



SOUNDER

JANUARY 2007

Commodore's Comments

Hello and a Happy New Year to everyone! I hope that everyone had a memorable Holiday season, filled with joy from family and friends. For everyone that attended our annual Christmas party, it was very evident to me that we all had a great time. I want to thank all of you that worked so hard to make it such a big success. For those of you that couldn't make it, you missed one of the best Christmas parties ever. The food that Gary provided was superb and the DJ added the little extra pizzazz to spark things up. Santa gave the children some really nice presents, and afterwards they really had a great time with the Karaoke. Even some of the adults gave their best voices to add to the atmosphere. It was great to see so many people stay for the whole evening. With the New Year here now, it brings us that much closer to a new boating season. I want to welcome our new members of the bridge and welcome back those of us who are returning again.

2007 BRIDGE

Commodore	TONY FRALOWICZ, PC
Vice Commodore	JEFF DEFFEN
Rear Commodore	GARY SZCZESNIAK
Fleet Captain	BRIAN FOX
Secretary/ BYA Del.	LYNDA MAREK, PC
Treasurer	CHERYLE JAKINOVICH
Membership	GARY KNAPP
Sunshine Delegate	ORIS SOLECKI
Asst. Fleet Captain	LEN BRULEY

HAPPY NEW YEAR

Comment's cont'd



Carole Martin has already passed the gavel to me at the December meeting as she will be in Florida for our January meeting. I can't say enough what a great job she had done in 2006. Hats off to her, and let's give her the special attention that she deserves at the Commodore's Ball.

Speaking of the Ball, I hope that as many of you as possible can attend the January meeting, as we will be finalizing the last few details of the Ball. Don't forget to bring your bottles of cheer, and donations, if you have not already done so. Plus any monies that you have collected for Ball and raffle tickets can be turned in now. Hope to see you there. That's all I have for now.

Happy New Year,
Tony

RAMBLINGS FROM THE REAR

Well, here we are January, 2007; the start of another great year for Sand Pointe Yacht Club. Tony is working on the finishing touches for the Commodore's Ball, Jeff will begin laying the ground work for the 2008 Commodore's Ball, Brian already has an excellent Float Plan in place and me; well I am going to take a much needed break this year, write short articles and get the Sounder out each month. I will also make myself available to help out whenever I am needed.

I would like to thank all those that helped to make the Christmas Party a great success. Everyone had input into making it a fun party. I appreciate all of the help I received in getting it together and the clean up afterwards. It was epically nice to see everyone that showed up and stayed for the entire evening.

Please let me know if you are unable to open the Sounder on your computer. If you can't I will mail you a copy in the future. I will also have copies at the meeting on January 7th at 2 p.m. at the VFW Hall.

Please remember to bring your bottles of cheer, and the sold raffle and Commodore's Ball tickets and money to the meeting.

See you there at 2.
You're Rear Commodore
Gary



Voice of the Vice

Happy New Year to you all ! This year should be a great year of boating again . Brian has a great float plan put together. Just 4 more months til launch of Gator Bait . There isn't much to do yet for the Vice Commodore my job will start with the planning of next years Ball , So please feel free to tell me what your likes and dislikes are . There is no doubt it will be hard for me to beat Tony. Hopefully I will at least come close.

Anyway please contact Linda and Gary with any Roster changes, such as boat name, e-mail address change etc.and I will see you all at Sundays meeting.

Jeff Deffen
Vice Commodore

Fleet Captain's Report

With the holidays behind us, it's time to focus on the upcoming boating season!! The 2007 Float Plan is complete, posted to the web site and I hope everyone is ready to travel. The sign up book was passed around at the December meeting but I'll be sure to bring it to our January 7th meeting at the VFW, for those who weren't able to attend & sign up for outings. I'm also working on posting the sign up sheets to our web site so everyone can see who will be cruisin' with us. Please be sure to sign up for any outings you want to go on at the January meeting or send me an email with the trips you want to go on. I will need to start contacting the marina's with the number of boats and there sizes very soon. ** Reminder ** The two most important outings that I need a firm "yes" you will be floatin' are Maumee Bay, extended cruise and St. Clair. St. Clair reservations need to be confirmed by the end of February.

I hope everyone's holiday season was as awesome as ours was and I look forward to another fun and sunny boating season. By the time we read this Sounder, we should have less than 100 days to launch!!

SUNSHINE REPORT



No report of anyone being sick
HAPPY NEW YEAR EVERYONE

JANUARY

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

EVA BUCKNER 17TH

JEFF DEFFEN 18TH

MARIANN LINDERMAN 18TH

JOYCE WITHERS 19TH

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!!

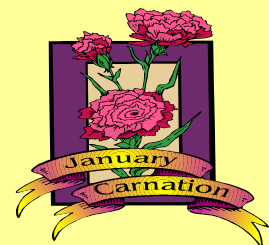
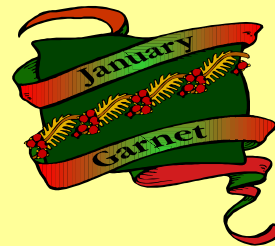
BRIAN & KIM FOX 28TH

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**Bob Neugebauer Travel 16170 13 Mile Rd. Roseville,
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(They donated \$200.00 dollars towards the cost of the
trip to Vegas) for
the Comm. Ball raffle tickets.**

**Blazer Limo Transportation Phone: 586-978-9194
(Mark)**

**(They donated the transportation costs to and from the
game for the Red Wing
ticket prize for the Ball)**



Next Meeting :
SUNDAY JANUARY 7
VFW HALL 2 P.M.

