



Red Eye Yacht Club Newsletter

The biggest little yacht club on the bay

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New Members Welcome!

Ned and Jill
Featherson

Message from the Commodore Karen Frey



Happy Holidays to everyone! It's hard to believe that the season is already upon us. We had a great crew at winterization day on November 10; thank you to everyone who helped.

Be sure you have those work hour tickets signed and in the box. Work hours must be completed by December 15, so time is short if you still need hours. See VC Terry or RC Liz for jobs that still need to be done.

The CCC ball is coming up in January. I don't know who has signed up to go, but we need to plan that weekend regarding room decoration, drinks and food. Also, whether to do a skit and what that would be - the theme is "old movies," so put on your thinking caps and be original (but old!). Everyone who has signed up to go - let's meet on Sunday, December 2 at 1 p.m. to go over everything.

Our next membership meeting is Friday, December 14; the dinner menu is elsewhere in this newsletter. Let's all exercise a little more decorum at that meeting and at future meetings than at last month's. January's meeting has been moved to January 4 because the CCC ball weekend begins on our regular meeting night.

Have a wonderful holiday season - may all of you and your loved ones be safe and happy.

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Message from the Vice Commodore Terry Edgell

Boating season may be behind us but the holiday season has definitely arrived. First, I would like to thank all those who came out for the recent winterization work party. Much was accomplished. Secondly, just a reminder that December 15th is the deadline to complete any necessary work hours. Call me if you need hours.



Our Clubhouse is taking on a cozier look and feel as winter approaches. Upon approval, members will soon be able to

REYC EVENTS

Reminder

Clubhouse is open to members during private parties.

How do I reserve the clubhouse for a private gathering?

Contact: **Judy Zipkin**

to reserve your date.

410-391-1848

Non Member Fee:

\$250.00

includes club rental and bartender. \$75.00 clean up fee will be imposed if club is not clean after your event.

Members: No fee for club usage. Bartender must be reserved and \$75.00 fee will be imposed if club is not clean after your event.

ATTENTION

General

Membership Meetings are held the second Friday of each month.

Next Meeting

Date:

Friday, Dec. 14th

@ 8pm

Dinner @ 6:30 pm

MENU: Pot Luck style -

everyone bring a dish

Dinner Details

Work Hours

Check here each month to

keep track of your work hours around the

relax by the new fireplace. New stools for the high tables are in the works and the pool table area now accommodates additional seating. The shuffleboard table will be available to everyone as well. Perhaps we can muster up enough folks to participate in a pool tournament over the next couple of months. Please feel free to provide additional suggestions or give feedback on these changes.

I would like to wish everyone a safe, restful, and wonderful Christmas with family and friends.

Message from the Rear Commodore Liz Selig

Once again, I would like to thank the members that participated in our annual winterization event. The piers and pump out were winterized, the jet ski ramp was relocated, and an old dingy ramp was removed from the water, dismantled and discarded. Hopefully mother nature will go easy on us this winter and spare us from costly repair work and ice eater electric usage.

For those of your that have not heard, on November 11th there was an electrical fire on "B" pier directly in front of Mike Scherer's boat. Lucky for us, Mike discovered the fire which had spread to the pier stringer and decking and put it out with a fire extinguisher before it had a chance to get out of control. I would like to thanks Mike as well as John and Jill Cashman for their efforts. The fire department was also summoned to make sure the fire was completely extinguished. Had that fire gone unnoticed, we could have found ourselves in a bad situation with no pier water and no fire line for the fire department to work with. I believe in the very near future we will need to reopen discussion of a fire line and take appropriate action to prevent a similar issue from causing devastation to our club and member personal property. Since our insurance coverage has a deductible of \$5000.00, this repair will need to be done by club members at a cost of approximately \$1800.00. That cost has been submitted as part of my annual budget along with other repairs and project work.

Shortly after the Holidays and as weather permits, I would like to get a work crew together to make the repair mentioned above and to continue with the re-decking that was started on "A" pier, assuming that aspect of my budget gets approved. If you have an interest in helping with these projects, please let me know. Reminder, the closing date for this year's work hours is December 15th. If you still need hours, please see me or the Vice Commodore.

I hope everyone had a great Thanksgiving. Since I may not see some of you in December, I would also like to take this opportunity to wish everyone a Merry Christmas, Happy New Year, and a safe, joyous Holiday Season.

Message from the Fleet Captain Leonard Long, Sr

club.

[November work hours](#)

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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 a 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...
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Check out our website

*Webmaster
Chip Birkhead*

**REYC
Event Photos**

**If you have any photos from club events or happenings that you'd like to share in the newsletter please email them to me at
kristin.long29@gmail.com**

***Please Note: You need to click the link to access photos and enter the password "REYCphotos" (this is to protect privacy of those in the pictures)**

Plans are in the works to do a land booze cruise on March 16th. I've been in contact with the other yacht clubs and the bus company to get everything set-up and in place. This is always a fun time!

If you have any ideas of places you'd like to go with the club, feel free to let me know.

Also, if you know of any visiting boats, please let me know so arrangements can be made.

Message from the Treasurer Shirley Davie

No Report_

Board of Governors Chairman John Alban

The Board of Governors for this year are as follows:

John Alban - Chairman
P/C Jerry Selig
P/C John Cashman
P/C John Terzigni
Ernie Heiser
John Troiani (JJ)
Rick Rickerds
Mike Scherer
Commodore Karen Frey

Meetings are the 4th Thursday of the month beginning at 7:30pm. All members are welcome to attend. If you want to address the Board, please let me know at least 7 days ahead of time so I can put it on the agenda.

Liquor License sale : We have a tennative date of 12/10 or 12/17 for our hearing no funds will exchange hands until after January

Board is still working on holding company need more info from accountant and attorney

Board discussed members getting out of order at meetings, Members need to know that they could face disciplinary actions for abusive language or threatening remarks. lets try to keep meetings orderly and be respectful to others attending

Due to the holidays the December Board meeting will be December 20, 2012

Chesapeake Commodores Club Report

It is time to start bugging you again about CCC ball in Ocean City scheduled for Jan 11, 12, and 13, 2013
The theme this year is "Old Movies" and cost is \$432.00 a couple. This includes 2 nights at Princess Royale Hotel, Friday night dinner, Saturday and Sunday breakfast, Saturday night's ball. There will be music Friday and Saturday night,

<http://photobucket.com/REYC>

approximately 20 hospitality rooms to serve you tons of food, drinks etc.

This weekend is a BIG BANG for your BUCK! Contact John Cashman for more information.

A Word from our Princess: Taylor Reed



Hello everyone! I apologize for not having an article for the newsletter the past few months, but there was a bit of confusion around the club.

Marching band season is finally over! We came in 5th out of 10 bands at Championships. The Cavalcade of Bands Championships was held at Hershey Stadium. If you would like to get additional information about the Cavalcade of Bands, or to see what really gets put into a marching band show, you can go to www.cavalcadeofbands.org.

Since my schedule has opened up, I am looking forward to attending many more of the balls! I will be able to go to my first ball this coming Saturday and looking forward to being with out with my fellow princesses. I am also hoping to attend more in the upcoming months!

I hope that everyone had a great Thanksgiving! We had 30 family members at our house for our annual feast in the garage. It was a great to spend time with family and I hope that you all were able to do the same.

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Bar Report

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

Red Eye Yacht Club is in our "winter" mode. Bar is still open and ready for business. However, there will be no more tabs during the winter mode except for special functions. Make sure you have your card with you because you will have to swipe it in order to use the register.

ByLaws ByLaws Committee - P/C Ken Zeisloft

No Report

Building Committee

No Report

Membership Committee Chairman P/C Ken Zeisloft

No Report

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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Corresponding Secretary
Red Eye Yacht Club

My summer finally came to an end when my dad winterized our boat this past week. I am hoping that summer comes back quickly so that we all can spend some time on the bay!

I am looking forward to seeing you all soon!

-Princess Taylor :)

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