



The Dockline

Monthly Newsletter of the Green Bay Yachting Club

May, 2013

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Hello Fellow Members,

Well as I'm writing this another Dock Day has come and gone and the docks are still in there winter positions. Hopefully we will get them in place this weekend the 27th. This has to be one of the latest dock days in a long time. Hopefully we have a good season ahead of us. We did accomplish getting the outside showers and toilets ready for the season. Thank you to the volunteers that got this project done on Saturday. No frozen pipes this year Yeh!

Lloyd (Grounds Chairman) has some landscapers coming to the club this spring to give us an idea on sprucing up the area around the club. Once he gets all the materials here he will set up a grounds day and we will need volunteers to get the work done. This is always a good way to get some hours in and meet some new faces.

The commodores ball went very well this year. Not as many people as we would have liked to have but still a good time. The volunteers in the kitchen did a fabulous job and I would like to thank them for a job well done. Also a thanks goes out to everyone that helped make this event happen, from decorating to coordinating all the activities. Thanks again. The meal was prepared very well also thanks to Todd our cook and Bonewerks for supplying the entrée. The band also did a great job keeping everyone entertained they even did an encore performance.

Remember to say hi to any new club members you see at the club. We all were new members at one point in our lives and it just makes you feel a little more welcome when someone sparks up a conversation with you letting you know they are there.

Other than that have a great week and see ya at the club.

Thanks

John Demeny
Commodore

Fleet Captain - Don Smith

Fleet Captains Report May 2013

I hope our docks are in place before you read this report and that water levels have come up. This year we have five new members that applied for docks and we are able to accommodate all of them. Remember to sign into your dock with a phone number so we can reach you if needed (e.g. your boat is taking on water).



Remember to unplug boats that are on land before leaving our property. Also remember to sign up for boat lifts at least 24hr in advance so our lift crews can plan ahead. Our lift crew leader, Tom Nies, will have a list of members who are up to date on payment of GBYC fees (including dock fees) so we don't lift boats that are in arrears.

There is a fee (\$75+tax) for "summer storage" of boat trailers at the GBYC. This year we are asking boat owners to put their name on their trailers and pay the fees. Our board is considering purchase of locks that fit into the ball receiver on trailers that do not comply. Note again that we are not concerned about a "full" member parking a trailer for a couple of weeks while on a vacation.

Please also note that the lift well is for lifting and fueling of boats so please limit the time your boat is in the lift well unattended.

Boat Safety Awareness
Saturday May 18th, 2013



Schedule or Stop Over at the Green
Bay Coast Guard Station
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May 18th – National Boat Safety Awareness day at the Green Bay Coast Guard station. Free to the public. Displays and demonstrations of boat safety are provided by the Coast Guard, the Coast Guard Auxiliary, Power Squadron, NEW Paddlers and many other branches of Green Bay First Responders. Special guests include Green Bay Mayor and "Coastie". Participants are encouraged to bring their Personal Floation devices to be photographed in a large group for the National PFD program. Come tour the station and the Coast Guard boat. Boaters are encouraged to have their boats inspected by VE examiners at the event.

Have you had your Vessel Safety Check?



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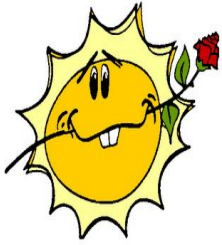
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Sunshine Committee - Roger Gilsoul



Condolences to Jeanne and Mark Wolf on the passing of Jeanne's mother, Arlene Heim. Our sympathy to the entire family.

Sympathy and condolences to Greg and Ellen Wells on the death of Greg's mother Suzanne Jackson. Our prayer's are with you all.

Roger

Entertainment - Ken Lemerond

Greetings, I was out of town for the Commodore's Ball, but from what I heard everyone had a great time and the band was really good. Thanks to Jay, Kris, Larry and crew for doing the April Smoker. I heard we had good turnout.



Coming up on May 4th is the Run For The Roses Kentucky Derby Party. Roses for the ladies and prizes for the best derby hat (costume). Please bring a dish to pass. This will be starting at 3pm. Hopefully horses in the gate won't do the ol' trick of saying "look your shoes are untied".

Then it's Mother's Day Brunch on May 12th. No need to pay in advance but please sign up with times and how many people. This is a big family event and we'll need your cooperation with sign up. (sheet on board in hall) We'll also have a volunteer sign up sheet there. We need servers, dishwashers, etc. Ask Raaaaandy on how you can help out.

Blessing of the Fleet is also coming up. Watch the duck o gram and signs at the club for this.

The Grand Smoker is this month the 15th with Surf and Turf. Sign up as usual.

We're looking into a Brewer Bus for an upcoming game. Let me know verbally if interested to see if we have enough people interested to make it worth while.

Another busy month at the club with these events and trying to get the boats ready. My tan is fading already, let's hope for some sunny weather. See you at the club and have a great one,

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Grounds - Lloyd Carpenter

This spring we will be redoing the landscape areas around the club house, flag pole, area, travel lift landscape area and child play areas. We will be looking for help on this. I will get the information, dates and times in the Duck O Gram and post it at the club.
Thanks.



Lloyd Carpenter.
Grounds Chairman.

P.S. On another note I have a letter from the Weber's for you to read about the For Pete's sake and Rachel's too benefit. See below.

My dad and I would like to thank everyone involved in putting together the event, For Pete's Sake. It was such a blast! Both of us are so grateful to all who donated and volunteered their time. We were taken aback by the turn-out and humbled by everyone's support. This event has propelled us to look forward to tomorrow; all the love and generosity shown has given us so much to be thankful for. My dad would like to express his pride for being part of such a great community of friends here at the Green Bay Yacht Club.

Thank you,
Pete and Rachel

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House - Randy Slye

FROM THE HOUSE:

Finally...boating season is upon us! I want to thank everyone who has come down to enjoy the camaraderie of your fellow clubmates the past month(s) while we've all been impatiently awaiting Ma Nature to give us some boatable weather. Let's get em' shined up, painted down...and out on the water!(the boats too...haha) Just a reminder, that you won't want to miss:



BEEFCAKE TUESDAYS: Dollar Burgers and more
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FINALLY FRIDAYS: For a limited time yet...Fish Fries for all
FINGER LICKIN' SUNDAYS: Coming soon...Sunday night Broasted Chicken Dinner

In addition, while we're all prepping the boats for bon voyage's...Todd will be around manning the kitchen (when it seems feasible) on Saturdays during lunch hours. We're also working on some specials for other nights of the week as we move into the boating season. If you have an idea, please feel free to let me know.

See you on the water!
 ~Raaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaandy

Doping on Ice

Leaders of the ice-fishing community aiming for official Olympics recognition as a sport, have begun the process by asking the World Anti-Doping Agency to randomly test its "athletes" for performance enhancing drugs, according to a February New York Times report. However, said the chairman of the U.S. Freshwater Fishing Association, "We do not test for beer," because, he added, "Everyone would fail." Ice fishing is a lonely, frigid endeavor rarely employing strength but mostly requiring guile and strategy, as competitors who discover advantageous spots in the lake must surreptitiously upload the hauls lest competitors rush over to drill their own holes. Urine tests have also been run in recent years on competitors in darts, miniature golf, chess and tug-of-war, and in 2011 one chess player, two minigolfers and one tugger tested positive.

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Building - Kris Johnson

We finally have signs that spring could actually be near. Seeing some floating vessels would be nice. That said, the outdoor bathrooms have been "Summer"ized. Remember to flush, and in some cases flush.



The enclosure has been removed and awning put back up. I would like to say Thank You! to Angie Watkins for repairing and cleaning it over the winter months. The concrete is finally settling in the front allowing the door to be actually opened.

The Patio furniture has been placed and please be careful when using the patio flame. If you don't know how to use it, just ask some one that does. We don't want someone getting hurt. And it is not an ash tray or garbage can so please respect it so we can use it for many years to come.

An AED (Automated External Defibrillator) has been installed in a very nice wooden case on wall near sliding partition wall. (Thank You! Mike Stoller) We will most likely be having a few demonstrations on how to use it, during General meetings. If any questions regarding the AED or any other building matter. Please feel free to contact me.

If anyone is looking to cross off a few hours for this year. Give me a shout.

Enjoy the Spring weather.

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Members may submit yacht club or boating related articles for publication in the Dockline. Deadline for submissions is the 24th day of the month.

*Members and nonmembers may place an advertisement in the Dockline. The annual rates for an ad are as follows:
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This Month at the Club - May, 2013



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
				5-8pm Happy Hour		
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	Board Meeting 7:00		Muskie Meeting	General Meeting 7:00		
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Mother's Day Brunch			Men's Smoker	5-8pm Happy Hour		
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
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