

SOUNDER



AUGUST/SEPTEMBER 2005

COMMODORE'S CORNER

Hello Everyone,

I hope everyone is well and enjoying this wonderful weather we have had so far this boating season.

This past weekend, we finally made it to Muscamoot Bay for the Sunday Tie-Up in the bay. It was great kicking back, having a few "pops" and enjoying the day with some of our crowd.

Reg and I are looking forward to this upcoming weekend at Metro beach -- as it will be or FIRST outing with the club. It should be a great time to visit with the rest of the club members and the perfect opportunity to dispel (and maybe add to) some of the stories/rumors regarding your elusive Commodore...

On a final note, I would like to say that Reg and I are truly blessed to have such great friends...as a lot of these friends are from this club. During our garage building weekend, I watched (in awe) as our friends pitched in and worked their "tails" off. (whether it was on the garage or in the kitchen with me). We truly appreciated everything and want to take this time to say, "THANK YOU"!!

Nancy

NOTES FROM THE VICE

Safe boating,
Carole

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RAMBLINGS FROM THE REAR

How about the weather this year? It's a boater's dream. Day after day of warm temps, and no violent storms or high winds. Let's hope it continues. I can't remember the last time that we had such a great summer.

Outing Recap

The Bridge Harbor outing in June was probably the most fun of all the outings at that location. It all started on Friday with everyone going to the pool to cool off after a hot ride up the river. Saturday we took off with the dinghies racing up the cut to Lake Huron for some swimming, but even with the hot weather Lake Huron was still very cold at that time. Later in the day, Jeff, our Fleet Captain, provided us with a great New York strip dinner at the club house. The steaks were fabulous. They were some of the most delicious that we have had in a long time, probably since I was fleet captain (humility). We rounded the evening off with Bob and Carole Martin again hosting a Captain Morgan party, but this time everyone got dressed in their pirate garb. We had all different types of pirates and wenches wandering the docks till the late hours, but no raping and pillaging, darn! Everyone had great costumes. I'm sure you will see some pictures at the Commodore's Ball, if not sooner. Big thanks to Carole and Bob for supplying the liquid libation and snacks for the Pirates, and to Jeff for a great meal.

The next outing was at Belle River with our club invading the wine shop there to make some wine. All I can say is that the grape industry will need to start a new crop to keep up with demand from our club. Carole Martin took over the cooking job with some great kabobs for everyone to dine on, as Jeff was unable to attend this outing.

Fourth of July outing was held at Sarnia Bay Marina, and, although I was not able to attend and give you a full report of the happenings, I am sure everyone that attended had a great time.

Up and Coming Outings

July: Metro Beach - Pig Roast. By the time you read this, this outing will be history

August: Algonac Harbor Club - Poker run.

Labor Day: Sarnia Bay - Club dinner/Sip & Dip/Luge.

Frost Bite: Idle Hour - Sip & Dip/ Breakfast

Hope to see you all there. Enjoy the summer.

Tony Fralowicz

Rear Commodore



SUNSHINE REPORT

NO NEWS IS GOOD NEWS!

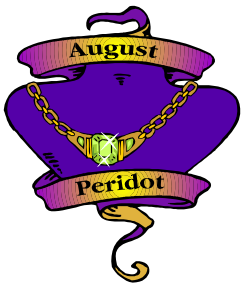
Debbie Giannico
Your Sunshine Delegate



AUGUST

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!!

- 5 - LYNDA MAREK/LEN BRULEY
- 15 - GREG & NANCY WITHERS
- 16 - DAVID & JOYCE WITHERS
- 20 - LARRY & DANA CRISWELL
- 21 - SAM & ILENE CARACASI
- 26 - GARY & JACKIE SZCZESNIAK



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

- 1 - Kim Gregory
- 2 - Corinne Christensen
- 4 - Mitsi Hamilton
- 13 - Len Bruley
- 15 - Rich Prentiss
- 17 - Edie Limbright
- 30 - Mary Sue Wyss

JULY

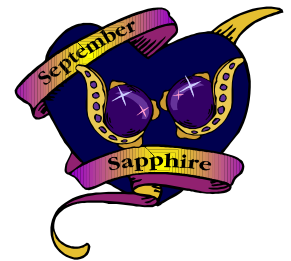
HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

July 29 - Frances Stocks (belated)
(FRAN NOTED HER BIRTHDAY HAS BEEN LEFT OUT. WE ARE SORRY, FRAN, AND HAVE ADDED YOU BACK IN!!)

SEPTEMBER

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!!

- 10 - TONY & SUE FRALOWICZ
- 14 - TERRY & DEBBIE GIANNICO
- DENNIS & KIM GREGORY
- JOE & KIM LAWRENCE
- SAM & LORETTA SERRA
- 29 - RICHARD & EVA BUCKNER



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

- 1 - Larry Criswell
- 2 - Doris Solecki,
Nancy Withers
Debbie Palyu
- 14 - Gerry Brieger
Pete Wuestenberg
- 23 - Kelly Prentiss



FLEET CAPTAIN'S REPORT

Hello Everyone!

Well there sure aren't any complaints about the weather so far this summer. Its been great! I hope you have been enjoying it as much as possible.

The Sarnia trip for the 4th of July was really nice. We got there on Friday, July 1st and realized it was Canada Day. Needless to say, wells were at a premium. I was told by the Harbour Master that there were 105 boats and five boat clubs there for the weekend. We had front row seats for the firework display on Friday night. I have to say, those Canadians sure put on a nice show. Gary S. & Richard cooked up some mouth watering shish kabobs and since we had such a small group, we did Sip-n-Dip on our boats. It was a nice trip all around.

I have another trip set up with Sunburst Tours. This is a Saturday and Sunday overnight gambling trip to Kewadin/Sault Ste Marie & Kewadin/St. Ignace. Hopefully we can get enough participants since it is a Sat./Sun trip. Call me (please) and let me know if you are coming.

Just got back from finishing the loose ends of Metro with Dean. I think Metro was a huge success. Just want to thank everyone that helped out and I hope everyone had a good time. I know I sure did, once again, thank you.

That's it for now.....

.Jeff Deffen, Fleet Captain

(If you let **Jeff Deffen** or **Gary Knapp** know that you have brought a guest, we'll try to add them to our next **Sounder!** If they have a boat--list it on the signup sheet. Otherwise have them sign up as guests of your boat)

These individuals came to our best attended outing yet--**Metro Beach!** We apologize if we spelled names wrong or left anyone out. These are from the sign up sheet.

Welcome Guests

Matthew & Cathy Stewart

Dan & Laura Stencil

Joe & Dawn Galdys

Mike & Laura Squires

Anthony & Daniel Warren (Sea Genie)

Sheralynn, Al & Boogie

Brenna-Sammy-Mandy (Just Because)

Terry & Debi Smith (All About Us)

Dan & Sharon Serra (After Midnight)

Jack & Jean Withers

Frank, Amy, Lisa, Kayla, Steve Wisniewski

Josh (?)

Ray & Sue Hella (Bullets and Band-aids)

Stella Gizynski (Mary Sue)

Ann & Brian Dube

Lori Dick

Pete Nowakowski

Ron, Andrea, Lindsey Adkins

John, Bonnie & Gina Marcinkowski

Herb & Cindy Katterman

Jarron Milius

Doug Anderson

Mike Mazziotti

Tamara & Bobby (Skip Inn II)

Karen Marzolf

Boats Registered: Frances E, Skip Inn II, Patty P, Image is Everything, Hammertime IV, Bella Mia, Three Crabs, Fric & Frac, Eagle Eye, Best of Times, Low Rider, One Happy Island, After Midnight, InFoxicated, Fuelish Pleasure/Homey Free, Tash Too, Knot Behavin', Ditto, Ken & Jennifer Wombach, Roustabout, Sea Genie, Absolutely Knot, On The Fly, Gator Bait, It's Only Money, My Three Sons, Yep-A-Roo, Lady Like, Haley's Comet, Pete Zakarowski (same as Nowakowski above?, Home Free, Just Because, Len & Cheryle J (no boat) and Bob And Carol Trinity (no boat). Other Members: Pete & Jill King, John & Debbie Palyu, Joe & Kim Lawrence (sold Home Free to the Mays), George & Sharon Girgenti, Wally & Gerry Brieger.

NEXT MEETING: OCTOBER (Date TBD)