

Anchor Bay Yachting Association
General Membership Meeting
October 3, 2022
Hosted by North Star Sail Club

Meeting called to order at 7:01 PM

Please stand for the Pledge Allegiance

Invocation- Chaplin Greg Murray

Roll Call of Officers and Clubs-Secretary Laura Cabble

Commodore-Leslie Leitch X Vice Commodore-William Bailey X Rear Commodore-Sally Preston X
Treasurer-Ruth Hollister X Secretary-Laura Cabble X Immediate P/C Patricia Mok X

Clubs Attendance-

Bayside Boat Club
Belvidere Boat Club
Conger Bay Boat Club
America's Boat Club Detroit Power Squadron
Great Lakes Cruising Club
America's Boat Club Grosse Pointe Power Squadron
Harbor Club N/S Yacht Club
Huron Pointe Yacht Club
Nautical Mile Yacht Club
North Channel Yacht Club
North Star Sail Club
Past Commodores Club
Poorman's Yacht Club
Sailing Singles
Sand Point Yacht Club
Shores Harbor Club
Y-Knot Boat Club

Commodore's Comments-

Welcome Past Commodores, Delegates, and Guests

Secretary Report-presented by Laura Cabble – Minutes were sent via email, copies available and posted on website

Need Approval of August GMM minutes

Motion to approve Great Lakes CC Second Shores Harbor Club

Discussion _____

All in Favor? X Opposed? _____ Passed Y X N

Anything to add

Treasurer Report-presented by Treasurer Ruth Hollister

Ruth read the September Treasurer report **Balance August 31 \$7,915.76 – Income \$3,059 – Expenses \$1,739.69 Current (9/27) balance of \$9,23.07**

Need Approval of the Treasurer Report

Motion to approve Y-Knot Second Detroit Power Squadron Discussion _____

All in Favor? X Opposed? _____ Passed Y X N _____

Anything to Add

Commodore's Report

- Gala **December 3rd** at Zeff's 2:00 PM – 6:00 PM Sign up and tickets available
- Boat Show **Great attendance** - thank you to those that helped and also helped us develop “what’s in it for me?”
- November meeting **Treasurer and Rear positions Still Needed – Voting on Secretary at November Meeting**

Vice Commodore Report- William Bailey

- Website Update **Website is up and running and ready for content. Information and Documents on Resources page**
- Introduce TowBoat as our Guest - **Not available but my experience with Unlimited is beneficial.**
- 2023 Suggestions **Looking forward to next year and welcomes any ideas or suggestions**

Rear Commodore's Report- Sally Preston

- Port Huron Museum **Currently FREE by donation from DTE. Great opportunity for all of us.**

Past Commodore's Report-Patricia Mok

- 50/30/15/5 **If we sell everything that is out - we will have \$2,500. Sell until December 3rd. More packets available – For every 100 tickets a club sells their club is entered for a drawing for next year’s ABYA Membership dues**
- Fall Fling Thank you **Great turnout – lots of fun – great weather. Weekend before Boat Show**
- Membership dues **Applications went out and should be returned with dues before the end of the year with as much information you can provide**
- What’s in it for me? **Explanation of what ABYA can do**
- Club Information Sheet **Very helpful in gaining memberships for your clubs. Spreadsheet with your information regarding dues, waiting lists, volunteer information, location...**

Good of the Order-Secretary Laura Cabble

Bayside Boat Club - No Report

Belvidere Boat Club - Island Closing 10/8 & Commodore's Ball 10/15

Conger Bay Boat Club - No Report

America's Boat Club Detroit Power Squadron - JetExpress, last week of June. 296 people. Doing it again next year. Keep you posted

Great Lakes Cruising Club – Last official meeting. Welcome Rob Hillman as new Delegate. General Membership meeting in Port Huron October 29th. Dinner \$95 per person. Welcome to attend. Webinars will start First of November. Great information for those that Cruise. Information at November meeting

America's Boat Club Grosse Pointe Power Squadron – ABYA members/delegates are welcome to attend our dinner meeting on Wednesday October 12th at Bayview Yacht Club. Dinner is \$30. Flyers available Starting a Boating Class at Grosse Pointe Yacht Club on October 17th 6:30 registration. 4 weeks. Phone number 313-744-7472. November 5th 7:00 PM going to the Players Club \$35 per person includes play – Appetizer to pass. Fun Night

Harbor Club N/S Yacht Club – No Report

Huron Pointe Yacht Club – ABYA Delegate Meeting November 7th Dinner at 5:00 pm. Meatloaf & Dirty Mashed Potato Dinner \$15 Please RSVP by November 4th. See Flyer

Nautical Mile Yacht Club – No Report

North Channel Yacht Club – No Report

North Star Sail Club – Welcome everyone, very honored to host for a second time this year. Introduce current Commodore John and Rear Commodore Jim. Thank bartenders and servers. What can this association do for North Star Sail Club. Candace Miller needs to know about the weeds at the end of the Clinton River. Sailboats are being stopped by the weeds. 2 more races left. Come watch us.

Past Commodores Club – Annual Luncheon will be at Barrister Gardens Sunday January 8th

Poorman's Yacht Club – No Report

Sailing Singles – Wonderful turnout for the Huron Lady, Elections in November. October 20th meeting at Ike's. Paint the Pumpkin contest. Upcoming events at Parrot Cove (10/12) and Christmas Gala at Clawson Steakhouse.

Sand Point Yacht Club – Paper Club that does 8-10 events a year. Looking for members \$50/year

Shores Harbor Club – No Report

Y-Knot Boat Club – 50th anniversary next year. More information to come

New Business? / Old Business? Question about Water Land Lease – Updates?

Respectfully recognize the Past Commodores in attendance-Commodore Leslie Leitch

1967 Donald Green	1995 Dick Babisch	2007 Terri Calihan	2015 Terry Dunn
1969 Ed Menninger	1997 Jim Barnum	2008 Scott Bell X	2016 Rick Romatz X
1984 Roger Brdak X	1998 Terry Vandermeer	2009 Gary Nowicki	2017 Ed Bolsendahl X
1985 Richard Hess	1999 Bob Burns	2010 Lois Conte	2018 Brian Kaser X
1987 Dave Elle	2000 Bill Calihan	2011 Nat Pulizzi	2019 Michael Kidd
1989 Don Karpinski	2002 Frank Olejniczak	2012 Lynda Marek-Bruley	2020/2021 P. Mok X
1992 Steve Ayvazian	2004 Chuck Baurhenn X	2013 Rick Watros	
1993 James Wogan	2005 Tom Hepp	2014 Matt Barrells	

Commodore Closing Comments-Thank you's

Thank you, Delegate Tracy Tower, Commodore John Hurite and all that made this happen under the gun for us. Thank you for your continued support and hospitality.

Next General Membership Meeting will be held on, November 7, 2022. Hosted by Huron Pointe Yacht Club.
See Flyer – RSVP by November 4th. Meatloaf and Dirty Mashed Potatoes
Attire: Dress BLUES

On behalf of the Board of the Anchor Bay Yachting Association we would like to thank you for your attendance and continued support.

Motion to Adjourn North Star Sail Club Seconded North Channel Yacht Club
All in Favor X Opposed? Adjourned at: 7:45 PM