



Westlake Yachting Club

“On the Black River”

Lorain, Ohio

Newsletter

June

2017

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MEETING REMINDER

WYC's Monthly Meeting
Next meeting: June 14th
at 7:00 PM
Location:

The Wheelhouse

The Monthly meetings are open to all members of Westlake Yachting Club. Members are encouraged to attend.

2017 Officers & Trustee's

Commodore: Rick Case

Vice Commodore: Capt Bill Robb

Rear Commodore: Kristy Cain

Treasurer: Bobby Rhodes

Secretary: Joyce Rhodes

Trustee's:

Ray Cogdell
Capt. Tim Brunk
Kevin Welch
Chad Bovero
John Sinclair
Chrissy Harrison

COMMITTEE MEMBERS FOR 2017

Finance Committee

Bobby Rhodes
Rick Case
Bill & Connie Robb
Kristy & Rick Cain

Commodore – Rick Case

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone that attended the Commodore's Ball. The venue was beautiful, the food was great and the music was fantastic. I believe from what I have heard everybody had a great time.

Every time I go into the Wheelhouse I am seeing new faces! Welcome to all new members. We are glad to have you join us. I would like to ask those that can to please get involved. We need your input and your ideas! Our members keep our Club going.

Rick Case
Commodore

Vice Commodore – Capt. Bill Robb

By the time you read this – the Commodore's Ball will be history!

We all had an AWESOME time! The food was great and the band was incredible! We all made some good memories!

Your WHEELHOUSE now has some new bar stools. There are enough for everybody! You will also see a greater selection of beers available on tap with our new beer towers. ENJOY!

Your Vice Commodore

Captain Bill Robb

Rear Commodore – Kristy Cain

Here we are in June, boats are in the water so let the summer weather, boating and fun begin.

Events at the club are going great; we are looking forward to the Steak fry with the band Nomad Soul on Saturday, June 3rd. Then on June 9th through the 11th there are several boats heading to the Huron boat basin. Hopefully we will see you there. I'm hearing a lot of the plans and it's going to be a blast.

House & Grounds

Bill & Connie Robb
Rick Case
Tim Brunk
Kevin Welch
Kristy & Rick Cain
John & Joanne Sinclair
Fred Stolzenfeld

Grievance**Hospitality**

Capt. Tim Brunk

By-Laws**Membership Committee**

Kristy & Rick Cain
Amy Brunk
Bill & Connie Robb
John and Joanne Sinclair

Ways and Means

Nancy Case

Entertainment

Rick & Nancy Case
Tim & Amy Brunk
Kristy & Rick Cain
Bill & Connie Robb
Kevin Welch
Bill Landers
John & Joanne Sinclair

Fleet Captain

Capt. Tim Brunk

COMMITTEE CONTACTS

Interested in helping out on any of these committees? Please contact Commodore Case. Vice Commodore Robb or Secretary Rhodes.

GCBA/ILYA DELEGATE

R/C Kristy Cain

WYC DIRECTORY

Mail changes to WYC, P.O. Box 3003, Lorain, OH 44052 or email Joyce Rhodes, secretary@westlakeyachtingclub.com

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please keep Jeff Ross son of P/C Wayne and Joanie Ross in your thoughts and prayers as he battles cancer.

Here is a reminder to all members, if you want to assist in any of the events or join any of the committees please stop a board member in the club or ask Teri to pass along the message. We would love to have you.

Kristy Cain
Rear Commodore

FLEET CAPTAIN - Tim Brunk:

Cruises for this year are set as follows:

Huron- June 8th -11th

Come one and all to a wonderful weekend of good food & good friends!

We have been given the opportunity to join Point Yacht Club for lunch Saturday Afternoon- Pulled Chicken with BBQ sauce sandwiches, Brat & Kraut sandwiches, Pasta Salad, Taco Salad and Scalloped Potatoes

Cost \$10.00 adult, \$7.00 Children. You will need to have your own drinks.

If you are interested please let Tim or Amy Brunk know immediately. Final count is due by Memorial Weekend!!!

Kelley's Island- July 13th- 16th
Olde River Yacht Club - Labor Day Sept. 1-4th

Cruise applications are available on our website.

WAYS & MEANS

If you are interested in some clothing, jackets, or hats with of any color and with WYC, your name or boat name, it can be ordered. NOTE: All regular & special orders need 50% down. You can now see some selections at Lake Screen Printing in Lorain.

Contact Nancy Case for catalog and orders.

MEMBERSHIP:

If you or someone you know would like to become an active or social member please ask Teri at the club for a membership packet or call Kristy at 440-.396-3460.

NEW MEMBERS:

Please welcome the following new members:
Todd Greggs – Active Member
Amy Graves – Social Member
Michael & Teresa Pollock – Social Member

Thoughts and prayers also to Cindy Tillman who is still in the hospital after a tragic motorcycle accident in April.

WHEELHOUSE NEWS:

June 9-11: Cruise to Huron

June 17: Deck Party

June 18: Father's Day Brunch

June 30: Rib Roast on the Deck - Entertainment

As always hours may change due to the crowd! If you are planning on bringing a large party in late at night, please check with Teri.

As Message from your Wheelhouse Manager:

Welcome back everyone! It's good to see everyone again! I'm looking forward to another great year. The Wheelhouse looks awesome and we have some great help this year. Thank you to everyone for all the hard work, we really needed a facelift! Everyone that comes in comments on how nice it looks.

I would like to give a big shout out to Bob and Joyce Rhodes for all their help in setting up the kitchen, washing all those dishes and training the staff! I don't know what I would do without them!! And of course for cooking up the corned beef that everyone raves about. If you haven't tried our Reuben sandwich yet, you don't know what you are missing!

I would also like to thank the Club for supporting me while I took my Servsafe class. **I PASSED!!!**

Teri

NEWSLETTER ARTICLES

Articles are **due by 20th** of the month. If you are interested in adding something to the newsletter please email it to secretary@westlakeyachtingclub.com. Any member can put an article in our Newsletter. It would be great to hear from you.

BUSINESS CARD ADVERTISEMENTS

Members with businesses can advertise in the WYC Newsletter for 12 months at \$25.00 a year. If your business would be interested in submitting a business card advertisement, please submit in jpeg format and email to Joyce Rhodes. Send check payable to Westlake Yachting Club, P.O. Box 3003, Lorain, OH 4403. Your advertisement will not be put in newsletter until payment is received.

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Newsletter, By-Laws
Lots of FUN!!!

CLASSIFIEDS:

Contact secretary@westlakeyachtingclub.com to place your ad.

A MESSAGE FROM BOATUS

The Five Seconds That Can Get a Boater Into Trouble

'If you're texting from the helm, you're likely not helming the boat'

ANNAPOLIS, Md., May 15, 2017 -The [National Highway Traffic Safety Commission](#) says that sending or reading a text takes your eyes off the road for five seconds. On waterways across the country, recreational boaters know that five seconds is a world of time to get into trouble. Unlike driving on a road, boats can approach from any direction, come in all shapes and sizes and move at different speeds. As part of National Safe Boating Week (May 20–26), the [BoatUS Foundation](#) urges boaters who bring smartphones aboard to be aware of the risk of distracted boating.

Good news/bad news: “Cellphones are the primary communication device for many boaters,” said BoatUS Foundation Assistant Director of Boating Safety Ted Sensenbrenner. “So while they’re important to all of us, we have to know how to use them wisely. If you’re texting from the helm, you’re likely not helming the boat.”

The stress of it all: Adding to the challenge and unlike automobiles, says Sensenbrenner, is boating’s unique stressors of sun, glare, wind, waves and vibration. Research shows that hours of exposure to these boating stressors produces a kind of a fatigue, or "boater's hypnosis" which slows reaction time almost as much as if you were legally drunk. Adding [alcohol](#) multiplies the accident risk.

4 tips to improve situational awareness: Cell phones, alcohol and other factors can hinder knowing what’s going on around you, or your “situational awareness.” Sensenbrenner says boaters can always improve their situational awareness by: 1. not texting while driving, 2. slowing down, 3. posting extra lookouts, and 4. waiting for your safe return ashore before enjoying alcohol.

If you’d like to learn more about safe, smart and clean boating, go to BoatUS.org.

WYC's Calendar of Events for 2017		
		<u>April</u>
Mar 25	Sat	Wheelhouse Cleanup 9am.
Apr 07	Fri	Wheelhouse Opening 3pm Friday & Saturday Only.
Apr 12	Wed	Club Meeting 7pm at the Wheelhouse
		<u>May</u>
May 06	Sat	Wheelhouse Grand Opening & Kentucky Derby Party
May 06	Wed	Black River Clean-up-Back Room
May 10	Wed	Club Meeting 7pm at the Wheelhouse
May 12	Fri	New Member Open House 6-8pm Entertainment by David Perrier
May 14	Sun	Mother's Day Brunch - Members Mom's eat free 9-1
May 20	Sat	Commodore's Ball at the Lorain Palace Theatre
May 27	Sat	Chicken BBQ on the Deck - Entertainment by David Perrier
May 29	Mon	Memorial Day - Wheelhouse Open 10am - Limited Menu
		<u>June</u>
Jun 03	Sat	Steak Fry Entertainment by Nomad Soul
Jun 9-11	Fri - Sun	Cruise to Huron
June 14	Tues	Club Meeting 7pm at the Wheelhouse
Jun 17	Sat	Deck Party - Country Night - Entertainment
Jun 18	Sun	Father's Day Brunch - Members Dad's Eat Free 9-1
Jun 23-25	Fri	Lorain International Festival
Jun 30	Fri	Rib Roast on the Deck - Entertainment
		<u>July</u>
July 01	Sat	Bloody Mary Bar 10am
July 01	Sat	Dinghy Poker Run
July 04	Tues	Fourth of July - Wheelhouse Open 10am - Limited Menu
July 12	Wed	Club Meeting 7pm at the Wheelhouse
July 14-16	Fri - Sun	Cruise to Kelley's Island
July 22	Sat	Lakeside Dock Party
July 29	Sat	Riverside Dock Party
		<u>August</u>
Aug 09	Wed	Club Meeting 7pm at the Wheelhouse
Aug 12	Sat	Pig Roast & Jimmy Buffet Night Entertainment Vicious Six
Aug 19	Sat	Karaoke Night on the deck with DJ David Perrier
Aug 26	Sat	Deck Party Entertainment by David Perrier
		<u>September</u>
Sept 01-04	Fri - Sun	Cruise to Olde River Yacht Club- Cleveland Air Show
Sept 04	Mon	Labor Day – Wheelhouse Open 10am with Limited Menu
Sept 09	Sat	Taco Night Entertainment with David Perrier
Sept 13	Wed	Club Meeting 7:00pm at the Wheelhouse
Sept 23	Sat	Clam Bake and Silent Auction Entertainment by One Hit Wonders
		<u>October</u>
Oct 07	Sat	Blast from the Past - Entertainment
Oct 11	Wed	Club Meeting 7pm at the Wheelhouse
Oct 14	Sat	Haul Out Party and Chili Cook Off - Entertainment
Oct 28	Sat	Halloween Party - Entertainment
		<u>November</u>
Nov 08	Wed	Club Meeting –7:00pm at the Wheelhouse
Nov 26	Sat	Wheelhouse Closed For the Season
Nov 27	Sun	Wheelhouse Cleanup and Winterize for the Season
		<u>December</u>
Dec 09	Sat	Christmas Party - TBD
Dec 13	Wed	Club Meeting – 7:00pm – TBD



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