

Thank you all for showing up. Overall, I think the meeting went as well as it could.

We had a last minute issue I think we need to discuss so that it never happens again.

In our Policies and Procedures, only full members in good standing are allowed to attend and vote at the Annual Meeting. Their account has to be paid in full 7 days ...a scheduled meeting.

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c) The procedure for accounts in arrears shall be as follows: • **Members with accounts in arrears may not launch, haul out or attend Meetings. Club records are deemed to be correct and it is the member's obligation to ensure their account is paid in full 7 days before launch, haul out or a scheduled meeting.**

We had a number of members show up for the Annual Meeting in person and on zoom who's accounts hadn't been paid. The Executive then had to make a snap decision which was to ask the Members to leave. It was awkward and embarrassing. Had we had more time to discuss it, we may have come up with a different solution. I don't know.

I don't feel great about asking people, especially new members to leave, obviously that's going to leave a bad taste in their mouth.

I would like each of your thoughts and a discussion on the matter.

PS. Even the wording in this isn't correct: **account paid in full** doesn't account for the partial payments of 1/3.

I'm leaving for Costa Rica later this week and will be mostly unavailable for the next three weeks. Our very capable Vice Commodore will be in charge.