



Red Eye Yacht Club Newsletter

The biggest little yacht club on the bay

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New Members Welcome!

REYC EVENTS

Reminder

Clubhouse is open to
members during private
parties.

Message from the Commodore

Karen Frey



It is so hard to believe that this is my last newsletter article as Commodore! The year has gone by so quickly, and First Gentlemen Ken and I thank you for the opportunity to represent Red Eye Yacht Club across the bay.

We have accomplished quite a bit this year. As you may recall, we were talking about three things at the beginning of my year as Commodore: selling the liquor license, splitting the club into two entities and building a new clubhouse. We have accomplished the first two and decided not to proceed with the third. Instead of tearing down and re-building, we have renovated the bar area, responded to multiple inspections with appropriate repairs and developed plans to further renovate the building. Many thanks to everyone who helped and continue to help with all of that.

We had a very successful crab feast last Saturday. Thank you to all the members who pitched in to make the day work - the pit crew, the kitchen crew, the soup-maker, the salad-maker, the crab picker-upper, the crab servers, the clean-up crew, the lay-down seller, the bar crew, the table-setting crew and anyone else I may have missed. It takes so many people to put on an event like that!

We have a few good weeks of boating left, so let's get out there and enjoy them!

We'll see you at the ball...

Message from the Vice Commodore **Terry Edgell**



First, I would like to thank everyone who supported me as Vice Commodore this year. You worked hard to fulfill the numerous jobs to keep our clubhouse going. Needless to say, the work will continue. Renovations will begin after the Ball. Get your hours in now while there are still plenty of jobs available - maybe help with the upcoming Pig Roast on November 2nd! Don't forget that winterization weekend in November is always a great time to rack up some hours - Rear Commodore-Elect LenLong will have details.

If you plan on coming to the Ball, make sure Stephanie Gaff knows right away at familygaff@yahoo.com. For those of you attending, I think you will enjoy our 50th Anniversary Commodore's Ball. We start the night with great hors d'oeuvres at 7 p.m., then our program, followed by dining and dancing. After the Ball, we return to the Club until the bar closes at 2 a.m. On Sunday, those who attended the Ball, are invited to a reception hosted by the new Commodore

October
12th Commodore's Ball
7-2
October 13th
Commodore's Reception
2-4

Big Roast November 2nd

How do I reserve the clubhouse for a private gathering?

Contact: **Judy Zipkin** to reserve your date.
[410-391-1848](tel:410-391-1848)

ATTENTION
General Membership Meetings are held the second Friday of each month.

The next Meeting Date is:
Fri, October 11 @ 8pm
Dinner @ 6:30 pm

Work Hours
Check here each month to keep track of your work hours around the club.

[Work Hours as of September 30](#)

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Niculina Carr has been in the hospital with gall stones and needing to have her gall bladder removed. They were unable to do the surgery laproscopically so

and First Lady at the Clubhouse from 2-4 p.m.

I am looking forward to a great year as your next Commodore. I am grateful for those who stepped up to become officers with me and those before. Your help and guidance has been appreciated. If you have an interest in a particular committee (finance, facilities, by-laws, membership, etc.), please let me know.

Let's all work together to keep Red Eye Yacht Club "the biggest little yacht club on the bay." Henry Ford once said, "If everyone is moving forward together, then success takes care of itself". Here's to a great year! I look forward to serving as your new Commodore.

Message from the Rear Commodore Liz Selig

As boating season draws to a close, I would like to thank everyone for supporting me this past year as your Rear Commodore. A lot of hard work was put in by many and your support made my job that much easier. I look forward to your continued support as I move up the line to Vice Commodore. I am sure the upcoming year will be one of many challenges and I look forward to meeting them head on.

The Pile driver has come and gone. Completing the electric for the two new slips is all that remains on that project. That should be completed very soon.

As of last Friday, Absolute Fire Protection had finished re-doing the fire line drawings to current requirements and plans to submit them for permits this week. They will contact us for a start date when permits are issued.

Hope to see many of you at this year's Commodore's Ball.

Message from the Fleet Captain Leonard Long, Sr

As this boating season nears an end, I want to say I have enjoyed my year as your fleet captain. We've had fun cruises by land and water. It has been a year of change around the club and there are more improvements coming next year. Now its time for my son to take over the beer bag at openings.

I'm looking forward to becoming your rear commodore for the next year. Hope to see you at the ball.

Board of Governors ("The Club")

Commodore Karen Frey
VC Terry Edgell
RC Liz Selig
FC Len Long
IPC Bob Carr
PC John Cashman
PC Jerry Selig
Mark Wilson

there was additional recovery time in the hospital.

To any member(s) who may be dealing with an illness or a family's illness, we send our sincere REYC best wishes. If anyone has news of major illness of a member, death of a members immediate family or a well known person around the bay, please let me know.

Quick Links...
[REYC website](#)
[REYC on Facebook](#)
Check out our website

Lloyd Tinker

The board meets on the 3rd Friday of the month at 7:30. If you want to address anything at the meeting, please notify the board 7 days ahead of time so it can be put on the agenda.

Board of Directors ("The Holding Company")

John Alban
Tony Soleski
Erni Heiser
Jerry Wetzell
Judy Zipkin
Mike Scherer
JJ Troiani
Rick Rickerds
Ken Zeisloft

The board meets on slip assignment day, and as needed throughout the year.

Chesapeake Commodores Club Report

The 2014 CCC Commodore's Ball will be **January 10-12** at the Princess Royale Hotel, Ocean City MD.

The theme: "All Time Favorite TV Shows"

Tickets are \$435 payable in full or in 3 payments of \$145 or 5 payments of \$87

Reservations can be made through John Cashman
[CCC Commodore's Ball Info](#)

Bar Report

Bar Committee -P/C Jerry Selig, P/C John Cashman

As many of you already know, our bartenders are only available during special events/meetings. So that will leave it up to us to serve ourselves and pitch in when you are at the bar. There will be times we have a guest come in so let's be courteous and jump in to help out.

Also reminder when bartending for events/meeting you get tips or hours not both.

It looks like we may have beer pricing increase before end of year.

As a reminder - NO smoking in the clubhouse, bathrooms or kitchen! We may be a private club but we still have to follow the law.

2014 Incoming Officers:

Commodore Terry Edgell
Vice Commodore Liz Selig
Rear Commodore Leonard Long Sr
Fleet Captain Leonard Long Jr
Recording Secretary Maureen Tinker
Corresponding Secretary Stephanie Gaff

Treasurer Shirley Davie
Assistant Treasurer Jill Cashman

The Nominating Committee has worked to update and clarify officer's duties. They are outlined in this document:

Officer's Job Descriptions

Membership Committee Chairman P/C Ken Zeisloft

No report.

Facilities Committee

Steve Culhane

All members we should be jumping for joy. We have the contract signed and a deposit check from the holding company to move forward on the truss work over the existing dining area. This will give us a new look as you approach the building from the parking area and give the facilities committee time to explore options for the interior. The committee is wants to have our contractor start as soon as **November 1st**.

PLEASE as a reminder do not talk with the contractor and or his sub-contractors and employees this will only delay the project which could in turn cost us more. If you have any questions or concerns please contact someone on the facilities committee. Lets all move forward to create a nice looking club house that we can all enjoy together as a family to share with sister clubs and our friends.

Club Notices

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TO ALL RED EYE MEMBERS, THEIR FRIENDS AND GUEST
DOG PROTOCOL

No dogs or any animal allowed in the clubhouse during regular business hours, which typically is Friday, Saturday and Sunday (except for seeing eye dogs).

Dogs are allowed on the deck ONLY if they are supervised by an adult, on a leash and under control.

All dogs must be on a leash at all times, grounds and deck.

You must pick up after them! Do not leave their poop for someone else to step in. Bags will be available at the piers by our R/C Liz. Please instruct your friends/guest to do the same

By following these rules, all members will enjoy the club as well as our dogs!

*****Good News Corner *****

If you have any news to share - births, birthdays, graduations, retirements, engagements, weddings, events, etc - please email me, kristin.long29@gmail.com and I will gladly post it in here.

If there is anything you want added in future editions or if you have any updates to your email address, please email me to let me know.

Also, if your email address changes or needs to be added, please let me know.

Sincerely,
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