



## **WYC Creek News**

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# **JULY 2021 CREEK NEWS**

## **Commodore's Report**

**Ahoy Members;**

I would like to thank all the members for supporting the club. And thank all those members who volunteer so much time to make the WYC the best Yacht Club on the bay.

The 2021 Boating season is here and getting busy at the WYC Docks. We have noticed a lot of traffic up and down the creek that do not abide by the POSTED NO-WAKE Signs. Several barley even slowing down as they pass the WYC Rocking our fleet up and down. These usually are not Club Members, but if you know of any boaters please remind them of the NO-WAKE Areas.

Fuel Dock Please roll the return the Hoses in and place the nozzles back on the to the Pumps when Complete.

We will be purging the membership list and e-mails this month. We will also be changing the Gate code and only members in Good Standing will receive it.

**E-Mail Issues are ongoing: we are aware that some Members are not getting our emails. If you or someone you know is having this issue, please let us know. You should be getting at least one email per week telling you of our specials and our Activities.**

**\*\*\*General Membership and Board Meeting\*\*\***

**We will be having our Membership and Board Meetings at the Club 7:00 PM Monday, **JULY 12**. Vice Commodore Neil Abbott will be chairing it for me.**

**Sincerely,  
Commodore, Jamie Rebman  
Comm222@aol.com  
203-482-0431**

## **Vice Commodores Report**

**I want to thank everyone for a great Start to the 2021 boating season We have plenty of activities ate the club and as always we are new ideas to keep making it great thanks again.**

**Neil Abbott, Vice Commodore  
443-783-2207  
nabbott977@gmail.com**

## **Rear Commodore Report**

**Summer is here our Club is in Full Operation Post Covid-19 Style. We are holding our own and we thank our staff for working the hours they do. Like everywhere else we still need staff. We are advertising for a Chef, Line cooks and Front of their house staff. So if you know of anyone 18 or older contact Ben our Club Manager. In the past month or so we have hired 4 staff from these e-mails and they are working out great.**

**Looking forward to seeing you on the water and at the club.**

**Tom Stanley  
Rear Commodore  
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443-235-9124**

# WYC Fleet Captain Report

From the Fleet:

Make sure to put this on your Calendar

On Saturday August, the 7th relay for life is going to be doing their light up the river boat parade again. We're going to do the same thing as we did last year and leave from Brew River around dusk. We are looking for anybody that would like to participate in this parade please have them contact me to sign up now.

More Details will follow in a separate E-Mail.



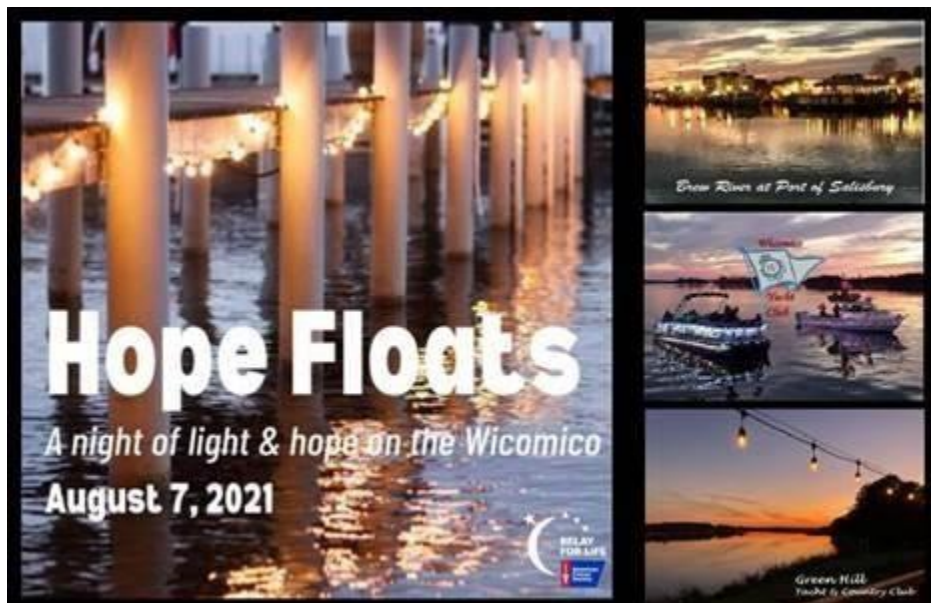
**Hope Floats**  
Saturday, August 7, 2021

**BOAT PARADE DOCK PARTY BONFIRE TIKIS DOCK LIGHTS**

- Light up your boat in the Hope Floats BOAT PARADE –get chance to win \$50 Brew gift card!\*  
*Boats gather 7 PM at Brew River parading at 7:45 PM to Wicomico Yacht Club by 9:15 PM. All boats welcome and are asked to focus efforts on our mission of fighting cancer. (The Society is a non-partisan public charity.) Register with Ryan McClenahan; 410-651-2110 ext. 313 by August 4th.  
\*Vote for the Best Lighted Boat! Just snap a pic & post on Facebook@HopeFloatsOnTheWicomico*
- Light your bonfire, tikis, dock lights, and host a riverfront social to watch the parade
- Light up the river at Brew River's Deck Party (7 PM), Green Hill Country Club's lawn party at (7-9 PM), or Wicomico Yacht Club's Dock Party (7-11 PM) - all are open to the public, serving food & drinks with opportunities to support the Society. WYC also has live entertainment.
- **Donate** to spread hope in our community and to help keep lifesaving American Cancer Society programs alive: cancer research for all cancers, free patient services, free 24/7/365 support and education...for those living in our community, by scanning the QR code or at <http://main.acsevents.org/goto/HopeFloatsMD>. COVID has hit the non-profit world hard, and cancer patients have been deeply affected. Please keep HOPE afloat and get screened!



Benefits: American Cancer Society Relay For Life   HopeFloats@gmail.com   FB: HopeFloatsOnTheWicomico



If you're going to be out this summer doing any day boating keep in mind that Crisfield has a new restaurant the Fisherman's Grill in the old

Capt. Tyler's location. And there is the Redshell Shanty as well all on the water in the Somers Cove Marina.

Then keep in mind that Rumbley is under new ownership it is now the goose Creek pub in the same great location

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We have Onancock, VA booked for August 27-29. I spoke with the Dock master and you can book on

Dockwa. <https://dockwa.com/explore/destination/2gcxwn-onancock-wharf-and-marina?form=transient>

Make sure to put a note on there you are with the WYC.

Labor day weekend we have our annual trip to Crisfield at Somers Cove Marina. Talk to the Dockmasters Tom and Mary tell them you are with the WYC. (410) 968-0925 Chesapeake Marina Fuel, Somers Cove Marina 410 968 0925

Also there are many of marina's on the bay, here is a good resource to explore the trips. [Chesapeake Bay Marinas - Marinas and Boat Slips in Chesapeake Bay - Dockwa](#)

Thank You,  
Ryan McClenahan  
410-651-2110  
[Ryan@landmarkinsuranceinc.com](mailto:Ryan@landmarkinsuranceinc.com)

## **First Mates Report July 2021**

Summer is in full bloom. The First Mates have been busy filling up our calendars for the fall. Please mark down dates that are of interest to you and plan to support.

Poker Runs: Sept 5; Oct 10

Turkey Shoots: Dec. 5; Jan. 16; Feb 20; Mar 20.

NAUTICAL AUCTION: Nov 6

If you haven't seen the new Dock Tales shirts, they are selling fast so better get one (or two) next time you come down to the club.

In order to have our fundraising events, we need more volunteers to pitch in. Many hands make lighter work.  
Next meet is July 12 in the trailer.

## **WYC Activities 2021 SCHEDULED UPCOMING ACTIVITIES**

Saturday, July 10th – Music with “JACKED UP” Band 6:30pm – 10:30pm

Saturday, July 17th – Music with LANDMARK 6:30pm – 10:30pm

Saturday, July 31st – Music with Full Disclosure 6:30pm – 9:30pm

Saturday, August 7th – Music with AMP 7pm – 11pm

Saturday, August 14th – Music with Pistol Whipped 7pm – 11pm

Saturday, August 21st – Music with Such Fools 7pm – 10pm

**Entertainment and Activities Sponsorships:** If anyone has suggestions or would like to plan or sponsor an event or a Music Night, please contact me.

This is a good way to support the club by sponsoring an Activity or Entertainment Event. Our Music nights are a big hit and bring in a lot of members to enjoy.

**Past Commodore, Laura Lockwood,  
WYC Activities Committee Chair  
443-235-5519  
laura@paperpeople.net**

## **Membership Committee Report**

***\*\*Reminder General Membership Meeting is second Monday of each month at 7:00 PM. Sponsors must attend for voting process of new members\*\****

**\*\* All sponsors must be at this meeting\*\*  
\*\*to speak for their new member\*\***

### **July Candidates**

**Associate Membership:**

**Patrick Malkus- Sponsor Tom Stanley**

**John Brewer- Sponsor Ann Nelson**

**John Marhsall- Sponsor Ken Sterling**

**Brannigan Thornton- Sponsor Dick Carey**

**John Haffner- Sponsor Al Higgins  
William Roe II- Sponsor Jan Lukas**

**Full Membership:  
William White- Sponsor Dale Soper  
Mark Miciotto- Jennifer Darcy  
Kristin Barrett- Sponsor Lou DeGeorge**

**If any new or current member have not received their keycard yet  
please contact me below and I will see that you get one.  
Please remember if you need a membership application right away,  
applications are available on our website:**

**@ <http://www.wicomicoyachtclub.com/ContactForm.aspx?FormID=8952>.**

**Once you are there click View/Print Application Form. The application  
can be printed and mailed to Wicomico Yacht Club, PO Box 73 Allen, MD  
21804, with a check for the pro-rated dues & a \$50 application fee or you  
can place in the membership box at the club.**

**\*\*Pro-rated sheet is available on our website & posted at the clubhouse.**

**\*\***

**If you have any questions you can call or email me.**

**Thank you,  
J.D. McCurdy  
443-783-4644  
jdnorthbay@comcast.net  
North Bay Marina**

## **Gas Gossip**

**Summer time is here! Be sure to check you TOCO fuel cards to see if  
they are expired. Fuel prices remain stable this month so far-  
Membership has its rewards - Fuel is \$.45 per gallon cheaper for WYC  
members!**

**Enjoy some great music while you enjoy our beautiful river - Check  
out James Taylor's Boatman**

**Oh boatman, I am the river  
I am the mountain and the sea  
Oh boatman, taker and giver  
Can you deliver me  
I would forever run free**

**<https://www.discoverboating.com/ownership/maintenance/start-up-checklist>**

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Jeff Berthiaume 443-497-6373 bertjeff@msn.com

## **TRAILER PARKING 2021**

### **SOME TRAILER PARKING ETIQUETTE**

1. Numbered trailer parking spaces are assigned to boats with proper permits. Just because the spot might be empty does not mean it is available. These spots are **SOLD OUT**. Limited double parking is available for the remainder of the season.
2. Parking real estate is limited. If you need to park where your vehicle might be blocking a trailer, please leave your keys in the vehicle or a contact number on your dashboard.
3. Day boaters – Please park vehicles and trailers on the right side of the driveway first heading toward the gate.
4. Trailers staying overnight should leave a contact number. Trailers staying more than three days are required to purchase a parking pass according to the bylaws.

For questions or information, please contact Becky Miles at 443-880-6190.

**Becky Miles**  
443-880-6190  
rmiles4@comcast.net

## **Dock Master**

### ***GAS PUMP COURTESY***

The Fuel Dock is only for Fueling, do not leave your boat there while using the Pool, Bar etc...

When Fueling please do not take up the whole dock we have room for 2 larger boats and 2-3 smaller boats. (we have 2 gas & 2 diesel Pumps).

Ensure Pumps nozzles are returned to their holders on the Dispenser. Besides Safety this also ends the Transaction and stops the pump. Recently Someone left a nozzle lying on the dock and the pump selector was still on, besides being totally unsafe. Anybody could have pumped and charged their fuel on that persons TOCO card.... Please Hang the Dock Lines when you depart the Fuel Dock.

We have found several loose boards and have re-screwed them down. If you notice loose boards and any other repairs needed on the Dock's contact me please.

We are going ahead with putting some lifts on the pier if anybody is interested please contact me or Neil Abbott 443-783-2207.

Past Commodore, Larry Comer  
410-251-5138  
Comerconstructionco@gmail.com

## Pool News

Pool is open !!! Come on down and enjoy the pool and enjoy some food and drinks.

Tronds Pool is coming out Tuesday Morning July 6th to Repair the Pool Light. While this is being done The pool will be shut down for maintenance. The Pool should re-open once they are complete sometime during the day.

**Also Please Note!!!!**

The Floaty Foam Noodles: Are in the pool area for everyone's use to float on. Please do not swing them all around & strike people with them. *(They are Not Star Wars Light Sabers)*

Also: When You are finished please remove them from the pool along with any other toy's.

If they break apart (and they do at times) please remove all the pieces from the pool so they do not clog up our filter system.

Remember the pool is maintained by members who volunteered not a paid staff. You can help by cleaning up after yourselves and if you see something that needs to be emptied or cleaned up feel free to take action. Or you can join the pool committee and help with the 3 times a day checks of the pool. We can train you.

The Next Pool meeting is Wednesday July 6:30 poolside . Come out and join the fun group



Lou DeGeorge.  
732-939-7929  
caplad@verizon.net

## **Decorating Committee**

*"Keeping the WYC Beautiful"*

### **TIKI BAR STOOLS UPDATE**

***THE ADIRONDACK CHAIRS ARE HERE AND THEY LOOK GREAT  
NEW STOOLS TABLE ARE ON THERE WAY !!!***

Thank You to all the members/businesses that generously donated for this cause, we are so excited and happy to have your support to **MAKE THE TIKI BAR PRETTY AGAIN!**

Some general notes/updates on this effort...

We have also ordered Adirondacks chairs for the lawn and deck area and would be willing to order more sets if we can get all items sponsored. We also are looking for sponsors to buy more of the Poly top 4 sided picnic tables/bench combo units for the Tiki Bar Area. We are expanding the Tiki Bar area about 8' onto the gravel so they would be perfect there.

If you have signed up, but didn't submit your form or had missing information on it, please email us so I can send you the form or you can just email us the information. Please reach out to us.

**JD McCurdy (JDNorthbay@comcast.net)**

or

**Becca Ramia (Becca.Ramia@gmail.com)**

with any questions, issues, or to submit missing information.

Thank you again for making this a successful beautification of the Club for everyone to enjoy for years to come!

## **Message from The Nominating Committee**

We are getting closer to the fall quicker than we want to and we have some positions that need to be filled for next year. We will be looking for a Rear Commodore, a Fleet Captain and two board members.

Wicomico Yacht Club is a great place that depends of members

volunteering to keep us afloat. If you have some interest in any of these positions please contact me or any of the Nominating Committee members

There are also many other ways to help by just contacting any committee chairperson to help out.

Thank you,

Dean Murray

Nominating Committee Chairman

**Committee:**

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Jeff Erskine 410-456-5108

Laura Lockwood 443-235-5519

Pete Hanulak 410-430-5532

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**2021 BRIDGE OFFICERS**

Commodore: Jamie Rebman

Vice Commodore: Neil Abbot

Rear Commodore: Tom Stanley

Fleet Captain: Ryan McClenahan

Secretary: Becky Miles

Treasurer: Scott McCurdy

**2021 BOARD OF GOVERNORS**

3-Year Term Members

Dean Murray - Ann Nelson - Jeff Erskine

2-Year Members

Mark Apolenis-Tom Jones - Lou DeGeorge

1-Year Members

Pete Hanulak-Ron Nelson - Tom Monahan

Thank you

Past Commodore, Dean Murray

**Media & Communications**

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**know. You should be getting at least one email per week telling you of our specials and our Activities. We are researching the possibility of getting a new e-mail/web domain.**

**You can Add yourself to our Mailing List from the WYC Home Page (top right/contact info/ mailing list)**