



# Westlake Yachting Club

"On the Black River"

Lorain, Ohio

Newsletter

July

2015

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### MEETING REMINDER

**WYC's Monthly Meeting**  
**Next meeting: July 8th**  
**at 7:00 PM**  
**Location:**

### **The Wheelhouse**

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  
Capt. Bill Robb  
Kristy Cain  
John Sinclair

## COMMITTEE MEMBERS FOR 2015

### Finance Committee

Capt. Jeff Robb  
Bobby Rhodes  
Pat Swagger  
Bev Sams  
Capt. Bill Robb

### House & Grounds

Bev Sams  
Joyce Rhodes  
Bobby Rhodes

## **Commodore – John Lively**

Hello Everyone,

I want to first welcome our 2 new Trustees, Kristy Cain and John Sinclair, thank you both for joining the Board and volunteering your time.

I am happy to report that we are receiving new member applications every month and I expect that to continue. As a result of our new members and the continued patronage of our existing members sales in the Wheelhouse are up 30 percent versus last year.

Due to weather the Past Commodore Joey Gary Memorial Dinghy Poker Run is being rescheduled. Information will be sent out once we have a new date.

We have great events this month including Christmas in July. In the words of my friend, Joey Gary, Sea Ya,

Commodore John Lively

## **Vice Commodore – Capt. Jeff Robb**

Well weather has been very interesting through the month of June. However events at the club seem to be doing very well. Glad to see all of you out and trying to enjoy the weather we've had and I am looking forward to July.

I want to give special thanks to our fleet captain Wm Robb for putting together a great event at Huron last month. Seems like it was enjoyed by all who attended.

July is going to be a very busy month at the Club.

July 3 - Rib Roast on the Deck w/ DJ Dave  
July 4 - Bloody Mary Bar  
July 8 - Club Meeting  
July 10-12 - Cruise to Kelly's Island

**Grievance**

**Hospitality**

**By-Laws**

**Membership Committee**

**Ways and Means**

**Entertainment**

**Fleet Captain**

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  
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**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**

July 18 - Country Night w/ DJ Dave  
July 25 - Christmas in July w/ DJ Dave

Hope to see you all there!!

Capt. Jeff Robb

**Rear Commodore – Rick Case**

No Article Submitted

**BOAT CRUISES**

From the Fleet Captain:

Our first "Cruise Weekend" was a "carousing" success!

A total of 8 boats turned out for this wonderful weekend. We even had 8 "drive-in's" joining us. Partnering with the Pointe Yacht Club (from Cedar Point) we had great music all afternoon! The "Bloody Mary" bar was the best ever – and the food at our "pot-luck" dinner was to die for! Yummy!

The weather wasn't really a factor – since it was dry most of the days and rained at night mostly. We all had a blast!



Planning begins for Kelley's the weekend of July 9<sup>th</sup> through Sunday, July 12<sup>th</sup>. As we had to pay a deposit to assure dockage at Seaway Marina for this weekend – we need 10 boats. So ask your friends if they would like to come! They won't regret it!

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

Submitted by Sail Fleet Captain Bill Robb

## **WHEELHOUSE NEWS:**

Our full menu is now on our web page @  
westlakeyachtingclub.com

## **JULY CALENDAR:**

July 3: Rib Roast – Entertainment on the Deck  
July 4: Bloody Mary Bar 10am – Limited Breakfast Menu  
July 10-12: Cruise to Kelly's Island  
July 18: Country Night – Entertainment by David Perrier

## **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:**

Welcome to our new members:

**Active:** Joseph & Phyllis Dombrowski  
John & Carol Roberts  
John & Joann Sinclair  
Mike Bequette  
Dan & Lindsay Ling  
Jonathan & Robin Mathews

### **Social:**

M.C. Flanagan & Lori Leonhard  
Jim Lawhead

### **HarborWalk:**

Michael & Cheryl Cieslak  
Diana Velez & Grant Thornton  
Jeannette Silvasy & Joe Akosi

## **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!

## A MESSAGE FROM BOAT US

### **The Biggest Boating Weekend of the Year, And You Don't Have Any Kids' Life Jackets?**

ANNAPOLIS, Md., June 29, 2015 – The July 4<sup>th</sup> holiday is the biggest weekend on the water for boating and you don't have enough kid's life jackets for the little ones planning to come aboard for the fireworks and fun. What do you do?

Before you try putting a child in an adult life jacket, go to [BoatUS.org/lifejacketupdate](http://BoatUS.org/lifejacketupdate) to find one near you. It's the website for the BoatUS Foundation for Boating Safety and Clean Water's kids' Life Jacket Loaner Program that makes it easy to borrow a right-sized child's life jacket for the day, afternoon, or weekend at no cost. Now, in addition to sponsoring over nearly 600 local, free life jacket loaner sites across the country, they've included over 900 other loaner program sites on the map to give parents and boaters more options.

"It's the largest map of life jacket loaner sites in the nation," said BoatUS Foundation Outreach Manager Alanna Keating. "Finding a loaner life jacket has never been easier, and we help prevent the biggest two mistakes, which is going without or putting a child in a life jacket that doesn't fit."

Each year, the Foundation loaner sites lend out life jackets over 140,000 times.

To find a right-sized kid's life jacket near you, go to [BoatUS.org/loanermap](http://BoatUS.org/loanermap).

### **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.

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

Boat US Membership Discount Code # GA81748Y  
GCBA/ILYA Privileges  
Voting Rights  
10% Discount off dockage at Spitzer Marinas  
Wheelhouse Privileges  
Buy one meal & get one ½ off (equal or lesser value) on Wednesdays  
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WYC Events  
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