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Newsletter of the West Seattle Yacht Club

Commodore's Report

Happy Spring WSYC!

On Saturday March 20, at 2:37am PDT the sun will briefly be directly over the equator which defines the official start of Spring. Yay, the days are getting longer at their fastest clip all year! More importantly we are getting close to the start of boating season! Also, Easter, defined as the first Sunday after the first full moon after the Spring equinox is Sunday April 4th. Start dying those eggs!

I hope all your boats are in good shape after the winter and recent snowstorm. Make sure to get those beauties ship shape because things are looking up for the summer. We have all our regular cruises scheduled and we have made reservations for the club at those marinas. They are all really excited to have us back.

Our next general meeting will be again via Zoom. Look for your invite in your email soon. We are hopeful that the April general meeting can be held at our regular location in the Masonic Temple. We are working out the details for complying with all the safety protocols to allow that.

We will be putting on the Stag Cruise and Chili cook-off April 24-25 at the super-secret location – stay tuned guys! The Doe Run is in the works; details to come. We have 15 slips reserved at Kingston for Memorial Day. A roster of boats is due soon so please contact me if you want to reserve a slip. Also, if anyone wants to help out, please contact Rick or me.

I hope to see you all soon!

Commodore Jim
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General Meeting-ZOOM

March 19, 7PM

Meeting Agenda

General News

General Meeting Dinner

Your favorite home dish!

Next Meeting
April 16th—BBQ
Masonic Temple



March Birthdays

Lee	Lightle	5
Terri	Geary	8
Ralph	Parsons	11
Bob	Giddens	12
Tony	Ethier	26
Zane	Fitterer	26

2021



Vice Commodore's Report

Greeting WSYC members,

The sun is getting brighter and so is our upcoming boating season!

Many of us have gotten or are getting the shot, making things a little bit safer. Now that we are heading into phase three this year's boating season is looking much more promising. Check your cruise schedule and have your boats ready for that oh so much missed fun. The President thinks by the fourth of July we should be back to a new normal.

Great news is that the next month's general meeting on April 16th will be in person and at the Masonic Temple. Currently we can legally host 75 people in that space. There of course will be certain precautions that will be taken.

1. Temperature checks and hand sanitizing at the door upon entry.
2. Facemasks are required unless drinking or eating, of course the 6' rule applies as well.
3. The masonic temple will have an employee there to confirm conformity.
4. The meal will be catered by Willies BBQ, which consists of smoked brisket, chicken, and ribs. Sides as well!
5. There will be servers wearing mask and gloves to serve you.
6. The bar is open! Just write down what you would like to drink, leave it at the main bar and pick up at the smaller bar with your paper request. Keep that request should you need more cocktails.
7. Tables will be round and set for 6 at a time.
8. The club will be paying for half of your fine BBQ meal, so for \$10.00 only, you get to wear BBQ sauce on your face. 😊
9. Please RSVP if, planning to attend.

The ship store will be making some changes. Lynda Swift will be the new point of contact and is super enthusiastic about dressing all of us. Looking forward to the new swag! Bring your wallets and prepare to spend!

Stag cruise will be April 24th-25th, same with the Doe run. 12 slips are reserved for the secret location. Call 360-876-5535 to reserve your spot. Of course, the chili cook off is back and the trophy is waiting for its new home. There will also be hot dogs. REMEMBER- NO cruise bar at this point. All food handling will be done per state guidelines and don't forget to stay 6' apart. Want to do some golfing? Contact Dan Scott @ ssdscott@gmail.com. He will need your attendance confirmation ASAP.

The Doe run will be the same weekend and currently we have 6 rooms reserved; this will be held locally this year. Contact julieaestes14@gmail.com by April 15th. The hotel room is at a rate of \$127.00, we can do some carpooling for those who need it. This is at a Sheraton property with a pool, etc...

Rear commodore,
Rick Shelton



Welcome Back WSYC members
April 16th at the Masonic Temple the General Meeting I
s back 6pm the bar will be open and dinner starts at 7pm. \$10.00 per person.

Willies Fabulous BBQ dinner of smoked brisket, chicken, ribs and sides.
Please RSVP for this catered event to 9049bliss@gmail.com.

2021 SOCIAL SCHEDULE

January 15	General Meeting/Zoom
February 19	General Meeting/Zoom
March 19	General Meeting/Zoom
April 16	General Meeting/Masonic Temple Catered Dinner
May 21	General Meeting/Zoom or Masonic Temple
June 6	General Meeting @ Des Moines Marina
June 12	TBD WSYC Annual Golf Tournament
September 17	General Meeting/Masonic Temple
October 15	General Meeting/Elections/Masonic Temple
November TBD	Commodore Ball/ TBD
November 19	General Meeting/Masonic Temple
December 17	General Meeting/Christmas Party

2021 CRUISE SCHEDULE

April 24-25	Stag Cruise/ Mystery Location TBD
April 24-25	Doe Run/ TBD
May 28-31	Memorial Weekend/ Kingston
June 4-6	Seafood Feed/ Des Moines Marina
June 25-27	Bremerton - "Blast the Bridge"
July 4th	TBD
July 11-13	Roche Harbor & San Juan Islands
August 20-22	Steak Fry/ Brownsville
August 28-September 2	Mini Cruise/ South Sound
September 3-6	Labor Day Cruise/Bremerton
October 22-24	Halloween Cruise/Bell Harbor
December 3-5th	Christmas Cruise/Port Orchard

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**Please think about
volunteering for an open
position. We need to all work
together to
Keep This Club Successful!!!
You're never alone- there is always help & guidance!**