

The Huron Pointer – News Brief

News Brief of the Huron Pointe Yacht Club
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HAPPY NEW YEARS

Year 2018 HPYC Officers – Board of Governors

Jason Akers - Commodore
Dave Wolanski – Vice Commodore
Chris Malik– Rear Commodore
Laura Allen – Fleet Captain
Ryan Novak - Secretary
Steve Moore- Treasurer
Ken Jurinic - Dock Governor
Ed Bolsendal- Grounds Governor
Bob Barnes – Past Commodore



Upcoming Events

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

January	1	Holiday Bowl @ noon, Rose Bowl @ 5p Sugar Bowl @ 8p
January	7	Sand Pointe Yacht Club Meeting
January	8	ABYA Meeting & Dinner 6p
January	16	Board of Governors Meeting 7p
January	23	HPHA General Meeting 7 p
January	27	Wild Game Dinner
January	28	Euchre Tournament 11:30 am



From the Commodore...

Greetings and Happy New Year to the HPYC Membership! 2018 not only starts my year to serve as your Commodore, but also marks the 60th Anniversary of our wonderful club. My board and I are looking forward to celebrating this milestone throughout the year with events and special items to purchase that will pay tribute to the club's longevity. The endurance of this lies within the membership participation and support of events and parties that take place onsite and at remote celebrations which all take teamwork to accomplish. Thank You

2018 Commodore, Jason Akers

From the Vice Commodore...

MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR
HPYC MEMBERS!

2017 was a great year for our club. We had a lot of good club events and good times this past year and looking forward to continuing the trend. Thanks to all members for their participation and support. Looking ahead to another good year in 2018.

Hope everyone enjoyed the Adult Christmas Party; thanks to all who donated the delicious food and appetizers. We collected a good amount of donations for the Turning Point Shelter. Thank You! The Kids Christmas Party had 40 plus children and adults, what a nice turnout, thanks to Renee, Faye, Santa and the Reindeer with his sleigh, and all the volunteers who made these events a success.

As ALWAYS, we need member participation to make our upcoming events successful. Without your help, we cannot have these events. Club Activities and Your Involvement is how the Club Thrives! Thank You!

Vice Commodore, Dave Wolansk

From the Rear Commodore...

Happy New Year! 2017 boating season is well over and the 2018 season is still a few months away. This is my time to step up as Rear Commodore and as I am writing this letter I am looking out then window and it is 2 degrees outside. It makes it very difficult to think about boating. But because we have this wonderful club we can still think about partying. We have not had the Bridge Meeting, so I cannot give you any definite dates until next month. I hope to see a lot of you at the New Years' party, so we can celebrate bringing in the new year together. Congratulations to Jason as our new Commodore and a big thanks to Bob for all he did last year. I'm looking forward to working with the new board this year. Please watch the website for upcoming events and let's make it a great year.

Sincerely,

Rear Commodore, Chris Malik

From the Fleet Captain...

I am proud and excited to be Fleet Captain for 2018. I would normally say that I will learn the ropes as quickly as possible but as most of you know I had a lot of practice in 2017! LOL I am scheduling successful events that we have had in the past and working on some new ones as well. If you have any ideas for events I would appreciate your input. As I am writing this letter before the annual Bridge Meeting, I do not have firm dates to give you yet. I will include more information in the next newsletter. I truly hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas and I'm looking forward to an exciting New Year!

Sincerely,

Fleet Captain Laura Allen

From the Past Commodore...Hello

Fellow Members,

I hope everyone had a great time at the Members Only Christmas Party. Thank you to everyone who brought food or donated money for the party. Thank you to everyone who brought gloves, scarfs and hats to donate to Turning Pointe. Great job Renee, Faye, and everyone else that helped at the Children's Christmas Party, what an awesome turn out. As the New Year begins, I would like to take a brief moment to wish you all a very happy, healthy and prosperous 2018. I would also like to thank you all for your continued support of the Club. We simply do not say it enough, but your ongoing support of the Club in all ways big and small is, without question, always noted and greatly appreciated. As 2017 ends and 2018 begins, it is both a time to reflect as well as look forward. Last year, we weathered changes both good and bad and managed through the transition with great enthusiasm. We learned what works best for our Club and our Membership and what still needs to be done. To this end, I have a new appreciation for those who have gone before. The job is by no means complete and we still have much to accomplish. I am looking forward to working with our new Commodore Jason Akers and Rear Commodore Dave Wolanski as well as the rest of the board. Thanks for your continuous support,

Past Commodore, Bob Barnes

Welcome new Members.....

Congratulations to Keith VanderVreken, who was approved by the board from probationary to senior member status.

Welcome: Dave and Charlotte VanEpps. We are pleased to have you join our HPYC family!!!

Reminder: As stated in the club by-laws: At least two of the three members signing an application for a potential new member is expected to be present at the board meeting at the time the applicant is presented to the board for membership approval. The board will request those signers to say a few words, in behalf of the applicant.

Membership Committee

Susan Randazzo
Liz Barnes

January 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<p style="text-align: center;">1</p> <p>Holiday Bowl 5p Rose Bowl 5p Sugar Bowl 8p</p>	2	3	4	5	6
<p style="text-align: center;">7</p> <p>Sand Pointe YC 230p</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">8</p> <p>ABYA Meeting & Dinner 6p</p>	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	<p style="text-align: center;">16</p> <p>HPYC BOG Meeting 7p</p>	17	18	19	20
21	22	<p style="text-align: center;">23</p> <p>HPHA General Meeting 7p</p>	24	25	26	<p style="text-align: center;">27</p> <p>Wild Game Dinner</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">28</p> <p>Euchre Tournament 11:30a</p>	29	30	31			

H.P.Y.C.BOG Meeting
December 12th, 2017

Meeting was called to order by Commodore Barnes at 7:01 p.m.

Roll Call of Officers:

Commodore Barnes-Present

Vice Commodore Akers-Present

Rear Commodore Wolanski-Present

Fleet Captain Malik-Present

Treasurer Moore-Present

Secretary Novak-Present

Dock Governor Jurinic-Present

Grounds Governor Bartolomeo-Present

Past Commodore Nanni-Present

Minutes were read from November 14th, 2017. Motion to approve minutes made by Fleet Captain Malik and seconded by Treasurer Moore. Minutes approved.

Expense Reports:

Welfare Committee: No expense report.

Past Commodore: No expense report.

Grounds Governor: No expense report

Dock Governor: No expense report.

Fleet Captain: No expense report.

Secretary: No expense report.

Rear Commodore: Entertainment Fund report read. Motion to approve made by Past Commodore Nanni and seconded by Treasurer Moore. Report approved.

Vice Commodore: Bar report read. Motion to approve made by Treasurer Moore and seconded by Past Commodore Nanni. Report approved.

Treasurer: Improvement/P.C. Reserve Fund and General Expense reports read. Motion to approve made by Rear Commodore Wolanski and seconded by Past Commodore Nanni. Reports approved.

Old Business:

Membership Committee: Keith Vandervreken is up for Senior Membership. Motion to accept Senior Membership made by Past Commodore Nanni and seconded by Fleet Captain Malik. Senior Membership approved.

Welfare Committee: No old business.

Past Commodore: No old business.

Grounds Governor: No old business.

Dock Governor: Dock Wells are all paid in full.

Fleet Captain: No old business.

Secretary: No old business.

Rear Commodore: Thank you to everyone who came and helped out for the Christmas party. Was a great time.

Vice Commodore: Thanks to the membership for helping behind the bar and the rest of the functions throughout the year. If it wasn't for your support, we wouldn't be where we are financially.

Commodore: Great time at the Christmas party. A bunch of people went to the A.B.Y.A. Christmas Ball. Our club was represented well. Thank you to the whole board and the membership for a great year. Meeting was adjourned at 7:17 p.m. with no motion made. New business will be following this meeting with next year's board members.

Respectfully submitted by Secretary Novak

H.P.Y.C.BOG Meeting

Dec. 12th, 2017

Meeting was called to order by Commodore Akers at 7:40 p.m.

Roll Call of Officers:

Commodore Akers-Present
Vice Commodore Wolanski-Present
Rear Commodore Malik-Present
Fleet Captain Allen-Present
Treasurer Moore-Present
Secretary Novak-Present
Dock Governor Jurinic-Present
Grounds Governor Bolsendahl-Absent
Past Commodore Barnes-Present

New Business:

Membership Committee: Dave Van Epps is up for new membership. Motion to accept Probationary Membership made by Past Commodore Barnes and seconded by Treasurer Moore.

Welfare Committee: No new business.

Past Commodore: No new business.

Grounds Governor: No new business.

Dock Governor: New list is up for boat well rentals. Deposit is due February 15th. There is one deposit already for Ed Raquel. Waiting to see what he wants to do for sure. Spread the word for those who want a boat well. It's first come first serve. People who already have a well, have first choice, then it goes by the list.

Fleet Captain: No new business.

Secretary: Letter read from Wilbur Ruth resigning from the Club.

Treasurer: Dues have been mailed out.

Rear Commodore: Impromptu New Year's Eve party is being planned.

Vice Commodore: No new business.

Commodore: Remember to get articles/flyers in on time.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:02 p.m. with a motion made by Past Commodore Barnes and seconded by Vice Commodore Wolanski. The next board meeting will be on January 9th