

TheWaves



Officers

- Commodore: Fred Schmoock
- Vice Commodore: John Bock
- Rear Commodore: Mike Herrmann
- Treasurer: John Glaeser
- Secretary: Tina Burbey
- Auxiliary President: Sandra Murray

Board of Directors

- John Bock, j.bock1793@gmail.com
- Don Davis, the1tripld@yahoo.com
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- Mike Haucke, mjhaucke@gmail.com
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- Ron Smith, ronlynda@att.net
- Mike Herrmann, flh01rider@sbcglobal.net

Committee Chairs

- House: John Glaeser
- Building: Keith Laurent
- Grounds & Outside: Keith Laurent
- Sailing/Fleet Captain: Ned Jerabek
- Social: Open
- Finance: Dick Kornely
- Donations: Dick Kornely
- Waves: Susan Gilmore/Judy Kocian
- Club Historian: Open
- Bar Manager: John Glaeser
- Clothing: Tom Spear
- Party Coordinator:
Jane Hurst 920.242.4436

Letter from Commodore Fred Schmoock

I hope that everyone had an enjoyable Christmas and New Year holiday. I would like to thank the many members for their guidance, advice and encouragement that I received, they are too numerous to count, I am not going to submit names since I would not want to miss anyone. Thanks to you all!

I do need to give a big thank you to Mike Haucke for his leadership this past year and the continued forward progress of the Manitowoc Yacht Club. And a thank you to Ann Haucke for supporting Mike and giving us the time that he needed to spend at the club.

Thank You for your trust in me to lead the Manitowoc Yacht Club for the coming year, I will do my best to keep the Club running smoothly with the help of our Officers, Board of Directors and most important the input and advice of our members.

Our goals for 2024: 1) keep the club the most fun and enjoyable organization in Manitowoc County 2) keep costs under control to ensure a stable financial future 3) smooth out all the bumps in the road that will come along, before they become hills and



then mountains. Sharing the load with me will be Vice Commodore John Bock and Rear Commodore Mike Herrmann, along with the members of the Board.

The Manitowoc Yacht Club has a long and rich history. I will be sharing with you some of this history in this letter and throughout the year.

The club started as an un-chartered club in 1896, the first Commodore was Dr. G. W. Patchen. Meetings were held at homes or places of business. If you would go to the clubs website and go to history, what

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Committee News

January & February

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follows will be the lead paragraph: "The Manitowoc Yacht

Club was founded by people from the Manitowoc area that possessed and still possesses attributes of integrity, friendliness and hard contributory work ethics. New and old members still contribute numerous unselfish hours each year to maintain its upkeep, growth and community success." This is still true today, members have integrity, friendliness and a fantastic work ethic. Come back next month for more of this wonderful history.

A little info about me, I was raised on a dairy farm north of Two Rivers, graduated from Mishicot High School and went on to get a Bachelor's Degree from the University of Wisconsin Madison. Because of medical problems, we sold the farm and I ended my work career as a Maintenance Mechanic at Kohler Co. I've been married for 38 years to my wife, Louise, have three children, five grandchildren and hard to believe four great grandchildren.

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Club Email:

General Questions
Email:
manitowocyachtclub@gmail.com

Reminder:

The club alarm system activates daily at 2am-6am. If the system detects motion within the club the police will be notified.

Attention!

Please be courteous to the handicapped and elderly during the winter months in deciding where you park. Thank you!



Committee News

Cont. From Commodore Fred

Upcoming events: January 4 at 5:30 Social Committee will meet and prepare the social calendar for 2024; Steak Nite January 9, hosted by the Red & Black Shirts, 5:30 – 7:00; January 20 New Apprentice Orientation. All are invited and are asked to bring a dish to pass: January 23 Board

meeting 5:30 and Membership Meeting 7:00.

My hope is to see everyone Friday for Friday Night Dinning starting January 5.

If you have any questions, concerns or advise please do not hesitate to contact me or any

officers or board members. We will do our best to help you in any way we can and answer any questions.

Happy New Year! See at the Club, Fred



Apprentice News

By: John Bock -Vice Commodore

For Calendar Year 2024 we will have 24 new apprentices and one pending.

The Apprentice Orientation date is Saturday January 20th from 1-3 pm. Members and Apprentices please bring a dish or appetizer to pass during the social hours to follow the orientation.

Please contact John Bock at j.bock1793@gmail.com or manitowocyachtclub@gmsil.com if you have any questions or concerns

Apprentice Orientation & Welcome Party



Welcome Aboard!

Saturday, January 20, 1pm – 3pm

Highly encourage that all apprentices and sponsors attend!

Apprentices: Orientation – Learn about the club and your responsibilities being an apprentice as well as how to get involved. Socialize with members. Group photo for the Waves Newsletter! Please bring a dish or appetizer to pass for the social hour after completion of the orientation and walk through.

Members: Welcome/meet the new apprentices; share your experiences and knowledge about the club, committees and events.

Please bring a dish or appetizer to pass for the social hour.

Committee & Calendar Events



STEAK NIGHT
Tuesday, January 9th ~ 5:30-7pm

You bring the meat, we supply the fixings: baked potato, baked beans, mushrooms, salad bar, bun.
Charcoal Grills will be hot and ready for your use.

\$5 at the door-members and guests

Hosted by: Red & Black Shirts

50/50 Raffle

Check out the club bulletin board for:

- Meeting Minutes
- New Member Applicants
- Event Sign-ups
- Snap Shots
- Steak Night Info
- Club Waiting List
- Plus much more!

TRIVIA MONDAY'S @ 7pm

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. (Note: we are under construction for this website, please bear with us.)

January 2024						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Happy New Year!	2	3	4 Social Committee 5:30pm	5 Dining 5-8pm Salmon	6
7	8 Ladies of the Yacht Club NO MEETING Trivia 7pm	9 Steak Night 5:30-7pm	10	11	12 Dining 5-8pm Bacon Wrapped Pork Tenderloin	13
14	15 Trivia 7pm	16	17	18	19 Dining 5-8pm Walleye	20 Apprentice Orientation 1-3pm
21	22 Trivia 7pm	23 Board Meeting 5:30pm Membership Meeting 7pm	24	25	26 Dining 5-8pm Peel & Eat Shrimp	27
28	29 Trivia 7pm	30	31			

Online Newsletters

There is an archive of past newsletters on our website.

Attention Membership:
 Empty cash register, but leave about \$120.00 in cash, putting excess cash in money envelope and dropping down the wall slot.

Calendar & Upcoming Events & Reminders

Membership Responsibilities

IT'S YOUR CLUB - PLEASE LEAVE IT LOOKING BETTER THAN HOW YOU FOUND IT

- You must clean up after yourself and guests. This includes tables in the White Swan Room and around the bar.
- Turn OFF ALL LIGHTS
- Turn OFF all TVs, stereo, and fans
- Verify all cooler and store room doors are shut with the lights OFF
- Floor cleaned, garbage taken out, and dishes done
- Wash glasses and bar surface
- Check door when leaving to ensure it is closed and locked

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February 2024						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2 Dining 5-8pm	3
4	5 Ladies of the Yacht Club 6:45pm	6	7	8	9 Dining 5-8pm	10
11	12 Trivia 7pm	13 Steak Night 5:30-7pm	14 HAPPY Valentine's DAY	15	16 Dining 5-8pm	17
18	19 Trivia 7pm	20 Board Meeting 5:30pm Membership Meeting 7pm	21	22	23 Dining 5-8pm	24
25	26	27	28	29		


Events and Information



Friday Night Dining Receipt
December Winner:
Jim Iverson

Reminders:

Please submit digital photos to:
 manitowoc yachtclub@gmail.com

2024 Club Officers

Left to right:
Mike Herrmann
Fred Schmoock
John Bock

Door FOBS are now available at the MYC that can be used instead of your card.



Welcome 2024



STAY INFORMED:
 Attend the Monthly Membership Meetings!
 The 2nd to last Tuesday of every month at 7:00 pm.

Club Email:

General Questions
Email:
manitowoc yachtclub
@gmail.com

Other Information

Children's Santa Party

Reminder:

When you leave the self-service bar or tables in the Club, clean up after yourself.

Place used glasses in the bar glass washer. If you bring any food, snack items, throw-away plates, and utensils, ensure the trash or anything left over goes home with you or into the dumpster behind the club.

Do not put your trash or leftovers in the bar or dining room trash bins.



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Photo Page and Other Information

Thank You

Thank you to Commodore Mike Haucke for your successful leadership in 2023. On behalf of the membership we want to extend our gratitude in all you did for the club.

Best wishes to our new Commodore, Fred Schmoock!

New Member Applications

Applicant:
Bill & Laurie Megow

Sponsor: Dan Know

Applicant:
Chris & Emily Spencer

Sponsor: Nathan Brooks

Change of Watch



Notice:
Burgee lapel pins
for sale —
\$5.00 each



Magnetic Name
Tag for sale—
\$10.00 each

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!

January Events

January 1	Happy New Year
January 4	Social Committee Meeting 5:30
January 8	Trivia 7pm
January 9	Steak Night 5:30-7pm
January 15	Trivia 7pm
January 20	Apprentice Orientation 1-3pm
January 22	Trivia 7pm
January 23	Board Meeting 5:30pm & Membership Meeting 7pm
January 29	Trivia 7pm

EVERY FRIDAY– DINING FROM 5:00-8:00

The Waves January 2024



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