North Channel Yacht Club Beacon







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From the Editor...



Autumn is upon us now, and for NCYC the members all came together the last two weekends to clean up and close up the Clubhouse and Island for it's long winters nap. The fall work weekends were well attended by our members, again willing to lend a helping hand to ready the Club for the winter season. Some large repair and renovation projects were set well underway, to prepare us for the spring reopening. Thank you to all the members who turned out to help!

I read some interesting news posted by the Great Lakes Environmental Research Laboratory on spring water levels recently;

"This time of year is normally the season when Great Lakes lake levels begin to fall. Lakes Michigan-Huron, and Lake Superior have continued to rise, even up to now. When we look at the current rise in levels on Lake Michigan-Huron versus the normal fall, we may have just gained almost six inches. In other words, if all of the rest of fall and winter go exactly normal, Lake Michigan-Huron will start next season's water rise six inches higher than last spring. And that's if everything is normal. Lake Michigan-Huron is heading toward its peak water level in this month of October. If Lake Michigan-Huron peaks this month, it will be only the fifth time in the last 155 years the high water mark is in this fall month" (Mark Torregrossa, Mlive.com Chief Meteorologist).

The rise is due to the widespread heavy rain received in early October throughout Michigan. That's a quick way to bring higher water levels to the Great Lakes – we'll take it!

Please look inside for the up and coming such as; The Calendar of Events, First Mates Appreciation Dinner, and NCYC Ski/Snowmobile Weekend.

Brent Malik Director, Publications

"if your ship hasn't come in, swim out to it..."





A beautiful time of the year right now, with a chill in the air and a myriad of colors that Mother Nature has provided us. Could it be perhaps only to soften the blow of Ol' Man Winter just around the corner? It is a time for mixed emotions that I have and that a lot of us may be feeling. We put away our Boats and the many water toys that entertain us in summer. We dig out our boots and gloves and ready ourselves for the 'Intermission of Boating season' that we call winter. Soon enough and we will be again enjoying a ride across the Lake.

This past month of September was enough to keep the most jaded of folks interested and entertained. There are many thanks to follow for all of the effort put in by our members to offer you Food, Beverage, Entertainment and just a plain old good time! Smoke on the Water and all that went on for the weekend started things off with a bang. Many thanks to Terry Hart, Donna Glick and Ron Latowski for taking the chill out of that weekend. Fleet Captains Ian Blackburn and Marie Pepin brought us a piece of Las Vegas with the final NCYC Rendezvous on Island. The dice were flying and cards shuffling as everyone walked away a winner! As the evening progressed, Glen and Sheila Nixon generously donated Pizzas to calm the hungering masses. The next weekend, Glen, Sheila and Crew took us All out golfing on a gorgeous Saturday afternoon which is known as the Commodore's Golf Outing. A great time was had by All with the Commodore and C'dress raising havoc on their very own cart named Nag-Nag.

The following weekend opened with Haul-Out and last General Membership meeting on Island for this year. Pat and Russ Adams treated us to a fantastic dinner accompanied by great entertainment that had everyone up and dancing. It was a wonderful party that celebrated a good year for NCYC. Along with the handful of folks mentioned above, each had an energetic team behind them to help. I'm limited by space to recognize each by name but for those attending these events it was apparent the folks making it all happen. From the bottom of my heart, I thank each and every one of you for getting involved and showing not only myself, but all of our Members a terrific time this year. Thank You!

I would be remiss in not mentioning the Elections held this year. So many good members stepped up and offered to carry on the business of North Channel. It takes a special person to do that. One that has the good of our Club in mind. One that generously offers their time to do what needs to be done. To those chosen for an Office this year ... Congratulations! To those who weren't picked this year ... it was well worth the effort. It was an experience and an exercise to be successful the next time around. Thank You!

By the time that you are reading this Article, the Club will have been tucked in and put to sleep for the winter. It was a great turn-out for the Work Parties and I have to thank everyone who came out to help. Some end-of-year projects were started and completed. The rest will be finished by the time that the snow flies in these parts. There will be more to come in detailing these accomplishments. It is with your interest and involvement ... our 'hands-on' approach ... that makes North Channel Yacht Club the Best on the Lakes!

In closing, I want to remind you all to attend the November General Membership meeting the evening of November 22nd. It will be held at Barrister Gardens in St. Clair Shores with dinner after the meeting. You may attend the meeting and not partake in the dinner if you so choose. Fan-Outs will be sent to you shortly with details of this event.

Let The Good Times Roll, John Anderson NCYC Commodore 2014



Congratulations to our newly elected board members, thank you for stepping up. I look forward to working with all of you next year. Excellent Haul Out feast Pat and Russ!!! Thank you Kathy Bell and your First Mates crew for a well-executed annual First Mates Haul out breakfast Sunday morning, we all needed that.

Thank you Commodore John and Bev Anderson for all that you have done for the club over this past year. Likewise, thank you to Fleet Captains Ian and Marie for all of your hard work and the good times you provided this year.

I would like to thank everyone who participated in and planned this year's activities. It's not an easy task planning and implementing an event. It takes a lot of time, planning and manpower to pull it off. More importantly it takes participation from the membership to make them successful. We need your continued support and participation for these events every year.

Check out the Hy-Five page in this month's Beacon. I want to give a Hy-Five to long time member John Bowen and Dockside Canvas Company. Last fall John took the curtains (sides) of the covered patio to his shop for the winter for repair and upgrade. He replaced all of the screens and zippers at no cost to the club in return for his 4 hour work/pay requirement. Thank you John and Dockside – Awesome job!

It is now time to close up the club for the winter. Please plan on attending our fall work parties on Saturday, October 11th and Saturday, October 18th. Please look for direction from our Harbor and Grounds director Don Reiss and our Clubhouse director Rich Goodman. We meet in the club parking lot at 9:00 A.M.

I look forward to seeing many of you at the General Membership meeting on November 22nd at Barrister Gardens. I will present the budget for 2015 at this time.

As we move into the fall, the planning for the Commodore's Ball is in full swing. The Ball will be held on Saturday, January 24, 2015 at the Concorde Inn. Please mark the date on your calendar to assure your ability to attend.

V/C Brian McEvoy



Dang, fall is officially here, I had to ask myself, where the heck did summer go? Then I thought well, that was 20 club weekends. Then I count what I have missed this year. Sandi and I enjoyed the two away rendezvous and the Commodore's cruise which was three weekends gone. Then as many of you know, Sandi lost both of her parents over the last 6 months in Illinois. Unfortunately, that took numerous more weekends away from the cub as well. Then I understand where the summer went.

We had a great slate of candidates for the 2015 Board and Flag this year. I want to share my heart-felt thanks to those that were not successful this year and ask you to please consider running again next year, I had to run twice myself to get on the board.

Congratulations to the Flag and Board winners, Pat Carroll, Darryl Campbell, Ian Blackburn, Kim Miedema, and Brian Malik as well as Kevin Verkest for Cash Reserve. The Board and Flag have so much to do and I look forward to working with all of them in 2015!

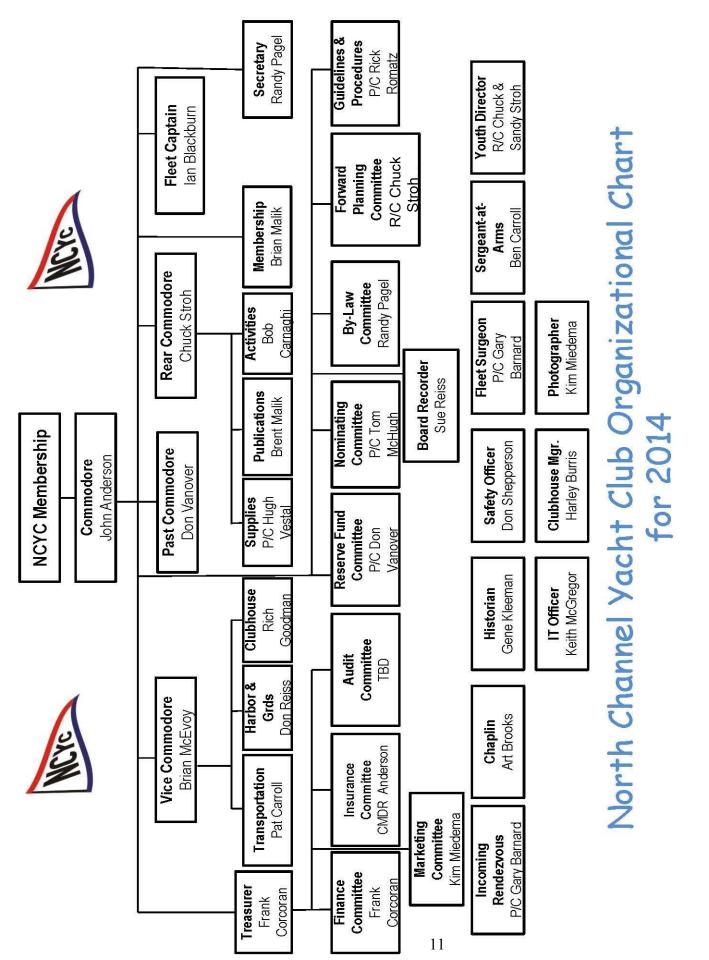
I would be remiss if I didn't take the time to thank all of the OD's, week managers, Fleet, and all of the event leaders and their teams, that so selflessly donated their time to ensure that the membership had a great time and could enjoy the island, their friends, and family. Thanks to each and everyone of you!

The work parties have started and it never ceases to amaze me how much the teams get accomplished each outing, great job! Also, the Kitchen floor project got kicked off with the removal of the water damaged flooring. Thanks to Ian Blackburn and Chris Strzyewski for their hard work. The damage was over a larger surface area than we had expected. However, the good news is that no structural damage occurred. Some new sub floor and a retile job and we will be back in business.

Thanks to Jill Romatz again, and again, and again! We still have the winter bowling to keep us all connected. Come out to the Total Sports bowling alley and say hi to your friends and enjoy a cocktail even if you don't bowl, it is a great time.

Make sure you save the dates for the November membership meeting at Barrister's Garden and the Commodore's Ball in January at the Concord Inn in Mt Clemens.

See you soon, R/C Chuck Stroh





2015 Commodorës Ball

Saturday, January 24, 2015



Brian & Renee Mc Evoy

invite you to Celebrate 50 Years

Details to Follow



A Message From Chaplain Art Brooks...

On September 19^{th.,} P.C. Bob Watson's mother passed away peacefully at her home with her family at her side. There was visitation and a service at the funeral home on September 23rd.

I received an e mail from R.C. Chuck Stroh stating that Sandi's mother passed away. There was a service for her in Oakland Park, IL. on Thurs, September 25th. Please keep these NCYC members and their families in your prayers during this period of bereavement.

I received note that Charlene Apigian had knee surgery recently. She is home and getting ready for PT. Their son is coming up from the South to help Ardo during her recovery. She would like to hear from her friend at NCYC. Please keep their family in your prayers.

"Out of the Mouths of Babes"

Six year old Angie and her four year brother Joel were sitting together in church. Joel giggled, sang, and talked out loud. Finally, his big sister had had enough. "You're not supposed to talk out loud in church." "Why? Who's going to stop me?" Joel asked. Angie pointed to the back of the church and said, "See those two men standing by the door? They're Hushers."

A mother was preparing pancakes for her sons, Kevin, 5 and Ryan,3. The boys began to argue over who would get the first pancake. Their mother saw the opportunity for a moral lesson. "If Jesus were sitting here, He would say, "Let my brother have the first pancake. I can wait." Kevin turned to his younger brother and said, "Ryan, you be Jesus !"

Author unknown

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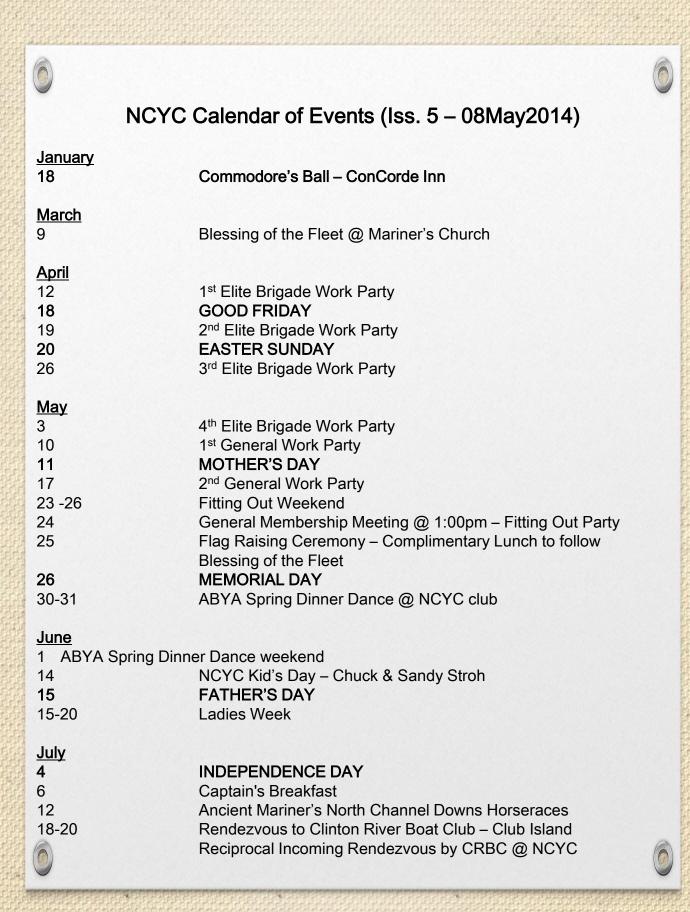
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August	
1-3	Sand Pointe Incoming Rendezvous
2	Karaoke hosted by P/C Don Vanover
4	Jeff Edgerly's Poker Run @ NCYC
8-10	Nautical Mile Boat Club Incoming Rendezvous
15-17	JYC Incoming Rendezvous
15-17	Rendezvous to Milliken's Marina/ Tiger Ball Game
19	Selfridge Base Council @ NCYC
20	Algonac Lions @ NCYC
17-22	Commodores' Cruise – Lake Erie/ Put-In-Bay
22-24	Great Lakes Cruising Club Incoming Rendezvous
29-31	Labor Day Weekend
30	General Membership Meeting @ 1:00pm – Meet the Candidates
	P/C's Beer Bust following the meeting
<u>September</u>	
1	LABOR DAY
5-7	Snethkamp Weekend
12-14	Smoke on the Water Glick – Hart / Latowski
19-21	NCYC Rendezvous @ NCYC Club – Casino Theme
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<u>October</u>

3-5	Haul-Out Weekend
4	General Membership Meeting @ 1:00pm – Election Results
11	1 st General Work Party
18	2 nd General Work Party

November

22	General Membership Meeting -	- Barrister Gardens @ 6:00pm
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There were 58 people at the September luncheon.

Next Luncheon will be Thursday, October 16th at the Green Street Tavern, 37700 Green Street, New Baltimore, MI. at 1:00 P.M.

The October Business Meeting will be October 21st at the Moose Lodge at 1:00 P.M.

Archie Archibald Ancient Mariners President Fair Winds, Calm Seas.



Member of the Month

Glen & Shelia Nixon

For keeping the tradition alive, and organizing a spectacular Commodores Golf Outing!

Thank you both for all your hard work and dedication!











First Mates Appreciation Dinner

To give thanks for all the support to our fundraising throughout the year, you are invited by the First Mates to our 1st Appreciation Dinner.

Where:

Fern Hill Golf Club, 17600 Clinton River Road, Clinton Township, 48038

When: November 13, 2014

Time: 6:00 pm

<u>Tickets:</u> \$35.00 per person Dinner/Dessert/Open Bar

Please send reservations to: Diane Marten, 49638 Octavia, New Baltimore, MI 48047, email: <u>dmcottrell58@gmail.com</u>. cell phone: 586-242-9468

By November 1, 2014.

Friends and Family Welcome

This year, the First Mates will take donations and all will be sent to "The Care House" in Mt.Clemens. For additional information <u>http://</u> <u>www.mccarehouse.org</u>



We will also be having a Raffle. Raffle donations can be brought to the dinner or contact Diane at the above email or phone number.







SUMMIT · SCHUSS · CEDAR RIVER

5th Annual NCYC Ski/Snowmobile Weekend February 13 – 16, 2015 (President's Day weekend)

Shanty Creek has rental condos available. They typically sleep two couples and have a full kitchen and living area. Condos are on a first come, first serve basis.

Please contact Brian Malik and/or Lori Abry if you have any questions. Also, please let them know if you will be attending this fun weekend!

> Brian: <u>586-552-0007 - bri.malik@gmail.com</u> Lori: <u>331-222-6684 - lori.abry@gmail.com</u>

The Snowmobile Poker Run will be Saturday February 14. Please contact Jeff Edgerly for information. <u>810-335-2008 - wolfpac65@hotmail.com</u>

If you would like a condo, please contact Phyllis and mention "NCYC SKI OUTING" Phyllis Lockhart, Sales Manager, Shanty Creek Resorts

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	2015 • ISLAND WEEK	MANAGER	U o c
MAY 17 – 27	P/C Bob & Patti Wats	DASE	
MAY 25 – 29	R/C Chuck & Sandi Stro	900	
MAY 31 – June 5	P/C Don & Barb Vanover	Randy & Linda Pagel	
JUNE 7 – 12	P/C Harley & Linda Burris		
JUNE 14 – 19	Ladies Week		
JUNE 21 – 26	Glen & Pat Wagner		
JUNE 28 – JULY 3	Bob & Brian Fringer		
JULY 5 – 10	P/C Scott & Kathy Bell	Bill & Terri Calihan	
JULY 12 – 17	Ian Blackburn & Marie Pepin		
JULY 19 – 24	Dave & Cindy McKnight		
JULY 26 – 31	Glenn & Sheila Nixon	Dale & Coleen Hall	Tim & Lori Idzikowski
AUGUST 2 – 7	P/C Ken & Kay Smith	P/C John & Beverly Anderson	
AUGUST 9 – 14	P/C Ken & Kay Smith	P/C John & Beverly Anderson	
AUGUST 16 – 21	OPEN		
AUGUST 23 – 28	OPEN		
AUGUST 30 – SEP 4	OPEN		
SEPTEMBER 6 – 11	P/C Harley & Linda Burris	Chris & Julie Stryzewski	
SEPTEMBER 13 – 18	Darryl & Josette Campbell	Russ & Pat Adams	
SEPTEMBER 20 – 25	Ed & Diane Romatz	Ron & Jeanine Kemp	
SEPTEMBER 27 – OCT 2	OPEN		

O.D. Weekend & Member Work Schedule							
Week 1		2	3	4	5		
	FITTING OUT	ABYA					
Date	5/23	5/30	6/6	6/13	6/20		
O.D.	Brent Malik	P/C Vanover	P/C Vestal	V/C McEvoy	Reiss		
1	C. Herr	D. French	D. Vosler	C. McEvoy (jr)	P/C Angers		
2	R. Fringer, Jr.	I. Blackburn	B. Marin	A. McEvoy (jr)	D. Shepperson		
3	B. Fringer	J. Obenhoff	C. Strzyzewski	G. Criner	D. Biel		
4	P/C McIntyre	K. Lipowski	P/C Barnard	S. Criner (jr)	S. Greenfielder		
5	G. Jialanella	G. Nixon	P/C Whyard	T. Marini	W. Rose		
6	M. Linden	D. Hall	F. Zrepskey	J. Mile	R. Oliver		
7	B. Kahl	A. Brooks	D. Petrosky	J. Edgerly	P/C Beecherl		
8	R. Kahl	D. Siwek	P/C Sevald	B. BuWalda	D. DuVernay		
9	D. Clevinger	D. Coburn	M. Pusateri	T. Ford	W. Angers		
10	L. Berger	A. Vercnocke	G. Smyth	J. Greening	D. LeVerque		
11	G. Smith	R. Richards		D. Jacott	B. Yowan		
12		P. Forhan		W. Adams			
13							
14	A. Pelletier (jr)						
15	O. Lancaster (jr) B. Carnaghi (jr)						

O.D. Weekend & Member Work Schedule							
Week	6	7	8	9	10		
		JULY 4TH		CLUB ISLAND			
Date	6/27	7/4	7/11	7/18	7/25		
O.D.	P/C Dickson	Pagel	Penzien	Goodman	Pilarowski		
1	B. Edens	D. French	D. Pienta	T. O'Brien	K. Baker		
2	P/C Watson	S. Marten	C. Cook	K. McKeown	G. Simpson		
3	M. Kurlinski	R. Kemp	Alexa Cook (jr)	D. Aitken	D. McKnight		
4	T. Idzikowski	D. Gronbach	Anna Cook (jr)	P/C Cox	J. Lewandowski		
5	M. Riehl	E. Romatz	G. Shalagan	D. Campbell	R. Limback		
6	P/C Atnip	P/C Bell	J. Mantyk	J. Hogan	T. Karasinski		
7	G. Kohout	J. DeQuick	P. Maniaci	Z. Blackburn (jr)	J. Saur		
8	W. Szkodzinski	P/C Burris	D. Pomeroy	B. Cross			
9	E. Szkodzinski (jr)	P/C Bauer		G. Marchall			
10	N. Watson (jr)	J. Bowen					
11	C. Watson (jr)	M. Winkler					
12		P/C Huntley					
13		D. Hagendorf					
14		E. Hagendorf					
15							

O.D. Weekend & Member Work Schedule							
Week	11	12	13	14	15		
			MILIKEN RENDEZ.		LABOR DAY		
Date	8/1	8/8	8/15	8/22	8/29		
O.D.	R/C Stroh	Carnaghi	B. Michel	P/C McHugh	Corcoran		
1	B. Breuhan	L. Leitch	N. Michel (jr)	T. Hart	P/C Jarvis		
2	B. Swatosh	C. D'Andrea	D. Michel (jr)	D. Glick	P. Frame		
3	M. Busch	S. Schafer	H. Aljida	A. McHugh (jr)	B. Skibinski		
4	T. Altobelli	R. Currie	T. Yakuber	P. Poirier	A. Durand		
5	G. Wagner	P. Rener	P/C Hendricks	K. Ginsburg	T. Dean		
6	M. Schodowski	B. Carnaghi (jr)	J. Gronbach	P. Kelton	G. Brigman		
7	G. Murray	A. Herzig	L. Lanitelli	D. Pellitier	B. Scarpace		
8	K. Miedema	T. Martin	P/C Klapec	A. Pellitier (jr)	T. Ellul		
9	M. Schoen	D. Lockhart	T. Loy	T. Sreinmacher			
10		D. Carnaghi	G. Gower	R. Rzeszut			
11		L. Garofalo		M. Schefke			
12		A. Garofalo (jr)		T. McHugh			
13					Pd Bartenders		
14					Pd Bartenders		
15					Pd Bartenders		

O.D. Weekend & Member Work Schedule							
Week 16		17	18	19	20		
		SMOKE OUT	NCYC RENDEZ.		HAUL OUT		
Date	9/5	9/12	9/19	9/26	10/3		
O.D.	Snethkamp	Latowski	P/C Romatz	Carroll	Brian Malik		
1	J. Schebil	S. Stay	J. Parent	B. Carroll	L. Malik		
2	T. Szott	K. Hay	N. Pulizzi	K. Verkest	D. Bruce		
3	G. Stanford	T. Serra	D. Hagendorf	J. DeQuick	K. McGregor		
4	H. Trerice	D. Klicki	E. Hagendorf	S. Scarpaci	L. Piecuch		
5	J. Gierlach	M. Wonderly	D. White	G. Freese	B. Kenzie		
6	E. Lancaster	D. Hall	P/C Bell	G. Wojalik	J. Edgerly		
7	A. Whitman	J. Butler	A. Archibald M. Rathbone		G. D'Haillecourt		
8	J. Krause	H. Taylor	T. Calihan	S. Richardson	J. Rose		
9	V. Day	D. Raymond	E. Romatz	D. Ruma			
10	D. Hines	T. Schimke	R. Swan				
11	G. McCann	A. Heller	J. Wunderlich				
12	J. Pangborn						
13	M. Snethkamp (jr)				C. McEvoy		
14					H. Clinard		
15					Pd Bartenders		

NCYC MAINI	AND WELL WAITING LIST - 2014
Position	Member Name
1	MIKE RIEHL (WELLS 1-6)
2	BRENT MALIK
3	KEITH MCGREGOR
4	JIM BUTLER
5	GREG CRINER
6	JOE COX
7	JIM ANGERS
8	JERRY SIMPSON
9	TONY SERRA
10	DAVE GRONBACH
11	DONNA GLICK
12	CHUCK STROH
13	DEBBIE SIWEK
14	RUSS ADAMS
15	TOM ALTOBELLI
16	TOM FORD
17	TOM MCHUGH
18	DENNIS BEIL



2014 SEASON – WELLS RENTED							
Well #	Name	Boat Size	MC #	Paid	Well Price	E-mail	
1	Shepperson, Don	19.6' x 8'	7666 LB	\$400	\$400	shepperson@comcast.net	
2	Reiss, Don	22' x 8'	2134 SN	\$450	\$450	reiss2003@wowwat.com	
3	Berger, Larry	24' x 7'	9137 LB	\$450	\$450	larryberger@yahoo.com	
4	Herr, Charles	18' x 6'	0702 HW	\$450	\$450	cmherr@sbcglobal.net	
5	Dickson, John	16.6' x 6'	3533 RP	\$450	\$450	taxproa1@aol.com	
6	Hart, Terry	17' x 5'	6209 RZ	\$450	\$450	sdsterry@aol.com	
7	McEvoy, Brian	18' x 7'	3401 NZ	\$400	\$400	tarshockey@yahoo.com	
8	Marin, Bob	17' x 7'	1759 NV	\$400	\$400	marin@oakland.edu	
9	Edgerly, Jeff			\$400	\$400	wolfpac65@hotmail.com	
10	Garofalo, Lou	13" x 5'		\$400	\$400	lgarofalo01@gmail.com	
11	Hendricks, Bill	13' x 6'	2851 ST	\$400	\$400	bill@autocom.org	
12	Malik, Larry	19' x 7'	0848 PL	\$400	\$400	lgmalik1@gmail.com	
13	Kemp, Ron	18' x 8'	0651 SJ	\$400	\$400	jandr7@wowway.com	
14	Blackburn, Ian	16' x 5'	ON3138131	\$400	\$400	iblackburn@liquiforce.com	
15	Bush, Mark	20' x 8'	3229 TZ	\$400	\$400	m297@sbcglobal.net	
16	Romantz, Ed	18' x 8'	6962 LH	\$400	\$400	edromatz@yahoo.com	
17	Marten, Steve	16' x 7'	4559 TB	\$400	\$400	samarten@aol.com	
18	Vanover, Don	16' x 7'	2700 RD	\$400	\$400	donavanconstruc@sbcglobal.net	
19	Bob Carnaghi	13' x 4'	5356 LX	\$400	\$400	rcarnaghi@wowway.com	
20	Brian Malik	18' x 6'	4018 TG	\$400	\$400	bri.malik@gmail.com	

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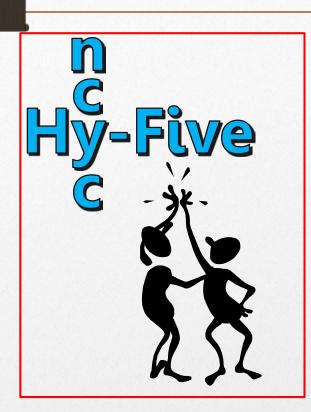
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This is your chance as membership to issue them a quick Thank You and recognize them for their good efforts. If you wish to offer any members a Hy-Five, please email the members name and reason to publications@ncyconline.com



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North Channel Yacht Club Board of Directors - Regular Meeting



Call to Order

Commodore, John Anderson

Commodore John Anderson called the meeting to order on September 9, 2014 at 7:00 pm . The meeting was held at the Crew's Inn.

Roll Call

Secretary, Randy Pagel

		Present	Absent
FLAG OFFICERS			
Commodore	John Anderson	Х	
Vice Commodore	Brain McEvoy	Х	
Rear Commodore	Chuck Stroh	х	
DIRECTORS			
Transportation	Pat Carroll	х	
Harbor & Grounds	Don Reiss	х	
Activities	Bob Carnaghi	х	
Treasurer	Frank Corcoran	х	
Publications	Brent Malik		Excused
Secretary	Randy Pagel	х	
Membership	Brian Malik		Excused
Supplies	P/C Hugh Vestal	х	
Club House	Rich Goodman	х	
IMMEDIATE PAST COMMODORE	P/C Don Vanover	x	
Appointed Positions			
Fleet Captain	Ian Blackburn	Х	
Board Recorder	Sue Reiss	Х	

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Agenda:

MOTION: Moved by Don Reiss to approve the agenda. Seconded by Rich Goodman. **Motion Carried.**

Approval of Meeting Minutes :

MOTION: Moved by Don Reiss to approve the meeting minutes. Seconded by Frank Corcoran.

Motion Carried.



Commodore's Comments

Thank you all for attending this meeting tonight. This month will go by too fast with all that is scheduled to happen. With two events and a Golf Outing, there's Haul Out and then we start closing the Club for the winter. Let's prepare now for that end. We have projects to plan and budgets to finish. If we start getting these things ready now, it will be smooth sailing when it's time to turn out the lights and lock the doors. Thank You!

Vice-Commodore's Comments

Thankfully we had no damage from all the storms that came through. Hopefully, other people will recover from this disaster. We got through without any problems.

Rear-Commodore's Comments

One thing we need to do is try to help with the Golf Outing. Sign up is not where it should be. North Channel is always 'last minute', but if you know someone who will golf, please encourage them to sign up. It is beneficial to the Club to have this outing continue.

Financial Report

Corcoran

Frank recapped the financial report for the Board. Frank stated that we had a pretty good month, we had \$35,000 in revenue and \$33,000 in expenses, however, \$12,000 of that was property taxes. Overnight dockage was budgeted for the year at \$13,000 and we are already at \$19,000. Year to date bar profit is \$29,000 as of the end of August. We have an additional six weekends and six weeks of activity that will be recorded. The bar profit budget for the year is \$34,000.

Motion: Moved by PC Don Vanover to approve the financial report. Seconded by Randy Pagel.

Motion Carried

ABYA Report

P/C Don Vanover

PC Don Vanover stated that the ABYA dinner was held at North Channel Clubhouse on September 8, 2014. It was hosted by the Great Lakes Cruising Club. The ABYA Ball will be held on December

Vice Commodore, Brian McEvoy

Commodore, John Anderson

Treasurer, Frank

Rear Commodore, Chuck Stroh

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6, 2014 at the Barrister Gardens. The tickets are \$67.50 per person. Raffle tickets are also available. Please see PC Don Vanover for tickets. June 13, 2015 will be the 'Celebrate the Lakes'.

Correspondence:

A letter was received from Rich Barzyk from Great Lakes Cruising Club thanking NCYC for hosting them on the weekend of August 22-24. They were extremely pleased with the way we welcomed them to the island. He mentioned PC Tom and Judy McHugh, who were the weekend OD's and Don Reiss, the week manager who he felt were great ambassadors to our Club.

A letter was received from PC Harley Burris indicating a problem with dogs running the island and people who do not pick up their dogs waste. He stated that someone stepped in the waste and unknowingly tracked it in the clubhouse.

PC Harley also stated that more golfers are needed for the Golf Outing. He suggested that everyone ask their friends.

A letter was received by Debbie Siwek about an incident she witnesses concerning a member bringing a dog into the Clubhouse and coming out with the wet dog wrapped in a towel. It was surmised that the dog was showered in the Clubhouse. She also witnessed that same member did not pick up the waste from the dog before that incident.

The Commodore and the Board will address this issue with the member.

I. CURRENT BUSINESS

• Activities - Bob Carnaghi

We have several activities this month. We have the Smoke Out, the Casino Night Rendezvous, the Golf Outing and then Haul Out. We need more people to participate in the Golf Outing for it to continue. Bob received a letter from the Lions Club thanking NCYC for a great time when they came to the Club in August. They wanted to thank Don Reiss for all the Fin Runs that he made. They will be back next year. Selfridge also had a great time and will be back next year. A shout out to Don and Sue Reiss for a great job hosting both events for the last three years.

• <u>Club House</u> - Rich Goodman



Everything is going ok. There are supplies coming in this week that should get us through the season. Thanks to Mike Pilarowski for his presentation tonight. I hope the Board will give serious consideration to the new sound system he introduced. Rich stated that he went to West Marine and looked into new radios. Stationary for the Fins and hand helds for the managers. For about \$1,000 he can get 5 stationary and 1 hand held units that will enable us to communicate more efficiently. We will have a private frequency license for NCYC only. Discussion held. **Motion:** Moved by Don Reiss to purchase the equipment. Seconded by Bob Carnaghi. **Motion Carried.**

• Harbor & Grounds – Don Reiss

Don got an estimate from Ron Kahl for replacement of the seawall from D dock to just past the Boatique. The quote was for \$60,000 for 300 feet of steel seawall and \$66,000 for 300 feet of galvanized seawall. This does not include backfill or permits. Ron indicated that our seawall will only last a maximum of 10 years, possibly less. Ron will also give us a quote for a pad for the generator.

• Membership – Brian Malik

Absent- Excused

Brian wanted it noted that Dennis and Sherry Biel donated \$250 to the club.

- <u>Publications</u> Brent Malik
 Absent- Excused
- <u>Secretary</u> Randy Pagel

Randy received a letter from Joyce Obenhoff to waive her work hours for this year due to surgery. **Motion:** Moved by VC Brian McEvoy to waive Joyce's work hours for this year. Seconded by PC Don Vanover. **Motion Carried.**

• <u>Supplies</u> – Hugh Vestal

Hugh indicated that Sales are up and profits are up. Budgetary planning discussion on eliminating incoming rendezvous on weekends. If they are eliminated it will reduce profits. A PC approached PC Hugh asking if we were getting special event permits and



insurance for incoming rendezvous, such as Lions Club and Selfridge. It was stated that we used to do that but it was deemed to be unnecessary. This will be looked into again.

- <u>Transportation</u> Pat Carroll
 Fins are running great.
- <u>Fleet Captain</u> Ian Blackburn
 No Report

I. OLD BUSINESS

- a. Topic #1 A discussion was held on the walkway by the Boatique. It was discussed on how to fix it and make it look good. There is some question on how to proceed with the walkway since there are many problems with replacing it. The board decided that a quick decision on what to do was not prudent. The patio in front of the Boatique will be replaced, but the walkway is put on hold for now.
- b. Topic #2 The generator was purchased, but no delivery date has been set.
- c. Topic #3 The Forward Planning Committee needed one more candidate. Steve Martin volunteered to fill the position. Motion: Moved by RC Chuck Stroh to accept Steve Martin for the Forward Planning Committee. Seconded by Don Reiss. Motion Carried.
- d. Topic #4 Randy Pagel stated that he needed someone to accept the returning ballots since he is running for office and he did not think it appropriate to accept the ballots. Motion: Moved by RC Chuck Stroh to have Don Reiss to fill in for Secretary Randy and collect the ballots. Seconded by Bob Carnaghi. Motion Carried.
- e. Commodore John deferred the Election Procedures Review to a special meeting to be held on the Island at 10:00 am on September 13th.



f. Topic #5 - Rich Goodman stated that the floor in the kitchen dishwashing area will be fixed after the club closes.

II. NEW BUSINESS

a. Topic #1 - Mike Pilarowski gave a presentation on the sound system. He offered a 3 amp system by Bogen. It would include music and the PA system. Don Reiss asked how much and how long to install? Mike stated that it would take about 3 days to install at a cost of about \$2,900. A discussion followed. VC Brian McEvoy stated that we would need to get two other quotes.

III. Good of the Order:

Commodore John welcomed Jeff Edgerly to speak at the Good of the Order. Jeff wanted clarification on how the candidates were nominated. He referred to the By-Law, Article VII Section 5. He also quoted Article IV. He felt that the nomination of the candidate for Rear Commodore is not correct. He stated that other members also questioned this nomination. Commodore John stated that a Special Meeting has already been planned for Saturday September 13th to address this issue.

Frank Corcoran stated that he had a good weekend for Labor Day. However, staffing was an issue. We were understaffed for the weekend. We made it through, but my workers had to do extra duties. He suggested the Board, through the Secretary's scheduling process, monitor the level of resources assigned to Week Managers and Weekend ODs to ensure the appropriate amount of workers are assigned and imbalances are avoided.

Don Reiss stated that he had a few things that some of the membership asked him to bring to the Board. In the past, the noise level in the harbor has been out of control. According to Clay Township, the noise should not go past 10 pm. He has had several complaints from the neighboring islanders and the people across the Channel.

There has been some issues with people who quit the club and still come back often, some even bringing guests with them. Members are questioning why they are paying dues when anyone can come and enjoy our island.

We have 59 members paying half dues, this is becoming a problem with the revenue. There are still more people eligible for this benefit.

There has been a lot of complaints about how many incoming rendezvous we have on the weekends. Members don't feel like this is a private Club anymore.

I still think we should address the Junior Member status again. We need to encourage these Junior Members to stay with the Club. I also would like to see Grandchildren



become Junior Members. Pat Carroll stated that Grandchildren may join as Junior Members, since they are immediate family members.

I would like to revisit the idea of having the spouses become members. It will give us more people to run for office and if there is a charge for them to be a member, it will bring in more revenue to the Club.

I would like to remind everyone that there are cleats on the North Channel for their second boats or their toys.

And lastly, I would like to remind the members to please clean up your tables in the clubhouse. If you get up and walk away, someone else has to clean up your mess.

<u>Adjournment</u>

MOTION: Moved by PC Hugh Vestal to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Randy Pagel.

Motion Carried

Meeting adjourned at 9:55

Next Meeting

Special Meeting: Saturday September 13, 2014 at 10:00 am at the NCYC Clubhouse.

Regular Board Meeting: October 14, 2014 at 7:00 p.m. Location: Crews Inn

Respectively Submitted,

Sue Reiss Board Recorder

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North Channel Yacht Club General Membership Meeting



Call to Order

Commodore, John Anderson

Commodore John Anderson called the meeting to order on August 30, 2014 1:05 pm. The meeting was held at North Channel Club House

Roll Call

Secretary, Randy Pagel

		<u>Present</u>	Absent
FLAG OFFICERS			
Commodore	John Anderson	х	
Vice Commodore	Brain McEvoy	х	
Rear Commodore	Chuck Stroh	х	
DIRECTORS			
Transportation	Pat Carroll	х	
Harbor & Grounds	Don Reiss	х	
Activities	Bob Carnaghi	х	
Treasurer	Frank Corcoran	х	
Publications	Brent Malik	х	
Secretary	Randy Pagel	х	
Membership	Brian Malik	х	
Supplies	P/C Hugh Vestal	х	
Club House	Rich Goodman		Excused
Immediate Past Commodore	P/C Don Vanover	x	
APPOINTED POSITIONS			
Fleet Captain	Ian Blackburn	Х	
Board Recorder	Sue Reiss	х	

Pledge of Allegiance:

Invocation: Art Brooks

Approval of Agenda:

MOTION: Moved by PC John Sevald to accept the agenda. Seconded by PC Cass Klapec.

Motion Carried.

Approval of Meeting Minutes:

MOTION: Moved by PC Rick Romatz to waive the reading of the minutes. Seconded by Archie Archibald.



Motion Carried.

Commodore's Comments:

Commodore, John Anderson

Good afternoon to you all and thank you for attending the General Membership Meeting, the second of this year. As I've stated before, the importance of being involved in the business of the Club goes without saying. These meetings that we hold give you the member, a chance to offer your input in how our Club is run. Again, thank you for being here.

We've come a long way from Opening Day this year. We tried a few new things and were successful. Others could use a bit of polish. The point I'm trying to make is that we, the Flag and Board, have in every instance had the betterment of NCYC in mind. In my opinion, we have been successful in that endeavor and will continue to do so.

We the officers of this Club dedicate our time and effort to ensure that all is planned for and run smoothly. The 'unsung heroes' among us are the week and weekend managers who keep our doors open for us while we're not here. They cater to our needs and make sure all is at the ready when we visit. My deepest thanks goes out to each and every one of them that have answered this call to duty.

We have had plenty of activities since opening weekend and I hope that you have had a chance to enjoy them with us. Many thanks to those who have committed their time and energy to make our visits here so enjoyable. We have many more events planned for the rest of this year and I certainly hope that you will take the time to participate in them.

The important item of this meeting is one of the highlights of the year. It is where members step forward from the ranks to offer their time and energy for a chance to do the business of the Club. Later in this meeting we will meet those who offer to be our leader of North Channel. I believe that it is a diverse group of folks with many skills and talents. All, I'm sure, have the very best interests in mind to offer us. We will have our favorites as it always happens. Please offer encouragement to all of the candidates this year. It takes a lot to make this commitment of their time and effort. Member involvement at this level is always at a premium but is so very important. My thanks to PC Tom McHugh and his committee for putting this slate together for us.

Well, that's all I have for you now. Let's continue with our meeting today. Don't forget that following the meeting PC Don Vanover will be hosting the PC Beer Bust. Thanks and have a great day.

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I would like to reiterate what Commodore John said. Thanks to PC Tom McHugh and Committee for the slate of candidates this year. Good luck to all of the candidates.

Rear-Commodore's Comments:

Thanks to all of the candidates for putting your name in the hat. I've been down that road a couple of times myself. We all need to make them feel welcome and congratulations for stepping up.

Financial Report

Frank mentioned that there is a company that compiles a lot of data for companies all over the country. An interesting note, North Dakota has the most beer consumption at 42.3 gallons per person, New Hampshire has the most spirit consumption at 5.4 gallons per person and Washington DC has the most wine consumption at 8.5 gallons per person.

Frank distributed a packet with the financials for the Club. He reviewed the annual budget by class. For the benefit of the new members, Frank indicated that half of the initiation fees goes into the Cash Reserve Fund. Also, the generator is on track and should be installed before the end of the year. The Club is still looking for a commercial dishwasher for the kitchen. Donna Glick asked about the bar sales from 2012-2013. Frank indicated that it was on the agenda and will be discussed later in the meeting.

Motion: Moved by PC Paul Jarvis to accept the financial report. Seconded by PC Bill Bauer.

Motion Carried

ABYA Report:

PC Don Vanover stated that two weeks ago at Mac Ray Harbor PC Rick Romatz, Ed Romatz and Ron Kemp took first place in the Rubber Band Boat Races. Congratulations to all.

I. CURRENT BUSINESS

Activities - Bob Carnaghi

Bob indicated that Activities is on budget for the year, and will probably exceed that budget. Thanks to all of the candidates that stepped up to run, good luck. Also, good

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Rear Commodore, Chuck Stroh

Vice Commodore, Brian McEvoy

Treasurer, Frank Corcoran

P/C Don Vanover

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luck to Pat Carroll and Randy Pagel. There are still a lot of activities left before year end. Smoke on the Water is September 13th. Contact Judy McHugh for dinner tickets by September 9th. Contact Terry Hart by September 5th to participate in the cooking. September 19-21 is the Casino Night Rendezvous on the Island. The Golf Outing is on September 27, contact Sheila Nixon for information. Then we have Haul Out on October 3rd-5th.

Clubhouse - Rich Goodman

Absent No Report. Rich will give a full report at the next meeting.

Harbor & Grounds – Don Reiss

No Report.

Membership- Brian Malik

Brian reviewed the sheets that were handed out before the meeting. There is a shortfall in the budget for new members, however, we are going in the right direction. We have 149 Boating Members, 28 Non Boating Members, 50 Senior Members and 25 Junior Members. There are currently 5 people on the waiting list. We had 12 people resign. PC Paul Jarvis asked if these members resigned in bad standing. Brian indicated that that will be discussed by the new incoming director for Membership, since that information will be compiled at years' end.

Bill Szkodzinski stated that everyone was doing a good job, however, the budget for membership was too high and next year the budget should be more realistic. Commodore John stated that that is being addressed.

Publications- Brent Malik

All of us, as members should market the Club. Don't forget about the Visitor/Guest passes that we have behind the bar to introduce our friends to the Club. It gives our friends one free night dockage with one paid night and 2 drink tickets to experience our island. I will be on the island for the next couple of days, so if you have not received your roster please see me.

Secretary – Randy Pagel

I would like to thank the week managers and the weekend OD's for a great job. I have been putting together the schedule for the 2015 season. If you have any special requests, please contact me.



<u>Supplies</u> – Hugh Vestal

I would also like to thank the week managers and the weekend OD's for all of their hard work. Ted Marini fixed all of the wine tappers so we have no waste.

<u>Transportation</u> – Pat Carroll

The Fins are running good. We had some issues with Fin I. Darryl Campbell worked hard to get the issues fixed. Thank you Darryl.

Fleet Captain - Ian Blackburn

I just wanted to thank all of the people who have helped with the rendezvous' this year. The Grand Finale will be a Casino Night at the NCYC Clubhouse. We will have rented tables and professional dealers so the night can be enjoyed by all. Any questions, please contact me.

I. OLD BUSINESS

Topic # 1 Commodore John introduced Frank Corcoran and Pat Carroll, from the special committee that was formed to address the concerns of the bar sales from the 2012-2013 season. Frank passed out handouts explaining the difference. Donna Glick questioned the report and Frank explained the report in greater detail.

PC Harley Burris stated that the beer price per barrel in 2012 was \$68 and in 2014 the beer price per barrel is \$86.

Terry Hart asked what process the board used to raise the beer price. Commodore John stated that there was a vote of the board.

PC John Dickson questioned the revenue of the bar prices. He stated that the increase in cup size doesn't seem to be the only reason for the difference.

Jim Hogan stated that when we went from a 12 oz cup to a 16 oz cup that is a 1/3 increase in cup size. The new price should have reflected a 1/3 increase in price. If it was \$1.75 the 1/3 increase would have made the price about \$2.33.

Bill Szkodzinski asked if the price of the liquor for the rendezvous was paid back to the Club after the rendezvous. Fleet Captain, Ian Blackburn said that it was. Bill also stated that he was on the board at the time and he did not think a vote was taken on the cup size. Diane French stated that she was on the board at the time also and she remembers the vote being taken.



First Mates:

President Kathy Bell reminded everyone about the First Mates Dinner on Sunday. Please come and join us. Kathy also announced that the First Mates have voted to donate \$10,000 for the walkway and patio in front of the Boatique. Commodore John thanked the First Mates for all that they do for the Club.

Ancient Mariners:

President Archie Archibald reminded everyone to join us for the Ancient Mariners Annual "Meet the Candidates" Steak Dinner on September 18th. He also announced that Nicole Greenfelder was the winner of the Ancient Mariners Raffle for the picture of the Club.

Recognition of Past Commodores:

1979- PC Paul Jarvis	1981- PC Bill Bauer	1986- PC Cass Klapec
1991- PC Jim Whyard	1995- PC Scott Bell	1998- PC John Sevald
1999- PC Hugh Vestal	2001- PC Denise Huntley	2003- PC Gary Barnard
2004- PC Rick Romatz	2005- PC Bill Hendricks	2006- PC Ed Atnip
2007- PC Harley Burris	2008- PC Jim Angers	2010- PC Bob Watson
2011- PC John Dickson	2012- PC Tom McHugh	2013- PC Don Vanover

Member of the Month:

Commodore John gave the awards for Member of the Month to Diane French and Greg and Yvonne Murray. He thanked them for all they do for the Club.

New Members:

Brian Malik introduced new members. Welcome to Jason Gronbach, who was a Junior Member and is now a full member, Kim Smith and Jeff Herr, John and Liz Wyss and Jim and Lucreti Sterling.

Good of the order:

PC Don Vanover would like to welcome everyone to the PC Beer Bust and luncheon after the meeting.



Dave Lockhart stated that he appreciates the membership drive, however, if you have a visitor or a prospective member on the island, you must also be in attendance on the island. Dave also stated that the explanation of the discrepancy from 2012 to 2013 is not satisfactory to him. Dave also noted that there are a lot of incoming rendezvous on the weekends. We are a private club and not a public club. Since there are so many incoming rendezvous on the weekends, I would like the Board to consider that we can bring our boats up on Wednesday or Thursday without having to sleep on them so we are assured of getting a spot. Dave commented that being on the nominating committee, he heard of some PC's wanting to know where their Commodore well would be, should they win. He did not think this was appropriate.

Kim Miedema requested that all new members see her to get their pictures taken for the 2015 roster. She also stated that there is a folder behind the bar to put the prospective members sheets into.

PC Ed Atnip stated that at the Memorial Day General Membership Meeting he asked three questions of three directors. Those comments were not reflected in the minutes of that meeting. He restated those questions. First, to the treasurer, why did he state that the membership was up, when it was not. (At the May meeting, Treasurer Frank Corcoran actually referred the question regarding membership to the Membership Director, Brian Malik.) My second question was to Brian Malik. I think Brian is doing a wonderful job. When asked if he was going to meet his budget goals Brian said that yes he was. My third question was to PC Hugh Vestal Director of Supplies. Was he going to meet his goals for this year and he said yes he was. I have one other question for PC Hugh Vestal. How many incoming rendezvous on the weekend did you have in the year that you were Commodore? Hugh replied that he did not have any. PC Atnip stated that he feels the Club is going backwards and we should not have incoming rendezvous on the weekends.

Erin McGregor asked about the rules for the rooms upstairs. It was stated that the rooms upstairs are for members only, but it is also at the discretion of the OD. Archie Archibald said that when he was on the board, the rooms upstairs were \$25.

PC Bob Watson suggested that the Board should look at how much stuff we are giving away, such as paper products. People want to say that this Club is not a business, but if we don't start treating it like one we won't be here long. It takes money to run the Club. Possibly raising prices at the bar. Other clubs charge non members 10% more than what their members pay.

PC John Dickson stated that at the November General Membership Meeting he would like to have Secretary, Randy Pagel provide the minutes of the meeting where the cup size was voted on and approved by the Board. Also, at that meeting he would like Supplies Director, PC Hugh Vestal to answer all the questions that were asked about why there was a discrepancy in the 2012-2013 bar sales.

Jill Romatz stated that bowling is coming back again this year. There is only 6 months of bowling, so please make sure that you can make at least 4 of the 6. There is a signup sheet on the bulletin board, and we do have openings for new bowlers.



<u>Comments from the Board Recorder: (The following comments were not stated at this</u> <u>meeting.)</u>

My apologies to PC Ed Atnip and PC Jim Angers for inadvertently omitting their comments from the Memorial Day General Membership Meeting Minutes. This in no way was intentional. Here are the comments PC Jim Angers and PC Ed Atnip made at the Memorial Day General Membership Meeting. Please see PC Ed Atnip's comments above, as he restated his comments at this meeting. PC Jim Angers stated at the May meeting that the dues for Senior members at half price was hurting the Club financially. Even though the Club stopped this benefit as of December 31, 1996, in the coming years there will be more members that joined before this date and will be eligible for the reduced rate. Although I am eligible for this reduced dues benefit, I am willing to forego this decrease in my dues if all of the other Seniors will also agree to waive this benefit.

PC Jim Angers asked Supplies director Hugh Vestal if there was a financial review on the impact of increasing beer cup size from 12 oz. to 16 oz. with NO price increase. Hugh responded and said no review was completed on financial impact. PC Jim Angers stated the a large portion of the \$11K plus lost revenue could have come from beer cup size changes.

Introduction of Candidates:

PC Tom McHugh introduced the slate of candidates for the 2015 season. Immediate Past Commodore: John Anderson Commodore: Brian McEvoy Vice Commodore: Chuck Stroh Rear Commodore: Pat Carroll Randy Pagel Board of Directors: Ian Blackburn Darryl Campbell Ben Carroll Brian Malik Tom Martin Kim Miedema Cash Reserve: Joyce Obenhoff Kevin Verkest

The candidates gave their speeches.

Adjournment:

MOTION: Moved by PC Rick Romatz to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Jan Parent. **Motion Carried.**

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Meeting adjourned at 3:03 pm

Next Meeting:

Date and Time October 4 ,2014 at 1:00 pm. at North Channel Club House

Respectively Submitted,

Sue Reiss Board Recorder

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Fleet captains Ian Blackburn and Marie Pepin put on one final blowout of a good time!



Flying Pancake breakfast Saturday Morning





Entertainment with Jimmy Allen Friday night



Peachy Patio drinks Saturday afternoon – chicken dinner to follow



Rendezvous at NCYC



Jill Romatz brought in some new boutique merchandise





Candidates were campaigning



Jill and Brian were born in the same hospital on the same date!





We even broke out the bingo machine out of the attic and played a couple games!

Rendezvous at NCYC – Casino night



Anne Malik rocked the Craps table



Real dealers!



The prizes were amazing!



Glen and Shelia Nixon played some Poker before cooking a Little Caesar's Pizza snack for everyone!





John Wyss had the dubious distinction of running out of chips first!







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