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SYC Currents

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1730 Long Level Road, Wrightsville, PA. 17368-9009*

Commodore: Penn Lemmonds
Vice Commodore: Tom Dexter
Rear Commodore: Bill Remorenko

Treasurer: Jim Holtzinger
Secretary: Dennis J. Voulopos
Past Commodore: Laura Lex

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Hello Skippers and Mates...

"Commodore's Greeting"



At the September 18th monthly SYC meeting, the membership voted on five capital improvement projects: rebuilding the seawall in front of the clubhouse, extending the Riverside ramp, repairing the barn, upgrading the docks, and air conditioning the clubhouse. All were approved except air conditioning.

Each member signed in and was given a ballot containing the projects and a space to vote for or against each project. A project sponsor presented and explained each project. The members then had an opportunity to comment and ask questions. Thanks to all who attended and participated in the lively discussions!

The largest expenditures will be for the seawall and ramp. A Finance Committee, headed by Bill Remorenko, met on September 27th to work out the details of funding these projects and determining the financial impact on our members. Once complete the details will be presented to the Board for approval.

October is here and the boating season is almost over. Some of the boats have already been taken home or put in storage. However, many of us are waiting until the last minute in the hopes of getting out on the river a few more times.

Mark your calendars for October 25 which is our next social event, Oktoberfest. It is also the date that the SYC Lightning Fleet will be hosting the PA Governor's Cup regatta. The visiting Lightning sailors have enjoyed the Oktoberfest with us in the past, and SYC has received many thanks for our hospitality.

During our November 20th monthly meeting we will elect Officers and three Governors for 2009. The Nominating Committee has proposed the following:

Commodore	Rick Faust
Vice Commodore	George Bonawitz
Rear Commodore	Bill Remorenko
Treasurer	Jim Holtzinger
Governor	Ed Adams
Governor	Bill Larson
Governor	Daryl Schumacher

As always, you are encouraged to make additional nominations from the floor.

Penn Lemmonds, Commodore

Committee Chairpersons

Schedule of Events - 2008

Oct. 16	SYC Board Meeting	Thursday 7:00PM
Oct. 25	Oktoberfest/Gov Cup	Saturday 5:00PM
Oct. 30	Waterline Day	Thursday 9:00AM
Nov. 1	Docks and Harbor	Saturday 8:00AM
Nov. 20	SYC Board Meeting (Election Night)	Thursday 7:00PM
Dec. 6	Christmas Party	Sunday 4:00PM

Bay Cruise	Bill Lambert
Barn	Daryl Schumacher
Budget	Daryl Schumacher
By-Laws	John Northup
Club House Grounds	Kevin Smith
Dockmaster	Matt Lex
Dinghy (space assign)	Scott Martin
Drysail (space assign)	Ron Boyer
Floral Committee	Jim Holtzinger
Grounds Chairman – Drysail	Bill Larson
Grounds Assistant— Riverside	Open
Harbormaster Joe Winalski/John Gallagher	
House	George Bonawitz
Lost & Found	Anna Keller
Membership	Frank Harvey
Nominating Committee	Penn Lemmonds
Riverside (space)	Rob Troxell
Publicity	Gene Schenck
Sailing	Trevor Prior
Ships Store	Open
Social Committee	Kim Bonowitz
SYC Currents (Newsletter)	Dennis Voulopos
Webmaster	Frank Filling

2008 SYC Board of Governors

George Bonawitz	2007-2008
Ed Baines	2007-2008
Star Mikell	2008-2009
Carol Park	2008-2009
Daryl Schumacher	2007-2008
Secretary Dennis Voulopos	2008-2009
Treasurer Jim Holtzinger	2007-2008

Election Night, Thursday, November 20th

Don't forget that election of our new officers occurs Thursday night, November 20, 2008 at 7:00PM. As tradition will have it, Oyster Stew and Oyster "Shooters," along with other refreshments will be available. Please mark your calendars to attend this important event.

The slate of officers presented by the nominating committee to our membership is as follows:

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Please remember to come vote and support your officers.

End of Season Barn Reminder

JUST A REMINDER - All member's personal items must be removed from the top level of the barn prior to docks and harbors. Any items remaining will be left outside. If you have a specific request or issue, please contact Daryl Schumacher

FUND RAISING FOR SYC WATERFRONT PROJECTS

Nearly 100 people attended the September SYC meeting to hear about the Capital Projects that will reclaim and maintain our waterfront. By slightly more than the 2/3 vote required, the projects were approved. We are moving forward to secure funding for \$255,000 and gather the Permits for the Dry-Sail Retaining Wall and the Riverside Ramp.

To help fund the improvements that will save our waterfront and protect the river from erosion, The Board is asking for Seed Money. Please note that this request is for Seed Money and shouldn't be confused with an Assessment that is likely.

Thanks to 15 members, \$12,500 in Seed Money has been pledged so far. Our goal is to raise \$25,500 or 10% of the Capital Projects. Please consider a 1 to 3 year pledge. Pledges can be made for either project, Retaining Wall or Riverside Ramp (or both). The Committee is hopeful that you will support the projects with a \$500 contribution.

Donations of all amounts are welcome and pledges can be made for 1-3 years. A plaque will be mounted recognizing all Seed Money contributors at the project's completion.

Our Treasurer has setup a separate Seed-Money account and is receiving checks. Checks should be made out to SYC and sent to Jim Holtzinger, 22 N. Seasons Drive, Dillsburg, PA, 17019-9554.

Thank you for your consideration.

Carol Park
Project Lead
carol.a.park@gmail.com or 717-848-4117

Starling Mikell III, Ken Kuzdro, Ron Boyer
Design Committee



SYC OKTOBERFEST

Hosted by Belinda Eyster

Saturday, October 25, 2008

SYC Club House - 5:00 p.m., Music at 5:30PM

SYC Oktoberfest Reservation Form

Mail Reservations before Tuesday October 14, 2008 to:

Belinda Eyster
P.O. Box 20266
York, PA 17402

Make checks payable to SYC

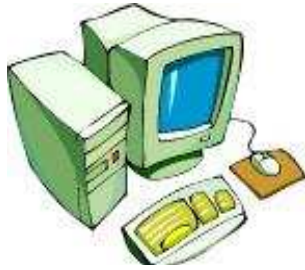
Name: _____

Adults: _____ X \$15.00 _____

Children: _____ X \$4.00 _____ Total = _____

(12 yrs old & under)

Reservations postmarked after October 14 will not be accepted.



Email Addresses Wanted!

To help reduce club cost please think about receiving the monthly newsletter via email. We also need to have a current email address to notify members of specials happening. Send request to dvoulopos@yahoo.com

Boat For Sale

Sailboat, Wayfarer 25 25 ft sloop-rigged cruising sailboat. Beautiful lines, Sails include: Main, 150% Genoa, and 100% Jib. Sleeps 4 comfortably with a private forward cabin. 12 V battery. 9 Hp Mercury Saildrive outboard available. Excellent dual axle trailer, \$5,000 – ready to sail.

Call Kevin Kuhn, 717-424-5598

Boat For Sale

1975 Chrysler 22' sailboat and trailer, Roller reefing. 6.5HP Mercury outboard, CD with dual speakers Sleeps 5. All in very good condition. \$3500 or best offer
JoAnn Filepas 717 566-8080

Boat For Sale

2007 Four Winns 220 Horizon BowRider Only 22 Hours (FRESH WATER), Volvo Penta 320 HP 5.7 GXI/DP Engine, Dual Stainless Steel Props, Full Canvas, Bimini Top, Mooring cover, Fire Ext. System, Dual Batteries, Cockpit table/mounts, Fill in Bow Cushions, Swim Platform Mat, Coast Guard Package, Color Coordinated Bumpers, Anchor, Rope, Docking Lights, Stainless Steel Bow Guard, Graphics Package, DepthFinder, Stereo,CD,I-Pod Input, Sirius Radio System, Four Winns Tandem Axle Trailer with Surge Brakes both Axles included. \$39,992.00 Photos/Information, please contact: Keith Miller @ 717-566-0505, keithmiller@comcast.net (upgraded to a 2008 Four Winns 258 Vista Cruiser)