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Ahoy All,

Happy Summer! I am happy to say that Commissioning Day and our 50th Anniversary went off with its usual bang. At 2 p.m. it was dark and dreary and I feared the worse. By 3.30 p.m. when we got there to set up, the wind was so strong we couldn't open the doors. We changed our usual format and set up the tables inside the club house. By five folks began arriving and there was some close-quarters mingling at the bar. Then, miracle of miracles by 5.30 the wind had dropped, the clouds had parted and the sun was out in a glorious blue sky. Joining us for the celebration we were honored to have Reverend Willie Salmond to give the Invocation, our own Jim Marpe, Westport's First Selectman, founding member Joe Schachter and an amazing rendition of America The Beautiful from Kimberly Wilson. Several members were honored for their long-time memberships and after the Pledge of Allegiance, ceremonial raising of the flag and firing of the canon we returned to the club house for toasts and stories of the club's 50-year history. A wonderful time was had by all and the 2016 was off to a grand start. Our annual King Cup Race fell on Memorial Day weekend and we did not have many members in attendance but the usual "Best Party" Award came our way. Many thanks to those who did attend with your wonderful appetizers. Don't forget to send me your photos!

Best Regards, Sandie Kinseley, Commodore



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King Cup Race Reception













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2016 Calendar Of Events

5pm Commissioning Day Ceremony and Reception: Sunday, May 15, 2016 at 6 pm

King Cup Race: Saturday, May 28 2016 at 12 noon

AND

King Cup Reception: Saturday, May 28, 2016 at 5pm

Summer Clambake: Sunday, June 26, 2016 at 5pm

July 4th Raft-Up: Thursday, June 30, 2016 at 6pm

Fiesta en la Playa: Sunday, July 17, 2016 at 5pm

Reggae Party: Sunday, August 14, 2016 at 5pm

Commodore's Reception: Monday, September 5, 2016 at 5pm

Shore Dinner: Sunday, September 18, 2016 at 4pm

Annual Meeting and Change-of-Watch Dinner: Sunday, October 23, 2016 at 6pm

Holiday Party: Sunday, December 11, 2016 at 6pm

Note: Above calendar subject to change

Next Event:

Summer Clambake: Sunday, June 26, 2016 at 5pm
Watch for the order form