

Eastern Yacht Club

Eastern Yacht Club
2330 Seneca Road
Essex, MD 21221
410-686-3555

February 2021

Officers and Agents of EYC



**Commodore
Rickey Pope**

Hello everyone,

I hope everybody is doing well during these cold, blustery days of January with February right around the corner. I know I'm done with the cold! Next season please!

Normally in the February Breeze the officers would write about our 3C's event at the Princess Royal in Ocean City, and how much fun we had. But due to COVID this event was cancelled until next year. I want to congratulate Commodore Clint McLamb and First Lady Sheri Lynn for their accomplishment within the 3C's and the Yachting Community. Clint is also a member of Eastern Yacht Club.

Eastern Yacht Club is in the middle of some much-needed major repairs in the Big House and kitchen. Rear Commodore Pat Lange and his crew have been pretty busy with these projects and would also like to thank the EYC Holding Corp. and the EYC Board of Governors for working this thru in a timely matter.

Last but not least, please check your emails & latest edition of the Breeze for up & coming events. Entertainment Chair Frank Winterling, EYC Auxiliary, V/C Denny Swiger, R/C Pat Lange, F/C Jim Morin have been collaboratively working together, thru this pandemic and trying to bring back the entertainment, more events and the fun! Enjoy!

Rick Pope, Commodore

**Our WEB page now has an
EYC Members sign in area,**
Member area on website, the password
is GOODTIMES all caps.

<https://www.easternyachtclub.com>

**Updates on all club and EYC
Auxiliary events and
current Sick and Welfare**

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Vice-Commodore, Denny Swiger

Hello everyone

I hope everyone is doing well enduring these cold days and nights. The countdown to the first day of spring is now less than 50 days!!! Let's pass the time by supporting our club; we are practicing social distancing & cleaning frequently.

I'm looking forward to spring and boats returning to the basin. This year EYC will celebrate spring with the Princess Fundraiser and Commodore's Masquerade Ball. Get working on your boats so they will be in the basin to enjoy our club events.

Looking forward to summer, rsvp with our FC Jim for our vacation week. Hopefully with the vaccine and COVID protocol we will have a handle on the pandemic and bring back some normalcy to our club and enjoy some fun filled events.

Hope to see you soon



Rear-Commodore, Pat Lange

Hello EYC.

Unfortunately, the Ravens couldn't get it done this year but it was fun watching the games at the Tiki bar. We'll do it again next season. Thanks to all who came out and participated. The work crews are getting things done around the club. The Kids Clubhouse has been painted, lots of work done on demolishing the old walk-in and preparing the space for the new unit, and numerous other odds and ends.

While we are in the middle of winter I am thinking about spring and making plans to improve the piers. But, I need your help. When spring rolls around and you start thinking about bringing your boat back to its watery home, think about your slip and what can be improved like removing old and ragged edging, repair finger piers, replace old & dirty fenders, etc. We'll be working on updating the electric and repairing/cleaning the pedestals and power washing, lots of power washing.

Keep your spirits up, winter shall pass and spring will be here before you know it. Please come down and support the club on Friday nights and Saturdays. The Club needs you.

Cheers! Pat, RC



Fleet Captain Jim Morin

Dear EYC Members,

Hello everyone! We are in the midst of planning our St. Patrick's Day land cruise. Our cruise will take place on Saturday, March 13th. We are hoping to visit 3 sister yacht clubs. Due to COVID restrictions, seats may be limited this year. Additional information will be distributed via email to all members as soon as our plans are finalized. Please continue to check your email for additional details including sign up information.

Vacation cruise plans are almost finalized. This year's cruise will take place July 10-17th. If you plan to join us and have not yet notified me, please do so at your earliest convenience. I need to

have an idea of how many boats will be participating, as space is a bit more limited due to COVID and the explosion of new boat owners and slip holders. I hope everyone continues to safe, healthy and positive!

Thanks F/C Jim

EYC Auxiliary Sick and Welfare

Mary Herster 410-382-6533
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eycjl381@gmail.com.

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TWITTY BAND Adults \$85.00
Princesses/Children \$55.00
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**EYC AUXILIARY Presents
FIRST FRIDAY BAR BINGO**



We will use Regular Paper
Bingo sheets for COVID precautions.
\$1.00 per sheet.

FRIDAY –

February 5, March 5

BINGO starts 7:00pm – 9:00pm

WOW! This sounds like FUN!
**YES, you can bring your Friends and
Neighbors!**
Will be held in the BIG HOUSE.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4 Closed	5 Benyo 5 to 10PM Tiki Bar Closed BIG House OPEN BAR BINGO	6 Courtemanch 2 PM to 10pm Tiki Bar OPEN
Thursday and Sundays BAR Closed						
7 CLOSED	4	9	0	7 Closed	12 Pipkin GMM 5 to 10PM Tiki Bar Closed BIG House OPEN	13 Winter 2 PM to 10pm Tiki Bar OPEN
14 CLOSED	15	16	17	18 Closed	19 Dickey 5 pm-10pm Tiki Bar OPEN	20 Herster 2 PM till 10pm Tiki Bar OPEN
21 CLOSED	22	23	24	25 Closed	26 Christ 5 pm-10pm Tiki Bar OPEN BOG	27 OPEN 2 PM to 10pm Tiki Bar OPEN
28 CLOSED	February					



Eastern Yacht Club
Look who is doing what
February 2021



Second Saturday 9AM

Jason Grupp
Lewis Rhoades
Rick Nazelrod
Gary Dickson
Dan Brown (non 5th od week)
Randy Depew

Fourth Saturday 9AM

Kevin Gannon
Steve Uhl
P/C Mike McVeigh
Stephen Rifkin
Larry McLaurin BOG 2023

Sharon Winterling
P/C Frank Winterling
Sharon Winterling
P/C Thea Coker
Diane Pfeffer
Bob Wilkins
Mary Herster

Auxiliary Pres.
Ent. Comm.
Chaplain
YCM Rep.
CBYCA Rep.
Dock Master
Sick & Welfare

Mid Week

Dave Ellis BOG 2023
Tim McCall BOG 2021
Brian Hemling
Jeff Baier

Officers on BOG

Comm, Rickey Pope
V/C Denny Swiger
R/C Pat Lange
F/C Jim Morin
Secretary P/C Jim Kinard
Treasurer Suenette Pope
IPC Robin Bowles
Holding Corp Bob Wilkins

ODs

Barry Benyo
Christine Pipkin
Mark Dickey
Pat Christ
Bill Carrier
Courtemanch
Robert Winter
Mary Herster

Dan Brown

6 PM to 2 AM

1st Friday
2nd Friday
3rd Friday
4th Friday
5th Friday
1st Saturday
2nd Saturday
3rd Saturday
4th Saturday
5th Saturday

Karen Regan

Skip Richardson
Kevin Gannon
John Ashton III
P/C Frank Winterling
Diane Pfeffer
Carolyn Creamer
Jim Harris BOG 2021
P/C Ron Pfeffer BOG 2022
Michelle Killian
Stan Reip

Adam Hale
Sarah Ramsey
P/C Jim Kinard

Bob Wilkins BOG 2021
Joe Stallings

PC Ron Pfeffer
Randy Depew

Asst. Treasurer
Asst. Treasurer
Plumbing
Electric
Electric
IT
Advertising
House Supply/Stock
Purchasing Agent
Equipment Maintenance
Bath House Every other week
Bath House Every other week
Tiki Bar Clean Weekly
HV/AC
Coolers/Matts/Bar Clean
Breeze
Clean back yard, Fridays
Finance Chair
Receiving Weds
Receiving Weds
RV Captain
Web Master

HOUSE COMMITTEE

V/C Denny Swiger	Committee Chair	
Sharon Winterling	Affair Booking Agent	BOG 2021
P/C Frank Winterling	Bar Manager	BOG 2021
Jim Harris	Purchasing Agent	2022
Diane Pfeffer	HR/Payroll	2021
Carolyn Creamer	Kitchen Manager	2021

Nominating Committee

P/C Brian Rockstroh Capt. Ray Holter

Gold Members

John Ashton Jr.
P/C Thea Coker
P/C Ed Yeager
Tom Potere
Fred Puhl
Richard Wanner

Buy Outs

Mickey Kunkowski
Bob Kuhl
Rob Smith

Past Commodore break

Don Czapl	off until 10/2021
P/C Brian Harrison	off until 10/2021
P/C Tim Pratzer	off until 9/2022
P/C Brian Rockstroh	off until 10/2023
P/C Tom Kinard	BOG 2021



Past Commodore's Seafood Feast
Saturday, April 17, 2021
6 pm until 11 pm



Music by
Fast Times
Menu



Steamed
Shrimp, Clams, Mussels, Snow Crabs

Fried
Rockfish, Shrimp, Clams, Catfish
Maryland Crab Soup
Caesar Salad, Sweet Corn, Veggies, Pasta Salad



Various Cakes for Dessert
Beer, Wine & Soda
Food served from 6pm until 7:30pm)

Raffles, Door Prizes



Tickets: \$50 per person

This is a counted affair. Get your tickets early.
Sold in the Tiki bar or **text P/C Robin Bowles 443-889-7374**
or email Robin **spunky508@live.com**

(Tickets must be purchased or RSVP'd by April 13th)

From the IPC Robin

Please see attached flyer. Our annual Past Commodore Bull Roast this year is going to be a Seafood Feast instead. It's going to be an awesome time we all have been anticipating. Great food, an awesome band, and excited people make for a memorable event!

Please note, since this is a counted affair and at the present only selling 95 tickets, EYC members will have 1 month to purchase tickets. If not sold out or we can open to 75 or 100% capacity, we will advertise to our sister clubs. So please purchase your tickets early! You have exclusive rights till February 23rd.

See you around the club!

IP/C Robin

spunky508@live.com

From the F/C Jim

We are in the midst of planning our annual EYC summer vacation cruise for July 10-17th. Our goal as of right now is to head down south and then make our way back closer to home by week's end, likely ending our cruise in Rock Hall if all of our plans work out.

Due to COVID and the explosion of new boat owners, many marinas are at capacity with seasonal slip holders. As a result, many locations are restricted this year on the number of transient boats they can accommodate.

For planning purposes, it is important for us to know how many boats plan to join us for this year's cruise. If you are planning to join, please email me on or before Wednesday, January 27th and let me know if you will be with us for the entire week, or just the 2nd or 3rd leg of the trip. This information will help us finalize our plans.

F/C Jim M

jimmymorin74@yahoo.com

From the EYC AUXILIARY President

First Friday Bingo will begin on Friday, **February 5, 2021 at 7:00pm** in Big House. We will use **Regular Paper Bingo** sheets for COVID precautions. \$1.00 per sheet. Chairman- Frank Winterling. Volunteers- Cindy, Jane, Carrie, Rose.

Event February 13, 2021 – Postponed. New date possibly Friday Sept 24th or Oct. 1st.

Spring Lottery – Chairperson-Diane. Tickets sell for \$5.00 each. We will be selling during Feb, March, April. Winning numbers are following Lottery 3-digit Evening for **May 2021**.

Chili Cook off March 28th – Chairman -Diane – Flyer will be coming out. Holding event in Big house due to COVID.

April 4th Sunday Easter Dinner - Cancelled due to COVID

Easter Egg Hunt on March 28th – after/during Chili Cookoff – Flyer will be coming out.

EYC AXU President Sharon

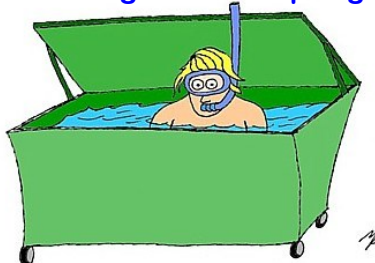
sharonwinterling@gmail.com

The winter dumpster schedule is still in effect The dumpster by the Big House will be is still closed until late March The Bathhouse dumpster will go to every other week

Any questions or concerns please let me know

Bob Wilkins 410-336-3046

dumpster diving
Starts again in the spring



Up Coming Events

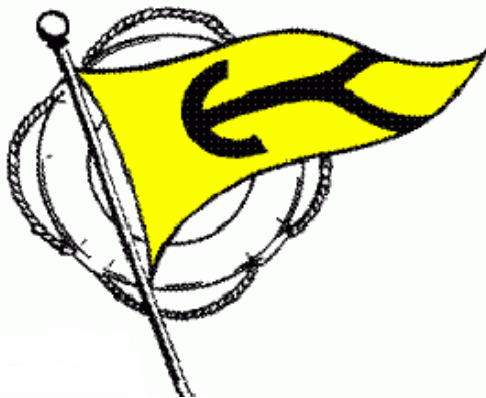
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Sign up and more tails of what will be happening

Your Leprechaun (Fleet) Captain Jim M
and Cindy his first Mate



St. Patrick's Day

MARCH MADNESS

Crescent Yacht Club

LIVE REVERSE AUCTION

Benefit of 3C's Thursday Celebration on January 2022
22 CHANCES TO WIN CASH PRIZES
Drawing to be held on:

Crescent Yacht Club- 1840 Cape May Road, 21221 -

1 Free Drink Ticket at event, Food will be available
NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN
COST \$20.00 per ticket Only 300 tickets sold

FOR TICKETS CONTACT
Sharon Winterling
410-299-7933
Sharonwinterling@gmail.com

*** Your Support is Greatly Appreciated ***

LAST number drawn \$1000.00 prize
2nd to LAST number drawn \$250.00 prize
FIRST number drawn \$250.00 prize

Other Prizes Include: 2 @ \$250.00 5 @ \$100.00
4 @ \$50.00 8 @ \$25.00

**Sunday, March 14, 2021
2:00pm**
Doors Open at 1:00pm

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