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THE DOCKLINE

Official Newsletter of the Green Bay Yachting Club

COMMODORE

On Land or Sea; together is where we always want to be. Being on a boat that's moving through the water, it's so clear. Everything falls into place in terms of what's important and what's not.

I am thankful for everyone at GBYC

We are family; each member that is part of the board; I encourage you to be present at each monthly meeting. We need to lean on each other, collaborate together and bring positivity throughout our yacht club; not only at our meetings, but also to each member. Our board counts on each of you.

Commodore's Ball

Tony @ Chef Fusion's will be catering with his talented staff.

"Food is an art, and food is love. We should show love and appreciation for those who cook it by eating it with relish"

I am working with Tony to prepare your selection

please be patient while he prepares the menu.

Carol has put together a spreadsheet for your selection. Land Sea & Air; please make your selection. The menu will be relatively similar as last year. You will not be disappointed!

Tickets are available at the bar for purchase

please purchase your tickets so that we have a count to how many members will be attending.

We have amazing music selected for you to enjoy and dance the night away; there is also a photo booth to catch those amazing memories.

Light Up The Fox is August 23rd

light up your boats and enjoy in the fun together
as we cruise the river and make memories together.

The Pig Roast is in September

please sign up to volunteer and let's make it a great day!

I appreciate all of you; together we can make

GBYC an amazing place to call home away from home & bring our families to enjoy Todd's amazing food. Thank you Carol for all you do! Thank you board members for all you do to make GBYC an amazing place to celebrate who we stand for.

Thank you members of GBYC for coming together with great conversation and amazing friendships we have made through the years.

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FLEET CAPTAIN

Ahoy everyone.

The gas tank was recently filled with 91 Octane and the price is \$4.00 a gallon

Just a few housekeeping items to mention,

As a slip holder you are responsible for pulling the weeds by your slip.

Remember to have your guest park on the other side of the harbor and not in your neighbors parking spot. I know it is said over and over, but it is a big deal if not followed.

That's all for now until next time.

Tony Sinclair

TREASURER

Hello, Fellow Club Members! Not much is new here in the world of GBYC Treasury... so there's not much to remind folks of this month.

I've received some summer storage forms and fees recently. Your club thanks you for taking care of that per the club rules! Here's the recap if you missed it last month:

- If you are not putting your boat in this summer but are still storing it on club grounds, you must complete a storage application and pay the proper fees for that storage. According to the rules:
- "Long-term storage of boats is not allowed. Should a boat be left stored after June 1st of the following spring, an additional Summer Storage Fee will be charged equal to one-fourth (1/4) of the total winter storage fee (excluding lift-out/lift-in) per month until October 1st, at which time the next Winter Storage season contract will be charged according to the prevailing rate schedule. The GBYC is a working marina, not a long-term storage facility - only one summer season of storage is allowed. If extended storage is requested due to hardship or extenuating circumstances, the Fleet Captain must receive a written letter from the member requesting that he/she be allowed to keep their boat on shore. This letter must include an explanation of why the boat must be kept in storage and what arrangements will be made to do something with the boat in the future. The Fleet Captain will then review your letter (with the board if necessary) and decide if extended storage is to be allowed."

Also, since I've now been informed about the special meeting minutes/treasurer reports binder that's kept in the cabinet under the TV in the bar area of the clubhouse, I've added the monthly financials and a brief summary for the first half of 2025 to it. If you have any questions when you view them, please email me and let me know.

As always, I'm available for "treasury questions" at ssh.gbyctreas@gmail.com. See you on the water or in the harbor!

Sheri Hartzheim



HOUSE

"May the lazy days of summer be filled with relaxation and peace. Happy August!"

Enjoy lazy summer days watching the harbor from the deck with tasty morsels or a refreshing cocktail!

Todd's Friday Fish Fry's and Sunday Chicken are super popular! If you know you will be coming with a large group, please let him or your bartenders know to make sure we have enough food prepared.

- Mystery Dock Drawing Monday – Ask your Staff if your Dock Won!
- Taco Tuesdays & \$1 off Margaritas / Pot 'O Gold Drawing at 6 pm
- Thirsty Thursdays (i.e., Happy Hour 3 pm) and Create Your Own Burger or Hot Dog
- Shrimp Skewers Night – August 14th & August 28th 5 pm (Grilled Shrimp Skewers, Corn on the Cob, Cilantro Lime Rice, Veg of the Day) Single \$8 Double \$13
- Friday Fish Fry 5 pm
- Sunday Baked or Broasted Chicken 4 pm

New!! Thursday, October 23rd Divine Beer Pairings Fall Oktoberfest 6 pm - \$30 per Ticket (Details to Come)

Drink Chips – Now only available when a Bartender is on staff.

"Live in each season as it passes: breathe the air, drink the drink, taste the fruit."

– Henry David Thoreau

Cheers!

Carol Pamperin,





GRASSY ISLAND RANGE LIGHTS

As you look to the west of our harbor, there are 2 structures that are an integral part of our club. The Grassy Island Range Lights. 153 years old. In the Registry of Historical structures, both State and National. We should be proud, not only that they still exist, but also of the people who have been involved in their preservation.

Being constructed of wood, and open to the elements such as they are, they require ongoing maintenance. That's why, on Tuesday nights various lighthouse keepers gather to review what needs to be done and who is going to do it, and go about doing that work. It is almost always the same few people. Not a bad thing, but it sure would be nice if we could get some others to assist. And club members get hours for their efforts.

So, why now? Well, there is one project that needs to get done whilst the weather allows that effort. I am referring to the V shaped copper corners of the lantern room accessed via the catwalk. The copper roofs have remained in excellent condition, but the corner pieces need to be refreshed. We have the materials needed to clean and restore them. Are looking for a couple of volunteers who are willing to climb the stairs regularly to complete this effort. And there are rewards. Contact any lighthouse keeper or stop out Tuesday night to say HI and review the task.





AUGUST CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MEETINGS

- GENERAL MEETING – NO MEETING THIS MONTH
- BOARD MEETING – NO MEETING THIS MONTH

REOCCURRING EVENTS

- TACO TUESDAY – AUGUST 5, 12, 19, 26
- HAPPY HOUR & BURGER NIGHT – AUGUST 7, 14, 21, 28

SPECIAL EVENTS

- MEN'S SMOKER – NO SMOKER THIS MONTH

GET IN TOUCH

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