MRC TATTLER: JULY 2019

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<u>A Message from Rob:</u> Please make sure your guests have been signed-in by a member in good standing. If not, the Club and the bartender can be fined and our liquor license is in danger. Members not signing-in their guests face suspension and possible loss of membership.

<u>MRC Member Alert!</u> When using the MRC facilities, HAVE YOUR MEMBERSHIP CARD WITH YOU. A member's failure to comply with this rule could result in large monetary fines or possible loss of our liquor license.

Events: The **Summer Fishing Contest** April 1st through September 30th. The entry fee is \$10.00 and is a "Members only" event. You must sign up <u>before</u> a fish is entered and have until July 4th to sign up. Fish must be caught in Michigan water only. The rules, sign-up sheet and entry book are at the bar. Join the fun. Good luck!!!

The Women's Auxiliary is serving **Dinners** every other Thursday at 6:00PM. The cost is \$7.00 per person. Check the board for menu details and dates.

Mark your Calendar: The Club's 117th Anniversary Party, Sunday, August 11th on the Deck from 3-8 PM. Music will again be provided by Tim Klinefelter and Friends. A picnic lunch will be provided with an Anniversary cake, awards, and guest speaker.

JULY 2019 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Summer Fishing Contest – April 1st through September 30th Muskegon Rec Club Meeting – Wednesday, July 10TH at 7:00PM Women's Auxiliary Meeting – Thursday, July 11TH at 6:30PM August 2019 TATTLER information deadline – Friday, July 19th

<u>A Special Thank You to</u>: Lisa Biggs for the effort you put in to assure the Pub Pedal was a successful event! We continue to get compliments about your efforts on behalf of the MRC every year. We appreciate all the Volunteers who helped make the Pub Pedal a success.

Thanks to Jill, Elizabeth, Nancy and Kelly for the Thursday night dinners.

It goes without saying that we also extend our THANKS to all who give of themselves to help out at our various events.

<u>Your Help is Needed</u>: We ask that you respect our Club and pick-up and discard beer bottles, cans and trash appropriately. Please use the receptacles provided for the disposal of cigarette butts. Do not leave cigarettes on the ledges because they are leaving burn marks, which deface our building.

MRC Member Meeting: Club members will meet on Wednesday, July 10th at 7:00PM.

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<u>New MRC Members</u>: Jim Englund, Fred Sikkenga, Tony West, Mark Arnold, Ted Sikkenga, and Mike Singleton. Welcome to the Club!

<u>MRC Board Members</u>: President-Rob Neiser; Vice President-Kelly Swift; Secretary-Lee Johnson; Treasurer-Steve Colligan; Senior Trustee-Jim Wellise; Intermediate Trustee-Todd Franks; Junior Trustee-Kurt Chester; Sergeant at Arms-Pat "Duke" Dutkiewicz.

MRC Auxiliary Member Meeting: The Auxiliary meeting will be Thursday, July 11th starting at 6:30PM.

New Auxiliary Members: Kelley Patino, Brook Sigler, Jordan Davis, and Lorrie West. Welcome new members!

MRC Auxiliary Board Members: President-Anne Valentine; Vice President-Marley Johnson; Secretary-Barb Wood; Treasurer-Gina Kittle; Sergeant at Arms-Janice Dutkiewicz.

2019 Membership Dues: Have you paid your dues? New members must be sponsored and dues are \$50.00. Auxiliary member dues are \$25 and \$30 for new members.

<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.

<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.

<u>Club Decorum:</u> We ask that all members practice discretion while using the Club facilities. Please try 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. Thank you to all who help to keep the Club clean and safe!

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

Social Media: 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 (<u>tattler@imc-products.com</u>) 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 August 2019 TATTLER is Friday, July 19th.

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

Hey, Bartender! DON'T FORGET TO TIP YOUR BARTENDERS. THEY WORK VERY HARD TO MAKE SURE YOU GET SERVED IN A TIMELY MANNER. Absolutely NO ONE is allowed behind the bar except the bartenders or Board members.

And finally, Kelly's Corner: Sometime I wonder what happened to the person that asked me for directions.