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MRC Board Members: President-Dan Johnson; Vice President-Kelly Swift; Treasurer-Jeff Johnston; Secretary-Steve Dietz; Senior Trustee-Tom Wirts; Intermediate Trustee-Lee Johnson; Junior Trustee-Neil (Blade) Sweet, Jr.; Sergeant at Arms-Rob Neiser.

MRC Member Meeting: Club members will meet on Wednesday, June 14th at 7:00PM

MRC Application for Membership: 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. If it's impossible for the applicant to attend, the sponsor attending may ask that the rule for the applicant's attendance be waived. The member that does not attend the meeting cannot vote a new member in solely because they filled out an application and paid dues.

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.

MRC Auxiliary New Member: Sheila Witt.

MRC Auxiliary Member Meeting: The Auxiliary meeting starts at 6:30PM and will be held on June 15th. Remember, applicants need to be present with their sponsor at the meeting. **After three (3) months of non-attendance, the Auxiliary will have the applicant wait until the following year to re-apply.** Please carry your membership card and sign-in all non-member guests.

Club Decorum: **We ask that all members practice more discretion while using the Club facilities.** Please make an effort to control loud foul language (especially when we are open to the public). This becomes important if we are having 4:20 meetings on the deck and members are using cigars and cigarettes. Remember we have ash receivers for cigarette and cigar butts. We always want to put our best face forward when we have guests.

Volunteers: 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. Let's show our support by volunteering!** Men or women, if you volunteer, please add your name to the list on the Information Board. The Women's Auxiliary Gift Card winner was "Batman" Denny Deforte!

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

Hey, Bartender! **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 **YOUR CLUB!** **Please help keep it clean!**

Events: The **Summer Fishing Contest** started on April 1st and runs through September 30th. It is going strong. Come join in on the fun! Remember, you need to be signed up by July 4th. There is still lots of room on the leader board.

The Annual Pub Peddle is Saturday, June 3rd. Volunteers needed. Sign-up available at the Club.

Doug Yonkers Memorial Golf Tournament will be held at Chase Hammond Golf Club, Saturday, June 24th. Tee-off has changed and will be at 8:00 AM. See Third Page for details. Silent auction volunteers and gifts are needed.

Future Events: Kelly welcomes feedback for having a monthly Steak/Chicken dinner on the last Saturday of the month. Send your replies to tattler@imc-products.com.

Special Thanks: to all of the 2016/17 Fish Fry Volunteers that include Cindy Whitmore, Tanya Franks, Nancy Kubon, Elaine Russell, Sandy Ferski, Steve Monroe, Sharon, Wendy Thompson, Jan Wood, Suzie Jones, Lindsey Dutkiewicz, Mike Smith, John Arnsen, Jim & Cindy McNeice, Jeanni T., Murf, Elaine Johnston, Dennis "Batman" Deforte, Paul Johnson, Mary Smith, Wayne Cross, Cindy Forester, Tracy Conners, Mike Munroe, Kendra Rector, and Janice Dutkiewicz. Our apologies for misspellings or omissions.

Thanks Leo Valera for donating another table and chairs for the Club's deck. We appreciate your generosity.

Congratulations to Pat Corbin for another successful Steak & Blues event.

Muchas gracias Elaine Johnston for a tasty Cinco de Mayo Taco dinner. Great job!

A new flag was raised at the Club to replace the damaged one. Thanks Gary Baas for the donation toward the purchase.

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

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 box, include your name, phone number, and email address. Please PRINT. In that way, if there are any questions, you can be contacted. The deadline for including anything in the July 2017 TATTLER is **Wednesday, June 21st**.

MRC Membership: Membership renewals are \$45.00; new members \$47.50. We need your support.

MRC Auxiliary Membership: Auxiliary member dues are \$25.00; new members \$30.00.

Calendar of Events

Summer Fishing Contest began April 1st

MRC Meeting – Wednesday, June 14th at 7:00PM

Women's Auxiliary Meeting – Thursday, June 15^h at 6:30PM

July TATTLER information deadline – Wednesday, June 21st

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