

# SNBC Soundings



## SNBC Officers

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Jonathan Bove

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Russell Lajoie  
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John Daher  
Reggie Borgia  
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### 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	Closed

**Bar Pizza Always Available**

### Newsletter Contact

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## Commodore's Corner



Greetings to all South Norwalk Boat Club Captains. The first month of 2026 has now gone by and with it has come a great deal more snow. I cannot remember the last time we had this much snow this early in the season. All we can do now is hope that this will be the end instead of a sign of things to come. January saw our first two winter events go off without a hitch. Both Trivia Night and Pasta Night were a great success, and a wonderful time was had by all. There will also be Pasta Nights

in February and March, with another Trivia Night taking place in March as well. Details will be announced to the membership once the dates have been set. We have also been looking ahead and scheduling some dates for when the weather warms up. Our annual Commodore's Dance will be held on May 16th. Commissioning weekend will be June 5th-7th with the Clam Bake happening on the 5th so mark your calendars. With such a successful Clam Bake last year I can hardly wait for what is to come. Also don't forget about Night at the Derby on March 28th and breakfast with the Easter Bunny on April 4th. Both are great times and additional opportunities for you to come down and enjoy your Club.

As a reminder to all members, the last day to pay your dues and other fees was January 31st. Anyone who has not paid by now will be subject to a late fee. All outstanding Club obligations, along with any additional fees that may have been incurred, must be paid by February 28th or your membership may be at risk. If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to reach out to myself or Financial Secretary Diane Smilansky for assistance.

Don't forget to check the Club calendar for our upcoming entertainment on the weekends. Bands will be performing on Friday or Saturday nights, and it is a great reason to come and enjoy the Club while we all wait for warmer weather. Best wishes to everyone for a safe rest of the winter and see you around the Club.

Best Regards to Everyone,

*Jonathan Bove, Commodore*



# MARINA NEWS

Happy February Everyone,

We hope all members are staying warm and safe as winter continues to remind us who's really in charge.

Over the past week, our area received approximately 16 inches of snow, with freezing temperatures that have caused the harbor to begin freezing up. As you can see in the attached photo, snow and ice have built up on the docks, and ice is forming throughout the marina basin. With the potential for another Nor'easter approaching, conditions may change quickly.

## Dock Safety Reminder:

Please use extreme caution when accessing the marina. Snow and ice on the docks create very slippery and hazardous conditions. If you do not need to be on the docks, we strongly encourage you to stay off them until conditions improve. Safety is our top priority.

We would also like to extend a big thank you to Brandon Bloom and his crew for their hard work assisting with breaking up ice and helping manage winter conditions during this stretch of severe weather. Their efforts go a long way in protecting the docks, slips, and stored vessels during these challenging conditions.

While we're still in the heart of winter, boating season is getting closer every day. The marina officially opens on April 1st, and we will continue to provide updates as conditions evolve and preparations for the season move forward.

Please continue to monitor weather forecasts, check on your boats as needed, and reach out if you have any concerns.

Stay warm, stay safe, and thank you for being part of our boating community.

Best regards,

*Glenn Perschino*  
Marina Committee Chairman



The Auxiliary is planning several fun events for Auxiliary members: Bingo will be on Feb. 19th, Bag Game on March 5th, and Filling in the Blanks volunteer event is on March 10th. We are always happy to welcome new members. Come join the best group around. Applications are available at the bar.

*Julie Ziegler*  
Aux President

## 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**

2/3, 2/10, 2/17, 2/24, 3/3, 3/10

### **Pool and Darts winter season 2026**

2/5, 2/11, 2/18, 2/25, 3/4, 3/11, 3/18



March 1<sup>st</sup> - 11 AM to 1 PM, sign-up starts at 10:00 AM

Frost Bite Tournament will be followed by fish pool awards picnic.

\$10 to fish. \$5 calcutta  
Awards Picnic - \$25 barbecue and a 50/50 Raffle

Kids 12 and under fish and eat free.

## St. Patrick's Day

Sunday, March 15th  
12:00 PM til 7:00 PM

**Harborview at SNBC**

**Entrees**

<b>Corned Beef &amp; Cabbage</b>	<b>\$21.95</b>
Served w/potatoes, carrots & Irish soda bread	
<b>Shepherd's Pie</b>	<b>\$21.95</b>
<b>Fish &amp; Chips</b>	<b>\$19.95</b>

Please make reservations at the bar!

## Thursday

# March 12th

**Breakfast  
With the  
Easter Bunny  
Saturday  
April 4th**



**Rendezvous's Scheduled**

Strong's Water Club Marina Mattituck  
July 24th - 26th

Milford Landing Marina  
August 28th - 30th

Both can be booked via dockwa

**South Norwalk, CT - Feb 2026**

Date		High				Low			
		AM	ft	PM	ft	AM	ft	PM	ft
1	Sun	10:40	8.1	11:13	7.5	4:33	-0.4	5:06	-1.1
2	Mon	11:28	8.0	11:58	7.7	5:24	-0.6	5:51	-1.0
3	Tue			12:14	7.8	6:11	-0.6	6:34	-0.9
4	Wed	12:41	7.7	12:58	7.5	6:57	-0.5	7:16	-0.6
5	Thu	1:23	7.6	1:42	7.1	7:43	-0.3	7:58	-0.2
6	Fri	2:05	7.4	2:26	6.7	8:29	-0.1	8:42	0.2
7	Sat	2:48	7.2	3:13	6.3	9:18	0.2	9:29	0.6
8	Sun	3:34	6.9	4:03	6.0	10:10	0.5	10:19	0.9
9	Mon	4:25	6.7	5:00	5.6	11:06	0.7	11:15	1.2
10	Tue	5:21	6.5	6:03	5.5			12:06	0.9
11	Wed	6:22	6.4	7:07	5.5	12:14	1.4	1:05	0.9
12	Thu	7:22	6.4	8:05	5.6	1:13	1.4	2:01	0.7
13	Fri	8:15	6.6	8:54	5.9	2:09	1.2	2:51	0.5
14	Sat	9:02	6.8	9:36	6.2	2:59	1.0	3:35	0.3
15	Sun	9:44	7.0	10:13	6.5	3:44	0.8	4:14	0.1
16	Mon	10:23	7.2	10:49	6.9	4:25	0.5	4:50	-0.1
17	Tue	11:01	7.4	11:25	7.3	5:04	0.1	5:25	-0.3
18	Wed	11:41	7.5			5:42	-0.2	6:00	-0.4
19	Thu	12:03	7.7	12:22	7.5	6:23	-0.4	6:38	-0.5
20	Fri	12:43	8.0	1:06	7.5	7:06	-0.6	7:19	-0.4
21	Sat	1:28	8.1	1:54	7.3	7:54	-0.6	8:05	-0.3
22	Sun	2:16	8.1	2:47	7.0	8:47	-0.5	8:58	0.0
23	Mon	3:10	8.0	3:45	6.7	9:46	-0.3	9:58	0.3
24	Tue	4:10	7.7	4:51	6.4	10:52	-0.1	11:06	0.5
25	Wed	5:18	7.5	6:04	6.4			12:02	0.0
26	Thu	6:31	7.4	7:17	6.5	12:18	0.5	1:10	-0.1
27	Fri	7:41	7.5	8:23	6.8	1:28	0.4	2:14	-0.3
28	Sat	8:44	7.6	9:20	7.2	2:33	0.1	3:11	-0.5

## S. N. B. C. Scholarships Applications Available February 2nd

The South Norwalk Boat Club will be awarding the 2026 scholarships at the annual Commissioning Day ceremony in June. Scholarships will be awarded from the S.N.B.C. Educational Foundation Scholarship programs.

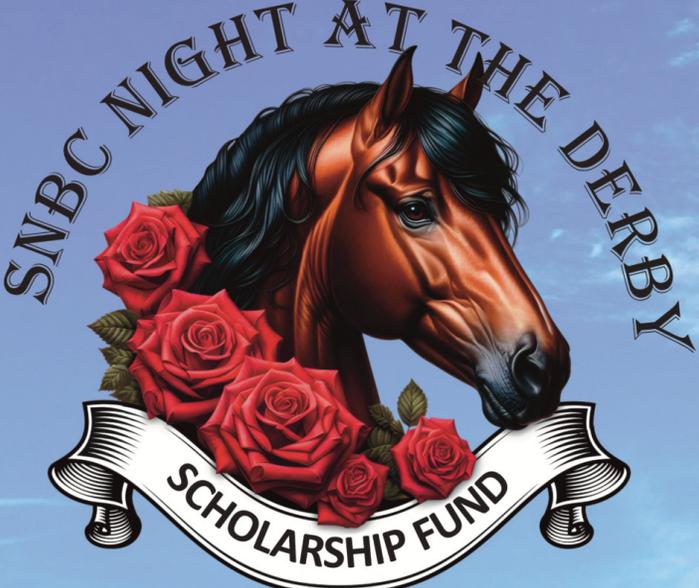
The PC Johnny Rogers Scholarship Fund awards are available to the sons and daughters of members who are now attending high school and will be entering their first year of college.

The Captain Jake Straub and Captain Will and Kay Lang Memorial scholarships are available to the sons and daughters of members who are entering any year of college, as well as students with special needs while attending a higher educational institute.

Scholarship applications can be picked up at the club any time after the Monday night meeting on February 2, 2025. **Applications must be returned to the club by April 13th.** Please register with the bartender on duty when you **pick up and return** the application.

The Scholarship Committee would like to thank the Officers, General Membership, Club Committees, the S.N.B.C. Auxiliary, and the individual donating members for their support of this program.

Capt. Ed Marcarelli



**SNBC NIGHT AT THE DERBY**

**SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

**Saturday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

**Tickets are \$50 per person**  
Tickets include Entry, Dinner, Coffee and dessert

**Dinner will start at 6:00 PM**

**Cash Bar & 50/50 Raffle**

**Post time at 8:00 PM**

**10 Exciting Races including 1 Daily Double**

**Race programs provided - Each Race Viewed on 4 Large Screens**

**Come Enjoy the Fun & Excitement of Thoroughbred Racing!**

**All Proceeds to Benefit the Scholarship Fund**

# February 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Regular Meeting 8 PM  Scholarship Form Available	3  <b>Cornhole League</b>	4  <b>Game Dinner 6:00 - 9:00 PM</b>	5  SNBC AUX Meeting 7:30 PM <b>Pool &amp; Dart League</b>	6  Entertainment Elastic Edge 8 - 11 PM	7
8	9  Regular Meeting 8 PM	10  <b>Cornhole League</b>	11  <b>Pool &amp; Dart League</b>	12	13	14  <b>Valentine's Day</b> Entertainment <i>Tony Dicerto</i>
15	16  Regular Meeting 8 PM  President's Day	17  <b>Cornhole League</b>	18  <b>Pool &amp; Dart League</b>	19  SNBC AUX Meeting 7:30 PM BINGO	20  Entertainment <i>Beatniks</i> 8 - 11 PM	21
22	23  Regular Meeting 8 PM	24  <b>Pasta Night</b>  <b>Cornhole League</b>	25  <b>Pool &amp; Dart League</b>	26	27  Entertainment <i>Dreamin'</i> 8 - 11 PM	28  <b>Last Day for Dues and Fees with <u>Delinquency Fees</u></b>
March 1	March 2  Regular Meeting 8 PM	March 3  <b>Cornhole League</b>	March 4  <b>Pool &amp; Dart League</b>	March 5  SNBC AUX Meeting 7:30 PM	March 6	March 7  Entertainment <b>3 of a Kind</b> 8 - 11 PM

## March 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>1</b> <b>Frost Bite Tournament</b> <b>11 AM - 1 PM</b> <b>Awards Picnic to follow</b>	<b>2</b> Regular Meeting 8 PM	<b>3</b> <b>Cornhole League</b>	<b>4</b> <b>Pool &amp; Dart League</b>	<b>5</b> SNBC AUX Meeting 7:30 PM Bag Game	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> Entertainment <i><b>3 of a Kind</b></i> 8 - 11 PM
<b>8</b> Daylight Saving Time Begins	<b>9</b> Regular Meeting 8 PM	<b>10</b> <b>Cornhole League</b>  <b>Aux Filling in the Blanks</b>	<b>11</b> <b>Pool &amp; Dart League</b>	<b>12</b> <b>Trivia Night</b>	<b>13</b> Entertainment <i><b>Hermin &amp; Co</b></i> 8 - 11 PM	<b>14</b>
<b>15</b> St. Patrick's Dinner 12 PM- 7:00 PM	<b>16</b> Regular Meeting 8 PM	<b>17</b> <b>St Patrick's Day</b>	<b>18</b> <b>Pool &amp; Dart League</b>	<b>19</b> SNBC AUX Meeting 7:30 PM	<b>20</b> Entertainment <i><b>Sheila &amp; Ray Duo</b></i> 8 - 11 PM  First day of Spring	<b>21</b>
<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> Regular Meeting 8 PM	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> <b>Night at the Derby Dinner 6 PM Races 8 PM</b>
<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> Regular Meeting 8 PM	<b>31</b> <b>Pasta Night</b>	April 1  <b>Marina Opens</b>	April 2  SNBC AUX Meeting 7:30 PM	April 3	April 4