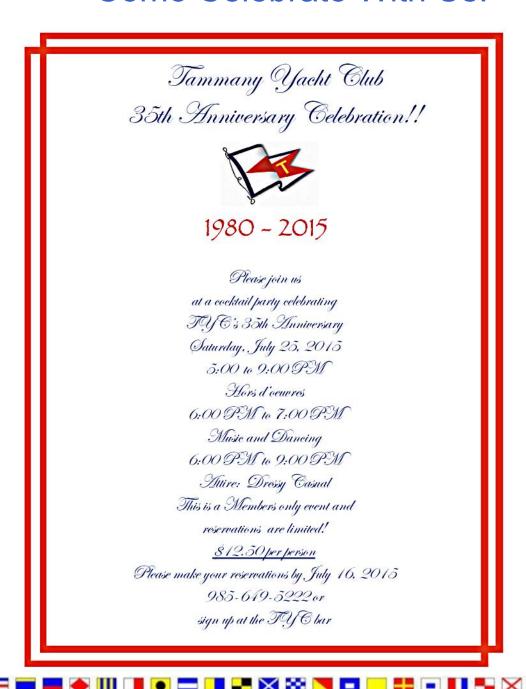
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July 2015

### " Come Celebrate With Us!"



### **Commodore's Corner**

#### **Steve Jones**

Four weeks of Sail Camp are complete! The new motor on Endeavor has worked out well and the new chase boat with Toms motor has added flexibility to the program, thanks Kathy! We had a casualty with the hoist; one of the brake discs broke which disables the hoist. We were able to adapt a hand/manual chain hoist on a sling as a temporary fix so we could continue using the Flying Scott. Some of our campers and volunteers want to compete in the Junior Lipton's towards the end of July so I am seeking volunteers to help with practice sessions evenings, or weekends. I am hoping to set up a start line and do practice starts and a crewed pace boat would be awesome. Please let me know if you would like to help.

Venetian Isles Poker Run was a huge success with lots of friendly people enjoying the club. The following weekend was the Dionysus Poker run. This was the first time "Hosting" a poker run and we learned a lot. Support from membership was awesome and we had the busiest bar in years! "Thanks to everyone who pitched in". Wayne was right about the potential of sponsoring poker runs. The Dionysus Crew was very happy and they want to come back next year and some of the Crew of Bilge expressed an interest in

starting their poker runs with us.

Meanwhile the Sailors made a good showing at Challenge Cup. 7 races in 3 days is a true test of skill and endurance so thanks to Kenny as team captain and especially Owners/Skippers Bobby, Wayne, Mark and Kyle for providing their boats and crew provisions, and everyone aboard who hiked, trimmed, set, doused and offered words of encouragement! Everyone can all take pride in bringing the Mobile Trophy back to TYC!

See you at the club,

Steve Jones





Come Celebrate the 4<sup>TH</sup> at TYC!!

Enjoy fireworks from the balcony, pulled pork and fixin's with a cool drink in hand! Food "while it lasts" will be ready for 7 p.m.

~ Hope to see you there ~





#### **TYC First Mates**

## Carole Gillio President

Tuesday, June 30th, the First Mates Board made a donation to SMH in memory of our dear friend, June Collins. We know June will be there in spirit appreciating our efforts, as all of us will never forget her, or her tireless efforts to help others.

There will be a First Mates Board meeting Thursday July 2nd at 7 PM. As always, "all are invited". We have some very important upcoming events to plan, including, our participation in the club's Birthday Celebration July 25th, the Club Crawl set for August 29th and the proposed dates for the Wine Tasting. Ladies, please join us. We welcome all suggestions and criticisms because both can be very instrumental in bringing about good change and new ideas. However, both are also really the "privilege" of those who actually participate in our functions.

#### Carole G.





### Race Committee Bobby Tassin

TYC Racing: Robert Tassin, MD, RC Chair, Fleet Surgeon

June was another busy sailing month for TYC with Challenge Cup (CC) being the center of attention. We began with Charter Day Regatta, the 3rd club race of the year and quickly shifted gears for CC. Between those events was the Race to the Coast and Kevin has provided us a recap of that event - see below. Kenny Lanata as our CC captain and the crews of StraitJacket - Class B, Sapphire Class C - and Kokopelli - Class D did well representing Tammany. We had class finishes of tie for 6th, and two 5th's respectively and if not for losing a spin halyard, SJ would have gotten a 5th as well! SJ was a bit rusty, but Sapphire had a couple 3rd's and Kokopelli had a 2nd and 3rd amongst the seven races. In the end, TYC bested two other clubs for the 3 class competition! For full results go here:

http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/10581#\_newsroom+results

The next weekend was Gulfport to Pensacola and StraitJacket sailed in "the fastest race I ever lost". We finished at 01:03 - avg speed of 7.7 knots and got 4th of 4 boats in our class! Conditions were probably the best ever for the race. Our 3 other competitors were lighter, planing boats who enjoyed the SW breeze ranging from 11 to 20 knots and got up and went. Results and race tracker found here:

http://www.southernyachtclub.org/default.aspx?p=.NETEventView&ID=3851427&qfilter=&type=0&ssid=340643&chgs

#### Race to the Coast - by Kevin Blank

On the morning of June 13th, StraitJacket left the dock with a crew of Pontchartrain and Tammany Yacht Club members (including Kevin Blank and David Bolyard). Their goal was to compete in the Race to the Coast, a 50 mile race from Lake Pontchartrain to Gulfport and the oldest point to point race in the Western Hemisphere. The wind was blowing about 15 knots out of the south for the start of the race which meant lots of tacking through the Rigolets. The crew would watch the depth meter and as soon as they saw the 9 foot depth start to thin out, they would flip on to the other tack until they found the shallow water on the other side.

This race features a staggered start and being a boat with a low rating, StraitJacket had to pass a lot of boats that day. In the Rigolets, they started taking them down, one by one. The water was flat and the current was running at least 1 knot back in to the Lake. This allowed StraitJacket to power by the lighter boats that were getting slowed down by the fast water. As they transited through the CSX bridge, the crew was greeted by increased waves churned up by the southerly breeze in the Mississippi Sound. Once out of the Rigolets Approach, it was a jib reach all the way to Gulfport. It was a fast race with no bad weather to speak of except for 3 minutes of rain at the very end. StraitJacket got a chance to stretch her legs and ended up with a third in class and fourth overall.

#### Upcoming dates:

Sept 9th Skippers Meeting for Spring Wednites

Sept 16th WedNite Fall Series begins; 6 races through Oct 21st

Sept 19th \*TYC Leen Polderman Regatta

Oct 3rd Single Handed Race

Nov 8th \*TYC Commodore's Cup Regatta

Here is a link to the 2015 GYA schedule: <a href="http://www.gya.org/documents/schedule/schedule.pdf">http://www.gya.org/documents/schedule/schedule.pdf</a> See you at the club and on the water ~ Meanwhile - Fair winds and following seas!



### "Dionysus Let The Good Times Roll At TYC!"



## "Sailing Summer Camp A Success So Far"



Hat's off to Paul, Mia and Charlie our Sail Camp Instructor's and their awesome volunteers Alexander and Robert!! Looks like the kids are having a great experience on the water thanks to you all!









#### Ya'll come!!

# "Please save the date Aug. 1st, 2015 For the Past Commodore's Party!"

This fun event will be a "Country Western theme" so break out your jeans, skirts, shorts, hats and boots and join us for an old fashion hoedown! We will have ribs, pulled pork, corn on the cob, potato salad, beans etc. Food starts at 6:00 p.m. There will be no cost to members, but there will not be an open bar so you are on your own there. If you want to bring a guest there will be a \$10.00 dollar cover. Cathy Sanchez will be doing a Patsy Cline show for us to enjoy at 7:00 p.m., once she is done then a D. J. Will take over.

Please sign up at the bar so we can plan on food.

Thank-You,

70m and Debbie









#### SHE vs HE

(a little monthly humor for the ladies) contributed by Jeanne Sewing

#### WOMEN'S REVENCE

Cash, Check or Charge? The clerk asked, after folding items the women wished to purchase.

As she fumbled for her wallet, the clerk noticed a remote control for a television set in her purse.

"So, do you always carry your TV remote?" the clerk asked

"No," she replied, "but my husband refused to come shopping with me, and I figured this was the most evil thing I could do to him."







Thanks for the great laughs Jeanne!!!











# **Upcoming Events**

July 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Bridge Group	2 First Mates Board Meeting@7pm	3	July 4 <sup>th</sup> Celebration at TYC@7pm!
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	TYC Sail Camp Session3	TYC Sail Camp Session3	TYC Sail Camp Session3	TYC Sail Camp Session3	TYC Sail Camp Session3	
	13	TYC Board Meeting@7:00 Coin De Lestin HOA	Bridge Group	16	TYC General Membership Meeting@7:30	Rental
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	20	21	22 Bridge Group	23	24	25 TYC Charter Da 35 <sup>th</sup> Anniversar Party!
<b>)</b>	27	28	29 Bridge Group	30 Clipper Board Meeting	31 Steak Night Dinner@7:30	August 1 Past Commodo Western Party @6pm!

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.tammanyyachtclub.org. If you would like to submit your event to the calendar, please email spyglass@tammanyyachtclub.org.



## TYC July Birthdays



Joyce Seale	July 03
Dodie Jones	July 07
Carol Perret	July 08
David Vega	July 09
Kathy Young	Julý 09
Gloria Poole	July 11
Earl Savoie	July 14
Cathy Pierce	July 16
Doris Burvant	July 17
Maryliz Marshall	July 21
Brandon Bassett	July 26
Barry Statia	July 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@tammanyyachtclub.org.









# **Friday Night Dinners**

July 3, 2015 - No Dinner

July 10, 2015 - Birthday Night/ Dinner @ 7:30pm Hamburger Steak (smothered with gravy and onions) Mashed Potatoes, Vegetable, Salad, Bread and Dessert

\$12 members \$14 guests Child's plate \$6 (ages 4-11)

July 17, 2015 - No Dinner General Membership Meeting @ 7pm We will have food for members prior to meeting @6:30pm.

July 24, 2015 - No Dinner

July 31, 2015 - Steak Night @ 7:30pm Your choice of a Beef Filet, Beef Ribeye, Tuna, or Salmon Steak, Potato Salad, Bread and Dessert

\$19 members \$24 guests Child's menu - Hamburger or Hot Dog Plate \$7

Dinner reservations needed by the Thursday before each Friday Night dinner. Sign up at the bar or call TYC at 985-649-5222.



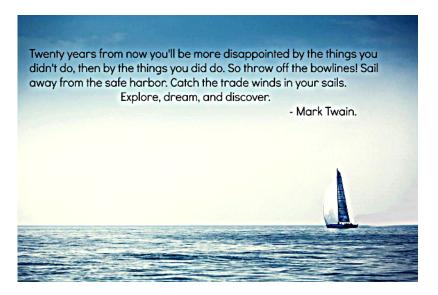
"Take a night off from cooking and come enjoy great dinners at your club!"



### **Editor's Corner**

#### **Dodie Jones**

Great events attracting familiar, friendly faces makes for a successful club! Remember to check our calendar at tammanyyachtclub.org for upcoming events and be sure to visit our facebook page and see who has been to your club! Please feel free to email me any updates, pictures, or great news you may want to share with your TYC family to: dodiejones37@hotmail.com. I would like to thank David Vega, a recent Junior member, for all the superb photo's of our Sailing Summer Camp and TYC events!





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!





# "Many thanks to our TYC WedNite Racing sponsor for Bill Watson WedNite Spring Series I"



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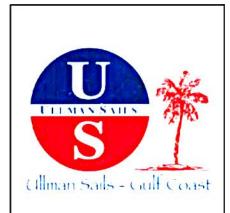
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Friday - 5pm to 11pm Saturday - 2pm to 11pm Sunday - 1pm till 9pm

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 you can't make it to avoid a penalty.

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