

TheWaves



Officers

Commodore: Dick Nitsch
Vice Commodore: Mike Haucke
Rear Commodore: Fred Schmoock
Treasurer: John Glaeser
Secretary: Open
Auxiliary President: Sandra Murray

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House: Kornely/McMahon
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Sailing/Fleet Captain: Ned Jerabek
Social: Connie Barbier
Finance: Dick Kornely
Donations: Dick Kornely
Waves: Susan Gilmore
Club Historian: Open
Bar Manager: John Glaeser
Clothing: Tom Spear
Party Coordinator:
Jane Hurst 920.242.4436

Letter from Commodore Dick Nitsch

Spring is here, even if the weather does not suggest that. Soon you will see the patio furniture returning to our outside patio area. It is a great place to soak up some sun, have a drink, and visit with friends. Speaking of furniture returning, you will notice that the leather couches have returned to the Swan Room of our Yacht Club. They were removed from the Swan Room and placed in storage during the peak of COVID. The intent was to make more room to social distance dining tables during that trying time.

There is a lot of Board information to share since my last WAVES. At a March 1st special board meeting, John Glaeser reported that he will be resigning from his position as Club Manager effective April 1st. I am very happy to report that Dick Kornely and Steve McMahon have stepped up to fill many of the responsibilities previously done by John. Some of the duties that John has been doing have historically been done by the Commodore. I will assume those administrative responsibilities that have been typically done by the commodore (e.g., get bills paid, deal with payroll, etc.). John then expressed interest in becoming the Bar Manager for the club and the Board voted to offer that position to him on a



trial basis effective April 1st. In addition, John will continue to serve the Yacht Club board as it's Treasurer.

In other news, the House Committee learned that Brian our cook is looking at retiring from his Friday night duties effective at the end of June. Brian has been servicing the club as our Friday night cook for more than 30 years. Brian will not be easily replaced and might still fill in on some Fridays. Dick Kornely and I met with a young woman who recently started working in our kitchen as a fry cook. We interviewed her as a possible replacement for Brian because she has a degree in the culinary arts and has restaurant experiences. She is interested in the position and will begin shadowing Brian in the near future to learn more about our

this issue

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Friday dining needs. We hope that the changes presented in regard to Club Manager and Brian's retirement from Friday night dining will transition smoothly.

The Manitowoc Yacht Club learned recently that it is our turn to host the Interclub Party. The Board has selected September 24th as a date for the Interclub Party. The rotation for hosting the event includes Yacht Clubs from Green Bay, Appleton, Fond du Lac, Sheboygan, and of course Manitowoc. More information about the event will be shared as planning progresses.

I am happy to say that Mike Haucke, our Vice Commodore will be returning to the area in early April. Mike has participated in a lot of Yacht Club meeting virtually to stay in touch with current events and needs. He is a very active member in our club and it will be nice working with him in person. As Mike comes back to the area, I will be leaving for about 2 weeks. My wife and I take an annual trek to Florida at this time of year. We will be back before Easter and before our

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Club Email:

General Questions
Email:
manitowocyachtclub@gmail.com

Attention Membership:

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

Reminder:

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

Committee News

Continued: From Commodore Dick

next Board/Membership meeting night.

Cindy (my wife) and I recently hosted a Hamburger/Chili Night. I want to thank everyone who volunteered to help with the event and want to thank everyone who stopped down for a bowl of chili and a burger. The bar was full the entire evening and we ran out of both chili and burgers. I love to see that type of member participation in club social activities. We have some really good social activities coming up this spring including Steak Night, Triple D's Barbeque Rib Night, and a special Mother's Day Champaign Brunch. Watch the bulletin board, the WAVES, and your email messages from the Yacht Club for details and opportunities to volunteer your service. Don't forget about Friday night dining. It is a great place to bring guests.

Please feel free to contact me at 920-242-2299 or at dnitsch1122@gmail.com if you have any questions or concerns. I would also enjoy hearing about the positive experiences that you have had while using your Manitowoc Yacht Club.

Apprentice News

By: *Mike Haucke—
Vice Commodore*

Steph Redner, the organizer, and host of Mother's Day Brunch, is looking for 41 volunteers, and she needs both apprentices and regular members to sign-up. This will be an excellent opportunity for Members and Apprentices to work together and get to know each other.

On April 1st, I will activate the Mother's Day Brunch electronic volunteer sign-up sheet at

<https://www.timetosignup.com/manitowocyachtclub/sheet/1327430/> You can also enter ttsu.me/brunch in your browser's address bar, and either one will take you to the volunteer sign-up sheet. If you've already signed up on the sheet that was on the bulletin board, you're good to go.

I will be sending out a Blast email with the Internet links, and you will be able to click on either one of them to go to the volunteer sign-up sheet.

Please volunteer and make this

another in a long history of successful brunches honoring our Mothers.

If you can't get to the Mother's Day Brunch electronic sign-up sheet or are not comfortable using the web-based sign-up, call me, and I will sign you up.

If you need volunteers for your Club event or have any questions about the Apprentice Program, you can reach me at mjhaucke@gmail.com or C: 206-818-7701.

Stay safe and healthy!!

Ladies of the Yacht Club

By: *Lynda Vaz-Smith, Vice President*

Good Day MYC Members & Apprentices: We, the Ladies of the Yacht Club meet on the 1st Monday of the month from September until May (except for January). All meetings are held at MYC beginning at 6:45 PM & end about 8 PM with Social Hour beginning at 5:45 PM. Only the May End-of-the Season dinner program is held outside the Yacht Club at the Courthouse Pub. Each month we host a meeting & program selected by the group. It is a wonderful way for all MYC Apprentices & Members to get involved, make new acquaintances, learn something new and have some FUN!

March program included the Quilters Guild, and it may have been cold outside, but they warmed our hearts by showing us their beautiful quilts, explaining their group, answering our many FAQs and more. It was quite interesting & informative.

For the April program, we will host another new apprentice, Renee's Chocolates & Popcorn of Two Rivers **"Everything is Better if it Includes Chocolates especially Renee's Chocolates!"** Social hour starts at 5:45pm and the meeting and program starts at 6:45pm.

Want to learn more about us please feel free to contact Sandie Murray, President at 1 (920) 323-6073 or Lynda Vaz-Smith, VP at 1 (207) 332-9237 or via email us at ladiesoftheyachtclub@gmail.com or better yet stop by any 1st Monday of the month. All members, apprentices, significant others & your guests are welcome to attend.

Hope to see you, Monday Evening 4-April 2022, social starting at 5:45 and meeting at 6:45.

Committee & Calendar Events

STEAK NIGHT**Tuesday, April 12th ~ 5:30-7pm**

You bring the meat, we supply the fixings: potato, beans, mushrooms, side salad, bun.

Charcoal Grills will be hot and ready for your use.

\$8 at the door-members and guests

Sponsored by : Eric Hanke & Brock Weyer

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.) www.manitowocoyachtclub.com/calendar.html

April 2022						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Dining 5-8pm Scallops April Fools Day	2 Private Parties *11-2pm & *4:30-???
3	4 Ladies of Yacht Club @ Club 5:45 Social Hr 6:45 Program	5	6 Smelt Fry CANCELLED	7	8 Dining 5-8pm Walleye	9
10	11 TRIVIA 7pm	12 Steak Night 5:30-7pm	13 4th on Shore Meeting 6:30pm	14	15 Dining 5-8pm Peel & Eat Shrimp	16
17 	18 TRIVIA 7pm	19 Board Meeting 5:30pm Membership Meeting 7pm	20	21	22 Dining 5-8pm Blue Gills 	23 Triple D Barbecue Ribs Night
24	25 TRIVIA 7pm	26	27 Hamburger/ Chili NEED HOST	28	29 Dining 5-8pm Chef's Choice	30 Private Party 5:30-10pm

Online Newsletters

There is an archive of past newsletters on our website.

Calendar & Upcoming Events & Reminders

Triple D's BBQ Rib Night Saturday, April 23rd - 4-7pm \$17.50/plate



**Ribs, homemade mac & cheese,
homemade baked beans, corn bread
casserole, rolls & dessert**



**You must sign up if you plan to attend.
Sign up sheet posted.**

This is a popular event at the club and we appreciate Don hosting this event for the club each year. *He cooks a mean rack of ribs!*

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May 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Private Party 12-6pm	2	3	4	5	6 Dining 5-8pm Coconut Shrimp	7 Private Party 1-4pm
8 Mother's Day Brunch Serving 10-1:00pm 	9 Ladies of Yacht Club- Courthouse Pub 5:00 Social Hr 6:00 Program	10 Steak Night 5:30-7pm	11	12	13 Dining 5-8pm Walleye	14 Private Party 1-8pm
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Reminder

Caution when entering and leaving the parking lot. Mariners Trail is very busy!

Also, please use the correct designated entrance and exit when arriving & leaving the club.



Committee News

Mother's Day BRUNCH

Have you made plans with the family yet for Mother's Day?? Probably not. She is the one that always takes care of those things, right? Well, let US help this year.

After many years, the Club is once again offering a Mother's Day Brunch. To be honest, it was so long ago that we did this, I couldn't find anyone that really remembered what we did, so let's just say we are RE-INVENTING this event, and we couldn't be more excited.

So get your reservations in early!

Sunday, May 8th

Three (3) Seating Times (maximum of 50 people each seating)

10:00 am (36 seats available)

11:30 am (FILLED)

1:00 pm (3 seats available)

Cost: \$15 per person, children 4 and under FREE

Reservation taken via sign-up sheet at the club up to April 20th.

A full variety of both breakfast and lunch entrees, salad bar and desserts await you. We even plan an omelet station. Of course, there will be champagne poured at the tables for the Mom's, (courtesy of Smokey Barbier Heating Inc.) and carnations for the ladies, (courtesy of Schneider and Schneider Construction).

Breakfast Items	Main Entrée Items	Other
Egg Scramble	Fried Chicken	Full Salad Bar
Omelet Station	Ham	Fruit
Sausage	Mashed Potatoes	Yogurt
French Toast	Noodles	Champagne at Table
Mini Bagels	Gravy & Meatballs	Dessert Table
Biscuits	Vegetables	

A Big thank you to you both for your sponsorship, helping keep our costs down, and providing a little something special for our members!

As we will be moving families in and out the day of event, it REALLY helps out the Hostess/Cashier if you could pay in advance for your group. Then when you arrive, all you need do is check in, and maybe enjoy a Bloody Mary or Mimosa at the bar before heading to your table.

Of course, pay at the door option will still be available, and we might even be able to accommodate walk-ins, but why risk that. Sign-up your group at the club **TODAY!!!** (You know that's what Mom would do!)

TAKE MOM SOMEWHERE TRULY SPECIAL THIS YEAR.... SHE IS WORTH IT

Thank you for your support, Committee Chairperson, Stephani Redner

Events and Information

Fourth on the Shore

Monday, JULY 4, 2022

ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS!!

The Fourth on the Shore is back and it promises to be a great event!

This is one of the few times that our club is open to the public, and has proven to be a good income source. It showcases the club to the community and can be a way to attract potential new members plus helps make the city wide celebration something special. To do this,

WE WILL NEED HELP FROM ALL CLUB MEMBERS!

Entertainment:

10:30 - 2:30

Dr. Bombay (with member Rod Scheuer)

3:00 - 7:00

FBI and the Untouchable Horns (back by popular demand)

Please consider chairing a committee, providing sponsorship or finding sponsors and/or working on the big day. We need everyone's help, not just apprentices.

All interested, please attend the organizational meeting on Wednesday, April 13th at 6:30 at the club.

Please come with ideas to help make this a terrific day for the club and community. Sign-up information will be available at the club soon.

If you can't attend but want to be involved, please contact Debbie Knox at (920) 684-9554 or dknox7_4@yahoo.com

SPONSORSHIP: Sponsors offset the rising costs we face for tents, electrical, parade, advertising and entertainment.

ARE YOU A LOCAL BUSINESS OWNER?

This is an opportunity for your business to gain exposure to community members as a sponsor of one of their favorite summer gatherings while assisting your club!

OR would you like to donate on behalf of:

A special anniversary

Someone's birthday

In memory of a friend or loved one

Any amount is appreciated! If you can help, please call or fill out the form included in this newsletter or pick one up at the club.

Plan to spend your fourth at the Club. Bring your family and friends!

See Page 7 for Sponsorship Form.

New Member Applications:

Sponsor:

Applicant:

Notice:

Burgee lapel pins for sale —\$5.00 each

Magnetic Name Tag for sale— \$10.00 each



Photo Page and Other Information

Board Secretary

The Manitowoc Yacht Club Board is seeking a member who would be interested in serving the Board as Secretary. The person accepting this position would be considered an officer of the board. The Office of Secretary is described as follows in the by-laws:

Section 8. Secretary: The Secretary shall:

- A. Keep the minutes of corporation
- B. See that all notices are properly given
- C. Be custodian of the corporate records
- D. Sign with the Commodore or Vice Commodore those items authorized to be signed by the Commodore
- E. Perform such other duties as are incident to the office of Secretary

The primary duties in the past have included taking notes, documenting the minutes of the meetings, and distributing the minutes as required in our by-laws. The Board Secretary has had some involvement with the preparation and distribution of the meeting agendas.

Please consider the vacated Board Secretary position. Because the person serving as the Board Secretary is considered to be an officer of the board, the position is not open to apprentices. Please note that the Board Secretary position generally takes only a few days per month to perform the required duties. You can express interest by contacting Dick Nitsch at 920-242-2299 or at dnitsch1122@gmail.com

Fourth on the Shore Sponsorship

We need your help to make this event a success. Please consider sponsorship as an individual for your business. If you know other business, please reach out to them.

Date: _____

* **NAME:** As you wish your name to appear on signage.

* **COMPANY LOGO:** Do you have a logo? Would you be able to send it to us via email or provide a clean copy to use?

* **BANNER:** Do you have a banner for the club to use? Banner to be dropped off or picked up?

* **SIGNATURE:** _____

Please make checks out to the **Manitowoc Yacht Club**. Drop it in the slot or mail it with this form to:

Manitowoc Yacht Club-4th Sponsorship
 815 Maritime Drive
 PO Box 744
 Manitowoc, WI 54220

Any questions, please contact: **Debbie Knox**
 Phone/Text: 920.684.9554
 dknox7_4@yahoo.com

Thank you so much!

HAMBURGER/CHILI ~ APRIL 27TH

**HOST NEEDED FOR THIS EVENT. PLEASE VOLUNTEER!!!
 WILL BE CANCELLED WITHOUT A HOST.**

**Friday Night Dining
 Receipt Monthly
 Winner:**

**March Winner:
 George Klein**

Reminders:

Please submit digital
 photos to:
manitowocyachtclub@gmail.com



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

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!

April Events

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| April 4 | Ladies of the Yacht Club 6:45pm, Social 5:45— NO TRIVIA |
| April 11 | Trivia 7pm |
| April 12 | Steak Night 5:30-7:00pm |
| April 13 | 4th on the Shore meeting 6:30pm |
| April 18 | Trivia 7pm |
| April 19 | Board Meeting 5:30pm, Membership Meeting 7pm |
| April 25 | Trivia 7pm |
| April 27 | Hamburger/Chili— NEED A HOST |

EVERY FRIDAY— DINING FROM 5:00-8:00

The Waves April 2022



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