yacht Club, Cleveland Yacht Club, Mentor Harbor Yacht Club and Vermillion Boating Club. Our active season concluded with ten sailors participating in the I-LYA 65th Annual Junior Championships and many were competing in the event for the first time.

The PIBCSS Program's primary mission is to provide instruction and training to children, teenagers and adults for the purpose of improving and developing their capabilities in the areas of swimming, sailing, and water safety. We are able to keep tuition costs low, due to the generous financial support from local businesses, the PIB Recreation Committee, island families, countless volunteer hours, and our fundraising activities. The tuition pays for the instructor labor, and fundraising covers capital equipment and maintenance – so we count on your donations to balance the budget. This year, we were able to continue with our successful fundraising events with a new Taste of the Islands event on Middle Bass. It is important to keep tuition costs as low as possible so that the Program is accessible to all who would like to participate in swimming, sailing, or both.

We can't wait to see what 2022 brings, focused on safety, high standards, professional staff, and quality equipment so our swimmers and sailors can learn skills that will last a lifetime. Thank you to the volunteers and financial donors who make this program so successful every year.

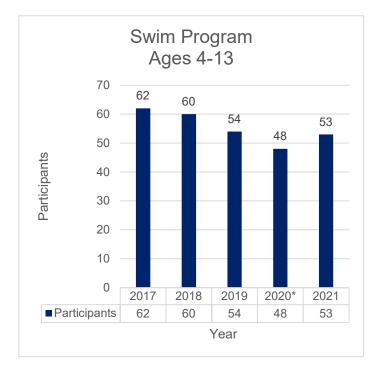
With Appreciation,

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Caroline Calfee Zerbey, President

Program Highlights of 2021







* In 2020, due to the COVID-19 protocols, we had to limit the number of participants and we did not offer Start Opti Sailing.

Swim Program Highlights

Swim classes are offered to children four years of age and older. Classes are offered, Monday through Thursday, for five weeks and follow the American Red Cross Learn-to-Swim curriculum. Levels 1-5 swim Monday thru Thursday in the morning. Levels 6 & 7 and Lake Adventure swim Monday and Wednesday evenings.

Many teens continue swimming to stay in shape for high school teams and/or to prepare for additional water safety or lifeguarding courses.



Level 1



Level 2



Level 3



Level 4



Level 5



Level 6



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Level 7

Lake Adventure Swim

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Monday and Wednesday evenings we also had the Lake Adventure Class for ages 12+.



Sailing Program Highlights

Our Sailing program returned to its 5-week program and we were able to participate in the I-LYA Travelers Series regattas this year.



<u>Start Opti Sailing</u> – (S.O.S.) is our one-week program for 5-7year old's that will enter the Sailing program during the following season. Classes start with becoming familiar with the boats in the Crew's Nest pool, then move on to being towed around the harbor. By the 3rd and 4th class these little ones are sailing by themselves with an instructor just nearby in a powerboat. This is the perfect introduction to what kids will learn in the full Learn- to-Sail classes as they grow.



<u>Opti-Green</u> – In Opti Green, the youngest of the sailing program, we focus on basics: points of sail, parts of the boat, and steering. While out on the water we focus on drills that are designed to help the sailors learn how to maneuver their boat, avoid hitting other boats, and avoid the no-go zone. We often set up a windward leeward course so the sailors can sail around practicing all the points of sail, and getting from point A to point B. We also incorporate fun games to keep the sailors engaged while they are out on the water.



Opti-Silver – In Opti Silver we start by reviewing the basics that they learned in Opti Green. This class often has a wide disparity in experience level. To accommodate the variety of experience levels, we work on simple drills, like a windward leeward and the sausage drill some days, and on other days we might set up a small course and do some practice races. Towards the end of the program we try to work more on racing and racing strategies since many of the sailors in Opti Silver will advance to Opti Race the following year.



420 Silver – In the 420 class we focus on boat handling drills. We incorporate games to promote boat handling. We also hold a few races to give sailors, the opportunity to see what racing is like.



Opti/420/Laser/Thistle Race Team – Our more advanced sailors learn more racing skills and travel off-island to nearby Yacht Clubs. They practice boat handling, racing tactics and techniques. They compete and practice in the most diverse conditions this summer. The coaches work on drills to help fine tune the sailors' skills.

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2021 I-LYA 65th Annual Junior Championships 7/18/2021 – 7/22/2021

<u>I-LYA Junior Race Week</u> – Team PIBCSS and Put-in-Bay Yacht Club had 10 sailors represent our program and club at the Inter-Lake Yachting Association's Junior Race Championships. This event is held each year at our home club, and we were proud to send four 420 teams and 2 laser sailors to compete in a very competitive four days of racing.

A week filled with fun, camaraderie, education, and sailboat racing!



Participants: Laser: Grant Corrion, Will Keyes 420: Grace French, Ceil Thompson, Brooklyn Marriott, Ava Heineman, Jacob Myers, Rider Myers, Gwendolyn Keyes, Megan Fegen Lily Schwartz (Sandusky Sailing Club) who was also one of our instructors!

2021 Award Recipients:

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Cheryl Cody Award (Most Improved Advanced Sailor) – Jacob Myers

Helen Davis Memorial Award (Most Helpful Sailor) – Grace French





Danny Drake Swim Award (Excellence & Dedication to Swimming) – Edan Oviedo

The Ballast Island Trophy in Memory of Ken Gardner – Grant Corrion



2021 Fundraising Highlights:

		2021
Event Name	Receipts Ex	penses Net
Spaghetti Dinner	\$ 4,150 \$	264 \$ 3,886
Miller Boat Raffle	\$ 3,930 \$	1,005 \$ 2,925
Taste of Islands	\$ 7,069 \$	2,850 \$ 4,219
Apparel Sales	\$ 100 \$	- \$ 100
Ice Cream Sales	\$ 362 \$	- \$ 362
	\$ 15,611 \$	4,119 \$ 11,492



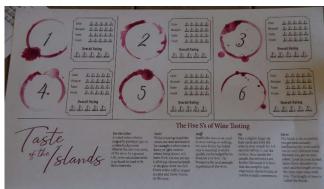








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Equipment and Capital Plan

Our current boat fleet consists of 10 420s, 19 Optimists, 2 Lasers, 1 Thistle, 1 Lightning Sailboat and a number of trailers. We also own 6 Whalers that our instructors use while out on the water with the various classes.

The Put-in-Bay High School Sailing Team participated in the Spring season, but not the Fall season. We will continue to work with the high school sailing team to collaborate with us to support the community.

In 2021, we did general fiberglass repair to some of our boats and a few 420s needed additional repair throughout the season. We also had to replace an engine that was damaged by a fire.

Each year we assess the projected class sizes in order to determine our capital equipment needs. In preparation for the 2022 season, we purchased 420 sails, spinnakers and other small equipment for our fleet. Possible big-ticket items are a new motor and a new laser.



2021 Leadership & Staff

Officers and Advisory Board members are elected at the end of summer meeting and serve until the next end of summer meeting.

Voting Board Members:		
President:	Caroline Calfee Zerbey	
Vice President:	Brandy Marriott	
Treasurer:	Tina Myers	
Secretary:	Jen Thompson	
At (not so very) Large:	Colleen Clark	
At (not so very) Large:	Melissa Fiorilli	
At (not so very) Large:	Joy Cooper	

Advisory Board Members:	
Lisa Kudlac	Bob Bahney III
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Staff:	
Scott Marriott	Director
Cameron Friedaur	Sailing Instructor
Lily Schwartz	Sailing Instructor
Ashlin Fegen	Junior Sailing Instructor
Gwendolyn Keyes	Swim Instructor
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Molly Fegen	Swim Instructor

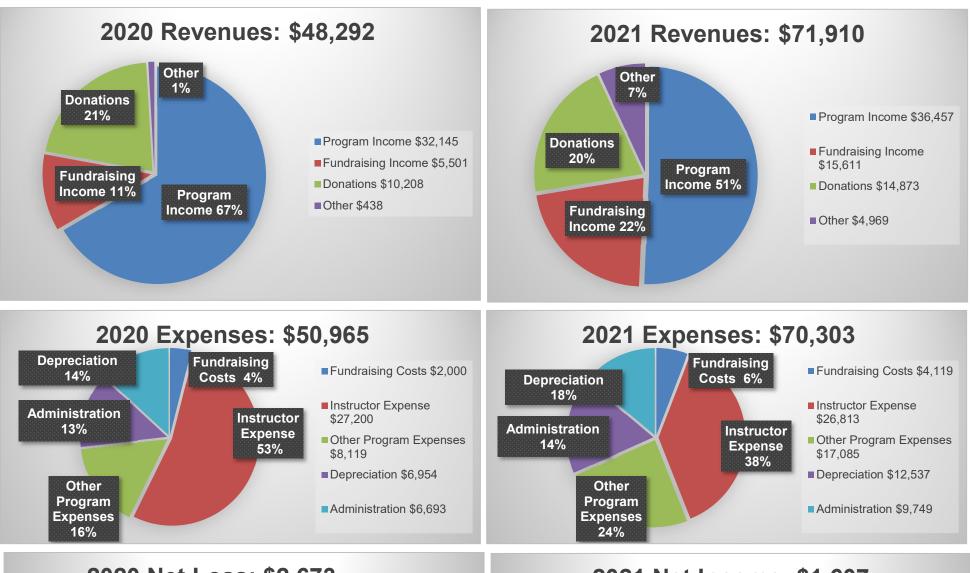


In 2021, we welcomed a new Program Director, Scott Marriott. Scott is a teacher at Piedmont Lakes Middle School in Apopka Florida. Prior to joining us, he was already familiar with I-LYA and Jr. sailing programs. In his past, he was the head coach for I-LYA US Area E Youth Qualifying Regattas. He also served as Commodore and Vice-Commodore of the Lake Monroe Sailing Association in Sanford, Florida. Scott lives in Longwood Florida with his wife, Laura.

Financial Highlights of 2021

Put-in-Bay Community Swim & Sail is a charitable tax-exempt non-profit corporation organized under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The information below represents a summary of the operations for the years ended December 31, 2020 and 2021 and is based on management-prepared financial statements that have not been reviewed or audited by an independent certified public accountant. Financial highlights reflect the operations in the same manner as reported on the organization's Federal Income Tax Return. For Federal Income Tax purposes, we expense the cost of certain types of assets in accordance with IRC Section 179 and current bonus depreciation rules and this is reflected in depreciation.

<u>2020</u>		<u>2021</u>	
Assets:		Assets:	
Cash in Bank	\$ 44,378	Cash in Bank	\$ 50,306
Property & Equipment	\$ 123,736	Property & Equipment	\$ 150,752
Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(\$ 112,400)</u>	Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(\$ 143,738)</u>
Total Assets	\$55,714	Total Assets	\$57,320
Liabilities		Liabilities	
Liabilities	<u>\$0</u>	Liabilities	<u>\$0</u>
Net Assets	<u>\$55,714</u>	Net Assets	<u>\$57,320</u>



2020 Net Loss: \$2,673

2021 Net Income: \$1,607

Giving in 2021

The Put-in-Bay Community Swim/Sail Program relies on donors to provide operating funds to survive and thrive. Financial donations from families and businesses help keep the costs of the program affordable, assist with paying highly qualified instructors, support our youth as they develop in the program, and help maintain the fleet and equipment. We appreciate all support provided to help sustain this fulfilling program and promote a safe and exciting love for the Lake among our youth!

Gold Sponsors

Brian & Lynn Kezur (Sylvania Steel Corp) Put-in-Bay Local School District

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Community Supporters

The Crew's Nest Miller Boat Put-in-Bay Yacht Club Put-in-Bay Yacht Club Ladies Auxiliary Boardwalk Family of Restaurants

In-kind Donations

We are grateful to the many volunteers, donors, grantors and businesspeople who have donated their time, skills, and labor to help. We recognize that many individuals and local businesses have donated goods for use as raffle ticket prizes, various fundraiser prizes, food for fundraising/social events and many parents have donated time and skills to help continue to make this program a success. Unfortunately, they are too numerous to name individually. Please accept our gratitude for your continued generous support!





We love our volunteers! Thank you!

If you would like to learn more about Put-in-Bay Community Swim & Sail and ways in which you or your organization can support our mission, please contact us.

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