



Westlake Yachting Club

"On the Black River"

Lorain, Ohio

Newsletter

October

2013

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MEETING REMINDER

**WYC's Monthly Meeting
Next meeting: October 9
at 7:00 PM**

Location: Wheelhouse

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

2013 Officers & Trustee's

Commodore: Robert Coffman

V/Commodore: Norman Heppner

R/Commodore: John Lively

Treasurer: Bobby Rhodes

Secretary: Joyce Rhodes

Trustee's:

Ray Cogdell

James Forberger

Lawrence Nagy

Capt. Jeff Robb

John Gilles

Ruth Ann Jacops

Commodore – Robert Coffman

Summer is winding down and it is hard to believe the Wheelhouse will be closing this month. We still have the Halloween party on October 26th. I want to thank R/C Lively for the great events he planned this season. The new events were fun and very well attended. Again, thanks John for all your hard work! A big thanks to all the members who helped with the events and the ones who attended them! I also want to thank Fleet Captain John Gilles for his work on the cruises this season. There is a lot of work involved in these events.

Our next meeting is October 9th. This is an election for your 2014 Officers. It certainly would be nice to see more members attending these meetings to voice your feelings and ideas. We need your input to keep your club going.

Commodore Coffman

Vice Commodore – Norman Heppner

The season is coming to a close and we still have a couple of good activities left. Hope everyone has enjoyed all the good functions that Rear Commodore Lively has put together. The Halloween party should be enjoyable. Costumes are required. I have notified everyone that was at the last meeting about the Commodores Ball. The date is February 28, and March 1 and 2nd. Please try to put this in your calendar. It will be at the Holiday Inn In Westlake at I90 and Crocker Roads. There will be a hospitality room for Friday and Saturday. We are going to get a bunch of rooms set aside for the Westlake Yachting Club members.

Thanks
V/D Norm Heppner

Rear Commodore – John Lively

What a great month September was. The final cruise was Labor Day weekend to Edgewater Yacht Club, they were very accommodating to us, Friday night Alex Bevan was the entertainment and the food and drink were very good. John Gilles did a great job organizing the cruise and activities. If you haven't gone on a cruise I encourage you to try it. You'll be hooked. Mid-month we had the Reverse Raffle/Italian Dinner night and it was very well attended. I believe everyone enjoyed the evening and I will say now that we will have the dinner catered by someone else, most likely Gallucci's in Cleveland. Congratulations to the winners.

We finished the month with the Annual Clambake/Silent Auction, in spite of an equipment malfunction I think everything went great. The food was good, Woodshop is a really good band and we had a bunch of donations for the auction.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS
FOR 2013

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Bobby Rhodes
Jeff Robb
Pat Swagger

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Bev Sams

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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 Norman Heppner
vicecommodore@
westlakeyachtingclub.com

My plan by the middle of the month is to have our "club survey" to you. It will only take a few minutes to fill it out so please do. What we're looking for is constructive criticism, new ideas, things you like and things you don't like. Enclosed will be a self-addressed stamped envelope so it costs only a little of your time to get it back to us.

Now that our "backroom" events are over I want to tell you I truly enjoyed serving you as Rear Commodore. It was a challenging, learning and rewarding experience. Obviously I did not do this on my own. I had help all year starting in January and February when we started meeting and planning events and it has carried on throughout the season. I'm not going to try to name everyone that helped because I'll miss some names. You all know who you are. THANK YOU SO MUCH, without you our success would not be possible.

Respectfully,
R/C John Lively

WYC Election

Elections for your WYC 2014 officers is on October 9th at the monthly club meeting. All active members are encouraged to attend this meeting to make your vote count.

Nominees are:

Rear Commodore:	Capt. Jeff Robb
Treasurer:	Robert Rhodes
Secretary:	Joyce Rhodes
Trustee:	Richard Case
Trustee:	William Robb

Wheelhouse News for October

9 Club Meeting & 2012 Elections – 7:00 pm at the Wheelhouse
26 Halloween Party and Raffle – Entertainment

Winding down the 2013 Island Season!

October on Put-in-Bay:

11-13 The 19th Annual Island Oktoberfest
18-19 The Wake at the Roundhouse Bar
25-26 Halloween Boo Bash at the BAY!!

October on Kelley's Island:

12 22nd Annual Thanksgiving Dinner at Bat the Moon
12 Chili Cook Off at KI Brewery
26 Adult Halloween weekend on the Island

BOAT CRUISES

Our Fleet Captains are now in the process of setting up cruises for next season. If you have any suggestions please don't hesitate to contact them.

John Gilles - Power Fleet Captain
Capt. Jeff Robb - Sail Fleet Captain

Membership, Entertainment, Steak
Fry, Clam Bake

Contact: R/C John Lively
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GCBA/ILYA DELEGATE

John Lively

WYC DIRECTORY

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3003, Lorain, OH 44052 or email
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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

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

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
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Articles are **due by 20th** of the month. If you are interested in adding
something to the newsletter please email it to living4678@yahoo.com.

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. Card will not be put
in newsletter until payment received.

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Email any items to sell in our WYC Classified section to
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