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PLEASE HELP!

To keep this newsletter going, your help is needed. Please consider sharing some photos of your Flicka, or sending a story about your latest trip, a recent upgrade, or your favorite anchorage or harbor.

Thank you!

FRONT COVER

Sailing near Traverse City, Michigan on Grand Traverse Bay aboard s/y ZANZIBAR.
Photo: Tom Davison © 2013

BACK COVER

Predawn motoring in East Bay, Grand Traverse Bay, Lake Michigan aboard s/y ZANZIBAR.
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2. BEN MAIN, Jr. at the docks in Suttons Bay, MI.
Photo: Tom Davison © 2013

ABOUT FLICKA FRIENDS

Flicka Friends is a newsletter that is written specifically for the people who own, crew aboard, or are interested in the Flicka, a twenty foot sailing vessel designed by Bruce P. Bingham.

Based on the Newport Boats of Block Island Sound, this little ship has been built from various materials from the 1970's until 2002. This includes Flickas constructed from plans obtained directly from Bruce's California office. About 400 sets of plans were sold. According to Bruce Bingham, many Flickas can be found in New Zealand, Australia, and Sweden.

A number of hulls were built by Nor'Star and some were completed by Westerly Marine. The manufacturer of the bulk of the class is Pacific Seacraft who built 434 hulls in California.

Flicka Friends is published on a quarterly basis: with issues being posted to the internet in March, June, September and December. Articles and photographs are welcome and encouraged. Photo Gallery Issues of Flicka Friends are published in January, April, July, and October. You can download the current issue as well as the back issues of Flicka Friends from the Flicka Home Page:

www.flicka20.com

Flicka Friends is always in need of articles and photographs for publication. Please consider sending something to me for the next issue of the newsletter.

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3. Sailing s/y **BLUE SKIES** near San Juan Island, Washington.
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4. Wishing for summer on the Great Lakes, s/y **ZANZIBAR** is currently in winter storage.
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5. Motoring in calm conditions with the autopilot doing the work: s/y **ZANZIBAR**.
Photo: Tom Davison © 2013



6. Heading toward Power Island aboard s/y **ZANZIBAR**.
Photo: Tom Davison © 2013



7. Southbound near Power Island on Flicka # 387, s/y **ZANZIBAR**.
Photo: Tom Davison © 2013



8. Tom Grimes aboard his Flicka s/y **BEN MAIN, Jr.** at the transient docks at Northport, Michigan.
Photo: Tom Davison © 2013



9. Backing out of the dock for an overnight trip to Northport, MI aboard s/y **BEN MAIN, Jr.** and s/y **ZANZIBAR.**
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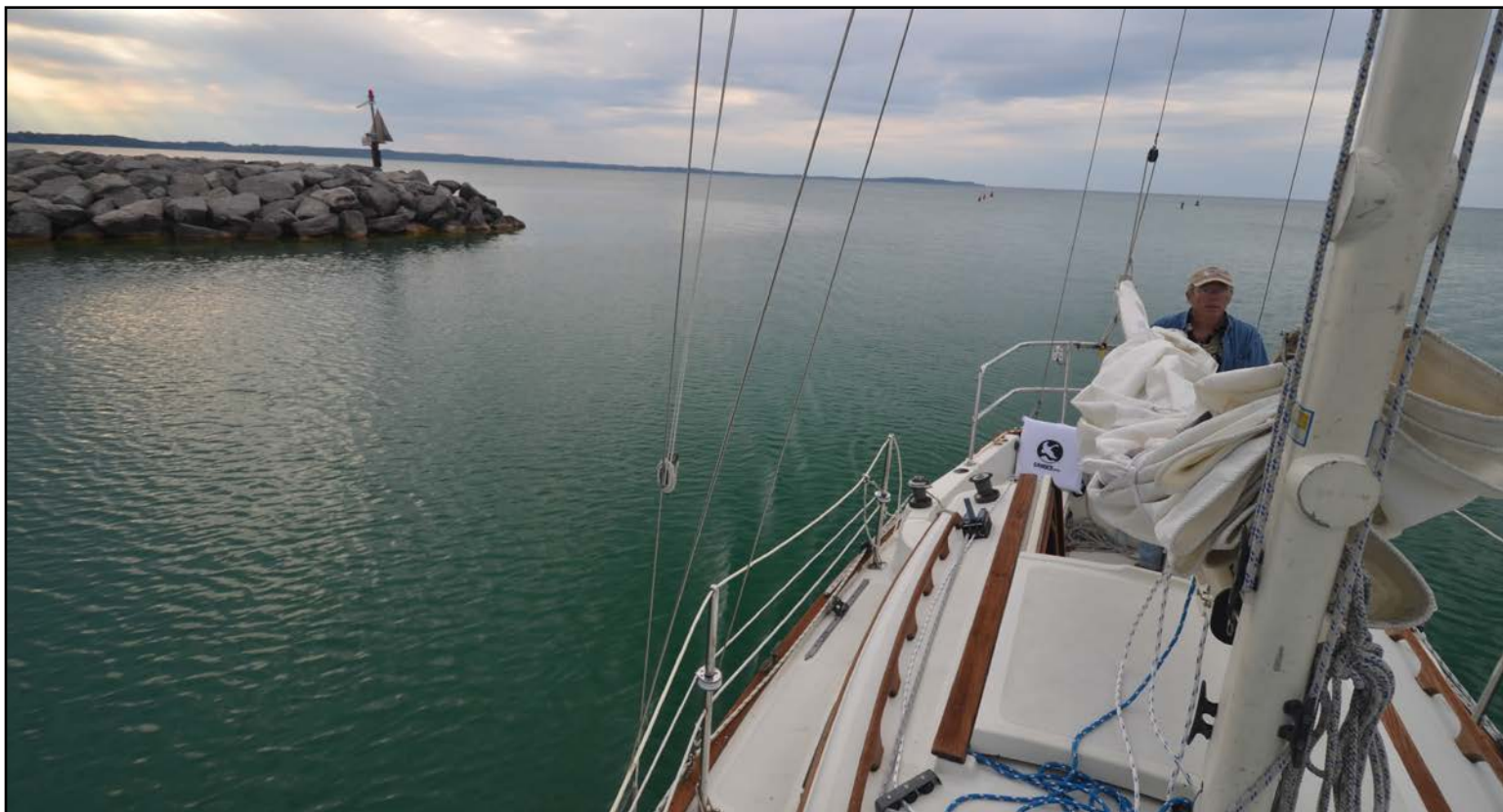
10. Two Flickas at the marina in Northport, Michigan: s/y **BEN MAIN, Jr.** and s/y **ZANZIBAR**.
Photo: Tom Davison © 2013



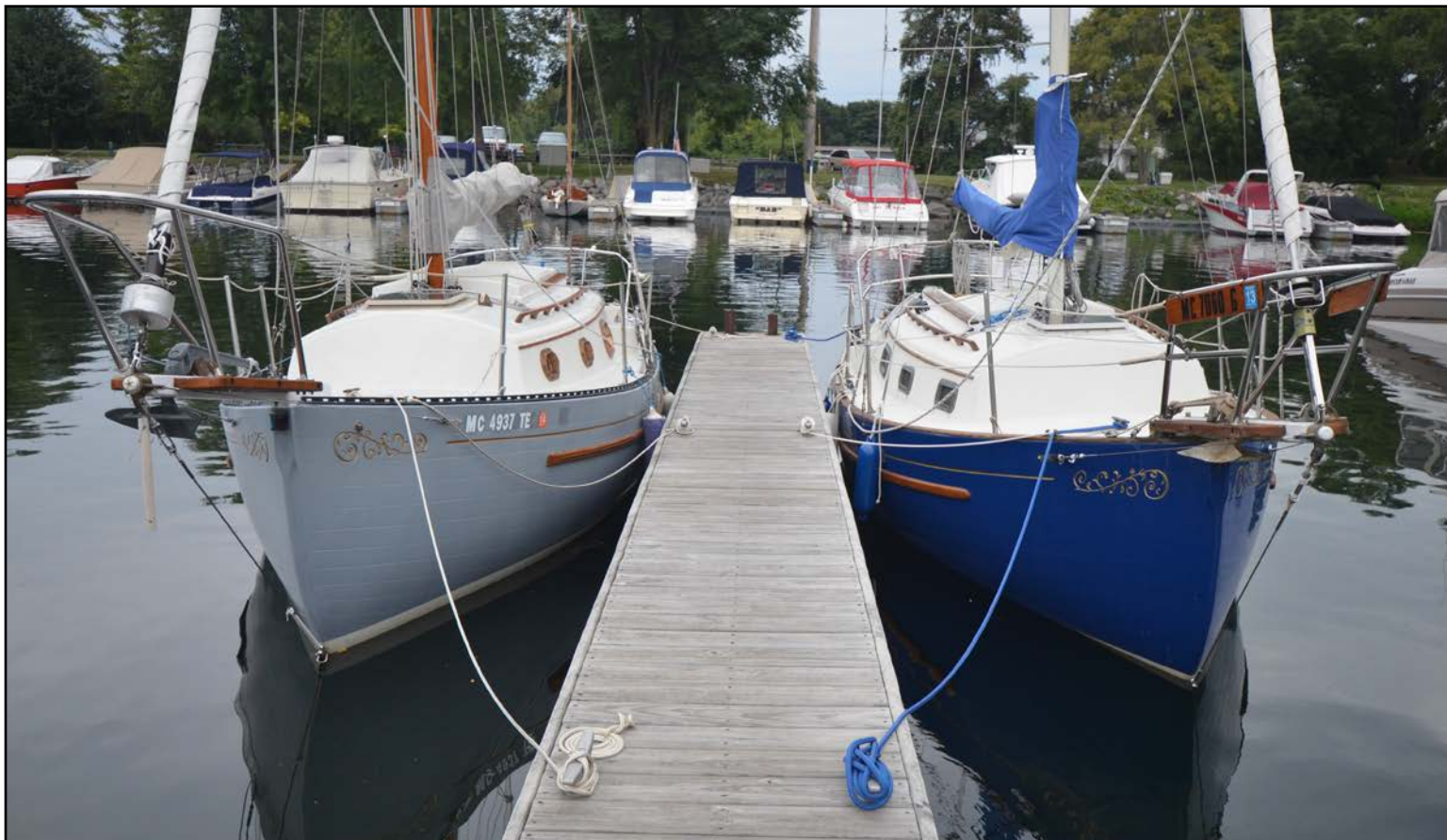
11. Chasing another Flicka: s/y **BEN MAIN, Jr.** following s/y **ZANZIBAR**.
Photo: Tom Davison © 2013



12. Sunset sailing on Grand Traverse Bay: s/y **ZANZIBAR**.
Photo: Tom Davison © 2013



13. Randy Richardson and s/y **ZANZIBAR** entering Elk Rapids Marina on East Bay of Grand Traverse Bay, Michigan.
Photo: Tom Davison © 2013



14. The first meeting between s/y **BEN MAIN, Jr.** and s/y **ZANZIBAR** at Suttons Bay Marina, Michigan.
Photo: Tom Davison © 2013



15. Tom Grimes and Randy Richardson: two Flicka captains comparing notes.
Photo: Tom Davison © 2013



16. Another rainy day aboard s/y **BLUE SKIES** at Lopez Island, Washington.
Photo: Tom Davison © 2013



17. **SARNIA** at the Galley Dock on Lopez Island, Washington.
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18. Tanbark sails and a Bahamas Courtesy Flag on s/y **DAISY**.
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