



The Dockline



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Ahoy everyone! I hope everyone is "enjoying" these gloomy days of winter and looking forward to the bright sunny days ahead. I do have a few housekeeping items I would like to mention this month:

Remember to clean up behind yourself when dining or drinking not at the bar. We really do not have waitstaff on a regular basis. So it is good to get and stay in the habit.

Only members and significant others are to be behind the bar. Your guests and other family members are just that, guests.

NO pets in the bar.

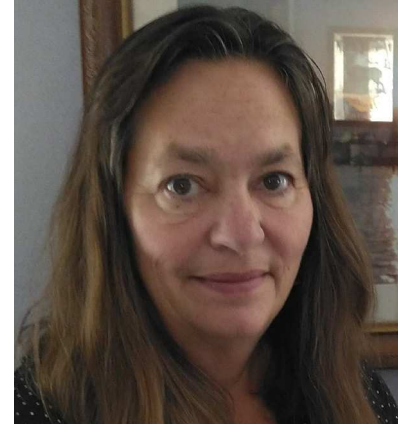
As a courtesy, please smoke outside on the east side of the building in winter. This keeps the smoke and cold air out of the bar area.

Pool table - historically the pool table has been covered during club events and used for food service. This, of course, is ultimately up to the person hosting/chairing the event. If you have thoughts on the situation, contact the host and maybe offer to help.

Finally, get your hours in but also remember to write them down. Your mom's not on the board and we don't have ESP. If they're not written down, they don't count.

Looking forward, we have events coming up and could use some volunteers to chair them. I'm sure Kris will have info in his article with that information. I am planning the Commodore's Ball for September 23rd. Stop in for the General Meeting on the 9th. Remember it is your club.

I hope everyone has a great Valentine's Day (Hallmark Holiday). I look forward to seeing you all around the club.



Commodore Dawn Demney
AKA (Madam Commodore)



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Commodore

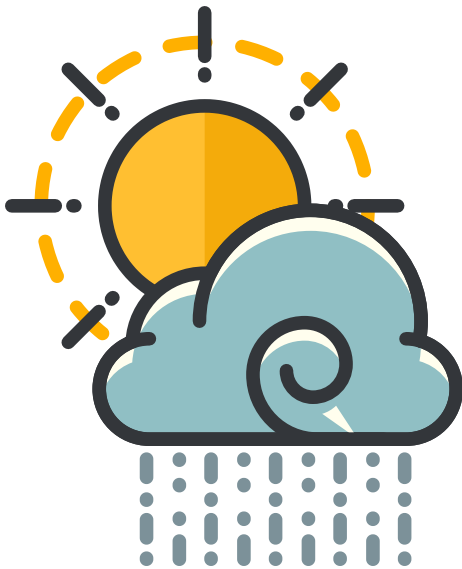


For the month of Feb, I will be starting to put together a project list for the upcoming season. (The North Lot, Memorial patio, and a few more flower bed updates. To name a few) I will be looking forward to your suggestions and support in getting the property projects voted into motion. Also, if anyone is willing to take the lead on these projects, let's talk. It's a great way to get hours and show pride of ownership.

We as a board would also like to see more involvement at meetings. (EVERY MEMBER IS AN OWNER & HAS A VOICE.) We need input and ideas so that New members, & future generations can enjoy the Club.

Your Grounds Guy Jason Dornor

Jason Dornor
Grounds Guy



Sunshine & Sorrow



All Sunshine !



Kris Johnson
Entertainment

February is among us. We have a few great new things this month. **February 15th** is the **Men's Smoker**. Sign up or be up! Be up for you turn to host a smoker . We are looking for a couple people to help put that next or first time behind them. **February 17th** we welcome a new musical trio **Charms!** 6-9 p.m. Do you want to learn some techniques and tips to make your fishing on Lake Michigan a success? Then come on down and support Bernie Erickson from the Great Lakes Sports Fisherman on **Feb 21st** 5-9 p.m. Come on down and welcome them both to the GBYC. We are looking for a special someone to host the Summer Bash. If you can talk some others to helping put it together let me know and let's get it going. See you there!



Jimmy Thomson
Building

Happy February everybody. I hope you got big plans for President's Day. We have a new mirror in the men's bathroom installed and donated by Patrick Gorky. There's also a new heater in the bathroom. The rest of the club is running fine and I hope to see you all boating this summer.



Gary Kuschel
House

As most of you know both Gini and Jessica have left us. They will be missed and I wish them all the best. Nikki has become our new bar manager, and I look forward to working with her. We are in the process of hiring one or two new bartenders, so if you see someone new, say hi. As always, enjoy the club, and remember the bar stools need loving too.
Gary



Fleet Captain
Dan Emmel

DARN Project will continue with replacing wood on east docks. Cable extensions are done on north and south docks are done. Handrails on walk ramps are all done. Work will be weather depending! Check GBYC Facebook for notices or by word of mouth.

Dock applications are due Feb 28th with a \$250 deposit. Applications can be printed off our website or picked up at club.

Remember to unplug your boat when you leave the club!

Fleet Captain - out



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Morgan Emmel
Social media Sweetheart



Follow the GBYC on Facebook for club talk, events, and more!
Public Page: <https://www.facebook.com/greenbayyactingclub>
Private Page: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/gbycfamily/>

Upcoming events to mark on your calendar! Follow us on the Facebook pages above to see the events below:

Light up the Fox: <http://fb.me/e/2gnijlolJz>

Pool League every Tuesday! <http://fb.me/e/5CPDcFuaY>

Interclub Party: <https://fb.me/e/2Ex8XS4QE>

Light up the Fox: <https://fb.me/e/2xV8n3Qwb>

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Grassy Island Range Lights

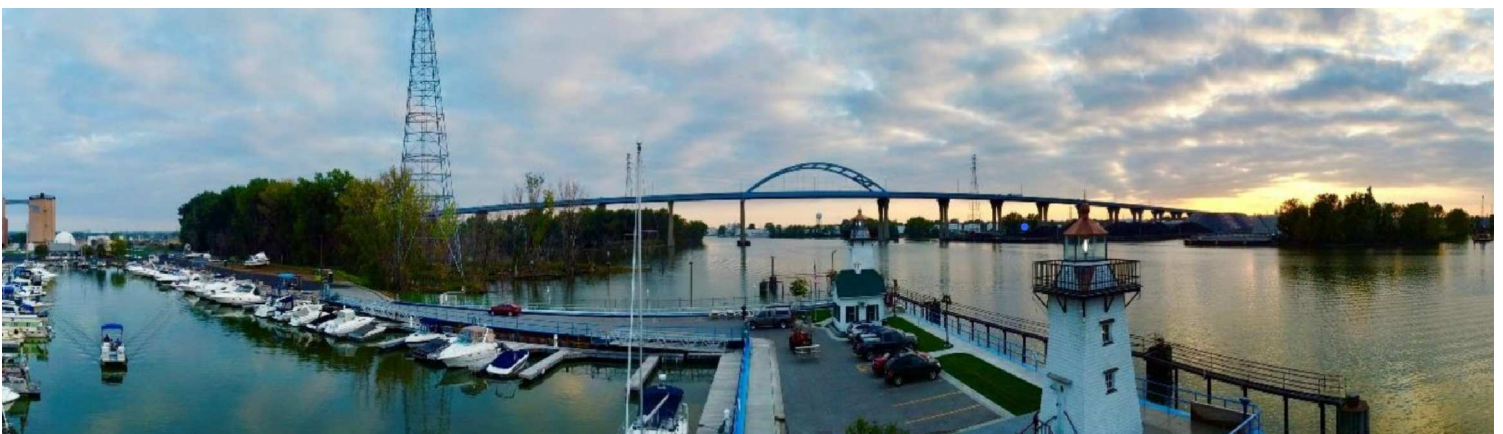
Brrr! Think spring! Or not. We have a lot of snow to move, batteries to top off, and plans to make for the 2023 boating season. And perhaps a trip to someplace much warmer for a week or two.

During the meantime you might want to consider spending some time with the Grassy Island Range Lights. They are over 150 years old, have been refurbished, and stand proudly at the west end of our harbor. But they need constant attention. We are blessed with visitors during the warmer months. Accordingly, someone needs to make them clean and presentable. And someone needs to be present during open houses to host. The Tuesday nights between Spring and Fall dock days are lighthouse nights. That's when you can come on out and lend a hand. And Yacht Club members get hours for their efforts. Really!

A Lighthouse Keeper's Duty Being a Lighthouse Keeper was one of the hardest jobs around a hundred years ago. Keepers worked long grueling hours and had to be willing to put their own lives in danger in order to keep others safe. They had to work in all kinds of weather, especially during hurricanes, blizzards, and gales when passing ships were in the greatest danger. Being a Lighthouse Keeper was not a job for the faint of heart.

Keepers were responsible for taking care of the entire light station. If something broke they fixed it. If the tower needed to be painted, they painted it. If a window was shattered they replaced it. Lighthouse Keepers were mechanics, construction workers, and sailors all rolled into one. They were highly skilled and dedicated men and women who had put others before themselves. A Lighthouse Keeper had many duties assigned to him. Some of these duties had to be done every day. Others were scheduled to be completed on a weekly, monthly, or yearly basis. No matter the date or time of day, a keeper always had something else to do. He was always busy.

As a Grassy Island Lighthouse Keeper, you do not have to work as they did in the past, but still, many of the duties remain and need YOU to volunteer.





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Due by
March 1st

2023 Dock Application

(Please Print)

Name _____ Membership Nr. _____

Address _____
Street City State Zip

Phone Numbers

Home _____ Work _____ Mobile _____

E-mail Address(s) _____

Type of Boat _____ Boat Name _____
(Power, Sail)

Boat Length _____ Width (**round up to next whole number**) _____ Draft _____

Boat Manufacturer _____

Boat Registration or Documentation Nr. _____

Current Dock holder? _____ If Yes, Dock Nr? _____
(Yes or No)

Insurer _____

CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE MUST ACCOMPANY APPLICATION

(Let us know if your insurance changes, email renewal certificates to gbyc485@gmail.com)

(Also contact your insurance to automatically email gbyc485@gmail.com COI future changes.)

Requests for a dock, both from previous dock holders and from new applicants, must be submitted by March 1st, 2023. The assignment committee will honor requests for a new slip/location as best as possible. However, in order to make best use of the harbor we may assign slips based on size, i.e. large boat = large dock, small boat = small dock. Docks will not be assigned to members not in good standing i.e. has not completed the requisite hours in the previous year or is past due on dues or fees. Dock fees must be paid in full by the due date on the invoice and prior to launching boat.

All dock applications from dock holders must include a \$250.00 non-refundable deposit and be submitted by March 1st. Balance of the dock fee is due prior to lift-in or May 1st. Failure to pay all fees by due date will result in full dock fee payment with dock application the following year and dock re-assignment will be at the discretion of the Fleet Captain.

Member Signature _____ Date _____

Please mail this application, your check, and certificate of insurance as follows, or place in the office door mail slot at the Club:

Attn: Fleet Captain
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Green Bay, WI 54305

Comments or special requests (continue on back if needed):