

SUN PARLOUR BOAT CLUB

Ship's Log - March 2024



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Immediate
Past Commodore



Vice Commodore



Commodore



Secretary

Gary Frowley
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Membership



Fleet Captain



Rear Commodore



Treasurer



Communications

I warned them I needed recent pictures for the Log (no offence to anyone)



When

Event

Where

Mar. 16
Mar. 29



St. Patrick's Day Dinner
Good Friday Fish Fry

SPBC Clubhouse
SPBC Clubhouse

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Marilyn St. Pierre



Commodore's Report

Hello everyone. It was great to see so many of you at the AYC weekend. Watching all the 2023 class jump into the pool meant it was officially the end of their year. Congratulations to all of the 2023 class they all did a great job representing their clubs. Hope 2024 is a great year for everyone.

There was an event planning meeting held at the end of February and I want to thank everyone involved for taking care of that while I was on Vacation.

The AYC cruise is just around the corner, hoping everyone has a safe and memorable trip. Membership cards were mailed out so if you didn't get a renewal for your membership let Gary Frowley know. He is doing a great job with the memberships.

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Chris Amlin



Vice Commodore's Report

No Report



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Scott Pillon



Rear Commodore's

Report

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Jerry Taylor



Fleet Captain's **Report**

Hello everyone and welcome to March, the month we all start thinking about getting the boats ready. We had some very special visitors to the Clubhouse on Thursday February 22. The 2024 AYC Commodore Tim Ames, PC Greg Pogo, Fleet Captain Jason Miller, Harbour Master and Board Director Frank Pullen, all from Elba-Mar Boat Club. They just couldn't wait to come for a visit and to steal our burgee. Board members and a dozen members or so showed up to welcome our good friends and boating neighbors from the U.S. and to share some food and refreshment. I am pretty sure they all had a great time. Thanks for coming.

We had our annual Events Planning Meeting Sunday February 25th and it was nice to see so many members show up with some great ideas. A big thank you to Gina and Mark Muskat for dropping off a wonderful pasta salad. We have a full slate of events planned, so check it out.

We hope you plan to attend as many events as you can.

If you ever have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at jtaylorspbc2012@gmail.com;

2024 AYC Poker Run Schedule

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|----------------------------|---------------------|
| Toledo Sailing Club | June 14 - 16 |
| Swan Boat Club | July 5 - 7 |
| Elba Mar Boat Club | July 12 - 14 |
| Nugent Canal Y C | Aug 2 - 4 |
| Bayview Yacht Club | Aug 16 - 18 |



Pat Brough



Immediate Past Commodore's **Report**

The Associated Yacht Clubs Ball celebrating the end of the 2023 Commodore year was held in mid-February. Sun Parlour Boat Club had a great turnout of members and I know they all had a wonderful time. My Commodore year officially ended with the famous "pool jump" at midnight which was "refreshing". PC Gerry Veerman and I set up a hospitality suite in our room for our members. Thank you to our Rear Commodore Scott Pillon for managing the crowd while we had other obligations to attend to. The fake "poop" on the ceiling above our bed was an indication of the shenanigans that went on while we were out. Thank you also to Mary & Marsha for "having our back" and to all those who helped with our very busy breakfast Saturday morning. I heard nothing but compliments from the other AYC clubs about how much fun they had with our members who visited their suites.

I was proud to serve and represent our club in the AYC and have made hundreds of new friends in the past couple of years. I will soon be traveling with those friends as about 300 of us leave for a Caribbean Cruise next week. I look forward to many more years of shared experiences with my 2023 AYC Commodores.

According to the groundhog, spring is springing soon, and soon we will be getting ready for the season and I know everyone is looking forward to it.



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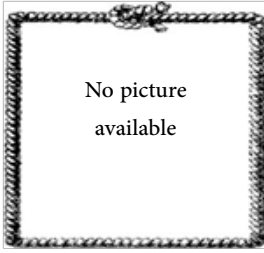
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Gary Frowley

Membership Chair

Report

Good news! We are still picking up some new members and it looks like 2024 will be a terrific year. I am having very few issues with e-transfers which is the payment method of choice and we still receive some cheques, but not many. At this time I am only waiting for about another 30 renewals which is very good for the club. To make things easier this year, we have been mailing out 2024 membership cards to our paid-up members rather than making you pick them up.

With this beautiful weather members are thinking of spring and getting ready for launch time. Have a great spring!

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Rick Ingalls



Communications

Report

If you check out the last page of this Ship's Log you will see the list of events that have been proposed by the people attending our Events Planning Meeting. This is a great start and will grow once we have input from our Commodore and the owners of Holiday Harbour with their own proposals. It will also be tightened up once our destinations are confirmed and particulars surrounding the events are formulated.

ALL WE NEED NOW IS YOU!

A club can only survive by the participation of its members and we have a strong membership but, many times, a poor attendance at our events. This year our focus is to give back our excesses to the membership in the form of keeping costs down to a bare minimum of profit and encouraging family participation as much as possible, so, don't let our efforts be in vain and please support your club. Also, if you see an event that you can attend and would like to help out, please reply to the email and I will pass it along to the person organizing the event to accommodate you.

This communications post is meant to inform and encourage the members to come out and be part of the club, a rather thankless job and one that seems to be failing, so, prove me wrong, enjoy Sun Parlour Boat Club, don't just use it.

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Put on your Green for St. Patrick's
Day

Corned Beef & Cabbage
Dinner

Saturday, March 16th at 6 pm

SPBC Clubhouse, Holiday Harbour Marina

Dinner includes corned beef, cabbage, potatoes.

Donations of salads and desserts will be appreciated

Cost: \$17.00

Friends and Family welcome!

Please bring a can for Fr. Stan



Good Friday Fish Fry

at



- When** Friday, Mar. 29 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm
- Where** SPBC Clubhouse
- Cost** \$25. per person
- Dinner** 8 to 10 oz. pickerel dinner with coleslaw,
french fries, dinner roll and slab cake dessert

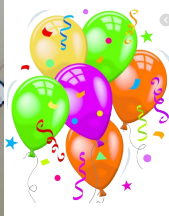
Please register in advance, at least by the Wednesday before the event and dessert donations would be appreciated, but not necessary.

Dinner will be served on a 1st come basis as meals are cooked to order and we're looking for 3 or 4 people to help serve

Dinners will be plated BYOB

If you remember, please bring a can for Fr. Stan

Contact spbccommunications@gmail.com



March Birthdays

| | |
|------------------|---------|
| Shelly Mino | Mar. 1 |
| Tina Gelinas | Mar. 1 |
| Dave Wright | Mar. 6 |
| Bob Cikalo | Mar. 8 |
| Kelly McConville | Mar. 9 |
| Chantelle Miller | Mar. 11 |
| Kathy Sinclair | Mar. 14 |
| Keith Postma | Mar. 15 |
| Jo-Anne Ediger | Mar. 16 |
| George Olijnyk | Mar. 17 |
| Lorene Cryowski | Mar. 17 |
| Margaret Bowers | Mar. 22 |
| Trina Margos | Mar. 23 |
| James Miller | Mar. 23 |
| Bill Woods | Mar. 24 |
| Helene Marwood | Mar. 24 |
| Chris Amlin | Mar. 26 |
| Chris Lesperance | Mar. 28 |

March Anniversaries

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| Shawn & Karen Dunn | Mar. 22 |
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Past Commodores

| | |
|---------|-----------------|
| 1968/69 | Jerry Rice |
| 1970/71 | Lyle Blonde* |
| 1972/73 | Shad Richard* |
| 1974/75 | Ted Bulmer* |
| 1976 | Orv Mackey* |
| 1977 | Bob Morley |
| 1978 | George McKee* |
| 1979 | Stan Beneteau* |
| 1980 | Jack Northwood* |
| 1981/82 | Mike Martin* |
| 1983/84 | Ken Thoms* |
| 1985/86 | Bob Walker |
| 1987 | Murray Byers* |
| 1988 | Al Kersey* |
| 1989 | Gerry Murphy* |
| 1990 | Vera Haller |
| 1991 | Jack Robertson* |
| 1992 | John Glover* |
| 1993 | Brian Hale |
| 1994 | Drew Paupst |
| 1995 | Steve Willing |
| 1996 | Bill Fairlie |
| 1997 | Bob Coulter |
| 1998 | Sue Laporte |
| 1999 | John Taylor* |
| 2000 | Don Gulick |

* Denotes Deceased

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|------|-----------------|
| 2001 | Jim Cyrowski |
| 2002 | Dave Wright |
| 2003 | Gary Frowley |
| 2004 | Gary Coles |
| 2005 | Chris Amlin |
| 2006 | Bill Woods |
| 2007 | John Bowers* |
| 2008 | Marty Zamparo* |
| 2009 | Shawn O'Neil |
| 2010 | Reg Major |
| 2011 | Sharon Amlin |
| 2012 | Jerry Taylor |
| 2013 | Matt Morrison* |
| 2014 | Reg Major |
| 2015 | Doug Potier |
| 2016 | Keith Postma |
| 2017 | Izzie Dulmage |
| 2018 | Rick Ingalls |
| 2019 | Neil Bastien |
| 2020 | Bill Deans |
| 2021 | Dan Fitzpatrick |
| 2022 | Gerry Veerman |
| 2023 | Pat Brough |

Flag Officers

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|----------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Commodore | Marilyn St. Pierre | 519-988-9695 |
| Vice Commodore | Chris Amlin | 519-978-0607 |
| Rear Commodore | Scott Pillon | 519-980-6357 |
| Fleet Captain | Jerry Taylor | 519-919-3487 |
| Immediate P/C | Pat Brough | 226-345-0101 |

Directors

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|---------------------|-----------------|--------------|
| Communications | Rick Ingalls | 519-735-7345 |
| Recording Secretary | Susan LaPorte | 519-738-1147 |
| Treasurer | Margaret Bowers | 226-246-1392 |
| Membership | Gary Frowley | 519-919-6827 |
| Fleet Chaplain | Fr. Stan Fraser | 519-919-0678 |



| When | Event | Where |
|-----------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Mar. 16 | St. Patrick's Day Dinner | SPBC Clubhouse |
| Mar. 29 | Good Friday Fish Fry | SPBC Clubhouse |
| Apr. 19 | General Membership Meeting | SPBC Clubhouse |
| Apr. 21 | AYC Bowling | Monroe Sports Centre, Monroe MI. |
| Apr. 27 | Cheeseburger or Meatloaf Dinner | SPBC Clubhouse |
| May 4 | Kentucky Derby/Cinco de Mayo | SPBC Clubhouse |
| May 17,18, 19 | Shakedown Cruise | TBD |
| May 25 | Opening of the Ports | Maumee River Yacht Club (to be conf) |
| May 26 | Blessing of the Fleet | Detroit River/Holiday Harbour |
| June 6 | Peameal Bacon Dinner | SPBC Clubhouse |
| June 8 | Opening of the Island | Ford Yacht Club |
| June 22 | Family Day | SPBC Clubhouse |
| June 28,29,30,1 | Canada Day Rendezvous | Cove Marina (to be confirmed) |
| July 5,6,7 | Swan Boat Club (Poker Run) | Swan Boat Club |
| July 20 | Dinghy Poker Run (to be confirmed) | Detroit River/Holiday Harbour |
| July 24 -> 28 | ILYA Power Boat Regatta | Put in Bay, Ohio |
| July 27 | Christmas In July | Holiday Harbour |
| Aug. 10 | Dinghy Poker Run (to be confirmed) | Detroit River/Holiday Harbour |
| Aug. 11 | SPBC hosted Breakfast | Holiday Harbour Pavillion |
| Aug. 24 | Dinner & Murder Mystery | Holiday Harbour Pavillion |
| Aug. 30,31,1 | Labour Day Getaway | Toledo Sailing C or Maumee River YC |
| Sept. 6 | General Membership Meeting | SPBC Clubhouse |
| Sept. 8 | AYC Golf | Eagle Landing GC, Oregon OH. |
| Sept. 13,14,15 | Sun Parlour Boat Club Regatta | Holiday Harbour grounds |
| Sept. 27 | TGIF | SPBC Clubhouse |
| Oct. 5 | Chili Cookoff & Games | SPBC Clubhouse |
| Oct. 19 or 26 | Membership Appreciation Night | location TBD |
| Nov. 16 | Commodore's Ball | TBD |
| Dec. 13 | Change of Watch | SPBC Clubhouse |

Note* More dates to be added after conferring with Holiday Harbour management