



## **WYC Creek News**

[www.wicomicoyachtclub.com](http://www.wicomicoyachtclub.com)



# **NOVEMBER 2021 CREEK NEWS**

## **Commodore's Report**

**Well this is my last report as Commodore. I want to thank everyone for their support these past several years while I was on the Bridge. The Wicomico Yacht club is the Friendliest place on the Bay and It is our membership that makes this club great. The members of this club have made my family and myself very welcome when we moved to the Eastern Shore several years back and we have made some great friends here.**

**I see great things ahead for the Yacht Club.!!!**

**2021 we have overcome a lot with COVID but we have kept it going A lot of that was due to to Ben our Past Club Manager for the last 2 seasons.**

I would like to thank all the members who have volunteered. Especially those committee chairs and their members. Activities, Pool, Decorating, Finance Grounds, Membership, House, Docks & Fuels. And the Board of Governors. They all put forth a lot of time and effort behind the scenes to make this club great.

Vice Commodore Neil Abbott & Rear Commodore Tom Stanley. Thanks for all you help. You guys were great. We made a great Team. I wish you all the best of luck in 2022.

A Special thanks to the Past Commodores for your Guidance. Especially Scott, Larry, Peter & Tom.

Along with Past Commodore Dean Murray my Good Friend and Mentor. I learned a lot serving with you and we had some great times through all that went on in 2020/2021. Thank you Dean.

Lastly thank you to my Family. Veronica, Kate & James in supporting me through my tenure on the Bridge.

### **Commodores Request!!!!**

Your Yacht Club needs all our members support especially in off season to keep it Going.

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

We will be having our Membership and Board Meetings at the Club 7:00 PM  
Monday, **November 8th, 2021**

Sincerely,

Commodore, Jamie Rebman

Comm222@aol.com

203-482-0431

## **Vice Commodores Report**

The Commodores ball is just around the corner. The response are coming in we need them by November 5. If you still want to respond you can just drop them, it the membership box. Thanks for a great trunk or treat it was a really good turnout.

Neil Abbott, Vice Commodore

443-783-2207

nabbott977@gmail.com

## Rear Commodore Report

We need our members support to keep the Restaurant going with a menu and service that we all like!!! Remember even though the summer is over That the Restaurant is open 4 days a week year round.

This Week We have **Football on Thursday Night** (Jets/Colts) & Next Thursday (Ravens/Miami) as well doors open at 07:30 PM

Also this Sunday We are having brunch, we are trying to make it a monthly thing throughout the Winter.

*(details will be in another e-mail)*

Also Saturday we will be having a working party to do a little clean and get the grounds ready for Winter starting at 10:00 clean up at the club always looking for volunteers!!!

Looking forward to seeing you at the club.

Tom Stanley

Rear Commodore

powabbit1@gmail.com

443-235-9124

# **WYC Fleet Captain Report**

**From the Fleet:**

**Make sure to put this on your Calendar**

**From the Fleet:**

The time has come to fill our Toys for Tots Boxes. There will be Boxes set up in the club to donate a toy to benefit Toys for Tots. They always need younger kids toys and sporting toys for the older kids. Ollie out on Rt. 50 has some really good deals right now on toys.

Next item, we need Boats for the Boat Parade, please let me know as soon as you can. As always we would like to get as many boats as we can and it makes it much easier for us to plan when we know who will be in the parade at least two weeks prior. Also, keep in mind we have changed the parade time on the river at night to accommodate more of our smaller open boat crowd. It is only the run back to the club now instead of up the river and back to the club. Please see the details below.

## **Parade Information for November 27th 2021**

**Boat Parade Starts at The Port of Salisbury at 5:30pm**  
**Passes Upper Ferry around 6:45pm to 7pm**  
**Ends at the WYC around 7:45pm to 8pm**  
**Toys can be donated at the WYC Club House Nov. 1st -28th**  
**Keep in mind if you know someone with a boat that would like to participate and they are not a member. They don't have to be a member of the WYC to participate. We are happy to have non-members as well.**

Also, if you are decorating your boat for our parade and you would like to do another boat parade. Then you are in luck, Crisfield will be doing a Christmas Boat parade the following weekend on December the 4th at the Somers Cove Marina. And they may do an after party at the Red Shell Shanty in the Marina. If you are interest, please reach out to Jennifer Ward 410-713-8989 to sign up.

**Call or Text Ryan McClenahan (443-218-2467)**

Email: [fleetcaptain@wicomicoyachtclub.com](mailto:fleetcaptain@wicomicoyachtclub.com)

## FIRST MATES REPORT

### OCTOBER 2021

Christmas is just around the corner. No need to wonder if your gifts are on a container somewhere between here and the South China Sea. Have you seen all the new wearables at the Club? There are long sleeve tees, jackets, and sweatshirts, in all sizes included youth. Get yours before they are all gone.

Next Activity will be turkey shoot on December 5th.

First Mates meeting will be November 8 at 6:00pm.

## WYC Activities 2021

### SCHEDULED UPCOMING ACTIVITIES



**Wednesday, November 10th** – Marine's Birthday & Veterans Day celebration (Music with Rukie Dize)

Guest Speaker: Retired Brigadier General Warner Sumpter

7:00pm Ceremony for all Veterans

**\*A memorabilia table will be set up. We're asking all Veterans to bring in photos or memorabilia to share.**

**All Wicomico Yacht Club members are invited to the ceremony, to show your support for our Veterans.**

**Saturday, November 20th - Commodore's Ball**

**Saturday, November 27th - 34th Annual Christmas Boat Parade**

**Sunday, December 5th - First Mates Turkey Shoot**

**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](mailto: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\*\***

**\*\*Candidates ARE NOT to attend the meeting\*\***

### **November Candidates**

#### **Associate Membership:**

***None to vote in***

#### **Full Membership:**

*James Adkins - Sponsor Tom Jones*  
*John Hallowell III - Sponsor John Wismans*

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](mailto:jdnorthbay@comcast.net)

North Bay Marina

## **Gas Gossip**

Remember as the season winds down to properly winterize your boat...Even though our fuel is 89.9 octane, Non-Ethanol it is still recommended Use a Fuel Stabilizer

Kathy Fiddler      410-726-9345    [kfiddlermd@gmail.com](mailto:kfiddlermd@gmail.com)

Jeff Berthiaume    443-497-6373    [bertjeff@msn.com](mailto:bertjeff@msn.com)

## **GROUNDS & TRAILER PARKING 2022**

### **TRAILER PARKING**

#### **MEMBERS:**

**PLEASE DON'T PARK IN MARKED TRAILER SPOTS EVEN IF EMPTY.**

**ALL SPOTS HAVE BEEN LEASED AND BELONG TO ANOTHER MEMBER FOR THE YEAR.**

**IF YOU PLAN TO RENEW YOUR PARKING SPOT, PLEASE LET BECKY MILES KNOW AT [RMILES4@COMCAST.NET](mailto:RMILES4@COMCAST.NET) OR CALL OR TEXT 443-880-6190.**

**Thank You**

**Becky Miles  
443-880-6190  
[rmiles4@comcast.net](mailto:rmiles4@comcast.net)**

### **Dock Masters Report**

**We have in water Covered Winter Storage Available on D & E piers. We will be turning the water off & Winterizing the Docks December 5th. We also will be Winterizing the Pump Out the same time so Do not forget to Pump your Waste tanks.**

**We have several boards missing from last week's Storm, please be careful we will be replacing them over the winter.**

**Past Commodore, Larry Comer**

**410-251-5138**

**[Comerconstructionco@gmail.com](mailto:Comerconstructionco@gmail.com)**



## Pool News

We had a very successful 2021 at our pool this year! We were able to get the pool opened early and keep it open all through September. None of this would be possible without the pool committee volunteers. I was fortunate to have a great team this summer with everyone stepping up and contributing their personal time to keep things running. On behalf of the yacht club, a big thank you to the pool committee.

Lou DeGeorge.

732-939-7929

caplad@verizon.net

## Decorating Committee

Hope you are enjoying the 🍁 Fall Decor. We are accepting 🎄 Christmas and 🧁 And Fall 🍂 Decor donations and Anything we don't use you can be sure we donate to St. Francis, as you know I work at the carriage House Thrift Store with Nancy and we are always looking for nice donations.

Please feel free to donate your leftover decorations to us for this year & next year. That includes anything, ornaments, bric a brac, wreaths, table centerpieces, placemats, flowers, paints, etc. anything to KEEP WYC PRETTY! In fact that means anything nice for any holiday.

Thank you all for your help and your compliments; we work hard.

Text, email or call me with any questions or if you just want to help.

Happy Thanksgiving 🍂🧁

Vicky Comer

410-251-5397

[Comer6@aol.com](mailto:Comer6@aol.com)

## **From the Nominating Committee**

### **2022 Slate of Bridge Officers**

**We have one change since Floyd Taylor has not been a member for a full two years. I apologize for any inconvenience, but he has been replaced with an outstanding member in Laura Lockwood.**

**Our recommended officers and board of governors, approved by the Board of Governors.**

**(New additions are highlighted in blue)**

#### **2022 Officers and Board of Governors**

**Commodore: Neil Abbott**

**Vice Commodore: Ton Stanley**

**Rear Commodore: J.D. McCurdy**

**Fleet Captain: Ann Nelson**

**Secretary: Becky Miles**

**Treasurer: Scott McCurdy**

**3 Year term Board Members**

**Jamie Rebman – Larry Comer – Laura Lockwood**

**2 Year term Board Members**

**Dean Murray – Becca Ramia – Jeff Erskine**

**1 Year term Board Members**

**Tom Jones – Mark Apolenis – Lou DeGeorge**

***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***

***Media & Communications***

**E-Mail Issues: 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. 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)**

