

The Huron Pointer – News Brief

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Upcoming Events

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

Year 2019 HPYC Officers – Board of Governors

Dave Wolanski - Commodore
Chris Malik – Vice Commodore
Ed Bolsendahl– Rear Commodore
Dave Schankin– Fleet Captain
Ryan Novak - Secretary
Steve Moore- Treasurer
Ken Jurinic - Dock Governor
Jeff Berger-Grounds Governor
Jason Akers – Past Commodore



February	6	Darts/Pool Tournament 7p
February	10	Sand Point Yacht Club Meeting 2p
February	13	Pool/Darts Tournament 7p
February	17	Euchre Tournament 12p
February	19	Board of Governor's Meeting 7p
February	20	Pool/Darts Tournament 7p
February	27	Pool/Darts Tournament 7p

Make note

Later date for Bog Meeting



From the Commodore....

Greetings HPYC Members!
The COLD has arrived, but that has not stopped our club from having many events that include the Pasta Dinner, Super Bowl Party and Euchere tournaments just to name a few. Check the club calendar and flyers for dates and times.

Coming up, we will be reviewing interested members for the Financial and Improvement Committees.

Formal invitations will be mailed out soon for the Commodore's Ball to be held at Gowaine Golf Club on May 4th.

Looking forward to seeing you at the Club.

Commodore, Dave Wolanski

From the Vice Commodore..

Well January has come and gone. The weather was outrageous with temperatures ranging from 50 to minus 15. But it didn't stop the fun at the club! Members and friends alike enjoyed Chef John's Wild Game Dinner, Frankie's Italian Dinner, Sunday Euchre, Wednesday night pool, and the Super Bowl was a blast! So now you can tell that I am writing this letter late LOL. Sorry Faye...

But Laura was out of town.

Looking forward to the rest of February. Huron Pointe vs Poor Mans pool tournament is Saturday the 9th. Come down and support Eric and his team. And remember Euchre is on Sunday the 17th. Come on down for pool on Wednesdays and join the crowd. Keep your eyes open for changes behind the bar. We now have wine by the bottle with glasses upon request. We will be offering Stella by the bottle and Blue Moon on tap. There is also Molson in the can. And we will see how things go and make changes as needed. Thanks for all your support.

Vice Commodore Chris Malik

From the Rear Commodore..

Is it me or did January fly by?? I guess it was because of all the Great events at HPYC!! The Italian Dinner, pool tournaments, Euchre events, And the SUPER BOWL PARTY!! WOW!! GOOD TIMES!!! But most importantly I want to thank all the members that came out to support these events and made them happen, From cooking, to clean up, to putting up and taking down the decorations, and everything else , and just coming out to support the turnout has been overwhelming!!! THANK YOU ALL FOR ALL YOUR HELP AND SUPPORT!! The pool tournaments have been a great time, the turnout has been super. If you haven't come out on the Wednesday at 7pm, you should. You don't have to be a pool shark to win, just ask Maryann and Peggy, it's a great time and you are supporting the club!! Speaking of POOL!! Don't forget that Saturday February 9th at 1pm the Poor Mans YC / HPYC pool tournament event is happening. Come out and play pool for the club or just come out and support, good times!! Also on Sunday February 17 at 11am Euchre event. The Detroit Boat Show runs from February 16th thru the 24th see me for ½ off show tickets (\$6.50 each) cash and carry. There is an ABYA BOOTH - come and visit. I want to welcome all the new members, Welcome!!! I am here to support you!! If you haven't been in the kitchen, take a look!! It was professionally cleaned from the ceiling to the walls and floor. Thanks all who helped move everything out and back in while cleaning everything!! In closing, has anyone seen the black snow shovel? It showed up missing a couple of weeks ago, it still needs its club hours!! LOL!! Remember, this is your CLUB!!! I am here to support you!!!
YOUR REAR!!!

Rear Commodore, Ed Bolsendahl

From the Fleet Captain 2019

It's been a crazy start to the year with the weather alternating between "Let's go ice fishing" and "Let's break out the Tiki Bar & unwrap the boats"! Despite the weather, efforts are underway to line up plans once the shrink wrap is off. For starters, our first excursion (the 2019 Club Crawl) has been slated for the Saturday April 6th. Look for a flyer with details sometime in the next month (special thanks to our past Fleet Captain Laura and Liz Barnes for helping with contacts and getting a bus lined up!).

Other rendezvous' are under investigation including a June rendezvous in Detroit for a Tiger Game and a trip to Lexington, a July trip to Kelly's Island, and a rendezvous at Algonac Harbor Club in August (unfortunately, it looks like the Jimmy Buffet event isn't coming back but we're working with AHC on an alternative). I'm also looking into a poker run at some point and other options closer to home throughout the summer, so stay tuned!

Waterway/lake tips...with the dramatic weather swings again this season, I thought it would be worth sharing some rules of thumb for heading out on the ice...just in case you get the chance to get out on the ice this winter:

Thickness: Less than 2" – UNSAFE...STAY OFF; min. 4" – Safe for WALKING or ICE FISHING; 5-6" – SNOWMOBILES & ATV's; 8-12" CARS and SMALL TRUCKS and 12-15" FULL SIZE PICKUPS & SUV's.

Color: Lots of info on the Web for this but generally be cautious of white and/or slushy ice...the white color can be due to air pockets that weaken the ice and negate the prior thickness guidelines.

Plan: Tell someone where you'll be and when you'll be back; and Create an emergency plan, in case you do fall in (lots of info on the web for these also)

Note, these are

only guidelines. Conditions will vary from location to location (even on the same lake), so be careful out there. We have a lot of great activities ahead of us this summer and want you there to join us!

One last rule...if you find the honey hole out there, be sure to share with your HPYC family

Fleet Captain, Dave Schankin

From the Past Commodore...

Happy New Year HPYC,
No article this month.

P/C Jason Akers

FEBRUARY 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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3	4	5	6 Pool/Dart Tournament 7p	7	8	9 PMYC vs HPYC Pool Tournament 12p
10 Sand Pointe YC Meeting 2p	11	12	13 Pool/Darts Tournament 7p	14	15 Boat Well Deposit Due	16
17 Euchre Tournament 12p	18	19 BOG Meeting @ 7:00 pm	20 Pool/Darts Tournament 7p	21	22	23
24	25	26	27 Pool/Darts Tournament 7p	31		

H.P.Y.C.BOG Meeting

January 8th, 2019

Meeting was called to order by Commodore Wolanski at 7:00 p.m.

Roll Call of Officers:

Commodore Wolanski-Present

Vice Commodore Malik-Present

Rear Commodore Bolsedahl-Present

Fleet Captain Schankin-Present

Treasurer Moore-Present

Secretary Novak-Present

Dock Governor Jurinic-Absent

Grounds Governor Berger-Present

Past Commodore Akers-Present

Minutes were read from December 11th, 2018. Motion to approve minutes made by Treasurer Moore and seconded by Past Commodore Akers. Minutes approved.

Expense Reports:

Welfare Committee: \$90.10 was spent for a funeral for Jean Stummer.

Past Commodore: No expense report.

Grounds Governor: No expense report

Dock Governor: \$33.00 was spent for Thin Ice signs.

Fleet Captain: No expense report.

Secretary: \$20.00 was taken in for replacement key cards.

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

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

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

Old Business:

Membership Committee: Nick Moldovan and Greg Butkovich are up for Senior Membership. Motion to approve made by Treasurer Moore. Both members approved for Senior Membership.

Welfare Committee: No old business.

Past Commodore: No old business.

Grounds Governor: No old business.

Dock Governor: Bubblers are put in and ice signs are up.

Fleet Captain: No old business.

Secretary: Letter was read from Jeff Hinz stating he meets the requirements for Lifetime Membership.

Treasurer: No old business.

Rear Commodore: No old business.

Vice Commodore: No old business.

Commodore: No old business.

New Business:

Membership Committee: Roman Kolodchin and Tony Ellul are up for Probationary Membership. Motion to approve both made by Treasurer Moore and seconded by Vice Commodore Malik. Both approved for Probationary Membership.

Welfare Committee: No new business.

Past Commodore: Good job to Ed for putting on the food for the A.B.Y.A. meeting. A.B.Y.A. Spring Rendezvous is March 8th-10th in Midland. They are looking for help on this if anyone is interested. Detroit Boat Show is Feb.16th-24th and tickets are \$6.50. See Ed Bolsendahl if you want tickets.

Grounds Governor: No new business.

Dock Governor: \$1,625.00 turned in for boat wells. Well deposits are due by Feb. 15th. Dock boxes are locked right now and bolted down seeing how 2 had blown into the water. Someone is coming to look at getting the sediment out of the corner of the harbor.

Fleet Captain: Looking to line up some trips, some long trips and some close to home. Also, seeing how marijuana has become legal, it does not apply to your boat. Land laws and water laws are different.

Secretary: Letters were read from Terry Randolph and Hal Neumann stating that both will be resigning from the club.

Treasurer: No new business.

Rear Commodore: Going to start an Event Committee. This is a good way to get in work hours if you're interested. Pool/Darts went well and will be every Wednesday starting at 7 p.m. Euchre is on Jan. 27th starting at noon. Italian Night is on Jan. 25th at 5 p.m. Help will be needed on this. Superbowl is Feb. 3rd starting at 4 p.m.

Vice Commodore: No new business.

Commodore: Discussion about the dart board not being the right dart board and will be exchanging for the next model. Make sure articles/flyers are turned in within a week after the meeting is held.

Kids Christmas Party had 42 children at \$15.00 per child and 66 adults at \$6.00 per adult for an income of \$1,026.00. Expenses for the party for food, presents, and prizes was \$1,023.48 and a profit \$2.52. Thank you for everyone who helps to make this event priceless.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:42 p.m. with a motion made by Vice Commodore Malik and seconded by Treasurer Moore. Next meeting will be February 19th, 2018 at 7 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Secretary Novak