



Mona Lake Boating Club Where Good Friends Anchor



October 2022 Newsletter

SEPTEMBER NEWS

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

MEMBER NEWS

Board of Directors Elections were held at the September General Membership meeting for the 2022/2023 Mona Lake Boating Club Board. Thank you to everyone who participated in the election and attended the meeting. Here is our new Board of Directors:

Commodore- Matt Powell
Vice Commodore- Scott Sanborn
Rear Commodore- Wyatt Eggleton
Secretary- Lori Weiler
Treasurer- Bob Graham
2 yr. Trustee- Patrick Wingett
2 yr. Trustee- Howie Meloch
1 yr. Trustee- Scott DeMarr
1 yr. Trustee- Nate Gartland

Congratulations to the newly elected Board and a big thank you to this year's Election Committee!

The Mona Lake Boating Club would like to congratulate Sue Frutchey, Gail Barefoot, Rodney Zielinski and Thomas LaNore II for being approved for this year's 20 Year Class A Life Membership Awards! Congratulations!
Thank you to the Life Membership Committee for all the hard work in presenting these members!

At the September 12 th meeting the proposed new by-laws changes were voted on. All passed with the exception of Article IV: Officers and Board Members

Section 1: Officers

K. To be eligible for the Commodore position candidates must have served on a MLBC board for at least one year.

At the October 3 rd Membership Meeting we will be voting on one additional change to the by-laws which was read and discussed at the September 12 th Membership Meeting.

Article XV: Use of Revenue

A: All funds and assets of the club shall be used only for the purposes that are consistent with the purpose of the club and for actual administrative expenses in conducting the affairs of the club under the direction and with the approval of the Board of Directors. All expenditures of more than \$2,000.00 for club improvements must be discussed at a regular membership meeting. Must be accompanied with a minimum of 2 bids, and upon acceptance, published in the bulletin and voted on at the next regular or special meeting where a majority of all members present is required for acceptance.

Proposed change/add: "in the case that two bids are not received in a timely fashion one bid may be accepted."

MLBC 2021 Buck Pool – Sign up at the clubhouse bar no later than close of business Monday November 14, 2022 for the Whitetail Rifle Season opener on November 15 th . MEMBERS ONLY. The entry fee is \$10 per member. Harvest your Michigan whitetail buck between Nov.15 through Nov. 30. Only Michigan deer may be entered. Deer must be hunted FAIR CHASE on public or private land. NO HIGH FENCE OR PRESERVE HUNTS! Submit your INDISPUTABLE proof of kill with clear pictures, documented date of kill, number of legal points (one inch or more) to the Boat Club no later than December 4, 2022. A Banquet Night will be announced soon.

Thank you!

A very big thank you to everyone that participated and volunteered for the 19 th annual Commodore's Labor Day Bridge Walk!

Thank you to ALL our September volunteers!

Show Your Love For Your Club! We are always looking for volunteers in many areas! Sometimes just an hour of your time can be a BIG help to your club!

Please try to fulfill your obligation to YOUR club in some way. Call Laura @ 231-798-4011 for info on how you can help

Looking Ahead:

Veteran's Day – November 11 th . Food discounts during lunch or dinner for active & retired Veterans.

Thanksgiving Day – Closed

Day after Thanksgiving – No lunch or dinner. Watch for hours of opening.

MLBC Christmas Open House – December 24th

NYE Party – December 31 st . West Side Soul Surfers playing!!!

Commodore's Dinner

To Honor Past Commodores

This event is a celebration of our past Commodores and the service provided by each Board, Volunteer and Club Member.

You and a Guest are invited to attend

On the Twenty Second of October, 2022

Cocktail Hour @ 6:00 pm

Dinner @ 7:00 pm

Please watch your weekly emails and club flyers for further info on menu and pricing for tickets. Should be available by October 1 st .

OCTOBER 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.

Tacos Are Back! – First tacos will be Saturday, October 1st 11:30 – 2:00.

Join us for the first tacos of the season! Looking for volunteers for Saturday Tacos, check the calendar for sign up dates or contact Laura.

Willow Point Clean Up – Saturday, October 1 st . Meet at the Tiki Bar at 9:00 am for coffee & donuts. Following clean up join us for tacos at 11:30.

Commodore's Dinner – Saturday, October 22nd. See inside bulletin for your special invitation! Menu and pricing yet to be determined.

Kid's Trunk or Treat – Saturday October 29 th 2:30pm – 4pm. Sign up to participate in the decorated car contest! Bring treats to hand out to the kids. Parents bring the kids to the parking lot to trick or treat after Tacos.

Vote for your favorite decorated car.

Adult Halloween Party – Saturday October 29 th 7pm – 10pm. Costume contest, snacks, and 50/50 raffles.

Music/entertainment by Entertainment On The Move. \$5 entry fee.

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.

OCTOBER VARIETY DINNER MENU

October 7- Stuffed Cabbage Rolls

October 14 - Chicken Pot Pie

October 21 - Hot Beef Sandwich

October 28 - 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/>

2022 MEMBERSHIP DUES

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 2022 card. Thank you for your cooperation.

REMINDER: MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS FOR 2023 START

OCTOBER 1, 2021. Membership Dues are due by January 1, 2023 to remain a member in good standing. If dues are not paid by January 31,

2023 there will be a reinstatement fee of \$75 and the member will lose their previous tenure. After 1 year you will be dropped from the membership.

You may pay by check or cash. CC payments have 3% charge. Drop off at the club w/ bartender or in drop box outside of building or mail to 372

Randall Rd., Norton Shores, MI 49441

If you would like to contact the club, you may call Laura 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.