

The Huron Pointer – News Brief

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SEPTEMBER 2019



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.

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| September | 7 | Private Rental |
| September | 10 | Board of Governor's Meeting 7p |
| September | 28 | Private Rental |

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
586-557-8404
Steve Moore- Treasurer
248-840-3145
Ken Jurinic - Dock Governor
586-854-6950
Jeff Berger-Grounds Governor
Jason Akers – Past Commodore

****Other officer's phone numbers are listed
at the bottom of their articles.**



From the Commodore....

Greetings HPYC Members!

-It's September...and Summer is still happening.

The weather is beautiful and there is plenty of time to enjoy the outside of the club and the tiki bar; after all Fall brings Football Season and all the

club football festivities.

-Big Thanks to Faye and Renee' and all the members for your hard work in helping with the MDA Boat Ride; and thanks to all the captains who donated their boats; thanks to the members who donated all that delicious food, and thanks to everyone who helped make this annual event a true success!

-The nominating committee will be contacting our membership looking for new faces to fulfill vacant positions for the 2020 Board of Governors.

-Thanks to those members for helping with the on-going flood issue!...Great Job!

Thanks for your continued support,
Looking forward to seeing you all at
the Best Club on the Lake!

Commodore, Dave Wolanski

586-770-3822



From the Vice Commodore...

Well August has come to an end. It has been a great and busy month for the club. To start out, thank you Erik and crew for all your help making the horseshoe tournament a winning success and keeping the trophy in our club. On the other hand, the keg of beer..... oh well, better luck next year. The MDA boat ride had a record turnout. Thanks to Faye and all the volunteers for once again pulling this event off without a hitch. It was a warm and touching day for all. Thanks to everyone who helped with Paul's dinghy run. Maybe the pirates will invade us again next year.

This was followed by a huge weekend starting with Bob's Burgers and Beer, and also the Algonac Harbor Club rendezvous. Both another big success. And if that wasn't enough, our Fleet Captain Dave continued with another successful Poker Run. Wow!!!! What a great month for the club! See you at the club. And remember, stay safe out there.

Vice Commodore, Chris Malik

586-615-8994

From the Rear Commodore...

Greetings ALL!!

Now that the 2019 summer is rolling into fall, crazy on how fast this summer went! But there is still a lot of nice weather left and great times enjoying the outside of our wonderful club! I am not planning on putting the outside away for the winter until the middle of October, with that, I have been working with Kenny and Jeff about what is a constructed plan on winterizing the outside. I am hoping that the water will drop at least a foot in the harbor, this would help us a lot, plan for the worst and hope for the best scenario. If any members have or knows of an empty inside area, that we could store our patio furniture, please contact me. To let the members be aware, the Tiki Bar has a new music sound bar. It has Bluetooth and is wire ready, it has not been permanently installed yet, so please when your finished using it please put it back under the counter and out of the rain. But most of all, please respect one another, not everyone likes your music or loudness, but that goes both ways, we are adults here! Also, there is a phone charger at the Tiki Bar now! The club is rented out twice in September, Saturday the 7th and also Saturday the 28th both are weddings from 6pm to 11pm so please be considerate. We are all here to enjoy the club! I want to thank everyone who either worked or participated in the poker run events and the Bob's Burgers and Beers event, they were great events for the club!! Thanks for all the help and support!! It's that time of the year that the club is

looking for next year's Board, so if you're interested in running for a position on the board, please contact the board or election committee, I will support anyone who takes the position of Rear Commodore. I will be putting together a fall pool league and Corn hole league, so stay tuned for further info. The Metro Boat Show is September 12th thru the 15th Noon to 7:30pm Thursday and Friday and 11am to 7:30 pm Saturday and 11am to 6pm Sunday, I have Boat Show tickets for ½ off, \$10.00 at the door , I have them for \$5.00 each cash and carry only , so contact me for tickets . There are always things to do around the club, so If you need work hours, contact me. In closing, I want to Welcome all the New Members!! Welcome to the Greatest Club on the Lake!! WELCOME!!! I want to thank all who have helped me make the club a great place!! Thank You for Your Support!! AS ALWAYS, RESPECTFULLY YOUR DEAR REAR!! EDDIE B

From the Fleet Captain....

It seems like the summer just started and here we are...starting talk of fall festivities and watching football at the tiki hut. But if recent years were any indication...we still have a number of bay-friendly weekends ahead of us so don't worry and get out and enjoy the water!

Underway...wrapping up the season:

1. Our last scheduled rendezvous of the season to Algonac Harbour Club came off without a hitch (except perhaps those last minute boat repairs in the harbor...but that seems to be the theme this season ;0). Thanks to Bob Barnes for sending us off with great "Burgers and Beer" on Friday, to everyone who helped to make it happen and most importantly...to those who were able to join, making it one of the best trips of the summer! We had quite a few boats (both for the weekend and for the day), as well as many that made the trip by car. Karen and I

had a blast and look forward to many more like it in the future!

2. Not sure if this will get out in time, but we have one last scheduled event "on the water" this season...the HPYC 2019 Poker/Fun Run is planned for Saturday 8/24. Details sent out separately and posted at the club. As always, please contact me if you have any questions/comments or suggestions.

Waterway/Lake Tips:

1. Enough cautions and warnings for this season...Have fun and Stay Safe!

HPYC Fleet Captain - '19 Season

(586) 533-9669

From the Grounds Governor....

Hello HPYC members, I hope everyone had a great summer!! Looking forward to the warm weather of fall. Any members that are in need of work hours and enjoy working outside please contact me via text message @ 586-405-1042, Always things to be done outside!! Thank you.

Grounds Governor, Jeff Berger
586-405-1042

From the Past Commodore...

Hello HPYC,

As summer is winding down, there are many activities happening this fall. ABYA is offering discounted tickets for the 2019 Metro Beach Boat Show September 12-15. Anyone who is interested in tickets @ \$5 per person, please contact PC-Rear Commodore Ed Bolsendahl. These tickets are only available for ABYA members and their guests.

ABYA is having their annual Millionaire Hold-em Poker Fundraiser at Wintergarden Tavern September 25-28 and November 20-23 located in Chesterfield. (21- Gratiot) The various events being held fund charities that

ABYA sponsor and your support is appreciated.

Please keep this on your radar, ABYA is preparing for the 2019 Commodore's Charity Ball December 7th. Encore Catering and Banquet Center will be hosting this event located in St. Clair Shores. (9 & Harper) Flyers and ticket information will be posted next month.

P/C Jason Akers, 586-709-0945

Membership Committee...

We would like to extend a big HPYC welcome to the following new members:

Keith and Maki Colombo
Dawn and William Coyne

Members please be advised; when sponsoring a new member, the new application fee has increased from \$100 to \$400. The check for this amount should be attached to the application and placed in the roll safe.....

DID YOU KNOW...that the Huron Pointe Yacht Club has the highest number of members in roster history. Yet getting those members to volunteer at the many events the club offers is still like pulling teeth. It is realized that many of the members are "lifetime" members, and many are "non-resident" which precludes their obligation of volunteering. And many have met or exceeded the 20-hour minimum requirement. But many more members are not responding to the need for volunteerism forcing those that don't need the hours to step up.

This is a working club. We have no employees. If we want to keep dues low – if we want to keep drink prices low, then those members that have not done their part to keep the club running smoothly need to pitch in.

ANONYMOUS....

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SEPTEMBER

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 Private Rental |
| 8 | 9 | 10 Board of Governors Meeting 7p | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
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| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 Private Rental |
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H.P.Y.C.BOG Meeting

August 13th, 2019

Meeting was called to order by Commodore Wolanski at 7:01 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-Present

Grounds Governor Berger-Present

Past Commodore Akers-Present

Minutes were read from July 9th, 2019. Motion to approve minutes made by Treasurer Moore and seconded by Vice Commodore Malik. Minutes approved.

Expense Reports:

Welfare Committee: No expense report.

Past Commodore: No expense report.

Grounds Governor: No expense report

Dock Governor: \$424.00 for dock repairs.

Fleet Captain: No expense report.

Secretary: No expense report.

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

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

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

Old Business:

Membership Committee: No old business.

Welfare Committee: No old business.

Past Commodore: No old business.

Grounds Governor: No old business.

Dock Governor: No old business.

Fleet Captain: No old business.

Secretary: No old business.

Treasurer: No old business.

Rear Commodore: No old business.

Vice Commodore: A Fun Run came through over the weekend that was put on by one the members. Roughly 50-60 people showed up for the event and everyone had a great time.

Commodore: No old business.

New Business:

Membership Committee: Dawn Coyne and Keith Colombo are up for Probationary Membership. Motions for both members made by Vice Commodore Malik and seconded by Treasurer Moore. Both approved for Probationary Membership.

Welfare Committee: No new business.

Past Commodore: September 12th-15th is Metro Boat Show. Tickets are \$5.00 and are available through Ed Bolsendahl. We were a bronze donation sponsor for Water Warriors for people with special need and our money that was donated came from our donation box.

Grounds Governor: Looking to get the parking blocks and the brown steel bar in front of the building painted. Hours can be available for this especially for the Fall Cleanup, if it's not done sooner.

Dock Governor: \$1,025.00 for wells. \$192.00 was taken in for overnight wells. Waiting on receipts from Gordon on the cost for the electric.

Fleet Captain: No new business.

Secretary: When Chris and Debbie Rahill were in town, they had mentioned to me that they are looking to see, if the boat club that they belong to is reciprocal to us, and asked me for a burgee to bring back with them. One was given to them and told them to bring us one of their burgees.

Treasurer: Two members still haven't paid their second half dues. They will be contacted after this meeting. Will be a large expense next month due to the taxes being paid.

Rear Commodore: Still doing outside maintenance. The gutters need to be replaced. There is a bid for gutters. The current bid \$2,280 for parts and labor that's needed. Waiting for two more quotes. It's illegal to gas up your boats in our harbor. Great job to everyone that was involved with the MDA Boat Ride.

Vice Commodore: No new business.

Commodore: Bob's Burgers is this Friday August 16th. Please get your flyers/articles in on a timely manner.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:53 p.m. with a motion made by Past Commodore Akers and seconded by Vice Commodore Malik. Next meeting will be September 10, 2019 at 7 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Secretary Novak