

# THE MARINER



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April 2020

Hello Everyone,

I hope this short note finds all of the Miamogue family healthy in these troubling times. March was a difficult month for all of us and I hope and pray that in the next two to three weeks that we can have some normalcy back in our lives. As you all know the club house is closed until further notice, however the yard is open to allow members to work on their boats. I had a porta potty delivered for your convenience. Please keep it clean!

Spring is somewhat here and members are starting to show up to work on their boats. Once again I ask that all members follow the rules regarding your launch forms and proper insurance coverage. Your insurance bill is not the correct form of "proof of insurance". Your declaration page is the copy we need with the Miamogue Yacht Club named as additional insured. If you have contractors working on your vessel in or out of the water it is the boat owners responsibility to ask for proof of insurance as well naming Miamogue as additional insured. This is for the protection of all members and shouldn't be as difficult as some members make it. Please communicate with the proper committee if you have questions on procedure.

Incidentally, all parties are cancelled until the club reopens due to the current crisis we are facing. In the coming weeks we will be opening the gas dock for a few hours on designated days for anyone that needs gas, time and dates to be announced.

Upcoming events;

April 10<sup>th</sup> Ladies annual fish fry starting at 5pm (**cancelled**)

April 4th Kids Easter Party (sign up at bar) (**cancelled**)

End of Corona Virus Bash (to be announced!!)

Next General Body Meeting April 28 @ 7 pm. ???

Your Commodore,

Scott Gorton

## *Secretary's Message*

If you have any correspondence for the Board, need gate cards or have a change to your contact information please e mail me at [tkbeggiii@aol.com](mailto:tkbeggiii@aol.com). New member applications will have the back ground checks done, but interviews will be hold for now. This will be the best way to communicate until the Club house is open again. (yes it will happen). Best therapy for these times- GET THE BOAT READY TO GO IN ! To maintain social distancing consider Saturday everyone work on the port side and Sunday the Starboard side.

## **Good & Welfare**

*As I sit and write this month's newsletter submission, like many of you, I am doing this from a home office. Life seemed a bit simpler just a few short weeks ago – thinking about my much needed and anticipated vacation, getting the boat ready for the season, etc... Today we are living in a world of uncertainty as we join together to battle an invisible enemy and “flatten the curve” by social distancing & staying apart from family and friends; something that feels very unnatural. To those of you on the front lines, especially our healthcare workers, thank you! We'll continue to pray for you & for a way through safely to the other side of this global pandemic; hopefully sooner rather than later.*

*We extend our sympathy to Dave Simon on the passing of his mother. Our deepest sympathy to Bill Chapman and his family on the passing of his wife, Dawn, after a courageous battle. Our deepest sympathy is also extended to Joe Vitale and his son Jack on the unexpected passing of his wife, Vicki.*

*Our sympathy is extended to the family of Jay Kowalski on his passing after a long battle with cancer. Jay will be very much missed by so many of us at the club. Our sympathy is expressed to Ron Delmonico on the passing of his mother and sympathy is extended to the Gagnon family on the passing of Ernie this past week. Please continue to keep our friends that have fallen on hard times or illness in your thoughts & prayers.*

*If you have any news for Good & Welfare, please contact me at 203-394-7122 or [kah1370@aol.com](mailto:kah1370@aol.com). Until next month, be well & be safe!*

*Karin Hope*

*Good & Welfare Chairman*



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