## MRC TATTLER: AUGUST 2018

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**Events:** The Summer Fishing Contest began April 1<sup>st</sup> and ends September 30<sup>th</sup>. Registration is closed. Good luck to all the registered participants!

Friday, August 10<sup>th</sup> is Elaine K. Johnston's 60<sup>th</sup> birthday celebration. The party starts at 7:00PM and the Carl Webb Band will provide the music for your listening and dancing pleasure. Members and their guests <u>only</u> are invited. You must be 21 and over. Contact Elaine if you would like to bring an appetizer. Pizza will be served later in the evening. She is looking to hire someone to cleanup and will need a volunteer to pick up the pizzas. Elaine is hosting this event to benefit the Club and celebrate her milestone birthday! Hope to see all of you there.

Poker Run, Saturday, August 11<sup>th</sup>. Check the Club for details.

Barb P's birthday is Monday, August 13<sup>th</sup>.

Your Club's 116<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Party will be Sunday, August 19<sup>th</sup>. Join us for a Picnic and Music Fest on the Deck starting at 3:00PM. Our chef will be flipping burgers, there will be special drinks, and cake. The ceremony will start at 5:00PM. Be sure to participate in the Annual Downhill Horseshoe Tournament. Check the Club's wall for an opportunity to make a contribution. It's always a good time.

Gary Johnson's 60<sup>th</sup> birthday party will be held on Saturday, August 25<sup>th</sup>. Let's help Gary celebrate.

<u>Thursday Dinner</u>: If you would like to host a Thursday night dinner, please contact Julie Jurkas at 231-578-0619. We would greatly appreciate it.

Special Thanks: to Matt Stout and his crew for mowing the lawn.

Thank you to the Club's Women's Auxiliary for paying off our Club's Summer Property Taxes in full. Please continue to support their fundraising events.

## **AUGUST CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Summer Fishing Contest – April 1<sup>st</sup> to September 30<sup>th</sup>
Muskegon Rec Club Meeting – Wednesday, August 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:00PM
Women's Auxiliary Meeting – Thursday, August 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30PM
September TATTLER information deadline – Wednesday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>

MRC Member Meeting: Club members will meet on Wednesday, August 8th at 7:00PM.

MRC Auxiliary Member Meeting: The Auxiliary meeting will be Thursday, August 9<sup>th</sup> starting at 6:30PM.

<u>Club Decorum:</u> We ask that all members practice discretion while using the Club facilities. Please make an effort to control loud foul language (especially when we are open to the public). We always want to put our

best face forward when we have guests. The "Penalty Jar" is located at the Bar! It's \$ONE BUCK. You know who you are!!!

<u>Volunteers</u>: as the oldest private club in Michigan, we rely on our volunteers! Please be reminded that all new members MUST volunteer at the Club on two different occasions within the first 12 months of membership. We always need work done. Please see the Third Page for suggestions. Let's show our support by volunteering! Men or women, if you volunteer, please add your name to the list on the Information Board by the front door.

<u>Attention Members</u>: **NO ANIMALS** are allowed inside the Club (Health Department rules). The only exception is a certified service animal.

MRC Board Members: President-Rob Neiser; Vice President-Kelly Swift; Treasurer-Jeff Johnston; Secretary-Lee Johnson; Junior Trustee-Todd Franks; Sergeant at Arms-Pat Dutkiewiez.

<u>MRC Application for Membership</u>: When sponsoring a new member, our bylaws require the sponsor and applicant to attend the membership meeting so the new applicant can be voted on.

MRC Auxiliary Board Members: President-Julie Jurkas; Vice President-Elaine Johnston; Secretary-Kimmy Addison; Treasurer-Gina Kittle; Sergeant at Arms-Janice Dutkiewicz; Social Director-Deborah Loyselle.

<u>Social Media:</u> The Club has an official FB page at <u>www.facebook.com/#!/muskegonrecclub</u>. Please remember to "LIKE" us to keep up to date on events. The website is <u>www.muskegonrecclub.org</u>. Please email pictures and event reminders you would like posted to the MRC Facebook page to Mike at <u>msdubault@gmail.com</u>.

TATTLER: if you change your email, please let us know. You can print information on a sheet of paper and place in the Tattler box behind the bar. Whether you send an email (tattler@imc-products.com) or use the Tattler box behind the bar. PLEASE PRINT and include your name, phone number, and email address. In that way, if there are any questions, you can be contacted. The deadline for including anything in the September TATTLER is Wednesday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>.

<u>MRC Membership</u>: membership renewal is \$45.00. New members: \$25.00, which has been prorated for the remainder of 2018.

MRC Auxiliary Membership: Auxiliary member dues are \$30.00.

MRC Hours: Monday – Friday, 3:00PM to midnight. Saturday - Sunday, noon to close.

<u>Hey, Bartender</u>! Don't forget to tip your bartenders. We are asking all Club members to pick-up and discard their beer bottles and cans and the trash from any food they eat or are served. It's <u>YOUR CLUB</u>! Please help keep it clean!

Absolutely **NO ONE** is allowed behind the bar except the bartenders (and Board members when necessary). Thursday drinks have been raised to \$1.50.

And finally, Kelly's Corner: Here's wishing Kelly a speedy recovery. Get back to us soon!