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TheWaves

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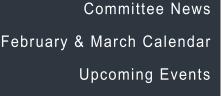
Letter from Commodore Fred Schmoock

Hello to All

Μv first month commodore is already in the books, I know we had a rough start to reopen the Club after the Christmas holidays due to the snow and cold weather, hoping the rest of the winter is more agreeable. The 20th of January was the Apprentice Orientation, which was well attended by members and of this year's class Apprentices.

We began the month with the Social Committee's planning meeting. There are a number of events every month for our members to take advantage of the club, and the fellowship of all the members. We start the month of February with the Social Committee February 1, Ladies of the Yacht Club February 5, Hamburger Chili Night February 7-we still need a host, Steak Night February 13 – we **need a** host. Swedish Pancake Breakfast February 18 which we are looking for volunteer help, Board Meeting at 5:30 and Membership Meeting 7:00 February 20, and end







the month with a Leap Year Pot Luck on the 29th.

A brief history of our neighbor to the East "Lake Michigan". The formation of Lake Michigan began 1.2 billion years ago when two tectonic plates started moving away from each other and left a large depression on the land. With the melting of the glaciers 15,000 years ago the melt water filled in the depression and Lake Michigan came into The existences. name Michigan comes from the Oiibwa Indian word mishigami, meaning "great water". Today twelve million people live along the shores of Lake Michigan. Without this history there would be no "great water" and no Manitowoc Yacht Club.

I invite you to stay involved and engaged with "your" club through out the year. You can stay involved by attending monthly meetings, joining one of our committees, volunteering for our events or coming down to the Club for a drink, and a Friday meal with friends. I will always welcome your feedback, suggestions, and ideas on how to improve and make our club enjoyable for everyone.

Feel free to contact me or any of the board members if you have any comments, concerns or questions. We will do our best to help you in any way we can and answer any questions.

Thanks for your Time, Fred

PS: Keep April 13 open for the Interclub Party at the Appleton Yacht Club.

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

Apprentice News

By: John Bock -Vice Commodore

We had a great turn out for the Apprentice orientation thanks to all that brought appetizers and a dish to pass, this include current members as well as new apprentices.

For those that haven't sign up for bartender training the list is hanging on the bulletin board. There are still spots open remember there limited numbers for each slot available.

Correction: I talked with some of you at the orientation and I made an error in stating that the orientation counted as one of your meeting requirements.

The orientation does not

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count as one of your required meetings for the year. Sorry for any confusion this might have happen. It's still early in the year and there are 11 meetings available to attend.

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

Ladies of the Yacht Club

By: Lynda Vaz-Smith -Vice President

The Ladies of the Yacht Club did not meet in January for winter break, but we will resume the first Monday of each month from February until May this year and then break for the summer. Our next meeting and program will be Monday, 5-February at 6:45 PM at the Yacht Club. This program will be a "Night of Fun with Game Night of Bunco and Prizes". (Bunco is an easy game to play for all and instructions will be given. A great social game and prizes will be awarded.) We hope you can join us.

Our next meetings will be on Monday, 4-March, Monday, 1-April and Monday, 6-May. The programs for March and April will be announced soon and we will end our Season in May with our annual dinner at Courthouse Pub.

As always, we welcome all MYC members, apprentices, significant others, and your outside guests to attend our meetings and programs. You need not be a member of our committee to attend any of our programs. If you wish to learn more about our group and/or attend an event, please feel free to contact me, Lynda at (207) 332-9237 or email us at ladiesotheyachtclub@gmail.com

Stay warm and hope to see you soon at any or all of our events.

Time to Sign Up

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We have discontinued using "Time to Sign Up" online volunteer signup sheets.

While many members liked and enjoyed the use of the online volunteer signup system, we also have many who do not want it and will not use it. Because of that, we also had volunteer signup sheets posted on the Bulletin Board.

Having both signup procedures available to the membership has proved too cumbersome to coordinate. Online volunteer signup sheets are discontinued for the foreseeable future as a result of this.

Committee & Calendar Events



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!



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.) www.manitowocyachtclub.com/calendar.html

February 2024						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
O				Social Committee 5:30	Dining 5-8pm Bacon Wrap Pork Tenderloin	3
Private Party 11-2pm	Ladies of the Yacht Club 6:45pm	6	Private Party 7 11:30-3pm Hamburger/Chili 5-7:30pm HOST NEEDED	Private Party 5:30-8:30pm	Dining 5-8pm Salmon	10
11	Trivia 7pm	Steak Night 5:30-7pm HOST NEEDED	Happy Valentine's Day	15	Valentines' Day Dining 5-8pm Coconut Shrimp	17
Swedish Pancakes 9:30-12:30pm	Trivia 7pm	Board Meeting 5:30pm Membership Meeting 7pm	21	22	Dining 5-8pm Peel & Eat Shrimp	24
25	26 Trivia 7pm	27 Private Party 5:30-8pm	28	Leep Year Potluck 4-7:30pm		

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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March 2024							
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
				Social Committee 5:30pm	Dining 5-8pm	2	
3	Ladies of the Yacht Club 6:45pm	5	Hamburger/ Chili Night	Social Committee 5:30pm	8 Dining 5-8pm	Private Party 11-4pm	
Private Party 11-3pm	11 Trivia 7pm	Steak Night 5:30-7pm	13	14	St Patrick"s Day Dining 5-8pm	16	
17 Happy St. Patrick's Dayl	18 Trivia 7pm	Board Meeting 5:30pm Membership Meeting 7pm	20	21	22 Dining 5-8pm	23	
31 Happy Easter	25 Trivia 7pm	26	27	28	29 Dining 5-8pm	30	

Events and Information

Swedish Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, February 18th

Time: 9:30 to 12:30

(Last seating: 12:30)

Adults: \$12.00

Children 7-14: \$5.00



Bring your family and friends to this popular event. It includes all you can eat Swedish pancakes, ham, sausages, fruit and many desserts.

Sign-up sheets are posted. PREPAID--No Refunds

Event Limited to the Maximum of 150 People

Don't Wait!! Hurry on down to sign up!!

Friday Night
Dining Receipt
January Winner:
Mary Bergner

Reminders:

Please submit digital photos to:

manitowocyachtclub@ gmail.com



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



STAY INFORMED:

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

HAMBURGER & CHILI NIGHT Wednesday, February 7th ~ 5-7:30 pm

No need to sign up

Just come and enjoy the Food, Drinks, Friends, and Fun!

Chili with or without noodles \$4.00 1/4 pound Hamburger \$4.00 1/4 pound Cheeseburger \$4.50 Double Hamburger \$5.50 Double Cheeseburger \$6.00

HOST NEEDED OR WILL BE CANCELLED

Other Information

There's gnome reason that you don't join us for Friday Night Valentine's Dining on Feb. 16th.



Celebrate love at the Yacht Club. Special dessert with every meal. Try a Valentine's Cocktail and enjoy the festive décor.

New Member Applications

No new member proposal for January.

Potluck Party



Hop on down to the club and bring a dish to pass. Join us for a fun, casual night out.

Notice:

Burgee lapel pins for sale — \$5.00 each



Magnetic Name Tag for sale— \$10.00 each

Club Email:

General Questions Email: manitowocyachtclub @gmail.com

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, throwaway 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.

Photo Page and Other Information

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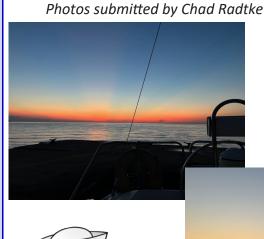


TO EVERYONE, ORGANIZATIONS & ESTABLISHMENTS INCLUDING
LADIES OF THE YACHT CLUB,
MANITOWOC YACHT CLUB,
MEMBERS WHO DONATED GIFTS,
VOLUNTEERS WHO DONATED TIME AT OUR EVENTS,
LOCAL FINE DINING MEMBER ESTABLISHMENTS INCLUDING
LATE'S & COURTHOUSE PUB,
AND SO MANY MORE!

HELPED MAKE OUR ANNUAL FUNDRAISER OF GIVING
TO LOCAL MANITOWOC FAMILIES-IN-NEED
(SELECTED BY PRINCIPALS OF THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS)
DURING THE HOLIDAY SEASON SUCH AN ENORMOUS SUCCESS!!
WITHOUT YOUR KINDNESS, GENEROSITY, GIVING, SUPPORT & TIME
WE COULD NOT HELP SO MANY EACH YEAR!!

Dreaming of Summer

Rock Island photos from David Wilhelm and Chad Radtke's summer cruise.









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!

February Events

February 29

February 1	Social Committee Meeting 5:30
February 5	Ladies of the Yacht Club 6:45pm
February 7	Hamburger/Chili Night 5-7:30pm (HOST NEEDED OR WILL BE CANCELLED)
February 12	Trivia 7pm
February 13	Steak Night 5:30-7pm (HOST NEEDED OR WILL BE CANCELLED)
February 16	Valentine's Day Friday Night Dining 5-8pm
February 18	Swedish Pancakes 9:30-12:30
February 19	Trivia 7pm
February 22	Board Meeting 5:30pm & Membership Meeting 7pm
February 26	Trivia 7pm

EVERY FRIDAY-DINING FROM 5:00-8:00

Leep Year Potluck 4-7:30pm

The Waves February 2024

