



The Waves



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Letter from Commodore Steve McMahon



AHOY - Permission to come aboard?

Is it March already? February was active at the MYC. There was an Inter-club Party committee meeting with plenty of ideas being discussed. We need more members to show up and add their input or volunteer to help on August 11th. The next meeting is set for March 1st at 6:00pm, see you then!

Swedish Pancake Sunday was well supported, 286 served. A huge thanks to all the members and apprentices that pitched in and worked. Steak night on St. Valentine's Day went off without a hitch.

The 25th was the usual Apprentice Orientation party with 12 of our 22 new members in attendance. Thanks to all who attended and brought a dish to pass. Vice Commodore Dick Kornely did a nice job arranging things.

A pool tournament was held on the 26th, all the hot sticks were showing their stuff.

The board of directors met on Monday the 20th. We have eight new member proposals pending so far this year. Remember, each MYC member can sponsor two new people per year.

There are quite a few private parties already scheduled, so if you are thinking about doing something at the club, be sure to check the board or with Jim Kocian for an open date.

Chad Radtke along with Gary D'Aoust are working on putting together an outstanding Jr. sailing program with the YMCA.

If you haven't seen it, Dave Franz made a box to showcase burgee decals (2 styles) and lapel pin burgees. It's hung on the wall to the left of the cash register. Cost is \$5.00 per item, ring the amount up under "BAR" in the till. It's always good to see the members wearing the colors of the MYC! Thanks Dave for another "job well done."

As you know, it's your club, use it - don't abuse it. We still have members that don't clean up after themselves. Your fellow members are not here to pick up for you. That also goes for the Friday night staff. Along that line, let me remind you that as members we are not to harass or confront the club employees. If you have a problem on a Friday night, let Jim Kocian the house committee chairman know, he will take appropriate action and follow up.

Thursday March 1st the new "salamander" (broiler) will be installed in the galley. Chef Brian will be able to use it for Friday dining March 2nd. We are sure to see a difference in our overall dining experience.

If you have any questions or complaints feel free to drop a note down the safe slot or call me.

THANKS,

Steve

Committee News

House Committee

Jim Kocian, Chairman

I can report our Swedish Pancake Breakfast a huge success. We had a profit of \$1132 on the food, plus an \$1187 bar. We served 264 adults, 10 children and 12 free children for a total of 286 meals.

Many thanks to the Saturday prep crew, the Sunday crew; cooks, kitchen help, Ron's dining room crew, bartenders, bar hostess, dessert gals and the ladies at the ticket registration table. Also, big thanks to all of you who dined with us; your patronage is greatly appreciated.

In closing, I would like to congratulate Chef Brian for 23 years of service with the Club as of February 11th.

PS: Eldon, we'll see you on April 27th.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact me at 905.1650.



Ladies Auxiliary

Angela Mueller, Vice President

The Auxiliary meeting on February 6th was fun & informational in that the ladies learned how to create some new hair styles, as well as techniques for quick fixes from Lords N Ladies Salon N Spa stylists. Makeup refreshers were also demonstrated on members. Colin Rayford once again kept the ladies happy with cocktails before and after the meeting. Kris Hecker, Deb Mrozinski, and Judy Kotche provided awesome desserts for Friday night dining on the 10th. Be sure to join us at the club on Friday April 13th for some more delectable desserts from the "talented" Auxiliary bakers :)

The next meeting will be held on March 5th when we will host Mike Mayer from the Manitowoc Historical Society presenting "Tales of an Immigrant". It should be an interesting evening.

We are always looking for new members, so if you are a spouse/significant other of a Club Member or Apprentice, please join us as a guest at our next meeting.

Hurry back Sandy"Arizona Snowbird". We Miss You!

FROM THE COMMODORE

If your looking for an interesting web site, go to - animatedknots.com

Notices:

Please do NOT use the urinals for gum and mint wrappers. Thank you!

The 2012 Yacht Club cards are now available behind the bar.



Thank you to all our donors who contributed for our dining room tables and chairs. The plaque is now hung in the dining room near the salad bar.

Calendar

Event Details

Annual Roast Chicken Dinner

A Klein Family Event

THIS IS THE BEST CHICKEN AND 'FIXENS' IN ALL OF WISCONSIN!
DON'T MISS IT!

Wednesday, March 28, 2012

ROAST CHICKEN,
MASHED POTATOES, GRAVY, VEGGIES,
BEVERAGE, DESERT, AND SO VERY
MUCH MORE!



DOORS OPEN AT 5:00 – SERVING AT 5:30

CRAZY GIFT RAFFLE AND DOOR PRIZES!

GUESTS WELCOME TOO, BUT YOU MUST SIGN UP NOW!

Note from the Waves: If you notice an incorrect date or time listed on the "Printed Calendar" please compare against the "Website Calendar" which is always up-to-date with any changes in the schedule. www.manitowoc yachtclub.com/calendar.html

Check out the
club bulletin
board for:

Meeting Minutes

Proposals

New Member Applicants

Event Sign-ups

Snap Shots

Stag/Steak Night Info

Club Waiting List

Plus much more!

MARCH 2012

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Interclub Meeting 6pm	2 Broiled Salmon w/Dill Sauce	3
4	5 Ladies Auxiliary 7pm	6	7	8	9 Flavor Infused Steel Head Trout	10
11 Cribbage Tournament 12pm	12	13 Steak Night 530pm	14	15	16 Fresh Walleye	17 St. Patrick's Day
18 Liver & Onions 9am Board Meeting 10am	19	20	21	22	23 Peel & Eat Shrimp	24 Private Party 2-6pm
25	26	27 Membership Meeting 7pm	28 Chicken Dinner 530pm	29	30 Roast Duck	31

Online Newsletters

There is an archive of past newsletters on our website.

There is wi-fi access at the club. Just hit connect on your device; it will not prompt you for a password.

Events (continued)

3rd Annual Cribbage Tournament Sunday March 11, 12 PM.



- \$5 per player
- Double elimination
- 100% payout
- Random seeding
- Open to all MYC Members and guests. Please invite your friends!
- Trophies awarded.
- Please bring a dish to pass.

1st place trophy awarded to winners bracket champ. winner
 2nd place trophy awarded to losers bracket champ. winner
 3rd place awarded to winners bracket championship loser
 4th place awarded to losers bracket championship loser
 Payout- 50%-1st, 30%-2nd, 15%-3rd, 5%-4th



Rules

- Count your own points
- Player cannot receive missed players points
- Discrepancies decided by tournament organizer

APRIL 2012

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Ladies Auxiliary 7pm	3	4	5	6 Peel & Eat Shrimp	7 Private Party
8 Easter	9	10 Steak Night 530pm	11	12	13 Hawaiian Tilapia	14
15	16 Board Meeting 6pm	17 Smelt Clean	18 Smelt Fry	19	20 Fresh Walleye or Frog Legs	21 Couple's Steak Night 6pm
22	23	24 Membership Meeting 7pm	25	26	27 BBQ Ribs	28
29	30					

Welcome Apprentices!

The Board of Directors and Members of the Manitowoc Yacht Club would just like to officially welcome aboard all the new 2012 apprentices...

Apprentice	Spouse	Primary Phone	Other Phone	Sponsor
Dan Abts	Polly	920-323-4539		Skip Benzinger
Anthony Behr	Mary Rose	314-471-7665	920-686-7444	Ron Stokes
Terri Birkenstock	Karl	920-686-9190	920-323-3495	Karl Birkenstock
Norma Bishop		920-323-0940	920-684-0218	Gerald Pilsner
Mike Bittle	Bonnie	920-652-0181		Aaron Rasmussen
Mike Dunn	Chris	920-686-1164	920-323-6465	Leon Soeldner
David Forkins	Janice	920-912-6132		David D'aoust
Anthony Hoffman Sr.	Maureen	920-323-4293		Don Backus
Jason Hubbartt	Michele	920-684-4624	920-901-5867	Rick Wolfe
Steve Katz	Kelly	920-683-9044	920-980-8012	Tom Moore
Jerry Krueger	Wendy	920-684-7548	920-901-1291	John Resch
Daniel Nessman	Cheryl	920-684-3177	920-629-3808	Gary D'Aoust
Lyndsey Otten		920-374-9251		Mary C. Maurer
Tom Reed	Wendy	920-684-1360	920-973-7134	Don Vogt
Douglas Richter	Lori Lee	920-775-4946	920-683-1743	William Richter
Tim Ryan	Kim	920-682-0757	920-683-4185	Colin Rayford
Jack Spevacek	Donna	920-684-6779	920-860-5245	John J. Johnson Sr.
Tom Staudt		920-682-2485	920-970-7080	Keith Laurent
James Vnuka		920-901-0006		Terry Barner
Kevin Winnega	Susan	920-901-7247		Gus Gospodarek
Matt Wotruba	Gina	920-242-3119		Keith Shebesta
Donald Zelinski	Susan	920-683-3232	920-973-3669	David Bauman

All apprentices need volunteer hours, feel free to contact them for help!



New Member Applications

Sponsor – Tim Hecker
Applicant – Lee Stuibler

Sponsor – Tim Hecker
Applicant – Carl J. Kuehn

Sponsor – Keith Hartlaub
Applicant – Curt Drumm

Sponsor – Jack Kotche
Applicant –
Tom Niespodziany

Sponsor – Kris Klein
Applicant – Tom Christensen

Sponsor – Scott Wagner
Applicant – Sue Schrank

Sponsor – Karl Birkenstock
Applicant –
Spencer Birkenstock

Sponsor – Guy Webster
Applicant – Andre P. LaFond

Sponsor – Sue Sieracki
Applicant –
Paul Stockhausen

Sponsor – Jim Behringer
Applicant – Doug Kieffer

Please Submit Digital Photos

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BoatUS: 22nd Annual List of Top Ten Boat Names

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ALEXANDRIA, Va., February 14, 2012 – Making the decision to buy a boat comes easy for some people. Picking out a name for the boat, however, can prove to be much harder, according to Boat Owners Association of The United States (BoatUS).

“A boat name reflects the life and loves of the owner,” says Occoles Trotter of the BoatUS Boat Graphics department in Alexandria, Virginia, which helps boaters design their own boat names “But, it’s hard to sum it all up with just a few words.” The half-million-member boat owners group has been tallying the Top Ten Boat Names List for over two decades.

The 22nd Annual List Top Ten Boat Names are:

1. Seas the Day
2. Nauti Buoy
3. Aquaholic
4. Dream Weaver
5. Pegasus
6. Serenity Now
7. Second Wind
8. Liquid Asset
9. Miss Behavin’
10. Blew ByYou



A boat's name says a lot about its owner.

“When you get a boat, there are certain things you have to do, such as registering it and buying insurance or towing coverage,” added Trotter “However, picking a boat name opens up a creative side.” This year’s list included three newcomers: Nauti Buoy, Serenity Now, and Blew ByYou, a popular racing sailboat moniker and clever word play on an old Roy Orbison song made famous by Linda Ronstadt. Two other boat names made the list for the second time: Dream Weaver and Pegasus. All others are multi-year repeats.

Some names that did not make the top ten list but appeared more than once include Pandora, a reference to the planetoid at the center of the film Avatar, as well as boat names that invoke favorite songs – with Margaritaville and Dream Weaver resonating strongly among boat owners of all types.



NEW!

There is now a box above the cash register with stickers and pins. Ring up on cash register using the “bar” key for \$5 each.

Couples Steak Night

Saturday April 21 6pm
\$6 per person



Just like Tuesday Night Steak Night! Bring your own meat to grill, the club will provide the salad bar, baked potato and baked beans. Please sign-up on bulletin board! Volunteers needed.

Note from The Waves

The Waves needs your help with contributions in the form of letters to the editor, photos – old and new, articles on water activities, suggestions, etc. ANY input is valuable! Drop them off at the club, mail to The Waves' attention or email manitowocyachtclub@gmail.com. We hope to make the waves more informative and interesting!

March Events

March 1 Interclub Meeting 6pm

March 5 Ladies Auxiliary 7pm

March 11 Cribbage Tournament 12pm

March 13 Steak Night 530pm

March 18 Liver & Onions 9am, Board Meeting 10am

March 27 Membership Meeting 7pm

March 28 Chicken Dinner (Kleins) 530pm

