



# **This Week At** **SANTA MONICA WINDJAMMERS YACHT CLUB** **January 19th 2015 - January 25th, 2015**

What a week we just had in our Yacht Club.

Needless to say, I was there every day of the week including Saturday to experience, help and enjoy the camaraderie of our club members and their guests and to see first hand what volunteering can do to make our club great.

Just a quick recap, on Monday we saw a great College Football game to determine the number 1 team in the nation and saw over 35 people in the bar enjoying the game, drinks and food.

Then on Tuesday we had our first Board meeting with many decisions being taken including nominating **Ron Orr** to Judge Advocate, **Mark Olson** to become treasurer, **Elise Beane** as Board Recording Secretary AND we voted **Pedro Rodriguez** as a new board member.

Wednesday had one of the best attended "No Cooking Wednesdays" like EVER with over 40 people enjoying the great food prepared by our guest chef **Rick Toomim**.

Thursday and Friday saw rental activity and Saturday was one of the best behaved party we ever had with a great crowd, great decorating and great people in the dining room.

## **In Looking Forward...**



**Monday, January 19<sup>th</sup>-- Dr. Martin Luther King's Birthday**

**Tuesday, January 20<sup>th</sup> - Catalina Fleet meets in the Dining Room,**

**Wednesday, January 21<sup>st</sup> --"No Cooking Wednesday"**

This will mark the return of yours truly, Gourmet Commodore Chef **Themis Z. Glatman** to the galley to once again serve some great food prepared for the members and their guests.

I will be preparing a seafood experience with delicious Smoked Oyster and Pistachios for appetizers Followed by a Grilled Asparagus and Zucchini salad with mixed greens

The main entre will be Swai fillet of Fish crowned with Shrimp and Tomato Sauce



Vegetable will be Sauteed Brussel Sprouts cooked to perfection

Dessert will offer Red Velvet Cake with Seasonal Fresh Fruit

Decaf and Regular Coffee

All of this for the delicious price of just \$15.00 with reservations (\$18.00 without) at [reservations@smwyc.org](mailto:reservations@smwyc.org) before Wednesday noon.

## Thursday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> - Weight Watchers in the dining room all day

This is a great way to get those extra pounds off and take advantage of our member's special pricing on items.

**Friday, January 23<sup>rd</sup> come and see Danny** for great bar drinks, get some food from our new "Bar Menu" and talk some football and sports.

## Saturday, January 24<sup>th</sup> --Cabrillo Beach Yacht Club Management Seminar

All members and board members are invited to attend this important seminar to learn more about how to run a club and get to know fellow officers in other Yacht Clubs.

Looking Further Forward...

## JUNIOR NEWS

### Sunday, January 25<sup>th</sup>-- Our Super Bowl Regatta

Steve Potter has been amazing with our Juniors program and has organized this event for many years. He has enlisted the help of many volunteers, but is still in need of others to make this a true successful event since he is expecting to break participation numbers from last year.

We MUST congratulate in our very first junior program, already we have a trophy, our student **Miles LaViolette** won the Diane Armstrong Award. ASMBYC makes this award to a student from each Junior program in Santa Monica Bay. We nominated Miles for a unique act of selfless sportsmanship last fall that really helped a very hesitant student learn to love sailing.

Here he is with his mom and the very large trophy.

Please contact Steve and see how you can help further this program.

For more information contact him at [spotter6284@gmail.com](mailto:spotter6284@gmail.com)

Also, you all must have gotten notice of the fabulous gift that **Eric and Elise Beane** have given to our program, an almost new Opti that will really put us on the map for junior racing, we hope that **Ethan Beane** can continue to enjoy sailing and will become an accomplished sailor. Make sure to thank them and see how you can help disseminate the word about our Junior program.



### Friday, January 30<sup>th</sup> -Sunday, February 1<sup>st</sup> - Super Bowl Cruise

First cruise of the year to King Harbor Yacht Club. Leaves MdR Friday, returns Sunday in time for the big game. A REALLY great time to be going to King Harbor Yacht Club, you can Med tie your boat to others, enjoy another club's hospitality, a potluck in the docks and many board games in Charlene's Boat ☺. For more details contact Matt Clark at [jmattclark@ca.rr.com](mailto:jmattclark@ca.rr.com)

## New Officer of the Day Schedule 2015

A-Shift is from 9:00 am-1:30 pm; B-Shift is from 1:30 pm-6:00 pm. To make it a little more interesting, the names in **bold** indicate that there is an event or private party that day, so you may expect more activity which makes the day a little less boring, and we have music almost every Sunday at 4:30. Plus we are offering a new incentive: after your shift, you are invited upstairs for a

beverage on the house (draft beer, house wine, well drink, or soft drink) as a 'thank you' for participating in the O.D. schedule. For those shifts that the bar is not yet open, just bring your O.D. log to the bartender which shows that you did your shift, and he will honor the incentive.

Day	Date	A Shift	B Shift
Saturday	January 24	Janet Adams	Monica Chaban
Sunday	January 25	John Brooks	Jan Brooks
Saturday	January 31	Mathew Seymour	Anthony Ast
Sunday	February 1	Sam Aussi	Besim Bilman
Saturday	February 7	Ken Lee	Jane Blackwell
Sunday	February 14	Bea Mitchell	Trudy Devine
Saturday	February 21	Eric Beane	Elise Beane
Sunday	February 22	Carole B. Purcell	Bob Purcell

**I gave the chance for everyone to contact me regarding their preferred dates, I assigned the ones that requested and have consequently gone down the line alphabetically with the other assignments.**

**Upon becoming a member of SMWYC, you agreed to perform at least one shift per year. Unless you contact us with a preferred date, one will be assigned to you. If you have been assigned a date that you cannot fulfill, you should immediately find a replacement by trading with another member. You can post your desire to trade by sending an email to the club's yahoo group email which is [smwyc@yahoo.com](mailto:smwyc@yahoo.com). If for some reason you are unable to make a trade, please contact Commodore Themis Z. Glatman [TLadyManor1@aol.com](mailto:TLadyManor1@aol.com) .**

**If you fail to do your duty when assigned, you do not find a replacement, or you do not contact us, YOU will be billed \$50 per shift.**

**Please refer to the blue O.D. log book for flag etiquette, and remember when an Officer is on deck, hoist their flag. Flags are in the office closet and labeled. Thank you.**