



September 2021

Flag Officers

Commodore - Dennis Wolfe
Past Commodore – Carl Lis
Vice Commodore – Carlton Hamann
Rear Commodore – Brett Christy
Secretary – Gregory Kowal
Treasurer - Carl Waclawski

Committee Chairs

Education – Alan Freville
Facilities – Dan Cassidy
House Coordinator – Kathy Woodward
Membership – Jay Bishop
Race and Recreation – Tom Safford
Social –George Burns III

Appointed

Ken Kuwik-Dock Master
Larry Van Deusen-Web Master
Chris Piede-Newsletter

News from the Editor

It ain't over till it's over! Get out there for that one last sunset cruise, or trip to Sunset Bay before it's too late. I love the seasons we have in WNY. We have beautiful summers to be on our big lake as long as it is not angry as it was my only days off the last few weeks, so take advantage of our shorter late summer/early fall nights and enjoy!

Vice Commodore

Please check your work hours in the Work Hour Log Book. Make sure they are all recorded **AND** approved by the appropriate board or committee member (House, Facilities, Social, etc.).

As of Noon, Monday, September 13, 28 Senior and Probationary Members were still short on work hours, this includes 4 Members who have no work hours. Again, make sure your recorded hours have been approved. If they haven't please contact the Chairperson responsible and find out why they haven't been approved.

If you need hours contact a chairperson to find out where help is needed -- there are still tasks to be done.

Gate Combinations



Membership

Correspondence and Activity Summary

Application for New Membership:	None
Waiting List to Probationary:	None
Resignations:	None
Probationary to Senior:	None
Senior to Life Member:	None
Change in Status	Al DeJonghe Succession – Jayne

Waiting List Status:	29 On Waiting List
Orientation	Held June 11 th 6:30 P.M.

Membership Planning 2021

101 in Member List

Planning for 2022 Season

Dockmaster

Revised guidelines approved on overnight docking policy for visitors.

Any visitor showing proof of membership from a reciprocating boat and/or yacht club shall be provided docking privileges on a space available basis at a rate of \$1/ft of boat length for the first night, with second night free, and any additional nights at the \$1/ft rate.

Any transient from a non-reciprocating club will pay the \$1/ft for all nights.

Recreation and Race

The Power/Sail Cruise to Barcelona for Lunch was cancelled due to low attendance and the risk of entering the Barcelona Harbor before it is properly dredged.

The Ladies Champagne Race was cancelled due to a local shortage of Champagne!!

The last planned event of this season, the “Diehard Sailboat Race” was changed to a “9/11 Memorial Cruise” as we commemorate the life changing events of 20 years ago. The 9/11 Memorial Cruise was an event to remember with 5 boats participating despite the high winds and high waves!! Hardy souls all with the Smith-Denglers in their Passagemaker, Carl and Donna Bjurlin and crew in their Jeanneau, Bill and Patricia McCausland and crew in their Sabre, Carl Waclawski and Don Gee in his Shark, and Rich and Joanne Cowan and crew in their Shark. We held a hotdog picnic afterwards with about 20 folks participating! Thanks to Rick Ciraulo for cooking and cleaning!

I have had many compliments from travelers passing through Dunkirk who stayed at our club, stating how friendly and helpful everyone was, even stating that our club was the best stop on their entire voyage!! Thanks to Stan and all the other members who made them feel welcome!

This officially ends this season’s planned R&R events ... Don’t forget about the Diehard Party on 9/25!!

Here are some pictures from our Commodore’s party!!





DYC Board for 2022

Nominees

For a Two Year Term:

Jay Bishop

George Burns

Jim Christy

Alan Freville

Carlton Hamann

Greg Kowal

Chris Piede

Tom Safford

Two additional nominees have been added to replace resigning members whose terms expire in 2022.

Continuing members who were elected November 2020:

Brett Christy

Carl Waclawski

Dennis Wolfe

Kathy Woodward

Facilities

Boats out October 1st to install bubblers. Boats and uprights have to be removed or club will charge you for new boards. Please label them and move to East, West, North dock or clubhouse NOT finger docks. Club closing October 9th.

Social

Please call George if there are any social events so he can help coordinate. October 2nd there will be a chili cook off at the clubhouse. Fall banquet will be at Demitris on November 6th.

For the Good of the Club/Comments

Judy Foley (wife of member Jim Foley and mother of member Rachel Foley and aunt of member Scott Foley) passed away recently. Keeping all of you in our thoughts and prayers!

Next season every Senior and probationary member will be required to be on a committee.

Jackets, hats and sticker sale going well, more are being ordered and they will be available for sale at the clam bake/diehard party September 25th.

Next Meeting date: Tuesday, October 12 2021 at 7:00pm via zoom.