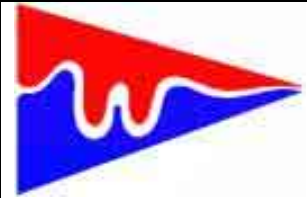


Newsletter
JUNE
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Westlake Yachting Club of Lorain, Ohio



ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEXT MEETING OF WYC

Date: June 8, 2005

Time: 1830 Hours Trustees

1930 General Membership

Place: Wheelhouse

The Trustees meeting is open to every member of Westlake Yachting Club. All members are encouraged to attend.

GCBA/ILYA DELEGATE

P/C Richard McKee

Please contact Mr. McKee for any GCBA/ILYA related issues at captm-mac@adelphia.net or 419-797-0019.

2005 FLEET CAPTAINS

Cruise applications were put in earlier editions of newsletter. If you need additional copies or information contact your Fleet Captains directly or check the website.

Power F/C – Jim Forberger at 440-949-2350 or

jforberg@imaginenet.net

Huron cruise is full – waiting list

Kelley's Island – 2 openings

Cedar Point – call 888-273-6257

Sail F/C Rick Vanek at

440-949-7182 or

Richard.Vanek@polyone.com

WAYS & MEANS

If you are in need of WYC Merchandise, please contact the following:

Beth Lusk at 440-734-5456 or

blusk@verafast.com

Connie Friess, 440-949-5040.

Letter from your Commodore

Boating season is finally starting! A lot of boats have disappeared out of the back lot and are back at home in the water! (unfortunately not mine yet).

We still need to put up the Past Commodore Board at the Wheelhouse.

We are looking forward to the Steak Fry and The Huron Boat Basin Trip in June.

The June meeting will be a General Membership Meeting following the Trustees Meeting. Hope to see you all there.

Commodore Roger Kubera

Rear Commodore – Beverly Sams

Our Steak Fry June 11th, is just around the corner, I still need volunteers to help out. If you would like to help out your club and make this function a success, call me or sign up at the Wheelhouse. See enclosed flyer for details.

I checked the sign up sheet in the Wheelhouse to see if anyone had signed up for the Basic Boating Course taught by United States Power Squadron. And there was no one on the list. I did receive an email from one of our members wanting their children to take a class. I will see what I can arrange for them.

We've filed an application on getting a Permit with the United States Coast Guard, for the Parade of Lights scheduled on June 25th. As of this newsletter, I have not heard anything back as of yet. Please check our website for further updates and application to participate. Jim Ehrman and Mike Lusk are on this committee, if you have any questions or can help in any way please call me at 440-324-6288 or email: bsams@eshores.com and put in the subject line, Parade of Lights.

Yours in Boating Safely, R/C Beverly Sams

COMMITTEE CONTACTS

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

House & Grounds, Finance,
Wheelhouse Management,
Hospitality (coffee & drinks for
cruises), Dinghy Poker Run

Contact: V/C Joey Gary
sailor_44052@yahoo.com
216-924-0153

Membership, Entertainment, Sail
Cruises, Power Cruises, Blessing
of the Fleet, Parade of Lights,
Waterway Cleanup, Steak Fry,
Clam Bake

Contact: R/C Beverly Sams
bsams@eshores.com
440-324-6288

VESSEL SAFETY CHECK'S

R/C Beverly Sams will be doing
Vessel Safety Check's for our club
members this year. Your boat
does have to be in the water. To
schedule your appointment call
440-324-6288 or see her on
Riverside Harborwalk Dock F-6.

WYC DIRECTORY

Please check your listing in the
directory and make corrections so
that we may have the correct
phone number, address, email,
boat name, dock number, what
Marina you dock at and whether
you are sail or power. We need
this information as soon as
possible before we print our new
directory. Mail changes to WYC,
P.O. Box 3003, Lorain, OH 44052
or email Joyce Ruf, Secretary at
jaye@kellnet.com with your
changes.

Wheelhouse news

Hours for the Wheelhouse starting May 18, 2005

Wednesday and Thursday	4:00 p.m. to ? ? ?
Friday	12:00 noon to 1:00 a.m.
Saturday	9:00 a.m. to 1:00 a.m.
Sunday	9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

All hours are subject to change due to weather and business conditions.

If you have any suggestions or ideas for the 2005 season, email them to Teri at wheelhouse_manager@westlakeyachtingclub.com

2005 MEMBERSHIP DRIVE FROM MAY 1 TO JUNE 30TH

**** RECEIVE \$100.00 OFF THE INITIATION FEE ****

The Westlake Yachting Club Membership Committee would like to ask all members to participate in increasing our membership. The initiation fee and dues with the \$100.00 discount would be \$350.00 payable to WYC. We will have applications available at the Wheelhouse, Spitzer Lakeside, website or contact R/C Beverly Sams – 440-324-6288, so arrangements can be made.

Also, WYC is pleased to accept a current membership in good standing of another I-L-Y-A affiliated yacht club in lieu of our initiation fee. If they qualify for this, they must send a copy of their 2004/05 membership card and a check for \$225.00 payable to WYC.

These applications must be received by WYC before June 30, 2005 to qualify for this year's new membership special. Remember this is your club and we all should work together as a team.

NEW MEMBER'S

The Commodore, Bridge and Trustee's would like to welcome aboard the following new members:

Bob & Debbie Imgrund 440-288-8989
425 Driftwood Dr., Lorain, OH 44052

Randall Robison & Sallie Thompson 330-352-6316
2247 Graham Rd., Stow, OH 44224

Jeff Eacott & Tracy Adkins 440-225-6269
325 W. Marina Parkway, Lorain, OH 44052

George Kussai & Julia Evans 440-775-1639
15415 Haulleur Road, Oberlin, OH 44074

FOR SALE

Need a Dingy for the 2nd Annual WYC Race July 2, contact Ron Buddie (440) 734-3699 he has a Seaworthy SW8.3 Rollup inflatable - \$450.00 w/ accessories: (2) oars w/ oar locks, foot pump w/ hose and nozzles, floorboards, (2) registration placards for sale.

4 large white fenders - \$10.00 each. Contact Russ MacNeal at 440-666-0054.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you know of a member that needs our thoughts and prayers please notify a flag officer or the Newsletter Editor.

POETRY FROM THE SEA

Would you like to give the newsletter a little "color" with words? If you have original poetry or essays with a nautical flavor that you would like to share with your WYC friends in upcoming issues of the WYC newsletter, I would love to hear from you.

FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER

Below are some of the committees that have been formed already and their members. If you have any questions or suggestions for these committees don't hesitate to contact them.

Membership Committee

Joyce Ruf	jaye@kellnet.com	440-245-7058
Keith Chafer	kchafer@apirax.com	440-244-4392
Bert Bruehler		440-322-1325
Joe George	jtgeorge550@yahoo.com	440-288-3122
Beverly Sams	bsams@eshores.com	440-324-6288

Entertainment Committee

Charles Ritley	trgcwr@aol.com	216-780-3639
Joyce Ruf	jaye@kellnet.com	440-245-7058
Virgil Rader	vhighlander@centurytel.net	440-949-2470
Teri Wysocki		440-245-2165
	Wheelhouse #	440-288-4801
Beverly Sams	bsams@eshores.com	440-324-6288

MEMBERS ONLY ADVERTISING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Members are invited to advertise items or place announcements in the "For the Good of the Order" section of this newsletter at any time, free of charge. Please submit advertisement or announcement to the editor. See below for contact information.

BUSINESS CARD ADVERTISEMENTS

We are researching how many members with businesses would be interested in advertising in the WYC Newsletter in future issues. If your business would be interested in submitting a business card advertisement for a small fee, please contact the editor. See below for contact information.

A NOTE FROM THE EDITOR

Articles are **due by 20th** of the month. Email to Kerry Buddie at kbuddie@cox.net

Questions or Comments about this newsletter should be directed to Beverly Sams at 440-324-6288 or bsams@eshores.com.

VISIT YOUR WYC WEBSITE

www.westlakeyachtingclub.com

For updates on the WYC Calendar, upcoming events, pictures, urgent updates, membership application, newsletter, bridge and trustee contact information, helpful links and much, much more!

Calendar of Events for 2005 <i>WYC EVENTS IN ITALICS</i>	
June 8	<i>WYC Trustees Meeting – Wheelhouse 1830 hours</i>
June 8	<i>WYC General Membership Meeting - Wheelhouse 1930 hours</i>
June 11	<i>WYC Steak Fry – See Flyer Enclosed</i>
June 17-18	<i>WYC Power Fleet Cruise to Huron Boat Basin</i>
June 24-26	Lorain International Festival
June 24-26	GCBA Summer Rendezvous – Huron Boat Basin
June 25	<i>Kid's Day at the Wheelhouse</i>
June 25	<i>Parade of Lights</i>
July 2	<i>WYC 2nd Annual Dingy Race</i>
July 4	Lorain Port Authority Fireworks
July 10 (Sunday)	Spitzer Dock Party – Lakeside Dockers Only
July 13	<i>WYC Trustees Meeting - Wheelhouse 1930 hours</i>
July 15-17	Port Festival – Black River Landing
July 16	<i>Taco Nite at the Wheelhouse</i>
July 17 (Sunday)	Spitzer Dock Party – Harbor Walk Dockers Only
July 29-30	<i>WYC Power Fleet Cruise to Kelly's Island</i>
August 10	<i>WYC Trustees Meeting – Wheelhouse 1930 hours</i>
August 19-20	<i>WYC Power Fleet Cruise to Cedar Point Marina</i>
August 26-28	<i>WYC Sail Fleet Cruise - Dock-of-the-Bay (Sandusky)</i>
September 14	<i>WYC Trustees Meeting - Wheelhouse 1930 hours</i>
October 12	<i>WYC Trustees Meeting - Wheelhouse 1830 hours</i>
October 12	<i>WYC General Membership Meeting - Wheelhouse 1930 hours</i>
November 9	<i>WYC Trustees Meeting location TBD – 1930 hours</i>
November 11-13	GCBA Commodore's Ball
December 2-4	I-LYA Fall Meeting at Sandusky Holiday Inn
December 14	<i>WYC Trustees Meeting location TBD – 1930 hours</i>