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Newsletter of the West Seattle Yacht Club

Commodore's Report

Ahoy and Happy New Year Boaters!

I hope everyone by now has done their best to (re)establish their new/old routines and that they include many resolutions for 2016 to be a year of growth and happiness.

Looking back, 2015 was a tough year for a few individuals, and for the club. With a slightly smaller member base and limited participation in the leadership, it has been tough, but I hope that for the club this is a year of growth and transition to what I've heard so many members say they want.

I hope everyone has received the E-Vite to the Commodore's Ball on January 23rd, and I hope to see everyone there! Please RSVP ASAP, and contact me with any questions.

We have begun to settle both the social and cruise schedules as the new officers have had a chance to catch up with their roles, so the final editions should be out soon, as well as updated yearbooks once we have pictures of the officers from the Ball. Thanks as usual for your patience and I look forward to talking with you all soon!

Very respectfully,
Commodore Vince

In Honor of Dick Baker

We wish to his spirit:
Fair Winds and Following Seas, Shipmate.
May your memory serve as a guide to our lives,
Your spirit keep the seas and our nerves calm,
And your shared love and passion for fishing keep our bellies full!



General Meeting

No General Meeting February

General Meeting Dinner

Meeting Agenda

Next General Meeting

Boat Show Dinner at
Talarico's Pizzeria,
West Seattle



January Birthdays

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| Jodi Thomas | 3 |
| John Gordon | 4 |
| Bob Schrader | 4 |
| Helen Carlson | 5 |
| Ken Olson | 5 |
| Pam Zeleznik | 10 |
| Jan Clark | 11 |
| Virginia St. John | 15 |
| Ben Ethier | 19 |
| Charlotte Vahsholtz | 26 |
| Beverly Loodus | 28 |
| Karen Conner-Luton | 30 |
| Dave Salo | 31 |

Happy Birthday

Vice Commodore Report

Hello Fellow club members,

Just a few reminders of our upcoming events: Saturday, February 6th @ 7pm will be our annual Boat Show Dinner at Talarico's Pizzeria in West Seattle (4718 California Ave SW, Seattle 98116).

The Crab Feed Dinner will take place at the General Membership Meeting on Friday, March 18th. An email will be sent out closer to the date with more details.

I'd like to personally thank Don and Mary Ann Lobdell for taking over the Ships Store at this time.

Be sure to RSVP for the Commodore's Ball if you haven't already. We are looking forward to a good time.

Dwayne Thomas
Vice Commodore

Rear Commodore Report

Hello all,

With a new year upon us I have been working on our 2016 cruise schedule. I hope it will please everyone.

Tammy Legg has done a great job preparing for our Sweet Heart Cruise which is right around the corner. It will be at the Silver Reef Casino in Ferndale (Feb. 12th & 13th) Be sure and make your reservation soon. 1-866-383-0777 Be sure to let them know you are with WSYC for discounted rate.

As always, the Schraders have been a big help planning opening day at Montlake, Memorial Day at Kingston, and our summer cruise at Roche Harbor.

I've reserved Port Orchard for our stag cruise, Des Moines for the Seafood Feast, Arabellas Landing at Gig Harbor for Independence Day, Brownsville for our Steak Fry, and Poulsbo for Labor Day. Be sure and mark them on your calendars.

Stag Cruise: April 15th-17th
Seafood Feast: June 10th-12th
Steak Fry: July 29th-31

Looking forward to spending time with you!
Mike LeSieur
206-235-4794

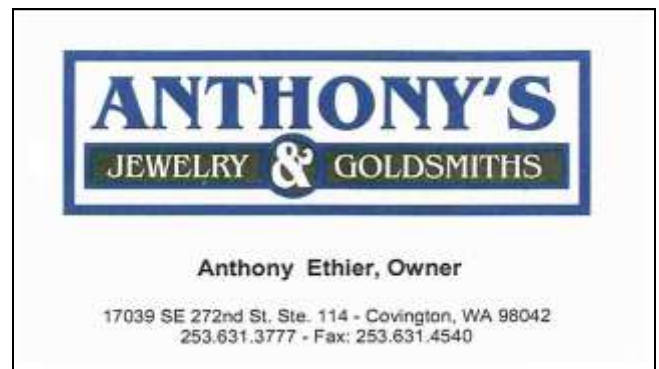


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Sweetheart Cruise



Date: February 12th & 13th 2016
Where: Silver Reef Hotel & Casino
Address: 4876 Haxton Way, Ferndale, WA 98248
Phone: 360-383-0777

Please call for your reservations before January 29, 2016 to get the WSYC special price. \$119 per night for either a Deluxe King or Deluxe Queen/Queen room.

Included with the room price is the Silver Reef Signature Buffet Breakfast.

We will have Happy Hour @ 4:00pm and buffet dinner @ 7:00 pm.

Call Tammie Legg, if you have any questions.
Cell: 206-371-6514 or Home: 253-939-7731



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WSYC Purser News

Have you paid your WSYC dues yet?
Please send them along this Holiday season,
because without your dues, we can't cruise!



Golf Tournament News

Greetings All Past Tournament Attendees!

Just to get onto your social calendar for 2016 –

The West Seattle Yacht Club Tournament is scheduled at **Foster Golf Links, Saturday, June 4th, at 10:50AM**. Scheduling for 10 teams.

So mark your calendars and talk up your teammates for another awesome golf tournament.

Please feel free to forward this email to any non-club members who you knew had played in the past and to any of our current club members I may have missed.

Much more information will follow in April.

Thank you all for your continued support! Happy New Year!

Regards,

Lou Kush

Tourney Director

253-859-3004

Future Social Dates

2016 Social Schedule:

January 23rd: Commodore's Ball

February 12th-13th: Sweetheart Cruise Silver Reef Casino

March 18th: WSYC Birthday Crab Feed

April 15th-17th: Stag Cruise

May 20th: WSYC Open House

June 4th: WSYC Golf Tourney

June 10th-12th: Seafood Feast

July 16th: West Seattle Parade

July 29th-31st: Steak Fry

September 16th: Nominations

October 21st: Voting

December 16th: Holiday Dinner



West Seattle Yacht Club Officers, Board Members & Volunteers | Nov 2014 thru Oct 2016

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