



Red Eye Yacht Club Newsletter

The biggest little yacht club on the bay

Nov 2012 Vol. I

2012-2013 Officers

Commodore
Karen Frey
Phone (717)334-3606
Kfrey1@comcast.net

Vice Commodore
Terry Edgell
Phone (443)834-2052
edgeter8@yahoo.com

Rear Commodore
Liz Selig
Phone (410) 879-7810
eselig@iwif.com

Fleet Captain
Leonard Long, Sr
Phone (410)218-9523
leonardlongsr@yahoo.com

Recording Secretary
Maureen Tinker
Maureen.Tinker@usps.gov

Corresponding Secretary
Kristin Long
Phone (443) 992-3695
kristin.long29@gmail.com

Treasurer
Shirley Davie

Entertainment Officer
Judy Zipkin
Phone (410) 391-1848
zipkinjuju@aol.com

Board Chairperson
P/C John Cashman
Phone (410)848-4850
captcashman@netzero.net

New Members Welcome!

Gaylon & Marianne
Sowards

John and Shelley
Killian

Message from the Commodore Karen Frey



October was a month of celebration, with our Commodore's Ball followed by a couple of birthday parties. It was my pleasure (!) to see so many of you at the ball. Happy birthday to John A. and Dave C. - welcome to the '50s. Next up is the pig roast on Saturday; it is the last event of the year, so make it a good one!

Looking ahead, the officers are busy planning the upcoming year. RC Liz is first, with the November 10 winterizing day. VC Terry has a list of other jobs that need to be done, so there should be work for all who show up on that day. FC Len is talking about a booze cruise, and we all know what fun they are. If you would like to host a Friday night fun night over the next few months, be sure to let one of us know.

We need someone to step up to handle the Opening Day Book. You can get all of your work hours by taking on that job. Steve is willing to pass along his contact information so you would not need to start from scratch. If you would like to do the Book, please get in touch with me.

Please take note that my email address listed in the newsletter is just a tiny bit different than last month. It was incorrect before, and I do apologize if you e-mailed me at that address and then wondered why I didn't respond. I truly did not ignore you, just never received your message.

Various items have been left at the club, and I worry that they will disappear. One example is the cooking equipment at the head of C pier. If you have any items on club property, please be sure to rescue them before winter sets in.

Hurricane Sandy seems to have passed without much damage at the club, and we are grateful for that. Thanks to VC Terry and his small but dedicated crew for watching over the club during this storm.

Message from the Vice Commodore Terry Edgell

Congratulations to Karen Frey, our new Commodore, for a job well done at our Ball. Everyone enjoyed themselves. The evening was a great success.



This year will be a challenging one for us

Ned and Jill
Featherson

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.

Calendar of Events

ATTENTION

General

Membership

Meetings are held the second Friday of each month.

Next Meeting

Date:

Friday Nov 9th @ 8pm
Dinner @ 6:30 pm
MENU: Spaghetti,
prepared by John
Cashman

Work Hours

Work Hours as of
10/31/12

all but I am hopeful, as your new Vice Commodore, to implement some new projects and ideas to help make our Club more enjoyable and inviting to all.

Gratefully, our club survived hurricane Sandy. Thanks to Jerry Selig, Brian Reed, and others who helped keep our boats from being damaged during the brutal storm. It was a long night indeed. The tide came up over the piers. Let's not forget that it is extremely important in severe weather situations like Sandy, to reverse lines in order to adjust line lengths from your boat. If you are not in town, please contact a member or Rear Commodore to take care of the lines.

Just a reminder that if you are having a Club event, please have visiting boats contact our Fleet Captain. This is Club policy.

I hope everyone has a restful and Happy Thanksgiving. We really do have a lot to be thankful for.

Message from the Rear Commodore Liz Selig

I would like to thank PC Bob Carr and Past First Lady Nikki for a great year! I would also like to thank everyone for supporting me as Recording Secretary, and would greatly appreciate your continued support for me this coming year as Rear Commodore.

Many thanks to the REYC members that helped prepare the club for Hurricane Sandy.

On November 10th we will be winterizing the building, piers, and pump out. We will also be placing ice eaters. That same day, VC Terry E. and I also need people to help relocate the jet ski ramp to B pier in order to create more room for runabouts. The work party will start at 9:00am. Please come down to lend a hand. Lunch will be provided. If anyone needs work hours beyond winterization weekend, please contact me as there is still plenty left to be done.

Message from the Fleet Captain Leonard Long, Sr

I hope you all made it through Hurricane Sandy alright. Several of us were around the club during the storm keeping an eye on things.

I'm looking forward to planning some club events in this upcoming year. A booze cruise is definitely in the works. Some other possibilities are a cruise to Annapolis and Havre de Grace.

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

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

**In this issue:
Work hours summary through Oct 2012**

**Health & Welfare
Chairman
Jerry Wetzel
jerry_wetzel@bd.com
jerry214@msn.com
Home#
(410) 661-2553**

Lisa Moore's mother has passed away. Lisa had brought her mother back from California to Maryland to care for her. Our deepest sympathy to Lisa and her family!

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

No Report_

Board of Governors Chairman P/C John Cashman

The Board of Governors for this year are as follows:

P/C John Cashman - Chairman
P/C Jerry Selig
John Alban
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 ahead of time so I can put it on the agenda.

Liquor license sale is on hold until after Jan. 1 2013 because of tax implications. That will give us all of 2013 to use money on tangible items for the club.

The board is working on the set up of holding company, meeting with attorney and accountant. More to follow as this progresses.

Reminder: Board meeting for November is Thursday, November 15th due to Thanksgiving holiday. Please mark your calendars.

On a side note, want to thank those members who came down and stayed over during the peak of Sandy to help out and keep a watchful eye on boats that needed help. Thank you.

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, 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.

[Click here to view flyer](#)

Bar Report

person around the bay,
please let me know.

Quick Links...

REYC website

REYC on Facebook

*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)**

<http://photobucket.com/REYC>

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

No Report

ByLaws ByLaws Committee - P/C Ken Zeisloft

As most of you know, REYC is in the process of forming a holding company. Its purpose will be to insulate the majority of our assets from most civil litigation and perhaps in the long run, save us some taxes. This will require substantial effort.

We first need to come up with a set of by-laws for the holding company. One format involves issuing a share of restricted stock to each primary member which makes that member a percentage owner of the assets. It is restricted in that it will not go up in value, and can only be sold back to the holding company at face or par value. There would be an annual stockholders meeting to elect directors. The directors would elect officers who would run the day to day activities.

The membership would have to adopt these new by-laws, leaving the assets with the holding company - the original corporation. A new corporation, Red Eye Yacht Club II, Inc. would be formed and would adopt, with appropriate amendments, the old by-laws. This new corporation would be the Club and would own very little except for the cash and incidental property necessary to operate. This corporation would be a not-for-profit or perhaps a non-profit.

The attorney will review what we come up with on our first pass. This committee, the Board and our officers are just beginning their work. Expect more as that work progresses

Building Committee

As you remember, we had a meeting on 9/30/12 introducing the new building concept and remodeling concept. The majority voted that day to move forward with new building pending financing/payment information. Hopefully you have taken the time to digest the information given at that meeting.

The Committee has progressed to the point where we need financial commitment from the membership before we can proceed further. Therefore, there is another special meeting/vote scheduled for **Saturday, November 10, 2012 beginning at 11:00am through 5:00pm**. We are asking the membership to vote on a maximum annual increase of \$660.

In all reality, we are hoping the final number will be less. The building committee also plans to initiate a quarterly payment structure by-law should the membership vote to approve a maximum annual 660.00 per primary member increase. That payment structure will be available for your review at the meeting/vote.

We have offered this window of time to allow members to come down throughout the day to talk with the committee, look at the information that we will have available, ask questions, think about it and cast your vote no later than 5:00pm that day. We will have a locked box with insert for your vote that will be protected throughout the day. The votes will be counted when voting closes at 5 PM. We will have various members that will attest to the count so there is no question of accuracy and fairness.

Presented by the Building Committee:

Andy Crowl
Mike Delmar
Jill Cashman
Steve Culhane
Jim Lewis

Consultants:

Jerry Selig
John Cashman
John Terzigni
Terry Crowl

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.

Sincerely,
Kristin Long
(kristin.long29@gmail.com)
443-992-3695
Corresponding Secretary
Red Eye Yacht Club

[Forward email](#)



This email was sent to chip@wuppa.com by kristin.long29@gmail.com | [Update Profile/Email Address](#) | Instant removal with [SafeUnsubscribe™](#) | [Privacy Policy](#).

Red Eye Yacht Club | 9638 Alda Dr | Baltimore | MD | 21234