



# Westlake Yachting Club

"On the Black River"

Lorain, Ohio

Newsletter

February

2015

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### MEETING REMINDER

**WYC's Monthly Meeting**  
**Next meeting: February 11th**  
**at 7:00 PM**  
**Location:**

**Jackalope Lakeside**

The Monthly meetings are open to every member of Westlake Yachting Club. All members are encouraged to attend.

### 2015 Officers & Trustee's

**Commodore:** John Lively

**V/Commodore:** Capt Jeff Robb

**R/Commodore:** Rick Case

**Treasurer:** Bobby Rhodes

**Secretary:** Joyce Rhodes

### **Trustee's:**

Ray Cogdell  
P/C Burt Bruehler  
Capt. Bill Robb  
P/C Virgil Rader

## COMMITTEE MEMBERS FOR 2015

### Finance Committee

Bobby Rhodes  
Pat Swagger  
Bev Sams

### House & Grounds

Bev Sams  
Joyce Rhodes  
Bobby Rhodes

### Grievance

## Commodore – John Lively

Hello Everyone,

The boat show has come and gone. I saw several members there on Saturday, it was a nice reminder that we're getting closer to boating season. This has got to be the only time in my life I've ever seen a \$100,000 pontoon boat...

The various committees are working to plan events, schedule entertainment, make cruise plans, etc. to ready the Club for the season. If you're interested in helping please contact any Board member.

The television behind the bar is being replaced and a new flat screen is being added to the dining area. I want to thank member Brad Jarvis and Fleet Captain Bill Robb for their cash donations to the TV fund and a thanks to Vice Commodore Jeff Robb for his donation of a 32 inch flat screen TV.

Please remember that your membership renewal is due by March 1st. The sooner you renew the easier it is for the Finance Committee to establish a budget for the year.

The invitations for the Commodore's Ball (March 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup>) have been sent out. If you plan on staying at the Holiday Inn either one or both nights you need to make your reservation by February 20th to receive the special room rate. Just mention Westlake Yachting Club when you call.

Respectfully,  
Commodore John Lively

## Vice Commodore – Capt. Jeff Robb

Well it's the beginning of February. We are one step closer to the boating season!

The Westlake Yachting Club is in the process of building our committees and setting our calendar for 2015. Again this is a great time for you all as members of the Westlake Yachting Club to get involved and help with the 2015 season.

## **Hospitality**

## **By-Laws**

## **Membership Committee**

## **Ways and Means**

## **Entertainment**

## **Fleet Captain**

P/C Robert Coffman  
Capt. Bill Robb

## **COMMITTEE CONTACTS**

Interested in helping out on any of these committees? Then contact the appropriate V/C or R/C.

House & Grounds, Finance,  
By-Laws

Contact: V/C Capt. Jeff Robb  
vicecommodore@

westlakeyachtingclub.com

Membership, Entertainment, Steak  
Fry, Clam Bake

Contact: R/C Rick Case  
rearcommodore@

westlakeyachtingclub.com

## **GCBA/ILYA DELEGATE**

## **WYC DIRECTORY**

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

## **PICTURE'S NEEDED FOR WEBSITE!!**

We are asking that anyone who  
has taken pictures at our event's  
please put them on a disk or email  
them to:

[webmaster@westlakeyachtingclub.  
com](mailto:webmaster@westlakeyachtingclub.com)

## **SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

As with all clubs the more members that participate in events and functions the more fun we all have.

Capt. Jeff Robb  
Vice Commodore

## **Rear Commodore – Rick Case**

No Article Submitted

## **BOAT CRUISES**

Robert Coffman - Power Fleet Captain

Capt. Bill Robb – Sail Fleet Captain

From Fleet Captain Robb:

I hope you're having a good winter and that your holidays were pleasant!

Also hoping that you were able to enjoy the Cleveland Boat Show! It is always fun to think BOAT in the middle of winter!

Your Club Officers are working hard to create a fun and exciting calendar of events for 2015!

While the idea of a fourth cruise weekend was tabled until next year – we have locked in our weekends for this year. We will again enjoy the Huron Boat Basin on Father's Day weekend June 18-21. Our mid-summer cruise weekend will be on July 9-12. And – our Cleveland cruise weekend will be Labor Day weekend September 3-6.

Good news! We will be able to visit Lakeside Yacht Club Labor Day weekend! You will all LOVE the amenities there! The wonderful folks there seem to be amazingly anxious to please! We will have a blast!

Email me at [capnbill@roadrunner.com](mailto:capnbill@roadrunner.com) with your comments & questions,

Thanks!

## **WHEELHOUSE NEWS:**

Wheelhouse is now closed for the season.  
See you in the Spring!

## **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. Check with Madelon Bruehler.

## **MEMBERSHIP:**

Membership renewals for 2015 have been mailed. If you did not get your renewal form please contact Secretary Rhodes at [secretary@westlakeyachtingclub.com](mailto:secretary@westlakeyachtingclub.com) or call (440) 308-6824.

**Remember your 2015 dues were due January 1, 2015. To avoid a late fee we must receive your dues by March 1, 2015.**

Please welcome the following new Active Members:  
Mark Bottone & Jacqueline Jakacki  
Ann & David Morova

## **NEWSLETTER ARTICLES**

Articles are **due by 20<sup>th</sup>** of the month. If you are interested in adding something to the newsletter please email it to [secretary@westlakeyachtingclub.com](mailto:secretary@westlakeyachtingclub.com). Any member can put an article in our Newsletter. It would be great to hear from our members!

## **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.

## **WYC Classified**

Email any items to sell in our WYC Classified section to [secretary@westlakeyachtingclub.com](mailto:secretary@westlakeyachtingclub.com)  
This is a great way to sell your unwanted items for FREE!

**Don't forget your Active Membership Benefits:**

Boat US Membership Discount Code # GA81748Y

GCBA/ILYA Privileges

Voting Rights

10% Discount off dockage at Spitzer's

Wheelhouse Privileges

Buy one meal and get one free (equal or lesser value) on

Wednesdays

WYC Cruises

WYC Events

Members Room Privileges

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By-Laws

Lots of FUN!!!





**Westlake Yachting Club**  
**Seventy Third Annual Commodore's Ball**

*You are cordially invited to attend the  
2015 Commodore's Ball for*

**Commodore**  
**John Lively**

*On Saturday, March 7, 2015*

*At the Holiday Inn Westlake,  
1100 Crocker Road, Westlake, Ohio*

*Cocktails and Hors D'oeuvres 1800 hours*  
*Dinner 1900 hours Ceremony 2000 hours*  
*Entertainment & Dancing following Ceremony*

*~ 2 Hour Open Bar~*

*Cash Bar After*

*Dress – Formal – Black Tie Optional*