

Anchorline

Newsletter of the West Seattle Yacht Club



Commodore's Report

Happy Fall Everyone!

I hope you are all starting to think about winterizing your boats soon. Not quite yet though, we have the Halloween cruise coming up at Bell Harbor Marina on October 22-24. It should be a lot of fun with pumpkin carving and decorated boats! We have 10 slips blocked out for the club, but each captain needs to call to reserve their slip. ((206) 787-3952)

Next Friday, October 15th, our general meeting will be an Oktoberfest theme at the Masonic Temple, so wear your lederhosen or dirndl dresses and enjoy some German beer and bratwurst! This is our election meeting; be sure to be there and make your voice heard. We have nominees for most positions, but we are looking for someone to take over the Yeoman position from Julie Baker. The name drawing should be well over \$100; be there in case your chip comes up!

Also, be on the lookout for your invitation to the big Double Commodore's Ball at the Embassy Suites in Tukwila. Since we didn't get to have a Commodore's Ball in 2020, this year will be hosted by me and Neal Duett. It should be twice the fun, so be sure to sign up right away! There will be a delicious buffet dinner and appetizers, awards, and dancing to the music by DJ Soundbox Entertainment. Lots of details came out in our "save the date" email, but just to be sure, when you sign up, please do come to the event. The club will be paying for each meal in advance, so make sure you are there if you sign up - you are responsible for your ticket price of \$65 per person. Guests are welcome as well! We have ten rooms blocked out for the club. Rates with the club are discounted 10% and range from \$126 to \$183 Call 425-227-8844 or [West Seattle Yacht Club booking link](#)

Covid Vaccination or a negative test within 72 hours will be required per King County.

This will be my last Anchorline report as I will be turning over the reins to Rick Shelton who I know will do an outstanding job as our new leader. Also, I will be heavily involved as all past Commodores have been, but especially so since Dori will be stepping up as Vice Commodore next year! (If she wins the vote ☺).

What an adventure it has been! So much fun. I must thank all of you who have helped out over the last few years and more. But specifically, Doreen Ruprecht, Neal, and Mary Duett, and of course, my wife Dori, I would never have been able to do this without her. I also want to thank Mary Ann Lobdell, our Purser for her consistent help and vast knowledge of administrative details. Julie Baker has done an amazing job as Yeoman, getting Board and General Meeting minutes out so quickly. And of course, to Dee Selk for getting our monthly Anchorline.

The team spirit of the club has really made my job enjoyable over the past three years. Even with rescheduling a couple big events due to the snow storm and shrimp season interruption and then an actual pandemic(!) we have been able to come together and figure it out so we could all have a great time anyway.

It has been a pleasure,
Commodore Jim Schnelz

General Meeting

October 15, 7PM
Masonic Temple
Cocktails at 6PM

Meeting Agenda

General Elections

General Meeting Dinner

Oktoberfest
Feast

Next Meeting
November 19th
Thanksgiving



October Birthdays

Jim	Simmons	5
Brandy	Lobdell	5
Jim	Ritchie	7
Amy	Young	24
Rick	Zelevnik	18
Deborah	Olson	13
Allen	Nelson	17
Rod	Ruprecht	21
Chris	McLain	22
Anna	Craciun-Young	24

Vice Commodore's Report

Ahoy members,

Hope your week has gone well! Don't miss our meeting on October 15th. It is our election meeting, so come out and meet all our new elected members and maybe even volunteer to fill in the limited spots remaining. One posting we are in need of filling is the yeoman. As we all know Julie Baker has filled this position for some time and now would like to enjoy a full life of retirement. May have something to do with that cute grand baby.

The meetings business side should go pretty quick considering most positions are filled. Let's get down to the real matter at hand? Are you German? Are you married to a German? Oh, who cares ITS OKTOBERFEST!!! We are all German for this month, and we are Celebrating at the meeting with brats.... Sauerkraut, pretzels spätzle, German potato salad and of course German beer (ours will be cold). We are also having movie night starting at 9pm (includes the popcorn) with the movie Beerfest. Bring a stein! Bring lederhosen! Bring yourself in your favorite beer maids costume! It is ONLY 15 bucks.... Think of all the stories you'll have to tell your friends around the water cooler!

Don't want to celebrate on land... not German either? Well, we have the Hollows Eve cruise for you. Call Bell Harbor @ 206-787-3952 and reserve your spot for all the fun costumes and pumpkin carving can afford you! There is a potluck on the dock, and we call all swap pumpkin seed recipes... BTW our boat has an oven, best recipe wins? This mayhem is October 22-24... come join us!

Rick Shelton
Vice Commodore



Happy Birthday!!!!!!!





West Seattle Yacht Club

Double Commodore's Ball

2020 - Neal Duett

2021 - Jim Schnelz

Saturday November 13, 2021

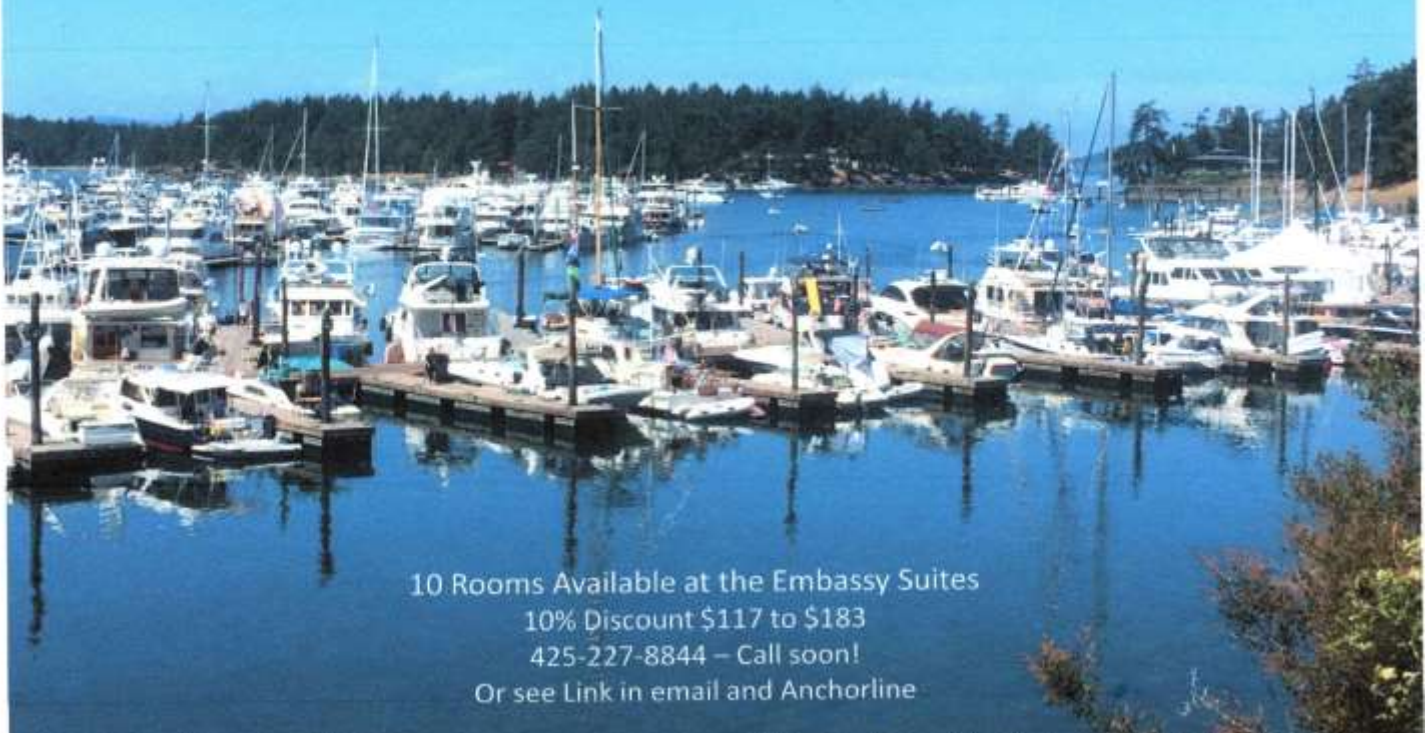
Social Hour — 6:00pm
Dinner — 7:00pm
Meeting & Awards to follow
Music and Dancing to 11:00pm
By DJ Soundbox Entertainment

Join Us at:
The Embassy Suites – Tukwila
15920 W Valley Hwy, Seattle, WA
\$65 Per Person Guests Welcome!

Please RSVP to Jim Schnelz – jrschnelz@gmail.com

King County requirements - Proof of covid vaccination or negative test within 72hrs

Roche Harbor Resort & Marina 2021 WSYC North Sound Cruise



10 Rooms Available at the Embassy Suites
10% Discount \$117 to \$183
425-227-8844 – Call soon!
Or see Link in email and Anchorline

Menu

Double Commodore's Ball November 13, 2021

HORS D'OEUVRES

Mini Crab Cakes - Roasted Pepper Aioli
Vegetable Spring Rolls - Sweet Chili Lime Sauce
Shrimp Cocktail Skewers - Court Bouillon Poached,
Horseradish Cocktail Sauce

DINNER BUFFET

Rolls & Butter and Freshly Brewed
Starbucks® Coffee
Decaffeinated Coffee and Assorted Tazo® Teas

SALADS

Caesar Salad- Shredded Brussels Sprouts, Shaved
Parmesan, Focaccia Croutons, Caesar Dressing
Wedge Salad- Iceberg Wedge, Blue Cheese
Dressing, Cherry Tomatoes, Smoked Bacon, Blue
Cheese Crumbles, Balsamic Reduction

MAIN COURSE

Filet Medallions - Filet Mignon Tips, Wild Mushrooms, Onions,
Wild Mushroom Demi glace
Roasted Chicken- Roasted Free Range Chicken, Chicken Jus,
Preserved Lemons, Rosemary
Mahi Mahi- Grilled Mahi Mahi, Peach Mango & Blueberry
Chutney, Preserved Lemons

SIDES

Roasted Shallot & Garlic Mashed Potatoes- Shallot Oil, Herbs
Vegetable Medley- Squash, Zucchini, Red Peppers, Broccoli
Florets, Herbs Fine, Garlic Butter

DESSERT

Carrot Cake - Cream Cheese Frosting, Walnuts,
Raisins, Pineapple



2021 SOCIAL SCHEDULE

January 15	General Meeting/Zoom
February 19	General Meeting/Zoom
March 19	General Meeting/Zoom
April 16	General Meeting/Masonic Temple Catered Dinner
May 21	General Meeting/Masonic Temple Pizza Party
June 6	General Meeting @ Des Moines Marina
June 12	TBD WSYC Annual Golf Tournament
September 17	General Meeting/Masonic Temple
October 15	General Meeting/Elections/Masonic Temple
November 13	Double Commodore Ball/ Embassy Suites, Tukwila
November 19	General Meeting/Masonic Temple
December 17	General Meeting/Christmas Party

2021 CRUISE SCHEDULE

April 24-25	Stag Cruise/ Mystery Location
April 24-25	Doe Run/ Mystery Location
May 28-31	Memorial Weekend/ Kingston
June 4-6	Seafood Feed/ Des Moines Marina
June 25-27	Bremerton - "Blast the Bridge"
July 4th	TBD
July 11-13	Roche Harbor & San Juan Islands
August 20-22	Steak Fry/ Brownsville
August 28-September 2	Mini Cruise/ South Sound
September 3-6	Labor Day Cruise/Bremerton
October 22-24	Halloween Cruise/Bell Harbor
December 3-5th	Christmas Cruise/Port Orchard



Backberns Festival

2021 Dick Baker Fishing Derby

The fishing derby results were the Freeman's, 1st place 7lbs, Jeff Freeman JR. 2nd place 6.8lbs, Jeff Freeman SR. and 3rd place 6.6 lbs. There were 6 fish weighed in. We had possibly the youngest angler entry, Ella Clark shown driving Uncle Doug Scott's boat. The weather was great, and a good time was had by all with a hot dog lunch and fish stories.



West Seattle Yacht Club Officers, Board Members & Volunteers | Nov 2020 thru Oct 2021

Commodore Jim Schnelz	Phone Committee: Lee Lightle & Neal Duett	Meeting Hosts: Julie Estes & Yoka Nelson
Vice-Commodore: Rick Shelton	Publicity Committee: The Club	Webmaster: Dee Selk
Rear-Commodore: Vacant	Cruise Captain: Vacant	Anchorline: Dee Selk dselk46@comcast.net
Purser: Mary Ann Lobdell	Ship Store: Lynda Swift	Sunshine Committee: Sue Scott (206) 938-8918
Yeoman: Julie Baker	Photographer: Linda Everts & anyone with a phone	Advertising: Open
Two Year Board: Mark Clinton Amy Young Jeanne Gordon	IOBG: Lani & Lee Lightle RBAW: Vacant	Reciprocals: Open
One Year Board: Julie Estes Nic Shelton Chris Swift	Membership: Open to All	Cruise Bar/Hosts: Mike & Lori Lesieur



WE WANT YOU!

Please Pay Your Dues
And maybe win the drawing!