

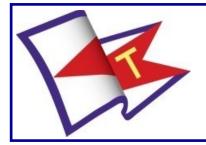
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WELCOME BACK





Commodore's Corner

Frank Bush

Welcome Back

We are getting close. With the Governor's announcement of moving into Phase II, the club will reopen this Friday, June 5th. We will be following Federal, State and Parish guide lines in trying to keep everyone safe. Everyone's safety and health is our primary focus. There will be hand sanitizer at the door, commonly touched areas will be wiped down regularly, we will be taking employee temperatures before every shift and table spacing will be in accordance with guide-lines. Bar standing room has to be diminished, so we need your help in making sure people don't congregate at the bar.

As I have mentioned before, I'm seeing a lot more boat traffic in the canals and on the lake. We have had the opportunity to enjoy several concerts on the water and a couple of movies on the lake. It's nice to see people actually using and enjoying their boats. As we move forward I will be working with the Entertainment Committee to see what ideas/events we can present while keeping everyone safe. We will review what was planned and reevaluate so stay tuned.

I have seen a couple of rental inquires come in so that aspect of revenue will be coming back.

Junior Sail Camp will be starting this month; classes are filling up fast. We have started a waiting list, so that should be a success this year, provided they keep the Bonnet Carre Spillway closed. Keep your fingers crossed for our juniors and the health of our lake.

I want to say Thank You to all our first responders, medical personnel and our restaurant staff who kept us safe and fed during this trying time.

I don't think we know what normal will be going forward but I do know it will be different than what we have known.

I'm looking forward to seeing everyone soon. Remember, you know your own situation so take appropriate precautions.

Your Commodore,

Frank Bush





House Committee

Larry Whited

CRAZY TIME

It is my hope that every person reading this column is surviving this unparalleled pandemic. None of has a memory of anything even remotely similar to what has happened to our lives these past few months. We all hope we will never see anything like this again.

Even though most of us are sequestered, quarantined and/or isolated we have access to more information than ever in the history of mankind. Information is NOT fact, however. *Disclaimer: the following opinion is mine and mine alone. No sailors were harmed in the writing of this article.* When I search the internet on a subject about which I am fairly knowledgeable, I estimate that 80% of what I read is WRONG, and 15% of that is DANGEROUSLY WRONG. The problem is trying to figure out in which category any particular piece of data fits. Covid 19 is the new malady on the block. Every day we "learn" something that is opposite of what we "knew" yesterday. Tomorrow the cycle repeats itself.

Look at "masks". This has joined politics and religion as subjects that many people are adamant about. Right now a Google search of Covid 19 masks will return over 2 billion hits. Some say MASKS ARE GOOD, and others say MASKS ARE EVIL. (See the 80% wrong/15% dangerous above.)

My point of the above is this (I know you were wondering), TYC will follow all the guidelines as set forth by the CDC and all government and local guidelines. See Frank's column at tammanyyachtclub.org. When they conflict, as they most certainly can, we will use our best judgement. Ultimately, it is up to each Tammany Yacht Club member to make the determination of what practice is right for them. When you do come up to the Club, please abide by the current Club policies. This pandemic is a moving target and we will make midcourse corrections as necessary. Support our efforts and Laura C. and her staff will do everything we can to make Tammany Yacht Club a fun place to be – again.

Larry Whited - House Co-chair

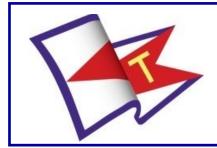




We continue one last push for the directory. I need info or instructions for about 26 of our members and it will be done. I am going to start phone contact of the 26 to see what they want to share. Anyone needing a picture can let me know and I will arrange to meet at the club to take one for you. Call Jan Lemaire at 985-290-6140 with questions.







Juniors Sandy Stone

Ready, set, go—Sail camp is here. Sail camp may look different this year, but fun, safety and learning will always be assured. All staff, campers and volunteers will be required to wear masks while inside the club. Frequent handwashing, social distancing, advanced registration, and other CDC guidelines will be in force.

I am proud of our Junior sail team members for their participation in the renegade sailing on Wednesday nights.

Thanks to Andrew Myers for his donation of a Holder 12 sailboat for the Juniors program.







Membership

Dave Lemaire



To all Members:

Thanks to all of you that continued to pay your dues!

To the 23 new members that came in on the Special Offer and have paid you dues, Thank you.

If you are a Special Offer new member from February and have not paid, bring it up

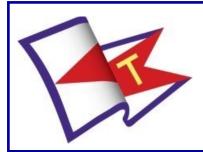
to date and lets have fun.

We are in this together.

We'll make it!!

Dave





Editor's Comments

Peggy Stone

As a Wednesday night race was set to begin, the sailors pondered why Crazy Diamond was not at the start. Well, shiver me timbers, Wayne and Beth surprised us all. Congratulations Wayne and Beth on this next chapter of your lives. May you be blessed with happiness. Thanks to Jean Almos for the great pictures of this beautiful waterfront ceremony.

Wednesday night renegade sailing has been in place since moving into Phase 1. Thanks to Dodie Jones and Melinda Parks for the great pictures.

Jan Lemaire is completing the club directory. Please help her by submitting your contact information.

Dave Lemaire has been in contact with our new members and we hope to see all of you at the club soon.

We are all looking forward to the reopening of the club as we move into Phase 2.

Sail camp will begin June 8. Apparently the new homeschool teachers are anxious for their pupils to have outside activities because for the first time there is a waiting list.

Many of our members have been on the frontline during the pandemic. Thank you for keeping our community safe. Please stay safe and healthy.

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Congratulations and Best Wishes to

Wayne and Beth

















Wednesday Night Sailing

















































Yvonne Gomez	06/04
Carolyn Hunt	06/05
Cheryl Perret	06/07
Dawnella Johnson	06/08
Gerald Ellender	06/10
Audrey Lander	06/11
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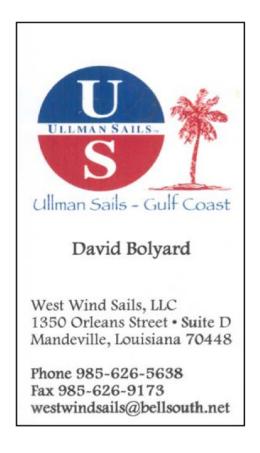
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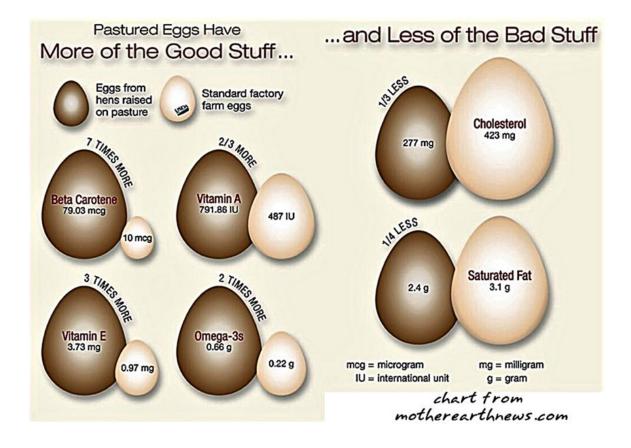
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