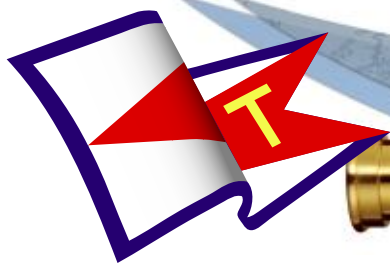


Tammany Yacht Club

SpyGlass



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July 2013



Commodore's Corner

Tom Smith

Break out the fire works it's almost 4th of July. Can you believe how fast this year is passing? Summer is here and so is our nice warm weather. June is behind us and was again very successful. The month started off with the flip-flopping into summer party. I could not imagine having that many uniquely decorated sandals in one location. Again a neat party, great job entertainment team.

The spring racing season is wrapping up with our club series complete, the coastal races in the books and the Mobile Cup back at our Club for one more year. A special thanks to Wayne Jablanouski, Mark Palermo and Kyle Bowser for bringing their boats and the collective crews to Gulfport and again well representing our club at Challenge Cup. The lake clubs took all 4 major trophies Southern (first), New Orleans (second), Poncetrain (third) and Tammany winning the three boat class. Ten clubs participated this year from Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama and Florida. The weekend was fun, the competition was tough and the winds were fairly light. Most of the sailors are now collecting thoughts toward competing for the four boat trophies next year. It is a big commitment for the skippers and crews to represent the club each year so please pass along your thanks to them for representing us so well this year. Once again we are the little club that can!

July will get off to a great start with Ribs and Chicken being served at the club on the 4th. There are few better places than our balcony to view the skies over Eden Isles as they explode celebrating our countries birthday. Come on out and enjoy the festivities, good food and friends company.

The calendar is later in this issue with Friday night dinner menus, renegade races, bridge nights and bunko scattered thru the month. Don't forget as of this writing the Friday night pot is now approaching \$500. Someone will get lucky eventually and claim the drawing.

Looking forward to seeing you all at the club.



TYC Race

Wayne Jablonowski

Wednesday Night Renegade Series

We are in the midst of our Renegade Series, the informal racing on Wednesday nights. A good excuse to get out on the water in the middle of the work week. These are pursuit type races set to start around 7:00, check out the TYC Sailor's forum for your start time. First boat to finish wins. The start is between Oak Harbor channel markers 1 & 2. The RC will attempt to set a mark for each race, typically 2 miles from the start in the direction of "T".

Challenge Cup, Tammany YC repeat winner of Mobile Trophy

The TYC team of Crazy Diamond, Sapphire, and Kokopelli successfully defended its hold on the Mobile Trophy in this year's Challenge Cup held in Gulfport. Mark Palermo and his crew sailed Sapphire to a second place in class C, giving the TYC team ample cushion over the other teams. Kokopelli beat the boats it needed to in its class. Crazy Diamond had a hard time competing against the lighter sport boats in the predominately light air, but finished close enough to the team from PBYC to secure the win. The team put forth a great effort to accomplish this win. Mark and the Sapphire crew did a lot of experimenting to get the right rig configuration for the venue, and Kyle brought Kokopelli up to tip top shape for the racing. All three boats' crew practiced tirelessly, and the efforts paid off in the superior crew work during the racing. Speaking for C D, I had a great time racing and it was a pleasure sailing with a top notch crew of TYC members and friends. Next year, a 4 boat team to the Challenge Cup!

Gulfport to Pensacola

TYC was well represented in this year's G to P, with Sandi Stone racing Nightshift and Bill Jobst on Windsome. This year was another non-typical race, after an easy reach out past Ship Island it was a 90 mile light air beat all the way to Pensacola. Congrats to both skippers.



TYC Race Continued

Wayne Jablonowski

Tammany's "T" mark

I think it is time Tammany Yacht Club re-establish the "T" mark in the lake.

UPCOMING EVENTS

We are in the summer doldrums, and there are no scheduled races except for the Renegade Series until the Fall Series begins in September. If there is interest, the RC is willing to set up some course racing or other event, just let me know. How about a race on a Friday night?

One event coming up in July is the Corinthian's annual Around the Lake Race, Saturday, July 20. The race is usually scheduled on a night with a full moon, and starts later in the day (4:00?) after the heat settles down. I recommend this race for anyone looking for some summertime competition.

Any suggestions or complaints, any way to make our sailing and racing better, more enjoyable, and to generate more participation, let me know.

Wayne Jablonowski, RC Chairman



Entertainment

Barry Statia

Wow! Never saw so many variations on a Flip Flop... even a pair of wooden ones. Lots of fun, good food, and great music. It all added up to another great Tammany Yacht Club event. So who was responsible for bringing it all together? Drum roll and thank you to Karen Allen, Jana Richardson, J.B., June Collins, Pam Cannon, Debbie Smith, Nancy Ritzmann, Val Bowser, Becky, and Doris!

And yes the committee is at it again working hard to help our members celebrate the birth of our Nation. Join your Master Chef (the Commodore) as he applies his culinary talents to grilled ribs. And of course all the sides to round out the 4th of July fare. After chewing on those ribs take in the fireworks from the clubs patio and maybe a chance or two on the 50/50. The signup sheet is posted at the bar. So join us, kick those flip flops off and enjoy the evening..

Costs: Members \$10.00 Nonmembers: \$13.00

Time: 4:00 P.M. until ?

Place: Tammany Yacht Club



TYC First Mates

Gloria Poole

The First Mates General meeting was held on the 6th. Thanks to all members who attended.

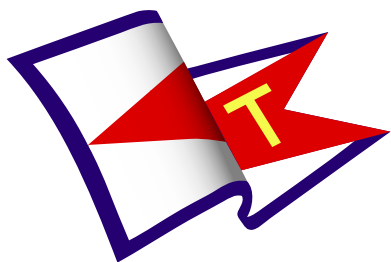
First Mates's club crawl has been scheduled for July 27th. A \$25 non-refundable fee is due at time of signing up. The deadline is July 20th and the sign-up sheet is at the bar. The event is open to all first mates in good standing. This should be a fun experience visiting Mississippi yacht clubs. Come join us.

The renovations on the club are still on hold. The decorating committee has not been able to finalize plans for the remodeling. The next decorating meeting will be in July. Before any further remodeling is implemented, a survey will be sent out to all TYC members to vote on different ideas.

Bunco has been a great success and a lot of fun. This month Angela Keister won the most games. The Bunco group donates money to first mates every month. We donate according to how many people play. Bunco is the fourth Thursday of every month, next one July 25th. Everyone is welcome to participate.

First Mates now have a bulletin board in the hallway. Minutes from board and general meetings will be summarized and posted. We are going to try to keep members more updated on events.





Upcoming Events

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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<u>7</u>	<u>8</u> Summer Camp Third Session	<u>9</u> Summer Camp Third Session TYC Board Meeting	<u>10</u> Summer Camp Third Session	<u>11</u> Summer Camp Third Session	<u>12</u> Summer Camp Third Session Birthday Night/ Dinner 7:30 pm	<u>13</u>
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<u>21</u>	<u>22</u> Summer Camp Invitational	<u>23</u> Summer Camp Invitational	<u>24</u> Summer Camp Invitational	<u>25</u> Summer Camp Invitational Bunco	<u>26</u> Summer Camp Invitational Steak Night/Dinner 7:30pm	<u>27</u>
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Make sure the following events are in your calendar. A full listing of all events happening at the club can be found online at <http://www.tammanyachtclub.org>. If you would like to submit your event to the calendar, please email spyglass@tammanyachtclub.org.



Friday Night Dinners

July 12th - Birthday Night

Grilled Chicken Marsala, Vegetable, Salad, Bread and Birthday Cake

\$14 Members \$16 Non-Members

July 19th - General Membership Meeting

No Dinner

Light Hors d' oeuvres will be served.

July 26th - Steak Night

Choice of Beef Filet, Beef Ribeye, or Tuna Steak, Potato, Salad, Bread, and Dessert

\$19 Members \$\$24 Non-Members

Dinner reservations needed by the Thursday before each Friday Night dinner.

Sign up at the bar or call TYC at 985-649-5222.

TYC July Birthdays



Hetty Barnes 4

Dodie Jones 7

Cathy Sexton 9

Gloria Poole 11

Earl Savoie 14

Cathy Pierce 16

Doris Burvant 17

Barry Statia 28

Show up for Birthday Night and celebrate with cake. Also, get a free drink on your birthday! If you have a birthday this month and your name isn't on the list, please let Membership know.

Email spyglass@tammanyachtclub.org.



TYC's Annual 4th of July Party



Thursday, July 4th

Starting at 4pm

Fireworks at 9pm

\$10 Members

\$13 Non-Members

Menu:

BBQ Ribs, BBQ Chicken, Asian Cole Slaw, Baked Beans
Potato Salad, Rolls, Ice Cream with Toppings



Congratulations TYC Challenge Cup Racers!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!



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Bilge Swill

Bob

"Tacking– Wake up !!!" huh?

"On a midnight run I realized why you came this away. Thinking about how many times I have fallen; Spirits are using me and larger voices are callin'. What heaven brought me cannot be forgotten, So I'm sailing for tomorrow with all her flags a flyin'.

I have been around the world, looking for that win on the coming day."

Anyone know that song???? Funny how songs take you off course sometimes!

So I hear TYC's Spring Series is over? I have heard stories of crash tacks, port tacks, touching marks, diapers, hourglasses and keeping the CUP!

Do you think it gives an interesting 3rd party perspective when later that evening the "stellar" performance shows up on video! I hear Bobby Tassin is the MAN! The special interactive (constructive audibles) under an overlay rock'n music is especially important. Onward for the summer rebels; next stop fall series and LPRC - HUA !



The members of the Queen Ann Bridge Group continue to play Wednesday nights at TYC. Please join us!

Finish up your week with a free bar tab!
Every Friday TYC will be holding a drawing for a bar tab.
Drawing will be at 9pm.
Unwind the week at TYC. . . have a drink. . . win a bar tab!



Editor's Corner

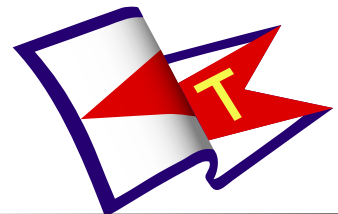
Angela Keister

Half of our summer is GONE, does anybody know where it went???? Renegade racing will be coming to a close soon, sail camp is over half complete, Challenge Cup is now behind us with a 1st PLACE WIN, many of you flip flopped into summer, and now it is time to celebrate the 4th of July!!!!

With vacations, family visits, work, camps, etc Wednesday nights aren't the same sadly. Burgers are still grilling every week so please don't forget to come by and have a meal with us.

Thank you to Joe Sexton and June Collins for many of the pictures submitted this month. The SpyGlass is written by YOU the members of TYC, I merely gather the info into one place. PLEASE continue to send articles, pictures, announcements, etc to spyglass@tammanyachtclub.org.

Everyone be safe over the 4th of July and enjoy your Holiday!!!



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Monday & Tuesday - Closed
 Wednesday - Thursday - 5pm to 10pm
 Friday - 5pm to 11pm
 Saturday - 2pm to 11pm
 Sunday - 1pm till 9pm

Club hours may be extended at the discretion of the Club Manager or the ranking Board Member.

Don't forget that on Thursdays and Saturdays your second drink is free. Also, be sure to sign up for Friday night dinners by the required time and cancel if your can't make it to avoid a penalty.

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