

# LODGE CREEK YACHT CLUB SECRETARY'S NEWS UPDATE



# SEPTEMBER 2018 NEWSLETTER

Everyone in the path of Hurricane Florence, please be safe!

The Ship Store will be open during E-Dock's Crab Feast with some new items: Camo hats & visors, denim shirts.

Theresa Sullivan Secretary, LCYC

## MESSAGE FROM OUR E-DOCK DIRECTOR: BILL SULLIVAN

#### DUE TO HURRICANE FLORENCE APPROACHING, E-DOCK'S STEAMED CRAB FEAST HAS BEEN POSTPONED TO SEPTEMBER 29TH

#### MESSAGE FROM OUR COMMODORE: BILL WARD

Feeling a little crabby with all this weather and heat? Well, E-Dock has the answer for you with their Crab Feast on September 29th. Please be sure to check your emails with important updates and/or changes. This is our next to last event for the year and there will be some important announcements made, including the Nomination Committee's presentation of the proposed LCYC 2019 Bridge.

#### MESSAGE FROM OUR VICE COMMODORE: BARBARA WOODBURN

Thanks to all that attended the "Evening with Cabin Hill Bluegrass Band" Bridge function August 11. A wonderful performance by Emory Shover (B Dock) and his band, Cabin Hill along with guest vocalist, Rod Dog! Of course the food and drink were plentiful as always at a LCYC function and the 50/50 winner went away with over \$200!

I know that we are enjoying the great weather (between the rain showers) but the by product of all the rain has been no nettles! There is nothing like being at anchor and going for a swim in August and not having to worrying about the nettles. As summer starts winding down there is still a lot of activity with your LCYC. The E Dock crab feast followed by the D dock function will both help ease us into the cooler evenings and the changing of the season that will be here before we know it.

It's not too late to get that Vessel Safety Check (did I mention its free) from Eric Amato or Dave Teets to make sure your boat is shipshape in regards to its safe operation on the water.

Hope to see you around the marina if there is something you want to see happen with your Yacht Club stop by and see me, slip B-35!

Barbara Woodburn Vice Commodore

## MESSAGE FROM OUR TREASURER: JAY NOVACK

Last month I reported that the club had \$11,922 in its account going into the last three functions. Thanks to a record 50/50, a bunch of guest fees and a strong showing from the Ship's Store, we will be going into the last two functions with \$11,760. That is almost like we had a free function (and what a function it was). Thanks again to all who helped out and especially to Emory Shover and his gang for providing the entertainment. I am also happy to report that our LCYC Membership is now at 90 members which was our goal coming into the year. It would still be great to add a few more members before the end of the year though. Finally, I hope we are all able to stay safe throughout Hurricane Florence, so we can attend the Crab Feast on September 29. I know I am looking forward to it.

Jeff Novak Treasurer

#### MESSAGE FROM OUR B-DOCK DIRECTOR: BOB WOODBURN

B Dock is still cruising with 6 boats that went to Corinthian Yacht Club to attend the CYC annual crab feast. As usual the welcome mat was out, the pool inviting and the hospitality second to none, well maybe second to the LCYC. That is the one thing that I always hear from folks who transient through is that we have the nicest people on the bay. That is the one thing that makes the LCYC special, the welcome mat is always out, people are always ready to pitch in to lend a hand and most of all, folks want to have fun! As we wind down the summer work your way around the docks and meet some new people, if they don't belong to the LCYC invite them to come aboard and get in on the fun.

Bob Woodburn B Dock Director

# LCYC INFORMATION/MEMBER INPUT SECTION:

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

**WEST MARINE/BOAT US MEMBERSHIP -** If you are joining Boat US/West Marine use the Lodge Creek Yacht Club Discount Code is GA83880Y and your membership will be half price.

**SAFE BOATING COURSE:** - Effective July 2016, Virginia mandated that all persons operating a motorized vessel over 10 HP to have completed a certified Safe Boating course. And they must carry their Boater Certification Card with them at all times while operating a motorized vessel in Virginia waters.

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 the Marina. 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! Please contact Dave Teets or Erik Amato if you need your vessel checked.

#### RENEWAL NOTICE INFORMATION:

Your Lodge Creek Yacht Club Annual Membership Fee is due on December 1st.

The Annual Membership Fee is \$100. Please see the link below for the Renewal Application form. When complete please mail it along with your check to our Treasurer, Jay Novak, his address is located at the bottom of the Application.

NOTE: Members that were not able to send in their renewal by January 31, you will need to add a \$20.00 late fee.

If you have any questions, please ask Jay Novak, Treasurer.

#### LCYC 2018 EVENT CALENDAR - (DATES SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

<u>DATE</u> <u>EVENT</u> <u>LOCATION</u>

Saturday, Sept 29 E-Dock Function Clubhouse/Pavilion

Saturday, Oct 27 D-Dock Function Clubhouse/Pavilion

Halloween - Trick-or-Treating 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. - Docks

[Best Boat Decorating Contest; Best Kid's Costume Contest - Winners announced at function]

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.

ADULTS 21+ \$10.00 PER PERSON TEENS 13-20 \$ 5.00 PER PERSON CHILDREN 12 AND UNDER FREE

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

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#### SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! Bobby Andrade, Zelia Andrade, Sonny Ash, Harold Cosby, Judith Deal, Brenda Guerrero, Jackie Kloosterboer, Gwen Novak, Eddie Rest, Tom Spradlin, Rich Verdillo, Patience Wood, Bob Woodburn, and Billy Wooten.