



**Mona Lake Boating Club**  
**Where Good Friends Anchor**



**September 2021 Newsletter**

**AUGUST NEWS**

**Welcome New Members!** The MLBC would like to extend a warm welcome to all the new members that were voted in at the August Membership meeting.

The Prospective new members listed below will be voted on at the September 13 Membership Meeting.

<u>Prospective New Member</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	<u>Prospective New Member</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
Kevin Beck	Judy Karnitz	Mike Pelfresne	Chuck Pelfresne
Janet Kienke	Debi Bultema	Richard Dethloff	Kevin Dethloff
Nicholas Davis	John Childers	Geoff Newmyer	Tom Newmyer
Don Fialek	Steve Crawford	Cynthia Novak	Jennifer Simms
Cecilia Stolarz	Francine LaBozzetta	Tommaine Irons	Eddie Fortenbacher
Jeff & Andres Wilkie	Terri Whiteman	San & Leta Wilcoxson	Tracy Skidmore
Marshall & Mary Hampton	David Selby	Travis & Kelli Ghezzi	Janet Wright
Jeff Beals & Brandi Outwin	Mike Outwin	Emie & Diane Davis	John Childers
Martin & Anita Brady	Susan Luders	Eric & Haley Cunningham	Rob Woods
Chadwick & Krystal Lawton	Ken French	Sheryl & Dan Kuznar	Mark Hoofman
Christina Schneider & Charles Houser	Diane Vandonkelaar		

**MEMBER NEWS**

Board of Directors Election will be on Monday, September 13 th at 7:00 pm during the General Membership meeting. **Please do not be late and remember to have your membership card in sight** ( required for voting) Please remember no children are permitted at the Election/Membership meeting and you must be a member. Thank you.

Open Officers:

Commodore, Vice Commodore, Rear Commodore, Secretary, Treasurer, and (2) 2 year trustee  
Please inform the election committee if you have a desire to fulfill any of the offices. Deborah Baker (231)759-3216 or randebbaker@comcast.net

**Current Nominations for the 2021-2022 MLBC Board:**

**Commodore-** Terri Whiteman  
**Vice Commodore-** Bill Barefoot  
**Rear Commodore-** Dave Kendall  
**Secretary-** Janet Piasecki  
**Treasurer-** Bob Graham  
**2 Yr. Trustee-** Scott DeMarr  
**2 Yr. Trustee-**

Nominations will also be taken from the floor. To run for office you must be a member in good standing for at least 2 years

The Board has accepted the following proposal from the Dues Committee, it was discussed at the August 1 st , 2021 Membership meeting and will be voted on at the September 13 th , 2021 Membership meeting.  
1. Single Member dues \$125  
2. Spouse dues \$50

Show Your Love For Your Club! There's more to life than a Tiki Bar adventure! Yes indeed the Tiki Bar is a great place to hang out and we love it dearly too! Did you know we are open year round?

Calling all of our new members...we need you to continue to enjoy our club year round. We need your happy faces here to sustain and thrive even in the off season.  
Do you want to get involved? Let's form a committee for some new and fun activities for Fall and Winter. Some ideas are Monthly kid friendly activities, Indoor corn hole league, Movie night, game night and anything you might think of!

Volunteers are also needed for Variety Dinners each week. It is becoming increasingly difficult to staff our Variety Dinners. As you should be aware, the bulk of our staffing is produced by our volunteers. (door cashiers, servers, fryer, 50/50 raffles) PLEASE HELP! WE WILL TRAIN YOU. WE NEED YOU. Please contact Laura @ 231-798-4011.

1st Annual Smoke Off Competition. Bring your creative culinary skills and show us what you've got. Smoke your meat of choice and be voted on and become the 1 st Smoke Off Champion for MLBC. Plan on tastings of approx. 4-6oz. per person. Guests will purchase tickets to add a vote to your culinary creation of smoked goodness. There will be a \$10 entry fee for Smoker Teams. We would love to have at least 10 teams enter the competition. Do you have what it takes? Let's form a committee to get this started. Contact Laura 231-798-4011.

Lighted Boat Parade – Don't put your watercraft away just yet! Come One – Come All – Big boats and small. The lighted boat parade will be assembled and you can take a couple loops on the lake (weather permitting) to be judged as the most festive water craft. String those lights, use props for display and proudly display your creativity. How about a TIKI theme? Or Fall Harvest theme? Open to suggestions. A \$10 registration fee for entries and if weather is not appropriate to be on the lake we can display in the parking lot. Let's form a committee to get this started. Contact Laura @ 2531-798-4011  
Thank you!

Extra Thanks to Scott DeMarr, Richard Johnson and Bill Barefoot for tackling the clean up behind the clubhouse! A big job for 3 people. You're very much appreciated!

Thank you to all who volunteered in August!

**Looking Ahead In October:**

Willow Point Clean up/Close up – Saturday October 2nd  
FIRST Tacos- Saturday October 2nd

**SEPTEMBER EVENTS**

**Wednesday Hamburger Lunch** – Every Wednesday 11:30 – 1:00.  
**Friday Fish Lunch** – Every Friday 11:30 – 1:00.  
**Variety Dinner** – Every Friday night, 5:30 – 7:30 pm.  
**17th Annual MLBC Commodore's Labor Day Bridge Walk** – Monday September 6 th . Join us again this year for the MLBC Labor Day Bridge Walk dedicated to the memory of past Commodore Dale Asbury. Coffee and donuts will be served at the Point 9am – 10am. The Bridge walk will begin at 10am starting at the Point "Step-off" from Ladd's at 10:20am. **Please be advised that the parking lot at Ladd's is for their customers only, not bridge walkers.** At the conclusion of the Bridge Walk, complimentary beverages will again be served at Sly's "by-the-bride" bar. Return transport to MLBC's Tiki Bar will be provided by boat.

**Board of Directors Elections** – Monday September 13 th during the Membership meeting at 7:00 pm. **Please note:** You must be a member and have your membership card. No children are allowed at the meeting and please be on time. Thank you

**Flu Shot Clinic** – Wednesday September 15 th 11:30 – 1:00 during lunch. Come grab some lunch and get your flu shot ~ Where Good Friends Anchor!

**Fall Harvest Party** – Saturday September 25 th 4pm – close. Live music by Legal Rehab. 1 st Annual Smoke Off Competition, Also a Lighted Boat Parade. Contact Laura with any input, suggestions and assistance you can offer. 231-798-4011. See inside bulletin for more info.

**Please remember, when enjoying your lunch and/or dinner that our waitresses are volunteers. Please tip your waitresses appreciatively. They give up their free time so you can enjoy yours. Thank you for your support.**

**2021 MEMBERSHIP CARDS**

Please remember to pick up your membership card at the bar. Please check it and make sure all info and spelling is correct and remember to carry your membership card with you to the club. Our bartenders may be asking to see your 2021 card. Thank you for your cooperation.

You may also pick up your boat ramp sticker at the bar. You will need your membership card and registration with MC number in hand (not a picture) in members' name and not expired for each sticker you need.

**NO MC NUMBER, NO RAMP STICKER!** Users of the boat ramp/launch area **MUST** have a current trailer sticker. The new combination for the ramp and bathrooms will be given to you at this time. **Please be sure to lock the ramp chain before leaving.** On our busy nights and weekends we encourage patience and being helpful.

**SEPTEMBER VARIETY DINNER MENU**

**September 3** - Stuffed Chicken  
**September 10** - Pork Steak  
**September 17** - Chicken Pot Pie  
**September 24** - Shrimp Boil

**Curbside Pick-Up Available for all Variety Dinners!**  
**Please call 231-798-4011 10am-2pm Friday to place your order**

All Variety Dinners and Lunches are open to the public! Lunch is available Wednesday 11:30am-1pm. Variety Dinner is Friday, 5:30pm-7:30pm

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Please note: Our Menu May Be Subject To Change  
For all current and future events, please visit our website at <http://www.monalakeboatingclub.net/>

If you would like to contact the club, you may call Laura at 231-798-4011 or email: [mlbc372@yahoo.com](mailto:mlbc372@yahoo.com)

**Newsletter Deadline: Information must be submitted to Terri Whiteman by the second Friday of the month and be approved to be included in the next month's bulletin.**