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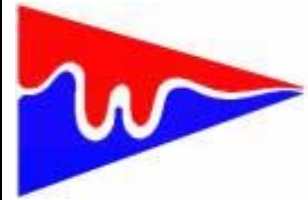
OCTOBER

2007

Westlake Yachting Club

“On the Black River”

Lorain, Ohio



ANNOUNCEMENTS

MEETING REMINDER

TRUSTEE MEETING
WEDNESDAY Oct. 10, 2007

1830 hrs / 6:30 P.M.

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP &
ELECTION MEETING

19:30 hrs / 7:30 P.M.

WESTLAKE YACHTING CLUB WHEELHOUSE

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

2007 Officers & Trustee's

Commodore: Beverly Sams

V/Commodore: Bob Sefcovic

R/Commodore: Keith Chafer

Treasurer: Bobby Rhodes

Secretary: Joyce Rhodes

Trustee's:

Burt Buehler
Ken Klein
John Lively
Mike Pollock
Richard Potash
A.C. VanDenBossche

Commodore – Beverly Sams

October 10, 2007 is our next General Membership meeting at the Wheelhouse. As always at this meeting we will be having an election for Board members who have terms that are expiring. A complete list of nominees is listed in this newsletter under Nominating Committee.

This is a very important meeting as you have the choice to vote for your Board members. Please plan on attending this meeting and make your choice heard. We have three General Membership meetings per year and we would like to see more of our members attend these important meetings. This is your club and we need your input!

I would like to extend my appreciation and many thank you's to Jim & Heidi Andrews, Ron Miller, the F Dock Crew at Lakeside, Wayne Ross, Joan Ross and many others that are listed in our Rear Commodore Article. Your efforts are very much appreciated in putting on the Annual Clambake & Silent Auction. What a great success.

Don't forget October 6th, which is a Saturday, the Jet-Express will be coming into Spitzer Riverside and in conjunction with I-LYA, we will be going to Put In Bay for the day. This is a fund raiser and open to anyone that wants to go. So ask your neighbors, docking partners, etc. to come along and enjoy the fun. Tickets are limited to 280 at \$55.00 a person. This information is also posted on our website, I-LYA's, Jet-Express websites and in Lorain Community Growth Newsletter. Remember get your tickets early or you'll miss out on a Day at the Bay.

The By-Laws Committee have been in the process of updating our present by-laws. The proposed changes will be voted on at our January 2008 General Membership meeting. A.C. VanDenBossche, Ken Klein, John Lively, Bert Buehler, Joyce Rhodes, Rich Potash and myself welcome any suggestions that you may have.

See you at the Jet-Express on the 6th and our Halloween Finale at the Wheelhouse on October 27th.

Yours In Boating Safely,

Commodore Beverly Sams



HAPPY HALLOWEEN!



COMMITTEE MEMBERS FOR 2007

Finance Committee

V/C Bob Sefcovic
R/C Keith Chafer
Bobby Rhodes, Treas.
Burt Buehler
Wayne Ross
Virgil Radar
Joyce Rhodes, Sec.

Management Committee

V/C Bob Sefcovic
Bobby Rhodes, Treas.
Joyce Rhodes, Sec.
R/C Keith Chafer
Mike Pollock, Trustee
Teri Wysocki, Mgr.

House & Grounds

V/C Bob Sefcovic
Ken Klein, Trustee
Mike Pollock, Trustee

Hospitality

Sue Taylor

By-Laws

A.C. VanDenBossche, Trustee
John Lively, Trustee
Richard Potash, Trustee
Ken Klein, Trustee
Ray Cull

Membership Committee

R/C Keith Chafer
Dan Lesko
Kevin Boggs
Mike Pollock, Trustee

Ways and Means

Nan Kubera
Barb Sefcovic

Entertainment

R/C Keith Chafer
Richard Potash, Trustee

Grievance

Mike Pollock, Trustee

Insurance

R/C Keith Chafer

Fleet Captains

Roger Kubera – Power
William Arnett – Sail

Newsletter

Beverly Sams

Vice Commodore – Robert Sefcovic

Ahoy All,

Summer has officially ended with the passing of the autumnal equinox. It's time to take our last cruises of this year and make our vessels ready for a long winters nap.

The clambake is now history. I hope everyone enjoyed a great meal. I can't say enough about the excellent job the gang from F-dock Lakeside does prepping and delivering the food. I want to especially thank Ron Miller and Jim Andrews for taking charge of this event.

Remember, October 10th is a general membership meeting. Please try to attend.

I would like to pass along get well wishes to John Lively, who, most recently suffered and survived a heart attack.

V/C Robert R Sefcovic

Rear Commodore – Keith Chafer

Last month I included a request for everyone to please get involved in the club, volunteer for a committee, attend the monthly meetings, help out at a function, etc, and if you have any good ideas for functions, improvements, etc, Please voice them.

Well, we had a great Clambake and Silent Auction and it was a real team effort with many people involved and helping out, so many that I hope I miss no one out, if so please except my apologies.

A BIG Thanks go to:

Ron Miller
PC Wayne and Joan Ross
Jim & Heidi Andrews
Debbie Kosovich & Bob Eustas
Bobby, Joyce, Morgan, & Rob Rhodes
Mike, Teresa, Meredith & Courtney Pollock
Nancy McGlone
Dave Grebeck & Kathy Hanna
Janey Salem
Linda Gary
Pam Madden
Kelly Kutsko
Darlene Rehder
Jim & Pam Miller
PC Virgil and Barb Rader
Paulette Ward
Pat Swagger
Barb Sefcovic
Carol Forberger
Dave & Annette Soule
Tom & Rachel Fogarty
Commodore Beverly Sams

GCBA/ILYA

Rich McKee

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 Bob Sefcovic
MRSEF@aol.com
330-656-3272

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

Contact: R/C Keith Chafer
kchafer@spirax.com
440-244-4392

GCBA/ILYA DELEGATE

Please contact Rich McKee for any
GCBA/ILYA related issues at
captmac2@verizon.net
or 419-797-0019.

WYC DIRECTORY

Mail changes to WYC, P.O. Box
3003, Lorain, OH 44052 or email
Joyce Rhodes, Secretary at
jaye@kellnet.com.

WAYS & MEANS

Barb Sefcovic at 330-656-3272 or
Nan Kubera at 440-835-1225 or
nkubera@verafast.com

PICTURE'S NEEDED!!

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

webmaster@westlakeyachtingclub.com

Rear Commodore – Keith Chafer cont'd

The food was excellent although Jim Andrews was wondering what happened to all the people who wanted Well Done Steaks last year, it appears that all the steak eaters, this year, wanted Medium Rare.

Joan's Silent auction was a big success, as usual, as was Wayne's wheel of fortune, and a new success was the Pollock's "Lucky Money" Tree that they organized and was one of their donations to the event.

Thanks to everyone else that also donated items for the Silent Auction, this is our biggest fundraiser of the year and it really helps the club, they included:

Commodore Beverly Sams
Vice Commodore Bob & Barb Sefcovic
Rear Commodore Keith Chafer & Nancy
Treasurer Bob & Secretary Joyce Rhodes (LSYC Gas Dock)
Trustee Mike & Teresa Pollock (Professional Auto & Truck Services)
Trustee Burt & Madelyn Bruehler
Trustee John & Deb Lively
Trustee Joe & Teresa George
P/C, & Power Fleet Captain, Roger & Nan Kubera
P/C Virgil & Barb Rader
P/C Wayne & Joan Ross
P/C Richard & Susan Taylor
P/C Rich McKee
Jim & Heidi Andrews (Jackalope Restaurant)
Jerry & Teresa Winiasz
Ray Cull
Georgette Sammons
Dorothy & Buddy Dovila
Greg & Tina Barricklow (Express Marine Services)
Jim & Carol Forberger
Pat Swagger
Joe Dzurenda (BRYC)
Endless Summer Store
El Castillo Grande Restaurant

Everyone had a great time and a Thank-you also has to go to Terri and the Wheelhouse Staff for their efforts as well.

Well the seasons almost over, however, in October, we still have the ILYA/WYC Jet Express trip to PIB to look forward to and the End of Season Halloween Party. Also we are organizing a WYC Hospitality Room for the Fall ILYA meeting at the end of November. Please participate in these fun events in any way you can.

Boat Safe or not at all.

R/C Keith Chafer



“ Quote ”

When life hands you lemons, ask for tequila & salt.

Don't forget your

Membership Benefits:

BoatUS Membership Discount

GCBA/ILYA Privileges

Voting Rights

5% Discount off dockage at Spitzer's

Wheelhouse Privileges

WYC Cruises

WYC Events

Members Room Privileges

WYC Newsletter

WYC Members Directory

WYC By-Laws

Lots of FUN!!!

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thoughts & Prayers go out to Trustee John Lively and Rich McKee.

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

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 next page for contact information.

NEWSLETTER ARTICLES

Articles are **due by 20th** of the month. Please email to Commodore Beverly Sams at: bsams@eshores.comn

Nominating Committee

The Nominating Committee chaired by Past Commodore Roger Kubera has duly posted in the Wheelhouse and Back Room the following nominations for Rear Commodore, Trustees, Treasurer and Secretary. The list of nominees is as follows:

Rear Commodore (Vote for only one)

Michael Pollock
Open – will take nominations from the floor

Trustee (Vote for Two)

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Treasurer
Robert Rhodes

Secretary
Joyce Ruf

Notice by Commodore Beverly Sams

Wheelhouse News

Active, Associate Members, Spouse, Significant other's, Deck & Wheelhouse, Social and Honorary Members, **shall** present their membership card before being served. All guests shall sign the register book.

Happy Hours will be Wednesday, Thursday & Friday from 4:00pm to 7:00pm.

Our 13 oz. blue stem wine glasses, with the imprint of Westlake Yachting Club and burgee are available for \$5.00 each, at the Wheelhouse.

BOAT CRUISES! BOAT CRUISES!!

All the boat cruises are behind us now, and they were all a very good time.

Next year we currently have Huron Boat Basin scheduled for June 13 & 14 and Kelly's Island for July 18 & 19. Cedar Point cannot be scheduled till after the first of the year. We are talking about the possibility of adding a fourth cruise - to Put-in-Bay. If anyone has any input, let us know.

Fleet Captain
Roger Kubera

DIRECTORIES ARE AVAILABLE:

Please contact, Secretary Joyce Rhodes for your directory and or corrections.

BUSINESS CARD ADVERTISEMENTS

Members with businesses can advertise in the WYC Newsletter for 11 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 Beverly Sams at bsams@eshores.com. Send check payable to Westlake Yachting Club, P.O. Box 3003, Lorain, OH 4403. Card will not be put in newsletter until payment received.

FOR SALE –

If you have items for sale, let the newsletter editor know before the 20th of the month. If items have been sold, please let the newsletter editor know.

Eaglet 8' dinghy – dark green, double hull, \$390 or best offer. Call Brian & Bev Boschen @ 330-608-7838.

Kawasaki Jet Ski STX-1200F, 4-cycle 3 seater, 2003, less than 25 hours total time. 60 MPH, \$6,500, firm. Call Brian & Bev Boschen @ 330-608-7838.

1998 Motorized Mini Scooter, Mitsubishi Ranger X-7 33cc, 2 cycle, like new, seldom used \$600.00. Call Beverly Sams 440-324-6288.

2 Fold-Up Silver bicycles w/ carrying case, 14" RO-LOC, like new, \$75.00 each. Call Beverly Sams 440-324-6288.

WAYS & MEANS

We have Tee shirts, golf shirts, sweatshirts, jackets, polo shirts, tank tops, hats, visors, tote bags, mugs, koozies and youth apparel. There are several "NEW" items in stock. If you want something in a different size or color or with something special on it - like your name or boat name, it can be ordered, just contact Nan Kubera 440- 823-3364 or Barb Sefcovic at 330-656-3272. All special orders need 50% down. Items in stock can be purchased from Terry at the Wheelhouse, Nan Kubera, Barb Sefcovic or see any board member.

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Mike Pollock, Owner

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There are witches in my mailbox. What am I to do?
I found them there this morning, doing things they shouldn't do!!
How the witches got there, I haven't got a clue.

But they won't be there much longer because I'm sending them to
YOU!!!!!!



October 2007

October 6 WYC with I-LYA -Jet to the Bay for the Day- 9:30 A.M. \$55 per person

October 10 WYC Trustees Meeting Wheelhouse – 6:30 PM

October 10 WYC General Membership Election Meeting Wheelhouse – 7:30 PM

October 27 Annual Halloween Party at Wheelhouse

November 2007

November 3 & 4 Wheelhouse Clean-Up

November 14 WYC Trustees Meeting at TBA – 7:30 PM

November 22 Happy Thanksgiving

December 2007

December 12 WYC Trustees Meeting TBA – 7:30 PM

WYC Christmas Party will be after this meeting. All members are welcome to attend