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THE BREEZE

April 2022

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Eastern Yacht Club

Officers and Agents of EYC



Commodore, Denny Swiger

Spring is officially here and I am excited for warmer weather. Jane and I have been very busy attending the balls, meeting new friends and promoting our beautiful club. Some of the other club's officers have visited our Tiki Bar and enjoyed it so much they returned again and were even superstars on karaoke night! Thank you to all that have shown them our EYC hospitality.

Now that winter is hopefully over and boats return to the basin please make arrangements with our Fleet Captain Carolyn and Dock Master Bob to have your boats inspected and insurance papers updated. Also please be reminded to adhere to the buddy system when traveling on the piers.

Thank you to those that have volunteered to participate in our opening. (It's not too late, there's plenty to do and there's room for acts too). Watch our Facebook page for planning meetings. Save the dates the fun starts on Thursday June 9th with Thea's famous meatloaf dinner, Friday's beach party will be hosted by Nancy, Marianne and Annette. You definitely won't want to miss their adult only BINGO games. Friday night get your first 50's attire outfit ready for the sock hop and karaoke. Saturday is a car show and live music on the outside stage. You might want to wear something retro Saturday night too; dinner, show and dance party with Soundstorm, a Motown, R&B & Rock band. We will be posting a sign up sheet in the Tiki Bar for help for the weekend especially Sunday's pitch-in reception. This year's raffle is a NAVY BLUE Yeti 65 jammed full of a variety of liquor and beer, tickets are available for \$5 or 3 for \$10. We would love to have lots of support for this raffle and the Opening Weekend Booklet. The funds raised pay for EYC's opening weekend expenses. Please see me, First Lady Jane or Diane to place your ad. We will also be accepting donations for raffle and auction items. (Sorry but EYC has a No spouse donation policy)

Please come out and support our Princess Natalie's fundraiser event on April 23rd. She has sacrificed a lot of her time to represent our club and work on putting this event together, let's show her our appreciation by attending and donating a little something. Natalie's charity is for Juvenile Diabetes, she chose this charity because of her close friend.

I want to thank everyone that has brought a dish and come out to support our Fleet Captain Carolyn and the land cruises. The food has been delicious and the party jumping. Please check Facebook for upcoming cruises.

I am looking forward to a delicious dinner buffet and a night of dancing with all of you celebrating the Past Commodore Rick and his First Lady Suenette. Show your appreciation of their four years of time and commitment to Eastern by attending.

I want to ask everyone to take a minute to pray for Ukraine and those who have suffered so tragically. May their horrible situation end soon.

-Commodore Denny

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Vice Commodore, Pat Lange

Hello everyone and hello spring!

While this time of year is normally a happy time full of excitement for the upcoming boating season, I need to bring it down a bit to reality. Despite the pandemic being all but over, the effects are still very much present. The club is not in the best position and needs your help. As I always say in my many posts here and on Facebook, "it's your club" and we need "your" help. Please stop by and have a drink, please attend the many functions we have please give the club a few hours of your time. We have a small group of people working very hard to promote new and fun functions. We need everyone's participation and support to bolster our income and bring us back to where we need to be. Coming up is our Chili Cook off on March 27, Bingo on April 1, IPC Bull Roast on April 9th, Fish Fry and live music by Whisky Train on April 15, and the Princess fundraiser supporting Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation on April 23. We

have Marley Boat Club visiting on March 26 and Sue Haven visiting on April 16. In May we have Beautification Day and the annual Stockholders Meeting. Please try to attend as many of these as you can. Tickets for the Bull Roast and fundraiser are available in the Tiki.

We had a bingo early in March which was a success. We had incoming land cruises by Red Eye and North Point which both were a blast. We had Live music by Dave Reed and Whisky Train this past month along with a Vodka Tasting by Loveton Farms. The St. Patty's Day bus cruise was incredibly fun, from what I can remember. I want to thank our Fleet Captain Carolyn for all of her hard work in planning these events and thank you to everyone who came out, donated food and time. I also want to thank the Gulls for their hard work holding the February and March Bingos. As you can see from above, we are an incredibly busy club, but we need your help to keep your club afloat.

With spring starting and the warm weather approaching, I look forward to seeing more people at the club. We have a lot planned for this summer. The BOG is also working hard on many changes By-Laws and Operations. I urge you to please keep an eye on your emails and please try to attend the next several GMM's. The next GMM is April 8 at 8 PM. Cheers!



Hello Everyone!

Rear Commodore, Jim Morin

Spring is here and the flowers have already started blooming. The summer months and boating season are almost upon us.

PLEASE SAVE THE DATE: EYC SPRING BEAUTIFICATION DAY IS SATURDAY, MAY 14th.

We need all the help we can get to prepare our grounds for the spring and summer seasons. There are lots of things to do around our club to prepare and it takes an army of member volunteers to help with this task.

Beautification will begin at 9:00 am sharp. The club will provide coffee and donuts at 8:30 am and the Gulls will be providing lunch. Remember this is everyone's club so please show your support. All members are welcome to participate. Hope to see everyone at the club on Saturday, May 14th.

Our work crews will soon be hard at work making the necessary repairs to our beach area. Significant damage was done as a result of a fall storm. We hope to have it back open soon for all to enjoy.

Thank you to our EYC Gulls for continuing to host monthly Bingos. They have been greatly attended and a lot of fun. A BIG THANK YOU to Fleet Captain Carolyn for an awesome St. Patrick's Day Bus Trip. There was no shortage of laughter, food and drinks! Great time was had by all. Not sure too many folks remember the entire day, the jello and pickle shots were just too good to pass up! Thank you as well for organizing all of our incoming land cruises.

Over the past several months we have welcomed many new members to EYC. I hope everyone joins me in welcoming them and making them feel at home at our great club.

New EYC members, we look forward to seeing you around the club and at upcoming events. Be sure to check your email, our "Eastern" Facebook group and flyers in our Tiki bar for upcoming events.

R/C Jim



Hello All,

Fleet Captain- Carolyn Creamer

Finally, Spring has arrived. Our St. Pat's land cruise a great success. From a wild & crazy weather start to a fun and fantastic day and evening. Special shout out to all who helped make this a great day.

I am waiting on some input for the Vacation Cruise, let me hear from you. Don't forget to support the IPC Bull Roast on 4/9 and our Princess Fundraiser on 4/23. Hope to see you all at the club real soon

There will be a Land Cruise on April 9th, Bodkin yacht Club will be coming with 80 or so people at 11:30am and Sue Haven on April 16th with 50 people, Time TBD. Please come out to welcome them to our club, Friendliest on the Bay. Message me at 443-248-0488 if able to bring a dish to share. I really appreciate all of you who have helped in the past with donating food, setting up and cleaning up.

Don't forget to support the IPC Bull Roast on 4/9 and our Princess Fundraiser on 4/23. Hope to see you all at the club real soon. F/C Carolyn Creamer.

F/C. Carolyn



Hello, everyone!

Princess-Natalie Lange

This past month I attended the last few balls at Otter Point and Marley Boat Club right here at EYC. I had a blast going to all of the balls and meeting some many great people. It was alco great seeing so many other yacht clubs. I also attended another Princess Bonding Event at McFaddens Glass Blowing. That was so much fun. I made a glass Christmas tree ball. Now I am looking forward to attending all of the club openings.

My fundraiser is coming up on April 23, 2022 from 6-10 P.M. During the fundraiser, there will be live music from the band: *Over the Edge*, plenty of food, drink and an ice cream bar! The ticket price

is \$40 P.P and tickets are available in the tiki bar or you can contact me. I will be accepting donations for Chinese and silent auctions. Please make a donation from either money to gift cards to items that can be auctioned off. Everything is greatly appreciated. Items can be dropped off at the Tki bar and money/gift cards can be given to my parents who will be around the club on weekends. More information about my fundraiser is on the flyer. The money raised for the fundraiser will be going to my charity which is The <u>Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation</u> which works to find a cure for people who suffer from Type 1 Diabetes.

Thank you-Princess Natalie



Gulls President-Rose Lange

Hi everyone. It's been a wonderful month. We had our Friday bingo which was a great success. I thank everyone who attended and those who worked the event. A few of us took a big leap into the club's attic which brings me to asking for your help. We have many wonderful "costume's" from many years ago that we would like the club members to look through and let me know if you still want them. We have a day planned to put them all out so you can stop by and look. Otherwise, we will donate them. That date is May 14 which is also Beautification Day. The gulls were able to buy a new

washer and dryer; thanks so much for Diane and Ron for doing the leg work. We have the annual Chili Cook-off scheduled for March 27. We will have another bingo on the 1st of April. Chrissy Gannon has offered to chair our annual Easter Dinner on April 17. There is a sign-up sheet in the tiki bar. Come and join us in all the great events coming up.

Thanks Rose



PRINCESS NATALIE'S FUNDRAISER

JDRF

Princess Natalie is raising money for the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation. This event is a way to have fun and raise money to find a cure for Type One Diabetes.

April 23, 2022 6-10 P.M

Eastern Yacht Club 2330 Seneca Rd Essex, Md 21221

Live Music by: Over The Edge

Chinese & Silent Auctions Raffles

Food includes: pit beef, ham, and turkey, assorted sides & ice cream bar OPEN BAR \$40 pp

Info & Reservations Call- (443)-469-0476 (410)-428-3420

Email- nat.r.lange@icloud.com patlange_17@yahoo.com tastebudrose@yahoo.com

Past Commodore

BULL & OYSTER ROAST

Dance to the Music by VERTIGO RED FROM 9-1

Top Round Beef on the Pit, Roasted Turkey
Breast, Sweet Italian Sausage, Gourmet
Macaroni & Cheese, Baked Ziti with Marinara
& Dallops of Ricotta, Greek Salad, Homemade
Cole Slaw, Homemade Pasta salad,
Assortment of Breads & Rolls, All Fixin's &
Condiments & Desert Cakes From 6-9 P.M
Includes Draft Beer, Wine, Soda
Catered By: SUPERIOR CATERING By M&M
AND SONS

Plant Wheel

Door Prizes





Saturday April 9th. Eastern Yacht Club 2330 Seneca rd. 21221, \$45 p.p. Tickets Availible in Tiki Bar or contact Rick Pope at rjpope60@gmail.com, text 443-955-8687. Get your tickets early. Tickets have been opened up to outside Yacht Clubs. ThIs is a COUNTED AFFAIR. RSVP By April 2, 2022

Opening Weekend Basket of Cheer

Tickets are available

\$5 for 1 ticket or \$10 for 3 Tickets

Please grab a handful in the Tiki Bar—if you win you could set up your own
Tiki Bar ©





EASTERN YACHT CLUB GULL'S EASTER DINNER

Sunday April 17, 2022

1:30 Easter Bunny Children's Egg Hunt

2:30 Invocation and Dinner

Please bring a dish to share, please pick up an aluminum half pan from Tiki bar (no crockpots please)

\$10.00 per person at the Door

Children under 12 free

Ham, Turkey, and Mashed Potatoes with gravy will be provided by the Gulls

Event Chairperson: Christine Gannon 443-929-0895 Signup sheet at Tiki Bar

(If you are unable to sign up please text me your name and how many adults and children)

HAPPY EASTER

Eastern Yacht Club Events

Up Coming Events

April 2022

8th GMM 8PM

9th P/C Bull Roast

14th Whiskey Train– Tiki Bar17th Easter Dinner/Egg Hunt

22nd BOG-7PM

23rd Princess Fund Raiser

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Winter 5 PM to Close Tiki Bar	2 Bonomolo 12 PM to 2AM Tiki Bar
3 Tiki Bar 12 to 8 PM	4	5	6	7 Tiki Bar 6 to 11 PM	8 Pipkin 5 PM to Close Tiki Bar GMM Meeting	9 Below 12 PM to 2 AM Tiki Bar PC Bull Roast
10 Tiki Bar 12 to 8 PM	11	12	13	14 Tiki Bar 6 to 11 PM	15 Carrier 5 PM to Close Tiki Bar	16 Herster 12 PM to 2 AM Tiki Bar
17 Tiki Bar 12 to 8 PM Easter Dinner and Egg Hunt	18	19	20	21 Tiki Bar 6 to 11 PM	22 DeCarlo 5 PM to Close Tiki Bar BOG	23 Bates 12 PM to 2 AM Tiki Bar Princess Event
24 Tiki Bar 12 to 8 PM	25	26	27	28 Tiki Bar 6 to 11 PM	29 Courtemanch 5 PM to Close Tiki Bar	30 TBD 12 PM to 2 AM Tiki Bar
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Eastern Yacht Club Look who is doing what April 2022



Second Saturday 9AM

Lewis Rhoades Rick Nazelrod Gary Dickson Carol Knight Kevin McCarty

Fourth Saturday 9AM

Kevin Gannon

Steve Uhl P/C Mike McVeigh Stephen Rifkin **BOG 2024** Larry McLaurin BOG 2023

P/C Terry Bowles Mark Hoeing

Rose Lange Frank Winterling

P/C Thea Coker Diane Peffer **Bob Wilkins** Mary Herster

Auxiliary Pres. Ent. Comm. Chaplain YCM Rep. CBYCA Rep. **Dock Master** Sick & Welfare

Mid Week

Dave Ellis **BOG** 2023 Tim McCall **BOG** 2024

Mark Dickey Jeff Baier

Officers on BOG

Comm, Denny Swiger V/C Pat Lange R/C Jim Morin F/C Carolyn Creamer Secretary P/C Jim Kinard Treasurer Suenette Pope IPC Rick Pope

Holding Corp Bob Wilkins

ODs Rob Winter Christine Pipkin

Bill Carrier Matt Decarlo Mike Courtemanch Mike Bonomolo Jeremy Below Mary Herster

Todd Bates Open

6 PM to 2 AM

1st Friday 2nd Friday 3rd Friday 4th Friday 5th Friday 1st Saturday 2nd Saturday 3rd Saturday 4th Saturday 5th Saturday

Chrissy Gannon

Treasurer Suenette Pope Kevin McCarty Kevin Gannon John Ashton III P/C Frank Winterling

Diane Peffer

Jim Harris

P/C Ron Peffer Michelle Killian

Charlie Alexander

Adam Hale Sarah Ramsey P/C Brian Harrison

Bob Wilkins Joe Stallings

PC Ron Peffer Steve Rifkin

Asst. Treasurer

Asst. Treasurer Plumbing Electric

Electric

Advertising

House Supply/Stock **BOG** 2024 Purchasing Agent

BOG 2022 Equipment Maintenance Bath House Every other week Bath House Every other week

Tiki Bar Clean Weekly

HV/AC

Coolers/Matts/Bar Clean

Breeze

Clean back yard, Fridays

BOG 2022 Finance Chair Receiving Weds

Receiving Weds **RV** Captain Web Master

HOUSE COMMITTEE

Committee Chair V/C Pat Lang Kat Christ Affair Booking Agent

P/C Frank Winterling Bar Manager **BOG** 2024 Purchasing Agent Jim Harris 2022 HR/Payroll Diane Peffer 2024 Kitchen Manager Carolyn Creamer 2024

Nominating Committee

P/C Frank Winterling IP/C Rick Pope

Gold Members

John Ashton Jr. P/C Thea Coker

P/C Ed Yeager Tom Potere

Buy Outs

Mickey Kunkowski Bob Kuhl

Rob Smith Jason Grupp Randy Depew Stan Reip

Past Officer break

P/C Tim Pratzer off until 9/2022 **P/C** Brian Rockstroh off until 10/2023

P/C Tom Kinard

Sharon Winterling off until 10/2024