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Commodore
Jonathan Bove

Vice Commodore
Don Remson

Rear Commodore
Bill Bodie

Treasurer
Rick McQuaid

Financial Secretary
Diane Smilansky

Recording Secretary
Paul Hiller

Board of Governors
Russell Lajoie
Randy Bloisio
John Daher
Reggie Borgia
Lewis Avrick
PC Clyde Mount

Bar Hours

Monday	10 am - 1 am
Tuesday	10 am - 9 pm
Wed & Thur	10 am - 12 am
Fri & Sat	10 am - 1 am
Sunday	12 pm - 9 pm

Kitchen Hours

	Lunch	Dinner
Monday	Closed	5 - 8
Tuesday	Closed	
Wednesday	12 - 2:30	5 - 9
Thursday	12 - 2:30	5 - 9
Friday	12 - 2:30	5 - 9
Saturday	12 - 2:30	5 - 9
Sunday	12 - 2:30	5 - 7:30

Bar Pizza Always Available

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Commodore's Corner



Greetings to all South Norwalk Boat Club Captains. As we begin our 126th year, I would like to first thank the membership for electing me as your next Commodore. This is not a job or responsibility I take lightly so words cannot express the honor I feel that you have put your faith in me. I promise to work just as diligently as I always have for the needs of the membership and the betterment of the Club. The SNBC is a place for all and my job as Commodore is to ensure it remains that way. By honoring our traditions and growing for the future, together we can continue our proud history of being the best boat club on Long Island Sound.

I would like to take a moment to thank our outgoing Commodore Clyde Mount. For those of you that have done extensive volunteering over the years, you know that there is much work that happens in the background to meet the wants and needs of the membership that many people don't see. PC Mount has never shied away from doing the work and taking on the jobs for the betterment of the Club. He has spent countless hours working to build the Club into the place it is today and his contributions will be felt for many years to come. Thank you again Clyde for all your hard work!

Next, I would like to congratulate the newly elected Board of Governors for 2026. They are Vice Commodore Don Remson, Rear Commodore Bill Bodie, Financial Secretary Diane Smilansky, Treasurer Rick McQuaid, Recording Secretary Paul Hiller, and Board members Russell Lajoie, Randy Bloisio, John Daher, Reggie Borgia, Lewis Avrick, and PC Clyde Mount. Speaking for the Board I can say that we are all very excited about the upcoming year. The Board's first responsibility is to the membership so please do not hesitate to come to us with any questions/comments/concerns that you may have. We will all be working very hard to make the Club the best place it can be.

As we enter the winter season, there are already a few events on the calendar. The Kids Christmas Party will be the morning of December 7th followed by the Adult Holiday Party later in the afternoon. There will also be two Holiday Haberdashery Showcases on December 4th and December 7th for you to get any gifts you may need. There is also entertainment on the weekends for everyone to enjoy. With the boats out of the water and the temperatures dropping, we will be working on some events for the membership in the upcoming months to keep everyone engaged during the cold winter months.

In closing, I would once again like to thank the membership for allowing me the privilege of being your next Commodore. The South Norwalk Boat Club has always been a special place for me, and I am very excited to begin this new chapter. Happy holidays to all and I will see you around the Club.

Best Regards to Everyone,

Commodore Jonathan Bove

MARINA NEWS

With the marina now winterized and most of our boats covered, our winter hibernation has officially begun...

If you still have your boat in the marina and haven't notified the Marina Committee about winter storage plans, please do so as soon as possible. Storage invoices for remaining boats in the water will be going out shortly.

For those keeping boats in the water, please add extra lines, keep batteries charged, and ensure all pumps are fully functional. We can see some unusually heavy weather over the winter, so please stay prepared by checking your boats often.

All dry-stored boats should make sure that the areas below and around your stands and blocking are clear and safe, and that **no electrical cords are left plugged in overnight.**

Dredging Project Update

We're excited to share some great news:
We have now received both our State and Federal permits for the dredging project.

With this major milestone behind us, we are now preparing for the next phase—the bid process and scheduling. Over the next few months, we'll be working on bid specifications, contractor outreach, and determining the best timing for the work to begin.

More updates will follow as this moves along.

Looking Ahead

The marina will officially open on **April 1, 2026** - only **a short 18 weeks away!**

Thanks to all for another great season, and let's hope for an early spring!!

Marina Committee Chairman
Glenn Perschino

South Norwalk, CT - Dec 2025

Date		High				Low			
		AM	ft	PM	ft	AM	ft	PM	ft
1	Mon	7:29	8.1	8:06	7.1	1:20	0.3	2:05	-0.5
2	Tue	8:23	8.5	9:00	7.3	2:13	0.0	2:59	-0.9
3	Wed	9:15	8.8	9:53	7.5	3:07	-0.2	3:51	-1.2
4	Thu	10:07	9.0	10:45	7.6	3:59	-0.4	4:43	-1.4
5	Fri	10:59	8.9	11:37	7.7	4:52	-0.4	5:34	-1.4
6	Sat	11:51	8.8			5:45	-0.4	6:25	-1.2
7	Sun	12:30	7.6	12:45	8.5	6:39	-0.3	7:17	-1.0
8	Mon	1:24	7.5	1:40	8.0	7:35	-0.1	8:10	-0.7
9	Tue	2:20	7.4	2:37	7.6	8:34	0.1	9:06	-0.3
10	Wed	3:16	7.3	3:36	7.1	9:35	0.3	10:02	0.0
11	Thu	4:15	7.1	4:38	6.7	10:38	0.5	10:59	0.3
12	Fri	5:13	7.1	5:42	6.4	11:39	0.5	11:56	0.6
13	Sat	6:11	7.0	6:43	6.2			12:38	0.5
14	Sun	7:04	7.0	7:40	6.1	12:50	0.8	1:32	0.4
15	Mon	7:54	7.0	8:31	6.1	1:41	0.9	2:23	0.3
16	Tue	8:38	7.0	9:15	6.1	2:30	1.0	3:10	0.3
17	Wed	9:19	7.0	9:56	6.1	3:14	1.0	3:52	0.2
18	Thu	9:56	7.1	10:32	6.1	3:55	1.0	4:32	0.2
19	Fri	10:32	7.1	11:07	6.2	4:34	1.0	5:09	0.1
20	Sat	11:07	7.1	11:42	6.3	5:11	1.0	5:45	0.1
21	Sun	11:44	7.1			5:47	1.0	6:20	0.1
22	Mon	12:19	6.4	12:23	7.1	6:25	0.9	6:56	0.1
23	Tue	12:58	6.6	1:05	7.1	7:06	0.8	7:35	0.1
24	Wed	1:40	6.7	1:51	7.0	7:52	0.7	8:17	0.1
25	Thu	2:25	6.9	2:41	6.9	8:43	0.6	9:04	0.2
26	Fri	3:14	7.1	3:35	6.7	9:39	0.5	9:55	0.3
27	Sat	4:06	7.3	4:34	6.6	10:38	0.3	10:51	0.3
28	Sun	5:03	7.5	5:36	6.5	11:40	0.0	11:50	0.3
29	Mon	6:02	7.7	6:40	6.5			12:42	-0.2
30	Tue	7:02	8.0	7:43	6.7	12:50	0.2	1:42	-0.5
31	Wed	8:02	8.2	8:43	6.9	1:50	0.1	2:41	-0.8

Last Anchorage

Captain(s)

Mark Schlegel

Joseph S. Kendy



Haberdashery Holiday Showcase

**Thursday, December 4th 5:30 PM - 9:30 PM in the ballroom
and
Sunday, December 7th 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM and
3:00 PM - 7:00 PM in the bar**

**There will be an assortment of SNBC swag including
special items for the 125th anniversary.**

Cash, check or credit cards only!

Children's Christmas Party

**December 7th
11:30 AM**

New Year's Eve

**Entertainment
Third Rail**

**Reservations can be made at the
bar for dining either in the
Ballroom or the Front Bar.**



Adult's Christmas Party

**December 7th
4:00 PM**

Last names

A - M

**Please bring
an appetizer**

N - Z

**Please bring
a dessert**



AUXILIARY SPOTLIGHT

Auxiliary Christmas Party December 9th at 6:30pm
\$52 for members, \$62 for guests.

Gifts for children in Norwalk schools are being collected
and due by December 10th.

Dues are \$50 and payable by January 1st. Remember, they must be paid
before the end of January to avoid a late fee.

The meeting for December 18th has been cancelled.

We wish all members a Healthy and Happy Holiday Season, Happy 2026!

Julie Ziegler, SNBC Auxiliary President

The Club will be closing at 4:00 PM on Christmas Eve and will be closed all day on Christmas.

SNBC Dues and Fees

All fees for dues, summer slips (moorings), winter storage hauling, blocking and relaunching, winter wet storage, annual minimum spending and lockers shall be due and payable on January 1st of each year and must be paid by midnight January 31st.

Any member whose fees are not paid will be subjected to a \$50 per fee delinquency charge. This charge and the original fees must be paid by the last day of February.

Fun & Games

These are the dates for the Fun & Games events. Dates may be affected by upcoming events that are not posted yet.

Cornhole league winter season 2026

1/6, 1/13, 1/20, 1/27, 2/3, 2/10, 2/17, 2/24, 3/3, 3/10

Pool and Darts winter season 2026

1/7, 1/14, 1/21, 1/28, 2/4, 2/11, 2/18, 2/25, 3/4, 3/11, 3/18



December 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
November 30	1 Regular Meeting 8 PM <i>Election Night</i>	2 Cornhole League	3 	4 SNBC AUX Meeting 7:30 PM	5	6 Entertainment <i>Homegrown</i> 8-11 PM
7 Kid's Christmas Party - 11:30 AM Adult's Christmas Party - 4:00 PM	8 Regular Meeting 8 PM	9 Auxiliary Christmas Party 6:30PM	10 	11	12 Entertainment <i>Zully Ramos</i> 8-11 PM	13
14	15 Regular Meeting 8 PM	16	17	18 SNBC AUX Meeting Cancelled	19 Entertainment <i>Mark Zelenz</i> 8-11 PM	20
21	22 Regular Meeting 8 PM	23	24 Club Closing at 4:00 PM	25 Christmas Club Closed	26	27 Entertainment <i>Ciro Brothers</i> 8-11 PM
28	29 Regular Meeting 8 PM	30	31 New Year's Eve Entertainment Third Rail	January 1, 2026 New Year's Day	January 2, 2026	January 3, 2026

January 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
December 28	December 29 Regular Meeting 8 PM	December 30	31 New Year's Eve Entertainment Third Rail	1 New Year's Day	2	3
4	5 Regular Meeting 8 PM	6 Cornhole League	7 Pool & Dart League	8	9	10
11	12 Regular Meeting 8 PM	13 Cornhole League	14 Pool & Dart League	15 SNBC AUX Meeting 7:30 PM	16	17
18	19 Regular Meeting 8 PM	20 Cornhole League	21 Pool & Dart League	22	23	24
25	26 Regular Meeting 8 PM	27 Cornhole League	28 Pool & Dart League	29	30	31 Last Day for Dues and Fees without Delinquency Fees