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All this fight from a few windsurfers is way overblown and exaggerated.

CANDLESTICK PRESERVATION ASSOCIATION is not even an official association. It's fabricated to sound formal to engage in a fight for Candlestick.

Candlestick windsurfing site is only one of the many sites in the bay area. You can navigate to the iwindsurf website for the bay area and see all the many locations [indicated by yellow arrows] where people go windsurfing. Many sailors go to such sites as Crissy, 3rd Avenue, Berkeley, Coyote, etc.

<http://www.iwindsurf.com/windandwhere.iws?regionID=125®ionProductID=1&timeoffset=0>

There are only a small subset of windsurfers in the bay area who go there. It's a drastically overblown concern among them. Many don't sail there because of its inconsistent, up and down, gusty conditions. Another reason is because the water quality there is one of the worse in the bay area [studies have been published recently] and there has been talk in the past to start some sort of civil lawsuit for the pollution streaming into the water at launch site from the garbage/recycling buildings and other sources. So, it is not a great place, and many windsurfers who go there don't even realize that.

Just some things to consider.

-Jon