



LODGE CREEK YACHT CLUB THE OSPREY TIMES MAY, 2019

2019 BRIDGE

Commodore - Barbara Woodburn
Vice Commodore - Jay Novak
Past Commodore - William Ward
Secretary - Theresa Sullivan
Treasurer - Charles Williams
Fleet Captain - Robert Van Arsdale
Ship Store - Susan Wright
A-Dock Director - Vacant
B-Dock Director - Ted Brooks
C-Dock Director - Geri McInerney
D-Dock Director - Kenny DePascale
E-Dock Director - Lori Rappa

INFO TO REMEMBER

LCYC Website link: <http://www.lodgecreekyachtclub.com>

West Marine/Boat US Membership - LCYC Discount No. GA83880Y

BOATERS SAFE BOATING COURSE - Effective July 1, 2019 all Virginia boater must have taken a Certified Boaters Safe Boating Course and have proof of this while boating in Virginia waters while operating any vessel powered by a motor of at least 10 horsepower. This law makes no distinction of age or experience.

As we start the boating season, we must all renew our commitment for SAFE BOATING.

VESSEL SAFETY CHECKS - The most cautious boaters can sometimes experience unexpected problems on the water. That's why the U.S. Coast Guard recommends that all recreational boaters, including personal watercraft and paddle sport users take advantage of the free Vessel Safety Check Program every year. We have certified Vessel Safety Check Examiners here at Olverson's Marina. Please contact the Marina Office and office personnel will provide you with contact information for getting this free examination. Once you have completed this free 15-minute examination, you will be given a decal that can proudly be displayed on your vessel. Taking a few minutes to have your vessel checked, just may save you from problems this season!

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

Annual Membership Fees are due on December 31st

Annual Membership Fee - \$100

Annual Membership Late Fee - \$20 if paid after January 31st.

COMMODORE BARBARA WOODBURN'S CORNER

Summer is finally here! The weather is heating up and so are the activities at the Rivah!

On Saturday, May 18th, the food was grilling, the drinks were flowing, and the horses were running, as B-Dock presented the second running of the "Olverson's Cup." Over 120 LCYC members and guests enjoyed a steak dinner with all the trimmings, strawberry shortcake and five spirited horse races! The race for the Cup was a thrilling event with three horses neck and neck to the wire and for the second year in a row, E-Dock claimed victory and the Cup! A great time was had by all, thanks to B-Dock for putting on a fantastic event.

We took *Bar-b-Bob* out for our first cruise on Sunday with a fresh Vessel Safety Check sticker thanks to Dave Teets. See Dave or Erik Amato to get your boat inspected.

Your yacht club has a number of events for you to enjoy. Coming up, a first ever LCYC Happy Hour on June 1st. Look for info in the clubhouse for this fun event.

PRYCA/Cobb Island Days are June 8-10. There are several boats going, so if you are able, get with Rob Van Arsdale and get registered for this event.

The C-Dock function is June 15th and I hear it is going to be over the top. So, please, please respond to the evite so the food can be planned accordingly.

Saturday, June 29th, we will gather at one of the close by coves for an afternoon raft up. More info to come on the raft up.

As we get into July be sure and get your tickets to Bill and Theresa Sullivan's July 6th barbecue and fireworks! You can't go wrong here, it's a fantastic event and a great way to celebrate our Nation's Birthday!

A huge thank you to Fred Olverson and Olverson's Marina for the new playground set for our children. We know the children will love playing on it. Thank you to Vice Commodore, Jay Novak for leading the construction crew to assemble the playground and for everyone's help over Memorial Day Weekend. It could not have been done without the assistance of the Lodge Creek Yacht Club volunteers. Thanks so much!

We are off to a great start this year with great attendance and also the addition of three new members! I look forward to seeing each of you around the docks and remember, LCYC, a great place to "Get Your Happy On."

See you at the Marina!
Barbara Woodburn
Commodore

VICE COMMODORE JAY NOVAK'S REPORT



QUESTION: *How many people does it take to build a Sky Fort II children's play set?*
ANSWER: *Just a small army of hard working LCYC Members.*

If you haven't heard, Olverson's Marina now has a brand new children's playset. I would like to thank Olverson's for purchasing the new set and I would also like to thank Stephen Trice for taking time out of his busy schedule to drive to Richmond to get it. The old set had quickly deteriorated and was becoming a safety issue, so it was time to take action. After our April function, it was agreed that if Olverson's purchased the playset, I would gather some recruits from the LCYC to help assemble it. The playset arrived just before the Memorial Day Weekend so I sent an email to the LCYC Bridge to "spread the word" that we would start the assembly on Saturday, May 25th. I honestly figured that it would take half of the summer to complete this project, but thanks to the effort of the following folks, it was completed in one day. In total, 2,350 pieces were unpackaged in the pavilion and then assembled in about 10 hours. This does not count all of the parts that had to be re-assembled 2 or 3 times after reading the directions a little more closely. The fact that this came together so quickly and smoothly is just another example of what a great Club we share at Olverson's.

The next time you see any of these folks, please thank them again and be sure to check out the new playground for yourself.

Alex Rappa
Lori Rappa
Willy Rappa
Bob Ryan

Clayton Williams
Adam Hill
Colton Novak

Sam Kelly
Damian McInerney
Charles Williams

Jay Novak,
Vice Commodore

INFORMATION FROM OUR SECRETARY

Please give a warm welcome our LCYC new members:

Dan and Robbi Benjamin, C-Dock
Mark Mitchell, C-Dock
Jason Carvajal and Monica Martin, D-Dock

Please try and encourage your fellow dockers that are "not LCYC members" to join the Yacht Club and be part of our family.

The Roster will be updated shortly.

If you haven't received your membership cards yet, please see your dock director or email me. I do have some with me and will mail those out to you.

Unfortunately, I will miss our very first "Happy Hour". Have a drink for me!!

Please see further down for info on Happy Hour, C-Dock Function and the July 6th Cookout.

Theresa Sullivan, Secretary

MESSAGE FROM YOUR FLEET CAPTAIN

June Fleet Cap Report:

Expect the marina to be a bit slow next weekend, June 8th. We have 4 vessels signed up for the Cobb Island Summer Kickoff and several other boats heading to Colonial Beach. For those attending the Summer Kickoff, I will be having a Captains meeting via conference call to discuss logistics and to get a general float plan from each vessel. All those on the water next weekend, please fly your burgee with pride and let's take over the Potomac!

We are also planning a raft up Saturday June 29th. Just west of Port Kinsale Marina and Sloop Pt on the West Yeoconimico, is a nice little beach with a quick drop off to allow us to anchor close into shore. We will deploy a grill on the beach to use throughout the day. This is close enough to Olversons', I am hoping we can get some of the smaller vessels to attend.



Robert Van Arsdale
Fleet Captain

MESSAGE FROM OUR HAPPY HOUR COMMITTEE

MARGARITA MADNESS!!!!

Our first LCYC Happy Hour will be on Saturday, June 1st from 5 to 7 p.m. (the event calendar on the website says 5 to 9, but it's a happy hour not a happy evening). We will be serving margaritas, beer and wine, and playing the appropriate music for the setting.

You just need to bring an appetizer to share with everyone and a hankering for a good time. What a great way to kick off the month of June and help get the summer into full swing. We hope to see you there!

Your Happy Hour Committee
Rich Verdillo and Kathi Williams

MESSAGE FROM OUR B-DOCK DIRECTOR

Greetings All,

Well, it's hard to believe that May is now behind us and June is here. My, my, how time does fly when you're havin' fun.

The first dock function of the season is complete...of course I'm speaking of the "B-Dock" function. I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who attended. Great food, Great fun, Great people...how could we go wrong...right!?!??

To my fellow B-Dockers...thank you...thank you...thank you!!! We have been doing this for so many years now and all of you work so smoothly together, it truly is like a well-oiled machine!! Once you had the materials in hand...it was like being on auto-pilot...and U made it happen.

A special thanks to Bill Sullivan for the magnificent job of cooking all of those steaks (120 +/-) and hotdogs...what would we have done without U!?

And, of course, our Master of Ceremonies at the "Olverson's Downs" pony races, Bob Woodburn entertained us all again this year handling all of those ponies like a pro. Thanks Bob! A wonderful time was had by all...and some prizes to boot! There were some really nice gifts contributed by some of my fellow B-Dockers and also the local businesses. Thanks to you it just made the races more fun!

Don't forget the "Happy Hour" this Saturday afternoon at the clubhouse. Wow!! LCYC is just a happenin' place.

Hope to see y'all there
Your humble B-Dock servant,
Ted Brooks

MESSAGE FROM OUR C-DOCK DIRECTOR

C-Dock Afternoon Event - Saturday, June 15 (also see the attached flyer)

We are looking forward to hosting the -

Olverson's 2019 Summer Water Olympics and Afternoon Picnic

Saturday, June 15, 2019

2:00 - 6:00 pm

Please note that this replaces the regular format of an evening dinner in the pavilion.

We hope you will come out and join us for an afternoon of water sports and lawn games whether you are interested in participating or would just like to watch the fun from the pool or under a shady tree. All activities will take place on the lawn by the pool or on the beach. Please bring a chair, especially if you plan to watch the activities from the hill.

Here is a draft agenda for the afternoon:

- 2:00 Participates sign up for races they are interested in (once we confirm the games, we might make signing up available earlier)
- 2:30 - 2:45 Opening Ceremony
2:45 - 5:45 Water Games
- 2:45 - 5:45 Lawn Games
- 3:00 - 5:45 Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Fries, Potato Salad, Baked Beans, Watermelon, and Beverages are Served
- 5:00 - 6:00 - Apple Pie is Served
- 5:45 - 6:00 Closing Ceremony

Tentative water games are - an individual kayak race, a kayak relay race, a blind dinghy race, a dinghy docking competition and a dinghy drag race.

Please watch out for the evite and let us know if you will be attending. This will help us plan accordingly and ensure we have enough for everyone.

More information will follow about the activities and how you can sign up for them.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to let me know - gerimcva@gmail.com

Looking forward to seeing you then,

Geri McInerney
C-Dock Director
s/v Failte. C-44

MESSAGE FROM OUR E-DOCK DIRECTOR

Congratulations E-Dock on bringing home the Olverson Cup once again! Great job B-Dock, we had a blast and are proud to have it on display for another year.

Just a reminder, our function is earlier this year, August 24th, we will plan to get together to discuss details soon.

A very special congratulations to the Class of 2019 as well!

See y'all at the marina!

Lori Rappa
E-Dock Director

PAST COMMODORES

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|------|-------------------------|
| 2018 | William Ward |
| 2017 | William Weber |
| 2016 | Ed Rest |
| 2015 | Bill Sullivan |
| 2014 | Steve Thompson |
| 2013 | George Utt |
| 2012 | Theresa Sullivan |
| 2011 | Bruce Williamson |
| 2010 | David Teets |
| 2009 | Tony Andrade |
| 2008 | Bob Ryan |
| 2007 | Sarah Harman-Hopkins |
| 2006 | Ed Rest |
| 2005 | Jerry Hopkins |
| 2004 | J.T. Taylor |
| 2003 | Ed Williams |
| 2002 | David Deal |
| 2001 | Tom Redford |
| 2000 | Mike Steele |
| 1999 | Parker Carwile |
| 1998 | Ken Brooks |
| 1997 | Byrd Chancey |
| 1996 | John Phipard |
| 1995 | Ellie Culbertson |
| 1994 | Bill Selden, V |
| 1993 | Ron Sowers |
| 1992 | Dick Roop |
| 1991 | Charles "Skip" Campbell |
| 1990 | Sandy Campbell |
| 1989 | George Thompkins |
| 1988 | Susan Secoy |
| 1987 | Lee Bedsoe |
| 1986 | Wayne Burgess |
| 1985 | Mason Cole |
| 1984 | Bud Zihel |
| 1983 | Wayne Hedges |
| 1982 | A.B. Skepsted |
| 1981 | James Harper |
| 1980 | John Gupton |
| 1979 | James Bricker |
| 1978 | Jimmy Morrison |
| 1977 | Charles Winder |
| 1976 | Gene Kohler |
| 1975 | Melvin Duke |
| 1974 | Joe Giannotti |
| 1973 | Bob Costner |
| 1972 | Leo Huckstep |
| 1971 | Leo Huckstep |

MAY BIRTHDAYS

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| May 9 | Jayson Carvajal |
| May 12 | Jillian Vargas |
| May 17 | Timothy Henson |
| May 18 | Rachel Hill |
| May 21 | Steve Thompson |
| May 22 | Jared Thacker |
| May 24 | Jay Moody |
| May 26 | Charles Williams |

JULY 6th COOKOUT INFO

The cutoff date to get your tickets will be Sunday, June 23 (no exceptions)

We will not be at the marina this weekend, June 1st (graduation), but Susan Wright on E-Dock will have the tickets with her, as will Stephen Trice in the Office. We also will not be at the marina the weekend of the 8th (graduation), but please see Stephen Trice in the office for your tickets. We will be there the weekends of the June 15th and June 22nd, so please see me if you're around.

Many thanks to all of you who have purchased your tickets (wristbands) already. If you didn't get your wristbands, Susan Wright will have them for you or come see me when we're there.

For those of you who have responded yes to the Evite and have not purchased your tickets and/or who are still thinking about coming to the cookout, please get your tickets by the cutoff date, as we will be buying everything for the cookout, food, etc., the following week and we need a proper headcount.

Please wear your wristbands at the cookout.

Again, thanks so much for helping us put this shindig together. We couldn't do it without all of you! It's gonna be a blast! :)

Bill and Theresa

2019 LCYC EVENTS/CRUISES

[All dates subject to change]

| <u>DATE</u> | <u>EVENT</u> | <u>TIME</u> |
|--|---|-------------------------|
| Saturday, June 1 | LCYC Happy Hour | 5:00 p.m. |
| Saturday, June 8-10 | PRYCA - Cobb Island (Details will be provided by Fleet Captain Rob Van Arsdale) | |
| Saturday, June 15 | Bridge Meeting C-Dock Function | 10:00 a.m. See Below |
| Saturday, June 29 | Day Raft Up Social (Details will be provided by Fleet Captain Rob Van Arsdale) | |
| Thursday, July 4 | Boat Parade/Boat Contest | 12:00 p.m. |
| Friday, July 5 | St. Mary's River Concert/Raft up (Details will be provided by Fleet Captain Rob Van Arsdale) | |
| Saturday, July 6 | Bridge Meeting 4th of July Cookout [Hosted by the Sullivans - Tickets Available Now Contact Theresa - theresasullivan6188@gmail.com] | 2:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. |
| Sunday, July 7 | Ice Cream Social [Hosted by Commodore Barbara Woodburn] | 1:00 p.m. |
| Friday-Sun, July 19-21 | PRYCA Float In - Coles Point Marina (Details will be provided by Fleet Captain Rob Van Arsdale) | |
| Saturday, Aug 3 | PRYCA Dog Days of Summer (Details will be provided by Fleet Captain Rob Van Arsdale) | |
| Saturday, August 10 | LCYC Happy Hour | 5:00 p.m. |
| Saturday, August 17 | Ron Moody (Moose Lodge) (\$25.00 per ticket. Limited Tickets) | |
| Saturday, August 24 | Bridge Meeting E-Dock Function | 10:00 a.m. See Below |
| Saturday, Sept 21 | Bridge Meeting D-Dock Function | 10:00 a.m. See Below |
| Saturday, October 6 | Chili/Soup Cookoff (Bring your own beverages of choice) | 6:00 p.m. |
| Saturday, Oct 26 | Bridge Meeting Bridge Potluck Halloween Party Election of Board Members | 10:00 a.m. See Below |
| Friday - Sunday February 28 - March 1 | 2020 Change of Watch (Details to follow) | |

GUEST FEES

ADULTS 19+ \$15.00 PER PERSON
TEENS 13-18 \$ 5.00 PER PERSON
CHILDREN 12 AND UNDER FREE WITH PAYING ADULT

Special event fees, such as D-dock and E-dock functions are as follows:

ADULTS 19+ \$30.00 PER PERSON
TEENS 13-18 \$10.00 PER PERSON
CHILDREN 12 AND UNDER FREE WITH PAYING ADULT

2019 LCYC EVENTS/CRUISES CONTINUED

[All dates subject to change]

**REGISTRATION/SOCIAL HOUR 5:00 TO 6:00
CLUB BUSINESS MEETING 5:30 TO 6:00
DINNER SERVED AT 6:00 OR SOON THEREAFTER**

***NOTE: When registering for dock functions, the Bridge request that all members, their family, and guests do so by entering the club house through the front door or where directed. Hopefully this will allow everyone to register and receive their name tags in an orderly fashion. The registration of members, their family, and guests will commence at 5:00 p.m. on the day of the function. Thank you for your cooperation.**

C DOCK PRESENTS



Lodge Creek Yacht Club

Olverson's

2019 Summer Water Olympics



AND

Afternoon Picnic

Saturday, June 15, 2019

2:00 - 6:00 PM

Come and enjoy an afternoon of fun competition including blind dinghy and kayak races as well as a variety of other activities for all ages.

If you prefer to watch the fun and listen to some good music, bring a chair and enjoy a pleasant afternoon poolside or under the big tree.

Hamburgers, hot dogs and other picnic food will be served throughout the afternoon.

Please note that this replaces the regular format of an evening dinner in the pavilion.



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AIN'T NO CURE FOR THE SUMMERTIME BLUES!

Come Celebrate the 4th of July with us at Olverson's Lodge Creek Marina on Saturday, July 6, 2019 from 6 p.m. till....
(Dinner will be around 6:30 or so)

TICKETS ON SALE NOW!

**Admission: Adults: (16 and over) \$20 per person
Youths: (10 to 15) \$10 per person
Children Under 10 FREE with paying adult**

Includes Bill's GREAT Smoked Pulled Pork, Chicken Leg Quarters!!!! Grilled Hot Dogs,
Sides and Fixings
Dessert to follow

Bring your favorite libation, for you to enjoy
Please bring extra chairs for eating and watching fireworks.
Soft drinks and water provided by Olverson's Lodge Creek Marina

GREAT Fireworks display at dusk or soon thereafter.

Please contact Theresa Sullivan OR Stephen Trice in the Office to purchase your ticket(s). Hope to see you there!!