

THE MARINER



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From the COMMODORE

January, 2017

Hi Everyone and Happy New Year,

It was a very productive year for our club and it certainly kept your commodore and board members busy dealing with many critical issues that will affect our club for years to come.

We had great success with our tax appeal with the City of Bridgeport and in fact still have an ongoing appeal regarding 54 Central Avenue which will be heard in court in March. I'm confident that we will be successful in further reducing our tax burden with the city.

We also completed the dredging permit process last month and we are awaiting approval from the DEEP for this much needed project. There is still much work to be done, but if all goes well I anticipate completing the dredging over the next 2 years. Cost and funding for this project are still a work in progress and I of course will keep the membership posted at our monthly meetings.

We had a well attended Christmas Brunch along with our New Years Day bash and I hope we can continue this trend with our upcoming Super Bowl pre game party in February. As I stated before, please continue to support your club during the off season due to the fact that our fixed costs do not change much even though the boating season has ended. Please make an effort to get involved and help to continue improving this great club for all the members.

Your Commodore,

Scott Gorton

NOTICE From the Yard Master

Here are some reminders about Winter Storage Rules. All boats that have been shrink wrapped must be identifiable with last name of owner clearly visible written in permanent marker on the bow of the boat. No extension cords should be left on the ground when the owner is not on the property and of course no one should be plugged in if not on the property. Also, please do not wrap or tie anything to your support stands. This can create a dangerous situation in heavy winds. As always, thank you for a great haul and looking forward to our Spring launch. Happy New Year from the Yard Committee.

Ladies Auxiliary

The kids Christmas party was great, the kids had a great time seeing Santa coming in on the boat. It was a great day.

I would like to thank everyone for their donations, we really appreciate your support.

Tim Collier, Jon Lehman, Jean & Sean, Jay Kowalsky, Dave Shomsky, Fred Kostenko, Bob Cole, Freddie the Hauler, Kevin Coles, Chris Tearne, Nick Kopicik, Paul Zibo, Joe Steczkowski, Julio Cesar, Jeanne Lehman, Dave and AnnMarie Gilmore.

I would like to thank Chris Smiley, Robert Mastrione, Dave Gilmore, Scotty H., they did a great job in the kitchen.

A big thanks to Jay Boehn for getting Santa to MYC.

Most importantly I would like to thank all my ladies for without your support and devoted help throughout the year we could not put on such fantastic parties and events. I also want to thank everyone for their donation to our Chinese auction.

A sad note to report Georgeanne, has stepped down as Vice President, we wish her well. Karen Kolenda will be stepping up as the new Vice President starting in January.

Happy New Year.

Sincerely,

Donnet Peterson
President of the Ladies Auxiliary

From the Secretary

The December 2016 revision of the By- Laws will be available at the end of January. Copies can be signed out at the bar

January 27th Interclub Dinner if you fished for MYC during the interclub, you have an opportunity to purchase tickets. Please see the Fishing Committee Chairman.

Good & Welfare

Farewell 2016 & welcome 2017!! Wishing you and your families a Happy and Healthy New Year.

Our condolences are sent to Neil Knecht on the loss of his mother. Please keep our friends that have been ill or fallen on tough times in your thoughts and prayers.

If you have any news for Good & Welfare, please contact me at 203-394-7122 or kah1370@aol.com.

*Happy Holidays!, Karin Hope
Good & Welfare Chairman*

February Super Bowl Pre-Party

more details to follow

Sunday, February 5th Super Bowl 51, Pre-game Buffet at Miamogue

You are invited to MYC Superbowl Sunday @ 1pm for a pre-game buffet, \$2 Bloody Mary's, Happy hour pricing during buffet -

With/ RAFFLES - 50/50

If you can Stay for Super Bowl 51 coverage starts at 6 Kick-off is scheduled for 6:30 EST, Bring some 'Pot Luck' snacks to share for the game

View on MYC's LARGE SCREEN TV (it's big and the optics have been upgraded

YETI COOLER

105 Quart

MYC Fishing Committee Raffle

Drawing March 11th

**at the Fishing
Awards Banquet**

1 ticket - \$5

3 tickets - \$10

10 tickets - \$20

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