



The Signal Hoist

Ford Yacht Club,
Grosse Ile, Michigan

Comments from the Chairman...

Driving in to the Club, the grounds are looking great. All the boats are off the grass and the parking lot is empty. The flowers are all planted and are looking good. Thanks to Jane and her flower crew for doing a superb job. Many members took the time to put away their cradle, jack stands and shoring. It makes a big difference when every thing is in its place. It was not that many years ago that the Club was scrambling to clean up the yard for Regatta. We have come a long way. Thanks to all the members who helped. The members who did not take care of the shoring, the Club took care of it for you and it only cost you \$50.00. Thanks for the contribution.

We are using the top of the dredging piling for storage. Some empty trailers and cradles are being stored on the hill. On a dry day, ride to the top and enjoy the view.

The Club is putting gravel down on the parking area along the east basin. Hopefully, it will help keep our member's feet dry and prevent the blue trailer from getting buried. There is a picnic shelter planned to be built around dock 100. No trees will have to be removed. The location is marked and, if you have any suggestions as to the location, let me know. It won't get started until the patio crew finishes and takes a break. By now you should have noticed the patio on the West Side of the Clubhouse. This area will be included in the Club Liquor license pending state approval. Club members are doing these projects. Are you involved?

When you make plans for a boating vacation, include the Harbormaster and file a float plan.

Dan Mills

From the Bridge...

Heads up! Regatta is coming! This year FYC will be hosting an AYC poker run in conjunction with our annual Regatta August 9, 10 and 11th. We expect 250 to 300 visiting boats for the poker run! **The raft off to accommodate this number will close the West Basin for Regatta weekend.** If you are a West Basin resident, please read the Commodore's Corner article on Page 2 for specific information. Once again, this year wristbands will be required for access to the security area around the clubhouse and regatta tent.

July is packed with fun events this summer. Start off the month and let your patriotism overflow during the Independence Day weekend with DJ Doug on the 4th and save some energy for the USA Party Saturday, July 6th, entertainment by the Karaoke Mariner. Uncle Sam needs you to be at the club and Party this weekend.

For the epicurean with a discriminating palette, July 20th brings LobsterFest to FYC for a return engagement of Lobster boiled to perfection. Steaks are also available to grill. Reservations required. See Bar Manager Robbie Tucker to sign up. Evening entertainment and dancing under the tent with the Mickey Rat Band.

The adventuresome and curious will want to participate in the annual Dumb Luck Sail and Power

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weekend July 20 and 21st. Activities are coordinated with the Lobsterfest so you won't miss out on any of the fun. Details are in the enclosed flyer

The gear heads have been waiting all year for the FYC Antique Car Show and here it is... mark your calendars for July 28 [*date changed to September 8th Ed.*] to stroll the grounds and remember your favorite car. Round out the day with dinner and enjoy music and dancing with DJ Doug Malkowski. Have an antique or special interest vehicle you would like to exhibit? Registration forms will be available at the club. Look for postings in the Commodore's display case with details.

Commodore Ed Payne

Vice Commodore George Voulemenous

Rear Commodore John Loomer

Commodore's Corner...

Of utmost importance to our members is the information pertaining to our **Regatta**. This year, we have an AYC Poker Run, unlike any other we have had in the past. We are the only game in town the weekend of **August 9, 10, and 11, 2002!**

What this means is we should expect between **200** and **300 boats** to be coming to our Club. That's right, the numbers are correct! In the past we have had our events coincide with the I-LYA Power Boat weekend at Put in Bay. Since the I-LYA schedule change, that isn't going to be true this year. Nor are there any other Regattas that weekend. Then, there is the fact that we are the only northern club hosting a Poker Run, and everyone will be coming in anticipation of the mileage award.

In lieu of all this, there are a few things our members need to know. The first is, we need your help! **P/C Tom Corradi** is in charge of our 2002 Regatta, so you can see him to volunteer. We need ALL the help we can get. From working the food, to selling tickets, to helping clean, to helping with security. No one is excluded from participating to some degree. Please see, or call, P/C Tom Corradi to volunteer.

Another point of information is that everyone will have to have a wristband, without exception!

Still another is, we would ask anyone who plans on using their boat this weekend, please plan on moving it out by Wednesday evening, August 7, and notifying our Harbormaster, **P/C Jerry Pahl**, that you will not be back until Sunday evening. We will need all the dockage possible. If you are not going to participate at all in the weekend events, we ask you to please move your boat as well.

The last point of information I would like to pass is, **WE NEED YOUR HELP** to make this a successful event! FYC is a giving Club, and we usually only need to know what we can do to help. That is what this article is about. And to ask for your understanding that this is a major event for the Club. Please help wherever you can! It will be appreciated!

Prior to our Regatta, are the **I-LYA** events at **Put-in Bay**. You can find the schedule, as well as entry forms on the I-LYA website, www.i-lya.org. There is a link on the FYC website.

FYC members **Ted and Denise Wagner** are chairing the **Junior Sail** event, at I-LYA, and could use our support. They need power boats to be stake boats, patrol boats, and chase vessels. They need adults to assist with shore supervision. They need help in other areas as well. If you can devote a few days, you don't need to be a sailor, you don't need to have a boat, but you are needed! Contact Ted or Denise Wagner to discuss their needs and how you can help! Remember, this is for youngsters, the future of our avocation!

Thank you for your support of Ford Yacht Club!

Best regards,

Commodore Ed Payne

Regatta is in need of a Security Chairperson and security workers for Friday August 9th and Saturday August 10th. Please contact:

Rear Commodore John Loomer
Loomer8@comcast.net or 734 675 7964

From the Vice...

Are we ever partiers! The Basket of Cheer sold over 700 tickets! The drawing was held after the Champagne Brunch and was won by Lloyd Affholter of WYC. It was so popular, in fact, that we are going to have another one during the FYC Regatta in August. So, once again, we are asking for donations of "Cheer" for a new Basket. A great big thank you to all who supported the raffle and also to all who helped sell tickets.

Remember that all of this year's fund-raisers go to support your 2003 Commodore's Ball. Yes, YOUR Ball. The 2003 Ball is to honor all of you who have worked so hard to make Ford Yacht Club the finest Club on the Great Lakes. Please reserve March 1st, 2003 to enjoy the fruits of your labor.

Speaking of the Champagne Brunch, can we ever get tired of fine dining? Thank you, Susan, for once again putting on a wonderful meal.

Vice Commodore George Voulemenous

Comments? Send to OldTeak@aol.com

A Reminde!r Lobster Fest is Coming!!

Mark your calendars for Saturday, July 20. It will be here before you realize it. Once again, we'll have lobsters and steaks and corn on the cob under the Big Top all afternoon! And, of course, we'll have dancing and partying to a live band all night! It's a good bet that P/C Jason will be able to find a lobster as big as he is to raffle off, too!

This year we are going to combine Lobster Fest with the Dumb Luck Regatta. The power-boaters will be taking the sailors out on Saturday and the sail-boaters will be giving thrill rides on Sunday. OK, OK, so the power-boaters can keep a schedule better than the sailors---but the wind is free, and quiet, too!

Lobster Fest 2002 Workers Needed

Lobster Fest will be held on **July 20** this year. If you can help that day, please give Debbie or myself a call. Work hours are available.

P/C Jason Pearson and Lady Debbie

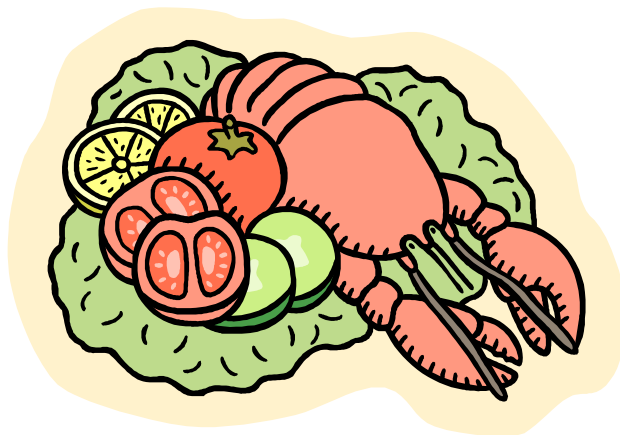
Lobster Fest Chairman

Harbormaster...

I want to thank all of you who filed a float plan as that is very helpful. I also want to thank John Bogatay for moving his boat to his home for the Opening of the Island weekend. Also, Mike Gary for delaying launch of his boat as that gave FYC 2 extra large wells. We are trying to have someone watching the harbor every day of the weekend in order to dock boats that may want to come into the Club.

Please do not forget that August 9, 10, and 11 is Regatta weekend. There will also be a Poker Run, so the harbor will be full. If you are going to use your boat and you are docked in the west harbor you will need to have your boat out of the harbor by Thursday August 8, 2002 as the harbor will be blocked to accommodate vessels from other clubs.

PC, Gerald Pahl, Harbormaster



Lake Erie / Lake St. Clair Weather

I am always checking the marine weather forecasts, and have put my three favorite forecasts together in one easy to use website. It has:

- Lake Erie open water forecast
- Lake Erie Michigan zone forecast
- Lake St. Clair forecast

I even link to it from my Palm Pilot! It's there for anyone's use.

<http://mywebpages.comcast.net/grosse7/erie.html>

Josh Grosse

Membership Report, June 2002

The Membership Committee would like to introduce the following new members. Please welcome:

Thomas Howe
Donald & Kay Libke
Ralph & Elizabeth Rappuhn
Carl & Linda Roush

We currently have 80 members on the Equity waiting list and 7 on the Regular waiting list.

Membership Committee: Bruce Book
 Dave & Cindy Firlik

Sue Okopny, Membership Chairperson

EQUITY WAITING LIST –June 2002

	Member Name	Date
1	Kaufman, James & Gail	5/00
2	Bagwell, David & Diane	5/00
3	Zito, Leonard	11/98
4	Rodriquez, Terry & Linda	11/99
5	Church, Jerry & Sue	3/00
6	Branson, William & Yolonda	10/99
7	Gilroy, Mark & Sarah	3/00
8	Basile, Donald & Karen	3/00
9	Anderson, Warren & Terri	09/99
10	Garas, Stanley & Nadia	4/00
11	Saleski, Lawrence & Vera	8/99
12	Donahey, William & Nancy	07/98
13	Crossley, William & Janine	11/99
14	Hinzmann, Mark & Linda	6/00
15	Tuomisto, Paul & Rhonda	6/00
16	Mc Clain, George & Brigette	6/00
17	Phee, Nancy	6/00
18	Floyd, Robert & Betty	6/00
19	Miller, John & Michelle	6/00
20	Taylor, Bob & Marge	6/00
21	Kirkpatrick, John & Jeanne	6/00
22	Aston, Scott	3/99
23	Karshneski, Richard	12/96
24	Lang, Larry	8/00
25	Devantier, Fredric & Toni	8/00
26	Smithbauer, Patrick	8/00
27	Mast, Thomas & Joyce	8/00
28	Lehman, Jerry	8/00
29	Waxler, Gary & Lia Wood	9/00
30	Wrobelwski, Roger & Karen	9/00
31	Leighton, Rod	9/00
32	Borg, Charles & Jane	10/00
33	West, Robbie	10/00
34	Ferguson, Charles & Mary	10/00
35	King, Tom & Cathryn	11/97
36	LaLonde, Gerald & Linda	11/98
37	Anderson, Allan & Cheryl	11/00.
38	Ryznar, Theodore & Patti	11/00.
39	Franz, Helmut & Sigrilde	11/00.
40	Irving, Dale & Delthea	11/00.
41	Enberg, Robert & Linda	11/00.
42	Hughey, Bernard	3/01.
43	Gee, James & Susan	4/01.
44	Williams, Robert & Catherine	4/01.

45	Mayer, John	4/01.
46	Stewart, David & Leslie	4/01.
47	Kaider, Eugene	5/1.
48	Diersch, Werner & Joanne	5/1.
49	Ennis, Lori	6/98
50	Sweeney, Christopher & Jill	6/1.
51	Wilczewski, Joe & Rochelle	6/1.
52	Coates, Jeffrey & Patricia	06/98
53	Mc Elearney, Gordon & Barbara	7/01.
54	Thomas, Daniel & Nancy	7/01.
55	Nowaki, Ellen & Borsenik, Dale	7/01.
56	Sosnowski, Joseph & Carolyn	8/01.
57	Spedding, Thamas & Kathy	8/01.
58	Sanok, John & Mary Ellen	5/96.
59	Saunders, Jean & Mark	10/01.
60	Ashley, Aaron & Susan	10/01.
61	Knapp, Wayne & Diana	8/99
62	Sears, Ron & Joann	10/99
63	Fesko, Thomas & Linda	11/01.
64	Horthrop, David & Janet	12/01.
65	Paultanis, John	01/02.
66	Marschner, Bryan & Dawn	3/98
67	Doyle, Kevin & Debra	1/00
68	Herman, Cindy	4/96
69	Cesta, Ken & Kathleen	11/99
70	Anderson, Gary & Janet	03/02.
71	Reister, Randy	03/02.
72	Smith, Rusty	03/02.
73	Donahue, Jim & Sandra	04/02.
74	Spina, Paul & Lynette	04/02.
75	Gorecki, Michael & Janet	5/02.
76	Marra, David & Kelli	5/02.
77	Rappuhn, Ralph & Elizabeth	06/02.
78	Howe, Thomas	06/02.
79	Roush, Carl & Linda	06/02.
80	Libke, Donald & Kay	06/02.

BASIC TO REGULAR WAITING LIST

1	Diersch, Werner & Joanne	5/01.
2	Ryznar, Theodore & Patti	11/00.
3	Branson, William & Yolonda	10/99
4	Rappuhn, Ralph & Elizabeth	06/02.
5	Howe, Thomas	06/02.
6	Roush, Carl & Linda	06/02.
7	Libke, Donald & Kay	06/02.

Signal Hoist Deadline

The **deadline** for the August issue of the Signal Hoist will be **Thursday, July 18th. Please submit your articles on time!** Articles can be submitted on disk or emailed to SignalHoist@FordYachtClub.com, please also send a copy to ldouglass@peoplepc.com, and randr@ili.net. (Please be sure to e-mail to all three to be sure your article is received.) Pictures are welcome; include some detail on the subject and where they should be returned.

House Committee



The rains have subsided, the cotton woods have dropped all their seeds, the fish flies are gone, the carp have stopped banging on the boats, ducks and geese have raised their young and all of your outdoor annual and perennial planting should be complete -- the weather is great, so there should be plenty of time to come down and enjoy the club. I say come down because we are at the south end of an island in the Detroit River.... we need your business. But some of you actually come up... So, come on up. Enjoy the great food, and drink specials.... and fine service from our unsurpassed lounge and restaurant staffs.

Thanks to the junior sailors...they hosted the first afterglow at FYC this year on June 19th.

Everyone should know that we are open for breakfast at 9am during the "summer"...we have been open since May 18th. Susan puts out a great buffet at a good price and will do "eggs to order". **I say we are open for breakfast...that means we would like to serve you breakfast from 9:00 to 11:00 Saturday and Sunday.** So far this year, business has been very slow...some days only a few customers. If business does not pick up we may have to curtail breakfast, perhaps having it only on Sundays...or not at all.

We have narrowed fabric samples for the bar chairs to 10 swatches. We will have them around so let me or Robbie know what your favorite sample is.

The patio is moving along nicely thanks to the work of 8 members, our yard crew and one guest who have helped out to date. We should be done soon and open for business by the end of July...certainly in time for Regatta. Food and beverages will be served outside and can be enjoyed on the patio, front porch or south balcony...the "defined areas." **Remember MLCC requires that alcohol consumed in the defined patio area be purchased in the club. No alcohol may be taken off the patio or brought on to the patio from your boat.**

Cigar Smokers...please watch your smoke, be aware that some are offended by your smoke; make sure the smoke eaters are on. Why not enjoy that big beauty outside on the new patio!

Please continue with your comments...written on the comment cards or verbalized to any house committee member. Or email the house committee at bpetry@comcast.net.

Robert Pettry, Director House

From the Ground UP!

Ok! Here's a test! What's an ajuga?

Seven of our members found out first hand as the "Ajuga Gang" formed on the south side of the back 40 mound last Thursday. We were there to plant ground cover to stop the erosion on the hill and continue with the landscape beautification.

An ajuga is a small plant that is excellent for ground cover, has small blue flowers, ark green leaves and small spiral-like stems. Our "Gang" included Jane Freel, Diane Coates, Pamela Allen, Barb McDonald, Kathy Hickman, Bob Pettry, Dick Okopny and Dick Synowiec. And, what a gang it was! We planted nearly 4000 dry rooted ajuga plants in under five hours – and that included a lunch break! What a great team! They worked hard, quickly, had a great sense of humor and also had a great time doing it. The banter, lead by Jane Freel, was infections. When Jane volunteered to leave and buy lunch, one person was heard to say, "Gee, it's mundane without Jane!"

Bob Pettry and I previously developed a watering system to get moisture to the plants. Part of that system is the pipe running across the "G" lot parking area. Until we completely bury it, please don't drive over the pipe. In a couple of months, we will all be able to enjoy the beautiful site.

And the Ground Team has other surprises in mind for you. Notice the flowers at the entrance to Club, the patio blocks going in along the East Basin, the "G" road paving, and the Clubhouse walkway paving? Many members have volunteered for most of these projects. If you wish to be part of the "TEAM," come on down.

More to come!

Dick Synowiec, Ground Director

Sail Fleet

Were off and sailing. The spring WSSC Wednesday Night at the Races (WNATR) series is now behind us, as is the Mills Race. The WSSC race information is available at their web page, <http://www.WestShoreSailClub.org>. I would like information on anyone's accomplishments so we can share them via these pages as well as at our Awards Ceremony November 9. Please leave a note in the race committee box, or e-mail either Cindy Boettner or me at

betner@comcast.net or dhowe@comcast.net!



I need to make a couple corrections. I omitted the Adam and Eve race and my date for the Nite Race was incorrect. Our upcoming races are:

- Solo Race - July 6
- Port to Port to Monroe - July 13
- Dumb Luck (powerboat July 20, sailboat July 21)
- Midsummer Races - July 17, 24 and 31 (July 10 was required by WSSC for a makeup)
- FYC Regatta - August 10
- Adam and Eve - August 18
- Nite Race - August 23/24
- Fall Classic - September 23/24
- Awards Night - November 10

Doug Howe

E-mail: dhowe@comcast.net

First Mates News

The calendar officially says summer so let's hope that means high temperatures, high water and endless sunshine!

In August, FYC will host a Regatta/Poker Run. We are anticipating a very large crowd. During this busy weekend, the First Mates will be selling FYC water bottles and vendor space as a fundraiser. Ladies, your help is greatly needed to work in the Ships Store or to sell FYC water bottles under the tent. We are asking for one hour of your time either on Friday evening, August 9, and/or on Saturday, August 10. If you can sign up for additional hours, we truly would appreciate the help. A sign-up sheet to work in the store is posted on the door or you can schedule work hours with our Ships Store Manager, Elaine Taro. We would like to have the store open as many hours as possible. If you can assist selling water bottles, please call me to set up a time that works for you at 734-676-9314.

Again this year, the First Mates are offering small business owners and/or crafters the opportunity to buy space under the tent to sport their wares. To hold your spot, mail a \$75 check made payable to FYC First Mates to me by August 1, 2002, or you can place it in the First Mates mailbox.

All of our fundraising efforts help offset costs for our children's parties and charities throughout the year. (Work hours are available to members).

For those of you traveling this summer or going on the dreaded business trip, please don't toss out any of those hotel size toiletries. The First Mates will gladly take them off your hands. We try to maintain baskets with sample size items in both rest rooms just in case you forget something. Feel free to drop off any items at the Ships Store. Any First Mate can refill the baskets, so please let us know if something needs replaced.

See you on the water!

Debbie Pearson, President

For Sale

Boat Stuff!

- Jack Stands, set of 4, \$75
 - Shrink wrap 20 x 20, \$10, or 60 x 20, \$30
 - Out drive gasket kits (Merc) 7 at \$4 each
 - Boat Hook, expandable - \$4
 - Out drive water muffs - \$
- Call Andy or Barb, 734-676-7151

More Boat Stuff!

- Props 18by -18by - 1 ¼, New \$600 for pair
 - Fenders [2] 8 x 19, \$20 each, [1] 10 x 25 \$30
 - Power Cord 1 New 50 ft 30 amp, \$35
 - Power Cord 1 Like New 30 amp, \$30
 - Hand Held Spot light 12Volt, \$25
 - Adaptor , 2-50 amp male/30 amp female \$80 each
 - Adaptor , 2-30 amp male to 15 amp female \$30 each
 - Adaptor , 1-30 amp male to 30 amp female Y \$150
- Call Roger, 734-676-9352

Sail Hardware!

- Autohelm 3000 with brackets, belts, windvane = \$75
 - New Silva Type 85 racing compass = \$45
 - Whale Gusher bilge pumps = \$20/each
 - Kent anchor sail = \$25
 - Bariant chrome-on-bronze reversible, ratcheting, locking winch handle = \$100
- Call Dan Stuart at 248.486.1921

Force 5 Sailboat & Trailer

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