

OCTOBER, 2020



Saint Joseph River Yacht Club

BILGE BAILINGS

Top of the Mast - *Eric Hansen, Commodore*

By the time you are reading this, we are finishing outdoor Summer at the club. The extended pool season worked out well with the last days of the month well into the 80"s. Actually the whole Summer was incredible with the weather sunny and warm almost every day. 2020 will go down in the books as interesting, that's for sure.

We hope that the club offered a safe and happy respite from all of the rules and regulations that were occurring in the state and locally. It was great that we could open as soon as was allowed and bring many of the club's offerings to your family even with the restrictions.

As we move inside, we will continue with indoor dining and events. Watch the E-Blasts for Fall and Winter Entertainment as well as dining times and options. As always we will continue to have safety in mind for all club members.

Our annual meeting as well as election of new board members occurs in November. Watch for ballots and deadlines and "get out there and vote!"

Even with the successes that we have had in 2020, what I miss the most this year was the parties. And SJRYC can throw the best parties in Southwest Michigan, that is for sure. So let's see what goes on in the next few months and see if we can get back on track for 2021.....

House and Ground's Report *Dave Hertog*

No major repairs or issue's this past month. We have had two refrigeration units need repair and a solenoid replaced in the kitchen dishwasher area.

Thanks to Bob Gifford for fixing our security camera recording system.

The pool filtration system has developed a leak in one of three of the sand filters and will be repaired at the end of season.

Any questions or concerns please contact me at dhertog54@gmail.com



Treasurer's Report - *Dave Hertog*

The Board is in the process of finalizing a 2021 budget. The Finance Committee has looked at the first draft and made some recommendations to the Board and with the uncertainty of what could happen with rules and limits next year makes for a very unique year in putting together a budget that is responsible for both financial considerations and realities of the Covid 19 situation.

The Annual Meeting this year is Thursday November 19th, which is a good time to bring any financial questions for the Board of Directors.

Any questions or concerns please contact me at treasurer@sjryc.com

Social Report - *Bruce Larson, Rear Commodore*

Friday, October 16	Quentin Flagg with Special Guest Rod Stewart
Friday, October 30	Scary Steve Foresman & Byron Craft (costumes optional)
Saturday, Nov. 14	Commodores Bash with Top Secret Band
Thursday, Nov. 19	SJRYC Annual Meeting
Friday, Nov. 27	Two Renegades (Classic Rock & a bit of Christmas Music)
Saturday, Dec. 12	Visit from Santa Chaired by Nick & Kyah Culp
Friday, Dec. 18	Christmas Sing-a-long with Mockingbird
Thursday, Dec. 31	New Year's Eve with Kevin McDaniel & The House Band



2020 SJRYC Board of Directors

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