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From the Editor...



Wow!! So much going on! In no particular order, Please note there is an addition to this years Ancient Mariners Meat Mania flyer; a Taco Bar and Margaritas have been added to the August 12 event, price and details to come on the Tacos and Margaritas. Whoo Hoo!

Please note that this months Chaplain's Comments were written specifically for Sue and Art's son, this message is however intended to help anyone in a similar circumstance, as we continue to support our members.

The Commodore's Cruise is in full swing and reports are that a good time is being had by all. In the mean time we sponsor a Membership Drive this Saturday and all members are encouraged to invite some new faces to our island in an effort to bring some into the fold.

Back in January I mentioned the June Solstice which has now past and the days are getting shorter :(With approximately 2 minutes of daylight going away each day it's time to come enjoy yourself at the club.

Rosters were available and delivered at the Memorial Day opening ceremonies and several were passed out at the club in the weeks since. The remainder will be mailed out this week, if you haven't received one by July 20 please let me know.

Several new members have been welcomed, some since the Memorial Day opening and there are pages in this Beacon to honor their arrival. Please welcome them and go easy when introducing them to "the Bell":).

I received a call for help from Forrest Walker from Boat4Vets; see Beacon flyer page 38. It appears his program has been a hit with the Vets over the last several years and he's now got more Veterans than he has boats. I plan to take a morning ride around the marsh to Idle Hour Yacht Club on July 22, take out a few guys for a ride, and be back to NCYC in time for a late lunch. Some of these guys go back to WWII and there are Vets from every war since, some just want one more ride while they still can. We can't have these Veterans drawing straws to see who stays on the dock. Please offer a boat ride to Forrest at 810-512-4460.

BlueSkies&Following Seas,

Ron

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Commodores Comments...



The summer is really flying by. June was a busy month with some great events. My thanks to Don Ruma for putting on the Great Smoke and to PC Brian and Renee McEvoy and crew for the fantastic Surf and Turf dinner. Next was our first Rendezvous, held at Algonac Harbor Club. The weather threatened a few times but it did not stop us from having a great time. Kids Day was very well attended. It was hard to tell which activity the kids enjoyed the most. The water slide, the games, the raffle, or the soaking of the Flag. Thanks to Greg and Amy Wojtalik for putting on this hectic activity.

July holds more good times starting with the Commodores cruise to Mackinac Island. Christmas in July returns July 21-23 and the Floatdown on July 29th. Please plan on coming to the club and taking part in these great events. There is also a recruitment Open House being held on July 15th, bring a friend to the island and let's try to sign up some new members.

Come out to the island and enjoy it, The summer is really flying by.

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Vice Commodores Comments...



Linda and I attended the Kids Day weekend and had a great time. My 4 grandkids loved the bounce house, and water slide and all the great raffle prize options to put their raffle tickets in a bag to get a chance to win some great items. Great job by Greg and Amy Wojtalik, who orchestrated the entire Kids Day program. Also many thanks to all who donated the raffle prizes for the kids.

Looking forward to the Commodore's cruise to Mackinac starting July 5th.

The Friday night dinners have been outstanding but not real well attended. Please come and support our Club by having dinner and drinks on Friday night. Little Camille's is doing a great job by giving us different choices each Friday. They even offered dessert this past Friday, which included ice cream.

Please continue to support your club and look for new opportunities to invite perspective new members to come out and visit our club.

Regards

V/C Randy Pagel



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still in the family in
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Rear Commodores Comments...



NCYC activities are going strong! Since my last article we kicked off with the cigar, whiskey and wine tasting along with a delicious surf & turf dinner. Marie and I were not in attendance but we heard that the day was extraordinary!

The ladies took command of the Island for the week of June 12th. I am sure that First Lady Nancy and her team gave the NCYC ladies an excellent week of activities and friendship. I have asked what goes on but I am told, "What happens on ladies week stays on ladies week".

Our Fleet Captains treated us to a June weekend full of rest and relaxation at the Algonac Harbor Club. If you were not relaxed before arriving, it only took a glass of Judy's punch to put you in a happy mood. Thanks Fleet, we are looking forward to Christmas in July!

Then came the "dreaded" Kids day. I say that only because it was my turn to get soaked! I now regret my participation in last year's soaking of the Flag. As this is a much-loved activity for the children, I think it's time we all agree to "NO MORE ICE IN THE WATER" LOL!!!! I would say it was another great day for the children of NCYC based on the laughter and smiles. Thank you Greg and team for a wonderful day!

Last but certainly not least was the Fourth of July Weekend. The weather was outstanding and the food was top-shelf. You don't know what you are missing if you have not had a meal provided by the Nixon's. Thanks Glen and Sheila and their team of support for a great weekend. You worked hard and it certainly showed.

The fun and activities are just getting going. Coming up in July are the Commodores Cruise, Recruitment Party, Christmas in July and the Float Down. Come on out and join in!

I would like to send a huge thank-you to everyone that comes to the island and lends a hand to our week managers. Some weeks are extremely busy, and our managers truly appreciate it when you can come and give them a few hours to rest or help with the bar during a poker run.

A Message From Chaplain Art Brooks...



Chaplain's Message By Ron Draper in Honor of Art & Sue Brooks In Memory of Kevin Brooks

When hardship comes, help arrives in many and sometimes unexpected ways. I'm honored this month to lift the burden of writing Chaplain's Message from Art and offer this writing for him so he can focus on things closer to home.

As most of you know, Art and Sue recently lost their son suddenly and unexpectedly when he passed away quietly in his sleep.

The purpose of any memorial is of course to honor and remember the deceased. More than that though, I think it's a way to help broken hearts pour out their grief and inspire them to find a way forward, to have good days again, while always remembering who we've lost.

Kevin

When tragedy strikes, there's virtually always a silver lining to cling to. But what about when someone goes to sleep as normal as ever and never wakes up? There is no hospital bed to go sit by. There's no "it's just lucky that..." there's no "good thing ... didn't happen too" there's no story of so and so who had a similar thing but worse. No, this is as bad as it gets. The sudden loss of any loved one leaves nothing but the empty place in our souls that once was filled by the warm light of a person in our lives, and to lose a son or daughter, nothing is worse. There are no words, there are no gestures, no acts to help make any of it better. Everything seems so inadequate. And yet we call, we stop to spend time, we pray, if only we could do more.

One thing I've learned though, is that there are things you get over, and then there are some things you just get through. The hardest part is that no one can tell you when, or how. Though things will never be the same, you try to do the best you can with what's left. As you continue each day, one by one, it'll happen on its own in the background. Then one day out of nowhere in particular you'll realize; things are better.

I think the hurt of loss is a sign of how much who or what we've lost meant to us; it's the price we pay for having our loved ones. The price is so high, because it's worth it. Our friends and family are worth it. The hurt of struggling on and recovering if you're given the chance is worth it.

We've all lost loved ones before, but it never gets any easier. At this time, I'll invite you to remember your lost loved ones. We carry memories of them and remember the way things were. Memories like these become firmly ensconced in a place of honor deep within the hallowed reaches of our souls. These memories flow in our veins for the rest of our days, until we slip the surly bonds of life, and travel death's uncharted paths, each one of us in our own time. As Christians we have Easter to remind us that when that time comes, we'll rejoice and be reunited with our loved ones and those memories will once again become reality, in a place far greater than this. And so now it's our duty to carry on, to live, to work to help others, to Love; to live a life that'll make them proud, because the next time you see your lost loved ones; you'll be looking down yourself to see the world you left behind, and it should make you happy.

In time, there will be birthdays, there will be weddings, there will be Christmas and holidays. There will be good times and laughter again. There will be grandkids and all the joy they bring, and that's the way Kevin would have wanted it.

Please keep Art and Sue, long time and devoted members of the North Channel Yacht Club Family in your thoughts and prayers.



To our NCYC family,

We would like to thank the membership for the many cards and kind words we received upon the death of our son, Kevin. Your kind and thoughtful messages were very soothing during this traumatic period in our lives.

Sincerely,

Sue and Art Brooks



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The July Luncheon will be at the club on Thursday, July 20, 2017 at 1:00 P.M. Please Bring a dish to pass.

The August Luncheon will be at the club on August 17, 2017

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**FIRST MATES MENTION
JULY 2017**

Hi Ladies:

In front of the fireplace Sandi Stroh has boxes for our summer fun raiser with a list of items that are needed. Please help make the ALGONAC Food Pantry donations a big success.

Ladies Week was a lot of fun and the food was great. Judy did a great job cooking and the crafts and wine tasting party with all the vendors was also very nice. Thanks again, Judy and Nancy, for a great week. The wreath above the fireplace was one of the beautiful wreaths made.

Labor Day Dinner is Sunday, September 3rd. It will be managed by Debbie Siwek who will be in charge of the main dish, and the Board members have signed up to provide side dishes. Join us for a great dinner.

Past President Mary Marini will have the Nominating Committee. See enclosed letter from her.

Our Christmas Party is at Avante in Clinton Township on Tuesday, December 5th, with Sue Brooks in charge of this event. Anyone interested in donating anything for her raffles, please let her know. There will also be a charitable fund raiser that night. More details to follow.

Don't forget to shop and browse our Boatique. Jill has it well stocked and we would love to restock it due to an abundance sales.

Hope to see you all at the club this summer.

Respectfully,
Colleen Braun
2017 First Mates Publicity Director



Dear First Mates of North Channel Yacht Club,

July is the time for fireworks, commodore cruises and members of the first mates to think about kicking it up a notch and consider becoming a 2018 member of the board of directors.

The ladies that previously served in a position on the board, know that you are probably thinking that it's a lot of work, don't have time or feel intimidated by it.

They would also tell you that in reality, the benefits are incredibly rewarding, super fun and a great way to make a difference!

We are all very passionate and have a great love for NCYC. The members are like our own family. We share a common goal- our objective-".fostering harmony and friendship among members, promote activities for the benefit of the organization and The North Channel Yacht Club."

Have you ever noticed that when there is a task at hand or an activity to prepare for, how many people are there to help?

It is no different when you sit on the board of directors. We all help and support each other. People volunteer for countless reasons, but mainly because we want to share experiences, feel more connected, and enjoy the fruits of our labor. It feels good to know that contributing only a few hours a year, you can make a great difference to our beloved organization.

Without the board of director volunteers, the First Mates wouldn't exist. We are so happy and proud that we can give so much back to the club.

On behalf of The First Mates, the nominating committee is seeking members to fill several positions for the 2018 year.

Please contact Mary Marini, Renee McEvoy, Cathy Criner or Anne Malik should you have any questions or if we can help guide you to a very fulfilling experience.

Cheers,
Mary Marini
Nominating Chairperson
586-709-8840



FIRST MATES CHARITY PROJECT 2017

ALGONAC FOOD PANTRY

Located in the Trinity United Methodist Church

PLEASE SEE THE LIST OF NEEDS. THIS WILL BE POSTED AT THE CLUB ALSO.

We will be collecting through October 4th, feel free to bring food items up until then.

I WILL BE PICKING UP FROM THE CLUB EVERY TWO WEEKS TO DELIVER.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE FOOD PANTRY HAS REQUESTED THAT ALL FOOD DONATED BE DATED WITH AT LEAST 6 MONTHS BEFORE EXPIRING.

I KNOW WE CAN MAKE THIS A GREAT SUCCESS AS WE DID WITH THE GIRL SCOUTS LAST YEAR! WE ARE ALL BLESSED, LET'S GIVE WITH OUR HEARTS!!!

MONETARY DONATIONS ARE ALSO ACCEPTED.

Any questions, call Sandi Stroh 586-321-0513



Algonac Food Pantry Facts

- The Food Pantry is open to residents of Algonac, and Clay & Ira Townships, every Friday from 10 - 2 pm and the 3rd Tuesday of each Month from 6 - 7 pm. Each family can send a representative once each 4 weeks to pick up food. They are given a list of things that are kept in stock, to circle the items they need.
- Located in Trinity United Methodist Church, 424 Smith St. in Algonac.
- The Food Pantry serves between 20 and 30 families per week.
- The Food Pantry distributes approx. 3000 pounds of food monthly.
- The Algonac Food Pantry was awarded Algonac Citizen of the Year in January 2010.
- Monetary contributions to the Food Pantry are spent as follows: 85% perishable food items(milk, eggs, butter, etc.), 15% for personal items (deodorant, toothpaste, etc.)

MOST NEEDED FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

DUE TO HIGH UN-EMPLOYMENT IN OUR AREA, THE ALGONAC FOOD PANTRY HAS BEEN SERVING AN AVERAGE OF *30 FAMILIES* WEEKLY. THEY ARE CONSTANTLY RUNNING SHORT OF THE BASICS:

Spaghetti Sauce

Tomatoes: Diced, Stewed, Sauce, Paste

Juice

Jell-o

Jell-o Pudding

Peanut Butter: Creamy, Crunchy

Jelly: Strawberry, Grape

Tuna

Catsup

Salad Dressing: Miracle Whip, French/Ranch/other

Personal Items: Toilet Paper, Bar Soap, Toothpaste, Shampoo, Deodorant (lady's and men's),

Dish Soap

Laundry Soap

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Oatmeal

Spaghetti Sauce

Tomatoes:

Diced
Stewed
Sauce
Paste

Mashed Potatoes

Gravy

Pancake Mix

Pancake Syrup

Crackers:

Graham
Saltines

Soup:

Tomato
Chicken Noodle
Cream Mushroom
Cream Chicken
Chicken Broth
Beef Broth

Beans:

Cut Green Beans
French Style Green
Baked Beans
Kidney Beans
Northern Beans
Black Beans
Garbanzo Beans
(Chick Peas)
Refried Beans

Corn:

Whole Kernel
Cream Style

Red Beets

Sauerkraut

Peas

Peas & Carrots

Mix Vegetables

Carrots

Spinach

Sweet Potatoes

Canned White Potatoes

Baked Goods:

Cake Choc/White
Muffin Mix
Pizza Mix

Juice

Canned Milk

Evaporated
Sweeten Condensed

Noodles:

Egg Noodles
Spaghetti
Elbow

Mac & Cheese

Fruit:

Peaches
Pears
Applesauce
Oranges
Pineapple
Mixed Fruit
Cranberries:
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Whole
Pumpkin

Jell-o

Jell-o Pudding

Peanut Butter

Creamy
Crunchy

Jelly Strawberry/Grape

Tuna

Salmon

Spam

Vienna Sausage

Can Chicken

Mustard

Catsup

Salad Dressing:

Miracle Whip
French/Ranch/other

Personal Items:

Toilet Paper
Bar Soap
Toothpaste
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Shampoo
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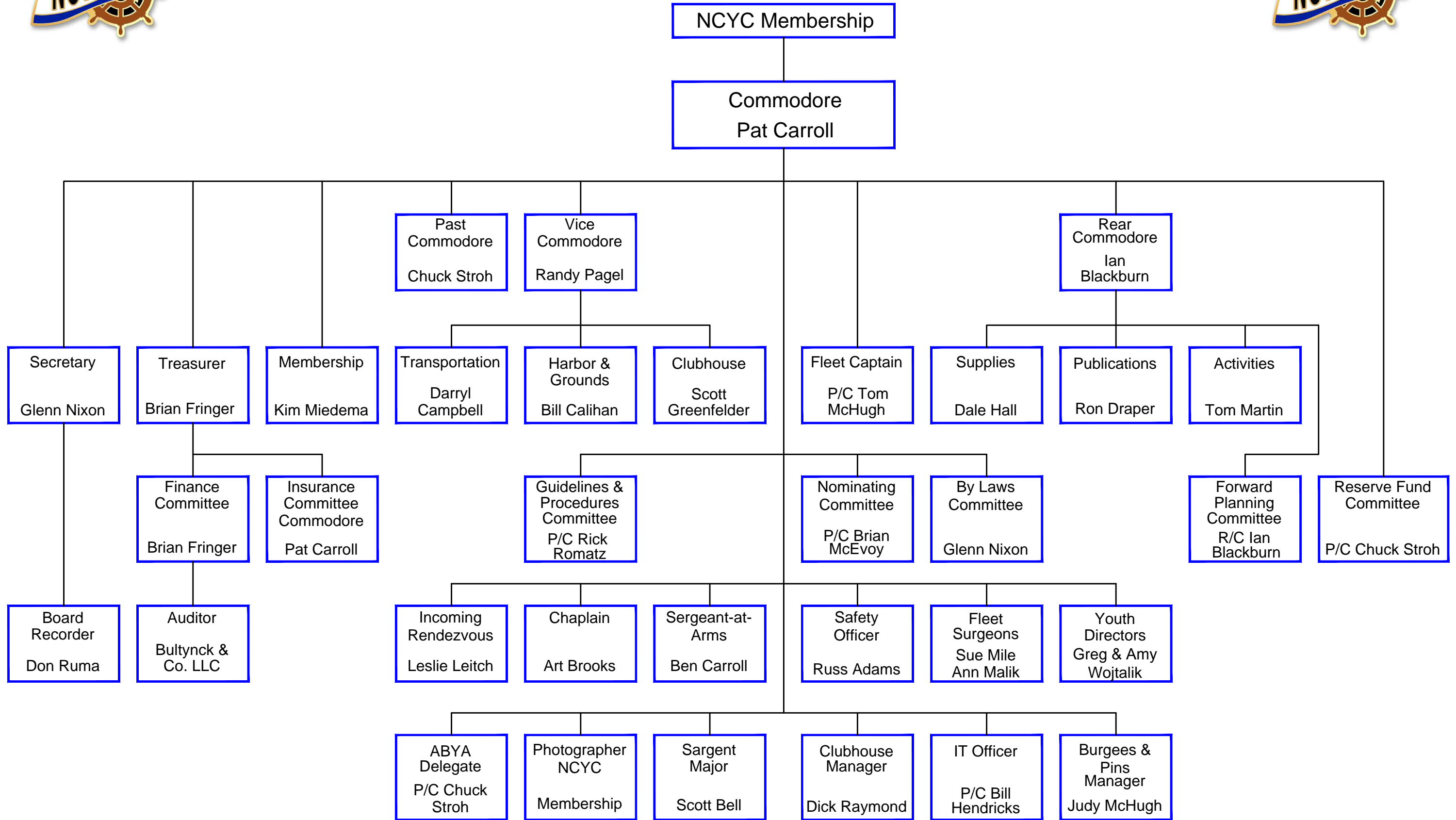
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NORTH CHANNEL YACHT CLUB ORGANIZATION CHART 2017





North Channel Yacht Club 2017 Calendar of Events

- January 21 Commodore's Ball
- February 3, 4, 5 Edgerly/Malik Snowmobile Trip
- March 12 Blessing of the Fleet at Mariner's Church
- March 10 - 12 ABYA Spring Rendezvous Midland
- April 15 Elite Brigade
- April 22 Elite Brigade
- April 29 Elite Brigade
- May 6 Elite Brigade
- May 7 **FASHION SHOW**
- May 13 First Spring Work Party
- May 20 First Spring Work Party
- May 26 – 29 Opening Weekend **Fitting Out (OD: B. Fringer)**
- 27 First Mates Patio Party
 - General Membership Meeting 1:00 PM
 - Fitting Out Dinner – TBD
 - 28 Pride of Michigan
 - Flag Raising Ceremony 1:00 PM
 - Complimentary Luncheon following Ceremony
 - Father Steve Blessing of the Fleet 3:00 PM
- June 3 **ABYA Dinner Dance (OD: P/C Stroh)**
- June 9 – 11 **CIGAR/WHISKEY/WINE TASTING (OD: D. Shepperson) DON RUMA**
- June 11 – 16 **Ladies Week Carroll/McHugh**
- June 16 – 18 **RENDEZVOUS ALGONAC HARBOR CLUB (OD: P/C Dickson)**
- June 22 **ANCIENT MARINERS LUNCHEON 1:00 AT CLUB**
- June 23 -25 **Kid's Weekend GREG (OD: Lockhart)**
- June 30 – July 2 **OPEN (OD: Nixon) Fourth of July Celebration**



North Channel Yacht Club 2017 Calendar of Events

July 7- 9 **OPEN (OD: Martin)** (fireworks in Lexington)

July 9 – 14 **Commodore's Cruise to Mackinaw Island**

July 14 – 16 **(OD:Miedema) ANCIENT MARINERS**
JULY 20 LUNCHEON 1:00 AT CLUB

July 21 – 23 **CHRISTMAS IN JULY (OD: Corcoran) TURKEY DINNER**

July 28 – 30 **FLOAT DOWN (OD: B. Carroll, K. Verkest) BOB/JOHN**

August 4 – 6 **OPEN (OD: R/C Blackburn)**

August 11 – 13 **OPEN (OD: Calihan) August 12 Ancient Mariner's Meat Mania**
AUGUST 17 ANCIENT MARINERS LUNCHEON 1:00 AT CLUB

August 18 – 20 **RENDEZVOUS (OD: Campbell) MACRAY HARBOR - THUNDERBIRDS AIRSHOW**

August 25 – 27 **POT LUCK Swan/Pagel (OD: V/C Pagel)**

September 1 – 4 **Labor Day Weekend (OD: Draper)**

- 2 General Membership Meeting 1:00 PM Meet the Candidates
P/C Beer Bust after Meeting hot dogs/hamburgers
- 3 First Mates Dinner

September 8 – 10 **OPEN (OD: P/C McEvoy)**

September 11 **ABYA GMM First Mates Dinner**

September 15 – 17 **(OD: P/C Romatz) RAY FOGG CONCERT ON FRIDAY, 15TH**
SEPTEMBER 21 ANCIENT MARINERS LUNCHEON 1:00 AT CLUB

September 22 – 24 **SMOKE ON THE WATER BBQ COOK OFF (OD: Latowski)**
GLICK/HART

September 30 **Commodore's Clays Competition at NMSC (OD: Greenfelder)**

October 6 – 8 **Haul Out Weekend (OD: Hall)**

- 7 General Membership Meeting 1:00 PM
- 7 Haul Out Dinner
- 8 First Mates Haul Out Breakfast

October 14 **Fall Work Party**

October 21 **Fall Work Party**



2017 NCYC Rendezvous Schedule

Dear NCYC Members: Below is a list of rendezvous events that are scheduled for 2017. Plans are being finalized and will be published as soon as possible.

June 16, 17 & 18, 2017

Our first rendezvous is at Algonac Harbor Club. For well reservations, please call Cassandra or Susan at (810) 794-4448. The wells are \$55.00 per night and we recommend that you make your reservations now. The daily event program will be out as soon as the plans are finalized. **Please see flyer in this month's Beacon.**

July 21, 22 & 23, 2017

Our second rendezvous is at NCYC. Christmas in July has been brought back by popular demand with a visit from Santa. More details to follow.

August 18, 19 & 20, 2017

Our third rendezvous is at MacRay Harbor. The Thunderbirds will be performing this weekend at Selfridge Air Base. This is a premier place to watch this air show.

Please call MacRay Member Services (Tammy or Anne) at (586) 468-1900, ext. 434 or 443 and reserve your well. You will need to pay for your well when making your reservation (\$2.25/ft.). Space is limited to 20 plus wells, so if you are interested, please call and reserve your well.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact P/C Tom or Judy McHugh at

(586) 465-7777 or email: tgmchugh@yahoo.com

Anchors away,

Tom and Judy McHugh



BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND

CHRISTMAS IN JULY

JULY 21, 22 & 23, 2017 @NCYC

Please join us for a fun filled weekend!

FRIDAY:

- * Buffet Dinner for purchase from Little Camille's (as usual)
- * Entertainment by Jazzy Jeff

SATURDAY:

- * Continental Breakfast
- * Afternoon Cocktail and Hors D'oeuvres Party on the Patio
- * Boat Decorating Contest
- * Holiday Dinner Buffet
- * Visit with Santa

SUNDAY:

We Rest!

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- **RESERVATION CUTOFF DATE IS JULY 17, 2017. NO LAST MINUTE RESERVATIONS WILL BE TAKEN SINCE WE WILL BE GIVING THE CATERING SERVICE OUR FINAL NUMBERS ON JULY 17, 2017!!!!!!**

Welcome New NCYC Members



SCOTT GOEMMEL &
MICHELE LACOMBE



MIKE & CINDY
DENEVE



JANET VAN DE WINKLE &
JASON CAYA



KATHERINA HICKEY



NANCY THOMAS



SCOTT & HAEMI
OLIVER



OTTO & VIRGINIA
ISBILL
BOAT NAME: LIFE'S GOOD

JANIS & DOMINIC
DEGREGORY
32FT SUNSATON



KIM & TONY SCICLUNA
BOAT NAME- BIG FUN

Welcome New NCYC Junior Members



AUSTIN BRIGMAN



BREANNA SCARPACI



JOHN HICKEY



SAMANTHA
DEGREGORY



NCYC OPEN HOUSE



If you have cruised by this beautiful building and wondered if you could become a member of the **North Channel Yacht Club**... now is your chance to come check us out!

Saturday July 15th 2 – 6pm

Party on the Patio and Tours:

**Food at 4pm
Music by Momford & Sons**

Come for the DAY or stay for the WEEKEND!

If you pay for Friday night dockage (\$2.00 per foot) -
Saturday night is FREE

Dinner from Little Camille's available on Friday night

Please check out www.ncyconline.com for membership information.

Please email your reservation to
membership@ncyconline.com

Or call Kim at 586-206-1567



NCYC MEMBERS: THIS CERTIFICATE IS TO BE GIVEN TO A
BOATING FRIEND WHO MAY WANT TO JOIN THE NCYC IN 2018:

I, (member name) invite you (guest name) and your first
mate, to be my guest at the NCYC to enjoy the Club on the weekend
of (month, date, 2017)

With the payment of dockage on Friday night (\$2.00 per foot) you are
invited to stay Saturday night at no charge.

We hope you will find our Island Treasure to be an enjoyable place
that you may want to join with your family.

Please check out www.ncyconline.com for more information on
membership.

**Party weekends are excluded (Labor Day, Haul Out, etc.)

Please remember guests must come with their sponsors and only one
coupon is allowed per boat

Guest contact information:

Mailing address:

Street _____

City and zip _____

Phone number? _____

NCYC staff – please add completed form to Binder in drawer at the bar.



NEW MEMBER INCENTIVE

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SHRIMP COCKTAIL	GRILLED FLANK STEAK
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SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE 2017 FLEET CAPTAINS

Hello North Channel Yacht Club:

Special arrangements have been made (with the help of P/C Rick and Jill Romatz-Thank You!) for the NCYC August 18-20, 2017 Rendezvous at MacRay Harbor. MacRay Harbor is the premier spot to see the Thunderbirds at the Selfridge 2017 Air Show. Please see flyer below.

On January 2, 2017 after 10:00 a.m., you will need to call MacRay Member Services (Tammy or Anne) at (586) 468-1900, ext. 434 or 443 and reserve your well. You will need to pay for your well when making your reservation (\$2.25/ft.). Space is limited to 20 plus wells, so if you are interested, please call AFTER January 2, 2017 to reserve your well. More details regarding activities for the weekend will follow, but you can bet that it will be a fun filled weekend!

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact P/C Tom or Judy McHugh at (586) 465-7777 or email: tgmchugh@yahoo.com

Thank you,

Tom and Judy McHugh

**Thunderbirds to Highlight
Selfridge 2017 Air Show**

*Front Row Seat From Your Boat at
MacRay Harbor*

SAVE THE DATE
TEAM SELFRIDGE OPEN HOUSE AND AIR SHOW
"THE FIRST ONE HUNDRED YEARS"

AUGUST 19-20, 2017

For more information about supporting or participating in the Open House,
please visit our website: teamselfridge.com

The flyer features a large image of a Thunderbird aircraft in flight, pulling a banner. Below this are two smaller images: one showing a formation of fighter jets and another showing a close-up of a fighter jet's tail section.

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and Wispers in a Well,
Is Not so apt to get the \$Dollars\$
As he who Climbs a Tree and Hollers!

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We will be selling the game pieces for \$2.00 Each

***** FYI *****

Now Featuring Taco Bar
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PLEASE REMEMBER TO BRING

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(The NCYC bar can not provide cash advances)

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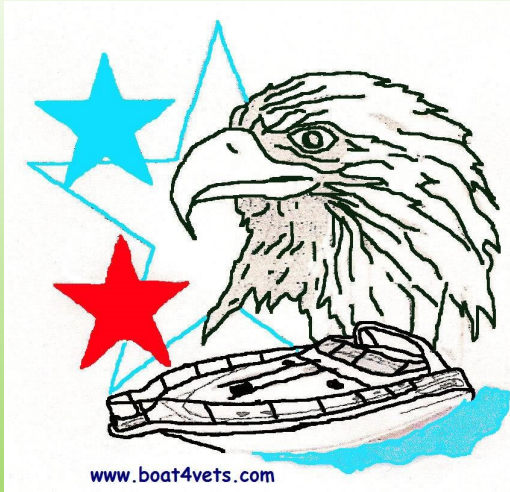
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You may want to bring a **COOLER** to
take your winnings home in.

****SEE YOU SATURDAY, August
12th****

Thank You to Kush Paint for the donation of Paint
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COME JOIN THE FUN !!!!



BOAT4VETS

About Us

Our group is dedicated to thanking our veterans for their service protecting the many freedoms that we enjoy everyday.

How we have grown

We started in 2009 with our first outing that hosted 60 people. In 2012 we added a second chapter on Lake Fenton based out of "Skipper Buds" and we hosted over 150 people. We expanded again in 2014 adding our Blue Water Chapter. In 2016 our Lake St. Clair chapter hosted over 160 people with the help of numerous volunteers and the staff of "The Idle Hour Yacht Club". In 2017 we look to make the event even better than 2016 because we can simply not do enough to show our gratitude for those who served.



Join us for a day on the water

July 22, 2017

All veterans are invited to join us at The Idle Hour Yacht Club on Harsens Island

Boat captains and crews meet at 9:00am

Vets please arrive by 10:00 am

Your day starts with coffee and donuts, followed by a boat ride and swimming. Upon arrival back ashore you will be provided with a catered dinner and prizes. Please bring your spouse or caretaker and enjoy the day with us.

RSVP IS A MUST

Please do so by **July 17, 2017**

to do so call Forrest at (810)-512-4660



You can help us show our appreciation to our veterans who helped to keep this country great! Please tell every veteran you know about this great event and how they can enjoy the day with us.

If you are a boat captain interested in helping us provide an unforgettable day for our veterans please contact Forrest for more details.

If you are not a boat captain or veteran we are always looking for volunteers or donations to make this day special for our veterans. For more information please contact Forrest.

Contact Information

Forrest Walker

Phone: (810)-512-4660

Email: walker00@comcast.net





**North Channel Yacht Club
Board of Directors - Regular Meeting
11 May 2017**



Call to Order

Commodore, Pat Carroll

Commodore Pat Carroll called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. The meeting was held at MacRay's.

Roll Call

Secretary, Glenn Nixon

FLAG OFFICERS		<u>Present</u>	<u>Absent</u>	
Commodore	Pat Carroll	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Vice Commodore	Randy Pagel	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rear Commodore	Ian Blackburn	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
DIRECTORS				
Transportation	Darryl Campbell	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Harbor & Grounds	Bill Calihan	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Activities	Tom Martin	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Treasurer	Brian Fringer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Publications	Ron Draper	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Secretary	Glenn Nixon	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>EXCUSED</i>
Membership	Kim Miedema	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Supplies	Dale Hall	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Club House	Scott Greenfelder	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
IMMEDIATE PAST COMMODORE	P/C Chuck Stroh	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
APPOINTED POSITIONS				
Fleet Captain	P/C Tom McHugh	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>EXCUSED</i>
Board Recorder	Don Ruma	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Pledge of Allegiance

All

Approval of Agenda

All

MOTION: Moved by R/C Ian Blackburn and seconded by Tom Martin to approve the agenda. **Motion Carried**

Approval of Meeting Minutes

All

MOTION: Moved by Bill Calihan and seconded by Scott Greenfelder to approve the 13 April 2017 Board Meeting Minutes. **Motion Carried**

Commodore's Comments

Commodore, Pat Carroll

Back in February, a few of us started making weekly trips to the island, planning and preparing for the 2017 season. In just two short weeks, the club will be opened and the fruits of our labor will be realized.

I want to thank those who have unselfishly donated their time and talents in helping to plan, execute and complete our 2017 projects. Most of them show up every weekend, without being asked, and do whatever we ask of them. These are the members who make NCYC what it is.

Our regular work parties start this Saturday, and we will be concentrating our efforts on getting our harbor and grounds in tip top shape. I expect each of you to be at these work parties to help in making



sure that all who show up are given a task to complete. Please get with Bill Calihan to see what needs to be accomplished.

Let's make 2017 a year to be remembered.

Vice-Commodore's Comments

Vice Commodore, Randy Pagel

With the Elite Brigade weekends just ending, a lot has been accomplished at the club. The work crews have the walkway completed, the new bar counter top is in, and the new bar stools have arrived. The second floor A/C and heat is complete, and the deep cleaning of the clubhouse has started. We will need the next two Saturday work parties to be well attended to complete the items necessary to get the club ready to open.

It is an exciting time now to see things beginning to take shape for another great year at NCYC.

Rear-Commodore's Comments

Rear Commodore, Ian Blackburn

I would like to thank the directors for getting us to where we are right now to get us ready for the launch of the 2017 season. We'll be able to reap the rewards of your labor on Memorial Day weekend. I would also like to thank those who participated in the Elite Brigade weekends as you have set the stage for a great opening weekend. We have two more work parties left, and I hope to see everyone there.

Financial Report

Treasurer, Brian Fringer

The financial report was distributed via e-mail prior to the meeting and summarized.

April 2017 revenue was \$ 7450 and expenses were \$ 6100 for a net gain of \$ 1350. There are three adjustments that will be made to re-classify some expenses, and there are some projects that will be capitalized.

The 2016 Tax Returns and Financial Review have been received and will be validated prior to the General Membership Meeting.

MOTION: Moved by Bill Calihan and seconded by Scott Greenfelder to approve the Financial Report.

Motion Carried

ABYA Report

P/C Chuck Stroh

Tickets are available for the ABYA Spring Dinner Dance at NCYC. Raffle tickets for the 2017 ABYA Christmas Ball are also available. The ABYA will hold the rubber-band boat race at Mac Ray Harbor this summer if there is sufficient interest.

Forrest Walker, representing Boats for Vets, addressed ABYA seeking volunteer captains to donate their time and the use of their boats to provide boat rides to veterans on 22 July between 10:30 am and 1:00 pm. Contact P/C Chuck Stroh if anyone is interested.

Correspondence

All

Hugh Vestal passed on a request form Lorrie Cross. She would like to assume membership of her late husband, Bill Cross. She also requested dispensation from work or pay for health reasons.

MOTION: Moved by Scott Greenfelder and seconded by Bill Calihan to approve permanent relief from work or pay for Lorrie Cross. **Motion Carried**

ABYA Commodore, Ed Bolsendahl, and Secretary, Mike Kidd, thanked NCYC for their donation and support of the ABYA Spring Rendezvous.



The Selfridge Base Community Counsel (BCC) requested the use of NCYC for their annual boat outing on Tuesday, 15 August 2017.

MOTION: Moved by V/C Randy Pagel and seconded by Scott Greenfelder to approve the request of the Selfridge BCC to hold their annual boat outing at NCYC on Tuesday, 15 August 2017. **Motion Carried**

The Algonac Lions Club requested the use of NCYC for their annual event on Wednesday, 23 August 2017, with a back-up rain date of Thursday, 24 August 2017.

MOTION: Moved by R/C Ian Blackburn and seconded by Bill Calihan to approve the request of the Algonac Lions Club to hold their annual event on Wednesday, 23 August 2017, with a back-up date of Thursday, 24 August 2017. **Motion Carried**

T.J. Grunwald of the Wertz Warriors requested to visit NCYC on Wednesday, 19 July 2017, with approximately 125 people and several boats for a poker run.

MOTION: Moved by Darryl Campbell and seconded by Bill Calihan to approve the request of the Wertz Warriors to visit NCYC on Wednesday, 19 July 2017. **Motion Carried**

Commodore, Pat Carroll, noted that Brad Pienta will bring a 140 ft. Coast Guard Cutter, Morro Bay, to visit the island 17-18 July 2017. The ship will be opened for tours. Dan Pienta has offered to cover the bar tab and provide dinner for the crew during the visit. This will put NCYC in very favorable standing with the Coast Guard.

Kim Miedema received a request from a non-member to purchase an NCYC burgee. Burgees are only available to members per Article 10 of the By-Laws.

The North Cape Yacht Club extended the privileges of the use of their club facilities to the flag officers and members of NCYC for the 2017 season.

I. CURRENT BUSINESS

Activities – Tom Martin

Jr. Members will be contacted to volunteer as paid bartenders; a Fan-Out will be sent out with a request.

Club House – Scott Greenfelder

Spider Control is scheduled for next week. All projects are on track for completion. The bar and the cooler room are being reassembled. Scott will investigate a leak in the roof near the cupola.

Harbor & Grounds – Bill Calihan

Bill discussed the preparation list for the harbor and grounds. Things are in good shape, many items have been completed (including the walkway to the cooler room and re-keying the clubhouse), and most of the work should be done this coming Saturday. Larger tasks to be completed include:

- Completion of the water to the boat wells and the visitors dock
- Installation of the barbecue patio near the visitor's dock
- Power pedestal update with two 50 amp outlets at the end of A-Dock
- Repair of the sink hole near the visitor's dock
- Parking lot electrical repair
- Bret Kahl will do the pump-out prior to opening weekend



Power pedestal updates were investigated; parts for the existing pedestals are not available. A recommendation will be made to the Forward Planning Committee to begin replacing pedestals incrementally so that parts for the older pedestals can be re-used.

Commodore, Pat Carroll, asked that all members attending the work parties receive an assignment as they arrive on the island.

Membership – Kim Miedema

A summary of the membership for 2017 was presented with a comparison to the membership demographics from 2010. Two new members were interviewed:

MOTION: Moved by Dale Hall and seconded by Darryl Campbell to accept Janet VanDeWinkle as a new member. **Motion Carried**

MOTION: Moved by Dale Hall and seconded by Kim Miedema to accept Nancy Thomas as a new member. **Motion Carried**

Katherina Hickey will be interviewed by Kim Miedema on Saturday. The board will meet briefly at the club prior to the General Membership Meeting to approve her as a new member.

Membership Cards are on the way. The membership section of the roster is complete; the use of information update survey that went out with the dues letter was very helpful. The second installment of split-dues payments (totaling \$21,200) were deposited on 1 May 2017.

The board discussed the decline in membership and the presentation of the information to the membership at the General Membership Meeting. A PowerPoint slide will be prepared by Kim.

MOTION: Moved by Scott Greenfelder and seconded by Dale Hall to continue the 2ND Night Free promotion (pay Friday night dockage and Saturday night is free) for 2017 to gain potential new members. **Motion Carried**

Mike Pilarowski was not aware of the LOA option instead of resignation.

MOTION: Moved by Kim Miedema and seconded by V/C Randy Pagel to allow Mike Pilarowski to rescind his resignation and go on LOA. **Motion Carried**

Publications – Ron Draper

The Boat for Vets flyer will be included in next month's Beacon. The Roster is at the printer, and copies will be in hand by Opening Weekend; there are fewer advertisers this year. Ron discussed several facts regarding options for formatting and publishing the Roster.

Website updates were made by the provider to improve formatting for smartphones. Ron will plan to put together a guide for navigation of the website.

Commodore, Pat Carroll, requested that the schedule in the Beacon be updated to reflect that the Meat Mania event date has changed to 12 August 2017.

Secretary – Glenn Nixon

Commodore, Pat Carroll, discussed the Secretary's report in Glenn's absence. Weekend scheduled work hours need to be adjusted so that overages/underages are equalized.

The Commodore requested that reports be sent out a few days prior to the meeting if a board member will be absent.



Supplies – Dale Hall

The Coca-Cola system has been prepared for summer. The supply rooms have been cleaned, organized and inventoried. Additional orders will be placed over the next two weeks will ensure arrival in preparation for Opening Weekend. Beer is available for the work parties. The walk-in cooler and the refrigerators have been cleaned. Popcorn replacements are being evaluated since our long-term supplier has gone out of business. The Point of Sale (POS) system was brought back on-line in the clubhouse last weekend.

Transportation – Darryl Campbell read by V/C Randy Pagel

Fin 2 (Mackie) has been commissioned with some trim and drivability items to be completed.

Fin 1 (workboat) rudder has been replaced and has been launched, but engine installation has not been finalized. Fin 1 will be commissioned when completed.

Greg Wojtalik and Rick Romatz donated their storage lot fees since they didn't end up using the lot. The mainland well seniority list has been updated.

Fleet Captain – P/C Tom McHugh

No Report.

II. OLD BUSINESS

Incoming Rendezvous:

The Birmingham Power Squadron will visit NCYC on the weekend of 8 September 2017 as approved in last month's meeting. The visit of Wertz Warriors, the Selfridge BCC, the Algonac Lions Club and the Coast Guard Cutter, Morro Bay, were discussed during correspondence.

Old Club Reciprocity:

NCYC and the Old Club boards have approved the reciprocity terms discussed in last month's board meeting. NCYC and the Old Club are now reciprocal clubs.

Weekday Manager Schedule:

Two weeks are still lacking Weekday Managers; 25-30 June and 23-28 July.

III. NEW BUSINESS

Incoming Rendezvous Contracts:

Commodore, Pat Carroll, discussed the fact that as a club we are not able to charge for services such as bartending, water taxi, etc., as such, we should not be utilizing contracts for incoming rendezvous and events from outside organizations. Doing so would put our club liquor license and standing with the Coast Guard at risk, therefore, there will be no contracts for incoming rendezvous or events.

Old Bar Stool Sale:

The old barstools will be sold for \$100 each.

MOTION: Moved by Bill Calihan and seconded by Brian Fringer to allow the sale of the remaining barstools as a lot for any price that the Commodore agrees with. **Motion Carried**



Crest Pontoon Visit:

The regional sales manager for Crest Pontoons has offered to pay NCYC \$1000 to allow Crest to bring in two boats on a Saturday so they can advertise and provide demo rides to people at the club. It is tentatively arranged for 3 June 2017, the weekend of the ABYA Spring Dinner Dance. There was subsequent discussion by the board.

MOTION: Moved by Scott Greenfelder and seconded by Brian Fringer to accept the offer from Crest Pontoon to visit the island with two boats on 3 June 2017. **Motion Carried**

Day Boating Status:

The board discussed the concept of a Day Boating Membership. To add a Day Boating Membership status would require a By-Law change. Our club license requires that all members have an equal vote. Potential benefits and concerns with the concept were discussed at length, and the board's opinion was that a Day Boating Membership would not be in the best interest of NCYC at this time. However, it was stated that any member has the right to initiate a petition that would bring a By-Law change to the general membership for a vote.

Member of the Month

MOTION: Moved by Bill Calihan and seconded by Scott Greenfelder for John Mantyk to be named Member of the Month. **Motion Carried**

MOTION: Moved by V/C Randy Pagel and seconded by Dale Hall for Mark and Bev Schoen to be named Members of the Month. **Motion Carried**

MOTION: Moved by Scott Greenfelder and seconded by Bill Calihan for Ron Kemp and Don Shepperson to be named Members of the Month. **Motion Carried**

MOTION: Moved by Scott Greenfelder and seconded by R/C Ian Blackburn for Rex Oliver and Ron Braun to be named Members of the Month. **Motion Carried**

Good of the Order

Bill Calihan stated that the Pride of Michigan is set to be at the club for Flag Raising. He also stated that he and Luke Clyburn, the Captain of the Pride of Michigan, donated a swim ladder to NCYC.

Commodore, Pat Carroll, stated that P/C Bill Hendricks would be excused from the ceremony to film the Flag Raising using a drone with a GoPro. The Commodore also asked that the Flag and Board wear their NCYC Board of Directors hats and shirts following the meeting and ceremony.

Kim Miedema requested proper direction for the number of stripes that should be on a board member's uniform. Commodore, Pat Carroll, will investigate and let the board know. Kim also asked that the OD manual be updated for 2017 prior to Opening Weekend; Glenn Nixon has the action.

Adjournment

MOTION: Moved by Bill Calihan and seconded by Scott Greenfelder to adjourn the meeting. **Motion Carried**

The meeting adjourned at 9:07 p.m.

Next Meeting

Date and Time: Thursday, 8 June 2017, 7:00 p.m. Location: NCYC.

NCYC 2017 Weekday Managers

May 21 - 26	P / C Bob & Patti Watson	R/C Ian Blackburn & Marie Pepin
May 28 - June 2	Dick & Vicky Raymond	John & Shelley Sweier
June 4 - 9	Tony and Sharon Simion	
June 11 - 16	Ladies Week	Nancy Carroll & Judy McHugh
June 18 - 23	Dick & Vicky Raymond	Diane French
June 25 - 30	Dick & Vicky Raymond	With help from our Friends
July 2 - 7	Robert & Sandra Fringer	Brian & Rachel Fringer
July 9 - 14	Kim & Larry Miedema	Ron & Colleen Braun Dennis and Ellen Alcazar
July 16 - 21	P/C Rick & Jill Romatz	And Associates
July 23 - 28	Scott Goemmel & Michele LaCombe	Dale & Colleen Hall
July 30-Aug 4	P/C Jim & Sandy Angers	Dave & Debbie DuVernay
Aug 6 - 11	P/C Ken & Kay Smith	Al & Ruth Durand Thurston Dean and Barb Palumbo
Aug 13 - 19	Leslie Leitch & Patty	Scott & Nicole Greenfelder
Aug 20 - 25	Frank and Diane Corcoran	John & Shelley Sweier
Aug 27 - Sept 1	V/C Randy & Linda Pagel	Ron & Jeannine Kemp Ed & Diane Romatz
Sept 3 - 8	Chris & Julie Strzyzewski	
Sept 10 - 15	Darryl & Josette Campbell	Russ & Pat Adams
Sept 17 - 22	Roman Kolodchin	Tony Ellul
Sept 24 - 29	Peter & Norma Frame	Al & Ruth Durand
Oct 1 - 6	Commodore Pat&Nancy Carroll	P/C Tom & Judy McHugh

Dick and Vicky Raymond want to Thank all the members who volunteered to manage the club during the week. We are already signing up members for next year. Please see sign up sheets in the club house and behind the bar

A big Thank You to Ron and Colleen Braun for volunteering to cover for us during the months of July and August so we can take a long over due trip to the North Channel. Please support them during this time.

NCYC **2018** Weekday Managers

May 21-25		
May 28-June 1		
June 4-8	Dick and Vicky Raymond	
June 11-15	Ladies Week	Debbie Siwek
June 18-22		
June 25-29		
July 2-6		
July 9-13		
July 16-20		
July 23-27		
July 30- Aug 3		
Aug 6-10		
Aug 13 - 17		
Aug 20 - 24		
Aug 27 - 31		
Sept 3 - 7		
Sept 10 - 14		
Sept 17 - 21		
Sept 24 - 28		

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Price Drop!

BOAT PROPELLERS FOR SALE (2) LH & RH

Michigan / Federal Dyna-Jet Nibral (3) blade, 26"x 25" pitch, super cupped trailing edge, 1 3/4 bore, with standard tapered keyway, brand new in cartons.

Johnny's Mich Propellers' current price is \$2900 ea; \$5,800 plus tax with 5-8 week delivery.

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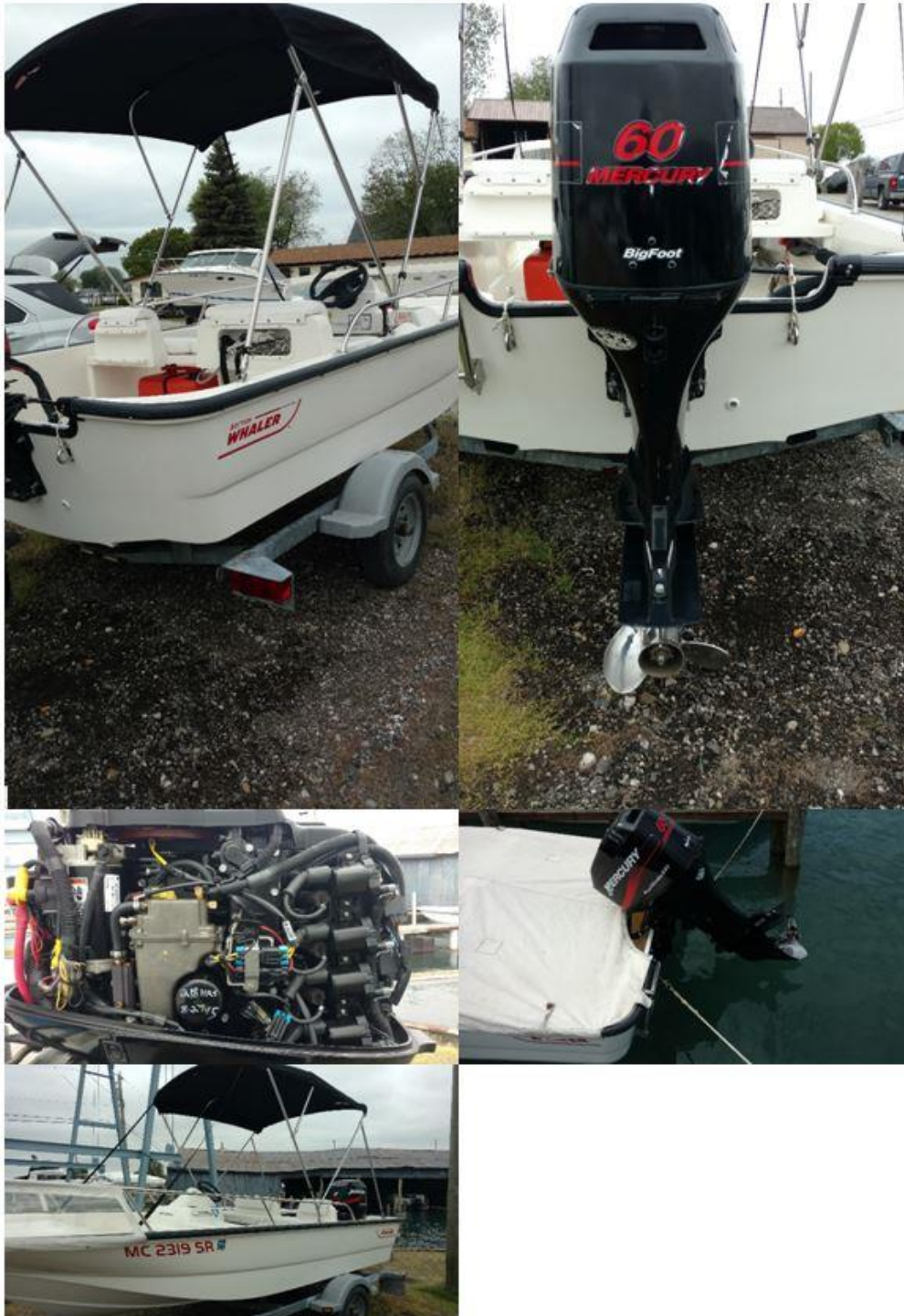
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BOSTON WHALER, 150 SPORT; \$12,500

Boston Whaler 150 Sport, 2004, with galvanized trailer. Excellent condition. Very clean. 60hp ELPT EFI Bigfoot Four Stroke Mercury engine. LOA 15ft; Beam 6 1/2ft. Low hours. Persons Capacity: 6 persons. Bow locker, anchor, fiberglass cover and overboard drain. Seat Cushions. Heavy duty rub rail. Safety switch. Swim ladder. 12-V receptacle; cup holders (2). Vertical rod holders (4). Bow rail, Bimini sun top. Two 6.5 gallon portable fuel tanks with hold-down straps. Battery box with hold down strap. Navigation lights. Console side seat cooler. Always kept on Lake St. Clair. Very easy to handle by yourself at the dock, plenty of capability on the water.

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MAINLAND WELL WAITING LIST

Updated June 8, 2017

1	JIM BUTLER (wells 2-6)
2	CHUCK STROH
3	DEBBIE SIWEK(wells 2-6)
4	RUSS ADAMS
5	TOM ALTOBELLI
6	TOM FORD
7	TOM MCHUGH
8	DENNIS BIEL
9	JOHN ANDERSON
10	MICHAEL LINDEN
11	FRANK CORCORAN
12	BRIAN ROATH
13	HUNT TAYLOR
14	RANDY PAGEL (wells 2-6)
15	LOU GAROFOLO (wells 2-6)
16	BILL CALIHAN (wells 2-6)
17	RICHARD RAYMOND

MEMBERS PLEASE NOTE: THIS LIST IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE AT ANY TIME.

Please contact the Transportation Director, Darryl Campbell for the current status of any well; or position of anyone on this list.

2017 WELL LEASES SENIORITY LIST

Well No.	Name	Since
1	Ian Blackburn	4/3/14
2	Charles Herr	1992
3	Brian McEvoy	2008
4	Jeff Edgerly	2009
5	John Dickson	4/2/07
6	Terry Hart	4/26/11
7	Lou Garofolo	2012
8	Bob Marin	2003
9	Steve Marten	2013
10	Bill Hendricks	2006
11	Brian Maliik	6/7/14
12	Larry Malik	4/7/07
13	Ron Kemp	3/26/07
14	Mark Busch	5/10/11
15	Brent Malik	4/29/15
16	Ed Romantz	2004
17	Greg Criner	6/1/15
18	Dave Gronbach	2016
19	Keith McGregor	4/4/15
20	Donna Glick	2017

DETROIT POWER SQUADRON
CLASS SCHEDULE

DPS – EDUCATION DEPT. SCHEDULE

ABC Courses

<u>Mac & Ray's (7-9pm)</u>	<u>DYC</u>	<u>KEAN'S (7-9pm)</u>
March 16 th	April 8 th (9:30am) & (12:00pm)	April 26 th
March 23 rd	April 22 nd (9:30am) & (12:00pm)	May 3 rd
April 6 th		May 10 th
April 13 th		May 17 th
April 20 th		May 24 th
CHARTSMART (M&R)	CHARTSMART (DYC)	
May 4 th , 11 th & 18 th	June 6 th , 8 th & 13 th	

SEAMANSHIP COURSE

DYC

September	6 th
September	13 th
September	20 th
September	27 th
October	4 th
October	11 th
October	18 th
October	25 th
November	1 st

DYC - PILOTING COURSE – September 13th (tentative) : ADV. PILOTING COURSE- (TBD)
CRUISE PLANNING- (TBD): SAIL – (TBD): MARINE ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS – (TBD)

FIND A REPLACEMENT

7		8		9		10	
Open Weekend		New Member		Christmas in July		Float Down	
		Party?		Party (McHugh)			
Commodores Cruise		128		128		136	128
7/7	Work	7/14	Work	7/21	Work	7/28	Work
Tom Martin	Hours	Kim Miedema	Hours	P/C Tom McHugh	Hours	B. Carroll/ K. Verkest	Hours
Debbie Siwek	8	Michael Wonderly	16	Donna Glick	16	Lexi Verkest	8
James Hogan	8	Greg Freese	16	Terry Hart	16	Tori Verkest	8
Bob Buwalda	16	Dave McKnight	16	Pete Poirier	16	Nikki Werner	16
Michael Linden	16	Greg Brigman	16	Paul Kelton	16	Steve Scarpaci	16
Glen Wagner	16	Arthur Schafer	16	Rick Rzesut	16	Vinnie Scarpaci	8
Dennis Pomeroy	16	Dennis Alcazar	16	Dave Pelletier	16	Don Ruma	16
Jeff Rose	16	Ronald Braun	16	Ashley Pelletier	16	John DeQuick	16
John Mantyk	16	Al Vercnocke	16	Allison Weishapt	16	Greg Wojtalik	16
Greg Shaligan	16	Austin Brigman	8	Anthony McHugh	16	Rebekah Pawelczyk	8
						Breanna Scarpaci	8
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Alexa Cook
Paid Bartender
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Open Weekend		Smoke on the Water		Commodore's Clay		GM Meeting	
Ray Fogg		Party		Shoot at NMSC		Haul-Out (Party)	
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9/15	Work	9/22	Work	9/29	Work	10/6	Work
P/C Rick Romatz	Hours	Ron Latowski	Hours	Scott Greenfelder	Hours	Dale Hall	Hours
Ed Romatz	8	Mark Snethkamp	16	P/C Don Vanover	16	Hugh Vestal	8
Jim Wunderlich	8	Dave Hines	8	Steve Tampa	16	John Wyss	16
Robert Mann	16	Keith Hay	16	Jerry Krist	16	Thomas Rathbone	16
Debbie Hagendorff	16	James Butler	16	Joe Lewandoski	16	Mike Pusateri	16
Chris Strzyzewski	16	Dennis Koster	16	Joe Lewandoski II	8	Ron Laraia	16
Scott Bell	8	Dick Raymond	16	Michael DeNeve	16	Greg Smith	16
Philip Maniaci	16	Doug Bruce	16	Gary Jialanella	16	Jim Schebil	8
John Prochaska	16	Everitt Lancaster	16	Dan Pienta	16	Chris Morisette	16
Tom Powers	16	Vince Day	16	Tom Szott	8	Scott Oliver	16
Rick Brown	16						
Cass Klapec	8						
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						Pd Bartenders	
						Pd Bartenders	

New Opportunity for the Members:

Here's an opportunity to display your boat logo.

If you have a boat name like ours that always generates interest or questions on it's origin, send me a logo with the story behind it and I'll publish it here in the Beacon for a few months. Here's ours below.

I've received some inquiries on this, who'll be the first to send in a photo and story? I'd like to see this become a regular Beacon Feature. Please send me something to work with. We have plenty of boats to keep it going. Your intrepid Editor, Ron.

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When fish are biting well, they are known to bite a bare hook;
Jeri is known as the Bear, and in many tournaments the
Bear Hooked more fish than most of the guys.
Since this is our 2nd Bearhooks she's got a double header on the line.



The End