THE MARINER

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From the Commodore

July 2019

Hello Everyone,

It's hard to believe that it's already the fourth of July and nearly all of the boats have been launched. I feel that the yard, docks and club house are in good shape but as always there is work to be done all around our club. Members that need work hours should be contacting the dock master, yard master, and our house chairman for projects that we need to accomplish. Work hours will be strictly enforced this year so please don't wait until November to fulfill your obligation to your club.

I would appreciate it if more members used common sense and respect other members when parking their vehicles in the yard. If you have a large vehicle, have friends coming down, or you are going to be on the water for a long period of time to kindly use the back lot and not the black top. Also on the note of common sense and respect for others, when using the fuel dock it is imperative not to tie up in the middle of the fuel dock prohibiting other members from tying up. It's very irritating and we hear about it constantly. One other note on common sense, fireworks are illegal and should never be lit on our docks!

Please be advised that no one is allowed to access the club after hours for any reason. By doing so sets off our alarm system and the alarm company calls your commodore and others in the middle of the night as well as the Bridgeport Police. If the clubhouse is locked do not enter!

We are part of the boating community in this area and I ask that you be polite and respect members from other clubs as well as the boating public in general. You never know when we will need a helping hand from others.

Upcoming events; July 14th Black sea bass and Porgy contest, Let's have a safe and happy boating season. Next general body meeting 7/23/19

Your Commodore, Scott Gorton

Secretary's Message

6 Ways Boaters Can Be Green This Summer

https://www.boatus.com/pressroom/release.asp?id=1523&utm_source=clubs&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=pa_conte_nt_

Boaters Aren't the Only Ones Getting Heavier: Outboard Engines Catch Up

https://www.boatus.com/pressroom/release.asp?id=1525&utm_source=clubs&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=pa_content

Recalls, Bulletins and Advisories Explained

https://www.boatus.com/pressroom/release.asp?id=1491&utm_source=clubs&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=pa_content

Video: Ships vs. Boats - How Close is Too Close?

https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLSrVa8gUFaPz0HZuOugwKTTYEQEHjhCYh&utm_source=clubs&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=pa_content

Good & Welfare

Summer officially arrived on June 21^{st} , boats are in the water & the weather is trying to cooperate. I am praying for some great boating weather – plenty of sun & fun!

We extend our sympathy to Max and Marco Torri on the passing of their father. Our deepest sympathy is extended to Sean & Jean Walsh on the passing of Jean's brother. Our sympathy is extended to the family of Dick Denhup who passed away in June. Dick was a life member. We also express our deepest sympathy to Doug & Pam Ewing on the loss of Pam's mother. As always, please keep our friends that have been ill or fallen on tough times in your thoughts and prayers.

As we move through spring & into summer, we will be celebrating the academic achievements of our MYC children. If you know of any kids graduating this year or receiving some sort of academic award, (college, high school, middle, etc...) please let me know so we can wish them congratulations. I'm excited to say that again we have some impressive youngsters to recognize in this newsletter. These 4 are especially near & dear to my heart as I have had the privilege to watch them grow up and have been a part of their lives either as an instructor, as a family friend, as a mom or a combination thereof.

Congratulations to Andy Berger. Andy graduated from West Haven High School with Highest Honors. He will attend Housatonic Community College in the fall and will study advanced manufacturing. Andy is the grandson of Tom Hardiman.

Congratulations to Mitchel Ewing. Mitchel graduated from Pomperaug High School. Mitchel will be attending Champlain College in VT in the fall and will be pursuing a degree in Finance.

Congratulations to Maggie Hope. Maggie graduated from Trumbull High School, Agriscience and Biotechnology Center with a major concentration in Equine Science. She has been awarded the FFA Proficiency Award for her 4 year SAE project in Equine Science Entrepreneurship. She will be attending Cazenovia College in Cazenovia, NY in the fall. She will be studying Equine Business Management with certification in Equine Reproduction.

Congratulations to Thomas Dalton Jr. Tommy graduated from Amity Junior High School and will be attending Amity Regional High School next year.

And finally, congratulations to the parents of these amazing young adults!! How proud you must be on your children's amazing accomplishments. I know I am!

If you have any news for Good & Welfare, please contact me at 203-394-7122 or <u>kah1370@aol.com</u>. Karin Hope, Good & Welfare Chairman

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From the Fleet Captain

The Cedar Island Marina Calypso pool party is on the weekend of July 27, Very nice amenities and a good time. For reservations contact Michelle @ 860 669 8681. To see online www.cedarislandmarina.com

The Columbus Day weekend at Milford Landing. The last group getaway the weekend of October 12. Lots of fun with a huge dock party. Contact Ray @ 203 874 1610

FROM THE VICE COMMODORE

The 4th of July is a great holiday for FIREWORKS to be enjoyed by all the members and their families.

Just NOT ON THE DOCKS or club property! This is a major safety concern. A fire would be devastating to not only other members property but also to the many families that sleep on their boats.

PLEASE LEAVE YOUR FIREWORKS AT HOME!

ABSOLUTELY NO FIREWORKS ARE ALLOWED AT THE CLUB!

Chris Tearne

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14 Black SeaBass/Porgy Contest

August

- 4 Family Bluefish
- 11 Interclub Contest
- 17 Dock Party

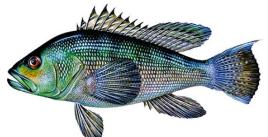
September

- 7 Family Day
- 15 Powder Puff Bluefish
- 21 Dock Party

The Miamogue Yacht Club Fishing Committee

Presents





The Black Sea Bass / Porgy Tournament

Sunday, July 14th, 2019.

Time: 5 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Fee: \$20 per angler

Next General Body Meeting will be held on July 23rd at 7pm

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