

The Huron Pointer – News Brief

News Brief of the Huron Pointe Yacht Club
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February 2017



Happy Valentine's Day

Upcoming Events

Mark your calendars! The club activities and parties are how the club prospers. We need your support! Call Rear Commodore Dave Wolanski if you would like to sponsor or help in an activity or if you have any new ideas.

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| Feb 5 | Super Bowl Party |
| Feb 11 | HPYC vs. Poor Man's Pool Tournament |
| Feb 12 | Sand Pointe Yacht Club Meeting 2p |
| Feb 19 | Euchre Tournament 12p |

Year 2017 HPYC Officers – Board of Governors

Bob Barnes - Commodore

Jason Akers – Vice Commodore

Dave Wolanski – Rear Commodore

Fleet Captain – Chris Malik

Ryan Novak - Secretary

Steve Moore- Treasurer

Ken Jurinic - Dock Governor

****This office is open - Grounds Governor**

Jeff Nanni – Past Commodore



The 2017HPYC Newsletter Editor/Publisher is Faye LaPorte. Comments and suggestions are welcomed.

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From the Commodore...

Hello Fellow Members,

The cold has settled in and winter is in full swing. Euchre has started and we have gotten through our first month of 2017...Good job Jason and Dave and everyone else who helped with ABYA's January meeting at HPYC. Looking forward to the Chili Cook off. Watch for a flyer. Tickets will soon be available for the Commodore's Ball at the Vintage House in Fraser on April 29th. Hope to see everyone at the Club.

Commodore, Bob Barnes

From the Vice Commodore...

Hello HPYC, Since January is a transition month from Rear to Vice Commodore, I'm learning more in depth on how our club operates. The tasks and challenges are both time-consuming and educational, but mostly rewarding. I have found through my duties that it is most helpful for the last member at night to deposit money into the roll-top safe (10's & 20's and larger bills into a envelope).

Members are also required to pick up after themselves. (beer cans, plastic cups, and utensils). No-one wants to clean up the last persons mess. Lets all pitch in and make HPYC a place to come and relax with friends and making new memories. Please note; we are always looking for members to chair a dinner or party event. Contact myself or Dave Wolanski to further expound on these opportunities . Thank you,

Vice Commodore, Jason Akers

From the Rear Commodore...

It's the middle of January already and its Euchre time! The first euchre game is on January the 29th, look for a flyer in your email. Sunday, January 31st will be the Huron Point Homeowners Association (HPHA) will have there meeting starting at 7:00pm. **February**, so that means "**SUPER BOWL**" on Sunday the 5th, so come on down to the club, if you wish, bring a dish to pass and have some fun! Flyer is attached..On the 11th is HPYC vs. Poorman's pool tournament. Flyer attached. Sand Pointe YC will be in on Sunday the 12th. Just a reminder, club activities and party's are how the club thrives, we need your support. Call Rear Commodore Dave Wolanski if you would like to sponsor or help in an activity or if you have any new ideas!
Thanks!

Rear Commodore, Dave Wolanski

From the Fleet Captain...

The holidays are over, the Lions have left us in despair and the weather isn't much better. So let's look forward to Spring! The tentative date for the club Crawl is Saturday March 25th. Just waiting to hear from the other clubs. Tigers opening day is right around the corner on April 7th. And if they let us down we can all go and root for the Toledo Mud Hens. More information on these events to come. Thanks for the warm welcome as fleet

captain and suggestions for club rendezvous. I am working on contacting fleet captains from other clubs that have expressed interest in having us as guests at their clubs or joining them for rendezvous. I will be posting a sign up sheet for our members who may be interested in over night rendezvous so we have some idea of how to prepare. Until next time let's all pray for an early spring and I'll see you at the club.

Fleet Captain Chris Malik

From the Past Commodore...

I hope everyone had a Merry Christmas and a safe and Happy New Year. Here we are half way through January WOW!!! Before you know it we will be putting our boats back in the water. Nice to see everyone at the club. February is around the corner and that means Super Bowl and our annual pool tournament with Poor Mans Yacht Club, I hope our Commodore is practicing. If you have a spot in the Super Bowl and haven't squared up with me please do so soon thank you. I'm usually around the club on the weekend. Also I think this years Super Bowl Party will be one of THE BEST WE HAVE EVER HAD. Being at the ABYA meeting and Past Commodores Brunch talking with other club PC we will be having visitors for the party, Lets welcome them and show why we're "THE BEST CLUB ON THE LAKE". Sorry PC Renee Novak. Congratulations to PC Renee Novak for receiving a 100% showing to ABYA meetings, with help from PC Ken Kmieski. I would like to thank everyone one for there continued support of HPYC. I have posted a lot of events that ABYA and other reciprocal clubs are having. ABYA will be having a booth at this years Detroit Boat Show February 11-19, if you would like tickets we can get them for \$6.50 each which is half price let me know by Feb. 1. Spring Rendezvous in Midland March 10-12 cost \$370.00 a couple its a GREAT TIME if you've never been. This years theme is March

Madness this price includes a lot flyers are at the club. Ok until next month I'll see you at the club, be safe in your travels.

Jeff Nanni, Past Commodore

From the Dock Governor...

Hard to believe it's that time of year again.

Deposits (\$150.00) due for Boat Slips by February 15, 2017.

Contact Ken Jurinic: 586-854-6950

From the Secretary.....

I want to thank Barb Davidson for her hard work in the prior year and helping me bridge the gap from last year to this year. I also want to thank everyone for their kind words, support, and offering their help to me while I get my feet wet in taking over the position from Barb. I am looking forward to helping the 2017 Board any way I can. I also hope to see the many faces that make the club great at the club.

Ryan Novak, Secretary

From Renee Novak...

Many, many thanks to all the members who helped for the Children's Christmas Party. From the wrapping of presents, setting up the tables and chairs, serving the food, cleaning up the kitchen, tending bar....so many helpers which made everything run so smoothly. Special thanks goes to all the teens who ran the activities...and to Bob Kuchenmeister who delivered a special Santa chair, to Lenny Coraci who delivered Santa and his elves, and to Santa, Ed Bolsandahl! This was the biggest crowd we have had in many years! And the kids had a super time!!!! you for all of your help. Couldn't have done it without you!

February 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
5 Super Bowl Sunday 330p	6	7	8	9	10	11 HPYC vs. Poor Man's Pool Tournament 12p
12 Sand Pointe Yacht Club Meeting 2p	13	14 Board of Governor's Meeting 7:30p	15	16	17	18
19 Euchre Tournament 12p	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28				

H.P.Y.C. BOG Meeting

Jan. 10, 2017

Meeting was called to order by Commodore Barnes at 7:05 p.m.

Roll Call of Officers:

Commodore Barnes-Present

Vice Commodore Akers-Present

Fleet Captain Malik-Present

Treasurer Moore-Present

Secretary Novak-Present

Dock Governor Jurinic-Present

Grounds Governor N/A

Past Commodore Nanni-Present

Minutes were read from Dec. 18th 2016. Motion to approve minutes by P.C. Nanni and seconded by Treasurer Moore. Minutes approved.

Expense Reports:

Welfare Committee: No expense report.

Past Commodore: No expense report.

Dock Governor: \$250.00 was used for 230 feet of shrink wrap for the fishing station and for future use.

Fleet Captain: No expense report.

Secretary: No expense report.

Rear Commodore: Entertainment Fund report read. Motion to approve made by Treasurer Moore and seconded by Fleet Captain Malik. Report approved.

Vice Commodore: Bar report read. Motion to approve made by Vice Commodore Akers and P.C. Nanni. Report approved

Treasurer: Improvement/P.C. Reserve Fund and General Expense reports read. Motion to approve Vice Commodore Akers and Rear Commodore Wolanski. Reports approved.

Old Business:

Membership Committee: Steve and Lori Schroeder are up for Senior Membership. Motion to approve membership status made by Treasurer Moore and Fleet Captain Malik. Senior membership accepted.

Welfare Committee: No old business.

Past Commodore: A.B.Y.A. dinner/first meeting of the year. Thanked Barb, Dave, and Jim Illsley for the food; Jason and Lonnie for the bar. Mentioned the Harbor Education Series at Mac N Ray's starting Thursday Jan. 26th. Thanked P. C. Novak for perfect attendance for the 2016 A.B.Y.A. meetings. P.C. Novak also thanked P.C. Ken Kimieske for helping attend the meetings that attained the perfect attendance.

Dock Governor: Just restated about the money spent for the shrinkwrap.

Fleet Captain: No old business.

Secretary: No old business.

Rear Commodore: No old business.

Vice Commodore: Thanked P.C. Novak for the Kids Christmas Party along with the whole membership for the support thru 2016.

Commodore: Followed up thanking everyone for their support; thanking P.C. Nanni for the fishing tournaments, along with other various activities around the club.

New Business:

Membership Committee: No new business.

Past Commodore: Next A.B.Y.A. meeting is Feb.6th sponsored by Nautical Mile and will be at the Eagles on Greater Mack in St. Clair Shores. Dinner will be from 6p.m. to 7p.m. Detroit Boat Show is coming up Feb. 11th through Feb. 19th. Suggested flyer for H.P.Y.C. Also, A.B.Y.A. is looking for

volunteers for their booth at the Boat Show. Tickets are \$6.50. See P.C. Nanni before February 1st if people are interested in attending. Educational Series will continue at Mac N Ray's, along with the Detroit Power Squadron. Classes will be starting in March, with a flyer to be posted on dates. A.B.Y.A. Spring Rendezvous will be at Valley Plaza in Midland. The date is March 10-12th. Price is \$370.00 per couple. See Jeff or Brian Kaiser if interested in going. A.B.Y.A. Spring Dinner Dance is North Channel Yacht Club Sat. June 3rd. Prices to be determined. Also, possible kayak launches along Clinton River starting at MacArthur park. Various prices depend on where to kayak and will be posted at the club.

Dock Governor: Deposit for wells are due Feb. 15th. Forms are on by the board near the door.

Fleet Captain: Awaiting to confirm for Club Crawl. Possibly March 25th. Also, brought up about having a reciprocity book for the club. P.C. Nanni said they are being printed up and will find out when they will be available.

Secretary: Letter was read from member Joyce Lindquist, stating that she will be resigning as a member from the Club.

Treasurer: Dues are coming in at a heavy rate.

Rear Commodore: Jan. 9th was the A.B.Y.A. Dinner/Meeting. Thanked Lonnie Chesnut for tending bar and Jim Illsley for the kitchen help. Superbowl is Feb. 5th. Feb. 11th will be H.P.Y.C./Poorman's Pool Tournament. Euchre dates will be coming out soon.

Vice Commodore: Jan. 14th will be a private rental. Please be respectful towards member rentals. Drink specials will be happening for SuperBowl and please bring a dish to pass. There is a bid to fix the outside delivery door. The door hinges are broken with some other issues. Motion to approve estimate to fix delivery door made by Rear Commodore Wolanski and seconded by Fleet Captain Malik. Approved to have delivery door fixed.

Commodore: Make sure flyers and articles are turned into Faye Laporte. Website will try to be up and running by the next meeting. Mary Dillon said if anyone has any issues with email/website, to contact her. Also, Mary will be posting pictures on the website once it's up and running.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:38 p.m. with a motion made by Treasure Moore and seconded by Vice Commodore Akers. Next meeting will be Feb. 14th, 2017 at 7 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Secretary Novak

HURON POINTE YACHT CLUB
SUPER BOWL PARTY
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2017



COME ON DOWN... HAVE SOME FUN
BRING A DISH TO PASS ~ DRINK SPECIALS
PRE-PARTY STARTS AT 3:30PM
KICK-OFF AT 6:30PM

ANY QUESTIONS CALL:

JEFF NANNI 586-615-2819

DAVE WOLANSKI 586-770-8154

BOB BARNES 810-602-2931

JASON AKERS 586-465-5004

ANNUAL POOL TOURNAMENT FEBRUARY 11TH AT HPYC



**Practice starts
at 12pm
Tournament
starts at 1pm**

**Bring a
Munchie
to Share**

**Please sign up if you would
like to be part of the HPYC
“winning” team!!!
Call Eric Sneddon
586-321-6448
There is a sign-up sheet at
the club also.**

