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OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE ZANESVILLE YACHT CLUB

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Winter?...Just around the corner :

I don't Believe it!



COMMODORES COMMENTS:

Notes from Commodore Jeff Hardwick



This newsletter is double month Newsletter for Nov/Dec. The boating season is now over & I can not figure where the time went. But we still have plenty of fun busy late fall & winter stuff & ZYC activities to look forward to. OSU Games to watch at the clubhouse, Christmas Party & who knows. See Newsletter for scheduled events. As always send any comments, suggestions or ideas to me at zyachtc@columbus.rr.com or mail to PO Box 334, Zanesville OH 43701-0334 or call 319-SAIL & leave a message.



HAPPY 40TH BIRTHDAY DENA PAUL- Nov 11

KUDO'S TO:

MANY THANKS TO ALL THE MEMBERS WHO HELPED WITH BEHIND THE SCENES STUFF THAT GOES ON. We appreciate everyone's help but always like to mention those who went the extra step. Thank you to all the members who helped take out the Docks. A great job as always. The **Fisher clan** says that the job done was #1. **(SEE PHOTO ON WEBSITE).** Special Thanks to **Butch Collins & Ed Walsh** for disconnecting the electricity & securing the electrical wire separate so that the docks could be separated & lifted out. Special thanks to **Clint Berkfield** for again providing his tractor & operating skills. Special thanks to **Mel Miller** for providing Lunch from McDonalds for all those who worked. **PLEASE let me know if there is someone we need to thank. I know there are others out there, I can't remember everyone so help me out & send me an email when you know someone that deserves a pat on the back.**

IMPORTANT DATES



NOVEMBER:

17th: OSU BEAT Michigan PARTY: One hour before game time. (I think the game is supposed to start at 12 noon) Details on Website & flyer has been sent out.

21st: ZYC Poker Party: 8pm Wednesday at the clubhouse. Yes we know this is the night before Thanksgiving but it is also a good night to get out & hang around the clubhouse before the big Turkey Day. This is an informal get together & no one is really hosting this. If you want to play poker, bring your own chips & invite guests. If you just want to come down & hang out & watch TV that is OK too.

27th: ZYC Investors Meeting: Tuesday evening. This is the property owners meeting & is closed to the General Membership.

NOTE: There will not be a trustees meeting this month. All trustees should be at the General Membership Meeting in Dec.

DECEMBER:

8th: Private Party: All day & evening Saturday.

15th: GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING: Details TBA, This has been moved from the previous date of Dec 1st. It will now be Saturday evening Dec. 15th with a Christmas Theme. A voting meeting as well.....so make sure you reserve this date on your calendar. You will have **five** trustee positions to vote for. **(SEE NOTE BELOW & ON BACK OF NEWSLETTER)**

NOTE: Something to think about. The trustees have decided to schedule GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS four times a year (March, May, July, & Dec) scheduled well in advance so that you can plan on attending & voicing your opinion. We do value your input & it is also good to see everyone & enjoy some fellowship. We plan on having a cookout or Pizza along with some type of drawing or 50/50 as well. It does not work real well when only a few people show up. We have over 85 families on our roster so there is no reason why we can't get a better turn out.

WHAT'S NEW & COMING SOON:

Suggestion Box Update: We received— A fireplace in clubhouse & swimming pool. The trustees will review both of these suggestions at there next meeting.

Front Gate: I think we finally have a bid that may work. Details to be announced.

TABLE & CHAIRS BORROWING POLICY: It is a simply policy that is already in force. We **do not** allow removal of any chairs, tables or any other ZYC equipment from the clubhouse for any reason.

DIRECT TV w/ Local Channels & Music???
YES, YES, & MOVIES TOO: We will have new outdoor speakers installed soon. User friendly remote, Audio, laptop, MP3 Aux, digital projector, etc. with "Cheat Sheet". ENJOY.

Website Update: This is a great way to stay informed. If you can't find your newsletter or forget a date of meeting, just check the website for all of this information. If there is something you want me to add, let me know & I'll put on there. I finally got some new photos & will have them on the site soon. We are still looking for some advertisers to sponsor this website. We need at least six to help offset the costs a bit but definitely will accept more.

GAS GRILL: Yes there is one at the ZYC & it works well. It is available for all members. Come down & grill out a burger or steak. All we ask is that you put a couple of dollars in the suggestion box each time someone uses the grill to help refill the tank when it runs out & clean up after you are done. We have a reserve tank so when one runs out please replace with the other tank & simply call 319-SAIL & leave a message that the tank needs refilled & your trustees will take care of it. It is that easy. So enjoy.

New T-shirts: Butch Collins had some new t-shirts made with our logo embroidered on front & map of Muskingum River on back. If interested, let a trustee know & we can get you one. They are at the clubhouse with prices on them.

Fire Ring & Hot Dog Sticks: We have a very nice fire ring that is available for members to have a fire & roast some marshmallows & Hot Dogs. The lighter & fire starter block is behind the bar & the Sticks are in the tall utility cabinet in the Kitchen. We ask that members keep the wood pile replenished. So if you use some wood try to replace it when you get the chance. Help yourself.

Dena's Floral Design: Don't forget your Thanksgiving & Christmas centerpieces. Remember to mention ZYC & save 10% off regular retail. Stop down on 2231 Linden & check out Dena's new line of products. (450-DENA)



CLUBHOUSE RENTAL POLICY: The trustees are currently reviewing this policy. We have checked with K of C, IBEW & other halls for suggestions & ideas. We may go to an hourly rate with a minimum fee & only on a one day basis. Start the day of & clean up after party. No extra days to decorate & clean up unless you pay for it. **Details TBA.**

WELCOME ABOARD "NEW MEMBERS":

Newest members voted in by trustees last month are...**Mark & Cindy Nauer, sponsored by Dave Page; Robert & Sally Tague, sponsored by Brad Matheney.** Welcome new members & thank you Dave & Brad for sponsoring them.



NEWEST SHALLOW WATER SAILORS

Congratulations to Four more individuals who have completed the Muskingum River Navigator & Shallow Water Sailors....they are:

- #380 Captain Carl S. Deaton (83' Sternwheeler)**
- #381 Captain Wayne Leidey (65' Sternwheeler)**
- #382 Captain Jim Crowley (24' WellCraft)**
- #383 Captain J.J. Swingle (22' Four Winds)**

These Captains will be recorded in our official log book & soon to have a Wall Display will all those who have navigated & taken the extra time to have their trip officially signed by all the lock tenders & properly documented.



2008-2010 CANDIDATES FOR TRUSTEES

Jeff Hardwick, Dave Snyder, Mike Fisher, Dena Paul & Jeff Miller. (VOTE FOR FIVE)

Terms that expire this year are shown below in the Current Trustees list. Terms are for two years & candidates had to have been a member for two years.

CURRENT TRUSTEES:

Term Expires

Jeff Hardwick: Commodore	2008
Jay Jennings: Secretary	2009
Don Dorsey: Trustee	2008
Dave Snyder: Purser	2008
Tom Colopy: Vice Commodore	2009
Jay Fisher: Trustee	2009
Mike Fisher: Trustee	2008
Dave Page: Rear Commodore	2009
Melanie Mast: Trustee	2008



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