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Newsletter of the West Seattle Yacht Club

Commodore's Report

Fellow Members of WSYC,

It's been a great year for boating with a Summer full of nice weather and good fish runs. We would love to see everyone who can attend the General Meeting-potluck dinner this Friday (October 16th at about 6PM) at the West Seattle Masonic Hall to share their stories of the great adventures we've had. I for one, almost lost a dinghy on my way over to the San Juan's this year, but no one was hurt so...all good stuff!

Congratulation's to Dick Baker on winning the WSYC Fishing Derby! Thanks very much to Phil Legg for his work in organizing the event, we appreciate your work!

We need to vote on the club candidates for the upcoming year, and are still in search of the right person for Commodore (If you can fog a mirror, you may be the right person.) The majority of the rest of the positions have been accounted for with the exception of some ancillary duties that I am sure will come together. This is good news for the club, because if all of the positions weren't filled with a viable candidate, we were looking into some extreme options for the future of the club. It appears however that for the time being, that crisis is averted.

I want to let everyone in the club know that we may be working in some of the ideas that were put forward to ease the job of the club leadership and make taking on one of the roles more appealing. Ideas included tapping members to assist the leadership in hosting duties for cruises and meetings. A few of our members generously volunteer their time and do a great job of organizing events and we would like to see that opportunity to give back to the club shared a bit more regularly amongst the rest of the club membership even if they didn't specifically raise their hand and volunteer. Discussion on that will be held at the General Meeting.

Looking forward,

The Lobdell's are planning a Halloween Cruise on Halloween weekend this year to Bell Harbor, so please contact them if you're able to join!

As for this year's Commodore's Ball, we'll be postponing it from our usual early November time-frame. Much of the planning for this is up in the air due to not having a clear path forward in that regard.

Bob Schrader has put out some information on a potential cruise opportunity in early December. Please contact him directly for more information.

Also, the next General Meeting will be Friday December 18th and the Schrader's are generously hosting the holiday dinner again! More details to follow.

Very respectfully,
Your Commodore,
Vince Ethier

General Meeting

October 16

General Meeting Dinner

Potluck

Meeting Agenda

General Meeting

Next Social Event

October 31
Halloween Cruise
Bell Harbor



October Birthdays

Celene Salo	5
Jim Simmons	9
Lynne Simmons	10
Deborah Olson	13
Allen Nelson	17
Shawna Clark	17
Rick Zeleznik	18
Roberta Connelly	20
Rod Rupprecht	21
Jim Carter	29



WSYC Halloween Cruise

We are bringing back the WSYC Halloween Cruise from the almost-dead. Past cruises have been hit & miss, mostly hits. The hits have been epic... friends... fun... costumes... fun.... games... fun!! Misses have been weather and participation challenged. I'm calling for all members (and friends of members) to rally and come down for the fun and mayhem.

There will be spirits, ghouls and games. Did I mention food and fun?!

To get the party started, you need to **MAKE YOUR SLIP RESERVATIONS BY** end of day **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16th. Contact Bell Harbor @ 206-787-3952.**

There is a **theme this year, ZOMBIES Rule.** Bring on your Zombie A-game. There will be best decorated boat, best man & woman zombie and other game(s).

Bring your best goulsh hor d'oeuvres, appetizers, or snack to share and just maybe, you will win a prize for the best?

Respectfully Submitted

Halloween Fleet Captains
Don & Mary Ann Lobdell
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