



Mona Lake Boating Club Where Good Friends Anchor



APRIL 2024 NEWSLETTER

MARCH NEWS

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

The Prospective new members listed below will be voted on at the April 1, 2024 Membership Meeting.

Prospective New Member	Sponsor	Prospective New Member	Sponsor
Bob & Kay Rhodes	Eric Wadland	Brock Rudicil	Jaime Millis
Adam Andree	Lori Weiler	Bryan & Donna Gemmel	Norman Langlois
Paul & Kathryn Kuharevicz	Tom Habetler	Eric & Laura Harris	Dan Harris
Christopher Horvath	Lisa Mosley	Chris & Deanna Collins	Matt Dundon
Mara Wade	Shaun Wade	Neil & Anita Hoekstra	Denise Kanaar

MEMBER NEWS

The Board has voted in and welcomes back Bill Barefoot to complete the vacant 1-year Trustee Position on the Board.

At the March Membership Meeting 3 items were discussed and voted on.

1. A proposal to purchase a Nitro draft system for \$2000 not to exceed \$2500. This will eliminate foam and waste of our draft beers. **This passed.**
2. A motion to replace the North dock with a floating dock and potentially existing dock by Joe Bailey's company for \$27,000. He has offered to cover up 50% of the cost. **This passed.**
3. A proposal to charging \$10 per trailer sticker with \$8 going to the Mona Lake Improvement Association to assist in dredging of the channel in 2024. The remaining \$2 will go towards our capital improvements fund. **This was voted down.**

We invite all members to join us at the April 1st Membership Meeting @7pm. Come to the membership meetings and be a part of discussions on important topics like these.

NOTE Regarding Variety Dinners: Due to the increasing popularity of our Variety Dinners, we have seen a huge increase in dinner patronage on Friday nights. As you may know, many times there are not enough tables available to accommodate everyone. In response to this demand, the Board of Directors has had to make some difficult decisions.

Effective April 5th: MLBC will no longer accept table reservations for Friday night Variety Dinners. Very often people make reservations, they show up late or not at all which has forced us to discontinue this practice. To go orders must be placed in person. The practice of calling in orders takes too much time from our bar staff and we have had several orders called in and never picked up which results in a waste of food. You can still place to-go orders at the front door when you arrive at the Club. The MLBC Board regrets having to make these adjustments but it will help our operations flow smoothly and ensure everyone has a pleasant dining experience.

WE ARE HIRING! MLBC is looking for one prep cook to join our 23 person strong team. Our ideal candidate is self-driven, punctual and hard-working. Responsibilities include: Follow recipes and prepare simple dishes, sanitize and prepare equipment and workstation for cooking, weigh and measure ingredients, Mix, wash, peel, chop, grind, strain, slice meat and vegetables, basic cooking functions such as kneading dough and preparing sauces, label, stock and inventory all ingredients, transfer supplies and equipment between storage and work areas. These are just a few of the responsibilities of the prep cook. Qualifications: Ability to communicate and listen to team members, dedicated to working as a team towards one goal, experience as a Prep Cook a plus. This is a part time position with 15-20 hours per week. The schedule would be Wednesday, Thursday & Friday with occasional weekends. This is a great position for someone that loves to cook, maybe a retired person. The hourly pay is \$12 - \$14 depending on experience. You can email your resume to: mlbc372@yahoo.com or stop by the clubhouse during open hours to apply in person.

Thank you! Thank you to all who volunteered in the month of March!

APRIL 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. **PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF SOME CHANGES TO VARIETY DINNER. Info posted in Member News section.**

Tacos Saturday! – Every Saturday, 11:30 – 2:00. Looking for volunteers for Saturday Tacos, check the calendar for sign up dates or contact Carrie.

Open Sundays! – Every Sunday 1:00pm – 8:00pm. Join us for the games or just meet up with friends and bring in some games to play!

Seashell Crafting – Tuesday April 16th @ 6pm, Sign up at the bar.

Volunteer Informational Meeting – Monday April 22nd @ 6pm.

Last Hooray Party – Saturday April 27th @ 7pm. One last Hooray for this Winter season of clubhouse. Come dance the night away. Let's get excited for the reopening of the Tiki Bar.

LOOKING AHEAD

May 4th – Point Clean up and last tacos of the season. Come one, come all! There will be plenty for everyone to do. From raking the beach to power washing. Cleaning the pavilion and more. Yard work, etc.

June 20th – Grand City Skiers Show

June, July & August – Pilates w/Mandy @ the Point. Join us for Pilates and a Mimosa TBD

First Saturday of June, July & August – Bonfire Social. Come out and get to know your fellow members.

Movie Nights @ the Point

2024 MEMBERSHIP CARDS

Membership dues were due by January 1st, 2024 to remain a member in good standing. If you did not pay your dues by January 31st, 2024, per the by-laws there will be a reinstatement fee of \$75.

Please remember to stop into the club to pick up your 2024 membership card at the bar, make sure all info and spelling is correct. Carry your card with you as the bartender may ask to see it when serving you as well as for Variety Dinners.

APRIL VARIETY DINNER MENU

April 5- Lasagna

April 12- Beef Pot Pie

April 19- Hot Beef Sandwich

April 26- Shrimp Boil

Please note: Effective April 2nd we are no longer accepting reservations or to-go orders for Friday Variety Dinners. You may place a carry out order by coming in and placing your order at the front door for a carry out

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
Please note: Our Menu May Be Subject To Change

If you would like to contact the club, you may call Carrie at 231-798-4011 or email: 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.