



This Week At

SANTA MONICA WINDJAMMERS YACHT CLUB

June 15th, 2015 - June 21st, 2015



This "This Week" comes with a mixed bag of news, some good and some not so good, actually downright sad.

First the sad news. I have been remiss in sending out to the membership notice of the passing of two GREAT supporters of our club.

Jan Olson passed away in May of this year, he was there from the very beginning and always attended our dinners, events, donated his slip for our events and I am thankful for the times he let me use his beautiful slip in Emerald Bay.

Another passing, of Albert Kauffman (Al) happened on June 6th of a long illness, He served as our Judge Advocate for at least as many years as I have been a member and he will be really missed. Do not know of services for either of the families at this time.

Some not so great news is the continuing tearing of our sidewalks which now even prevents us from hoisting our burgee and flags on the pole outside, but the good side is that they are on schedule and are planning already for the demolition of the waterside of the construction for this July with completion of some slips by October.

We had our Board meeting this past Monday and saw three new members get accepted, Mike McCullough, Gizele Ozeri and also Michael McKinsey.

They are a welcome addition to our club specially as additional members are starting to apply for Affiliate membership from Marina Venice Yacht Club.

When you see them, PLEASE make them feel at home and really welcomed in our family.



But the biggest and happiest news comes from your Board's acceptance of the Inspire Charter School Enrichment Program to be held in our Yacht Club. It is a program for kids to make use of our Junior program, our facilities and an opportunity for us to generate additional income for years to come.

When you see your Board member, please congratulate them on a super well done job YEAHHH!

Looking Forward



Monday, June 15th --Monday Social Hour

Come mingle with the newest members, the younger members and hear the stories from the older members and enjoy the mixes done by Danny.

-- Also Toastmasters will be meeting

in our Banquet Hall, so there are bound to be interesting people to mingle with.

Tuesday, June 16th -- Catalina Fleet meets in the Clubhouse

They will be deciding on future events and their committee is organizing the next events. If you have a Catalina, this is the meeting to attend, tell others about it.

Wednesday June 17th --Fabulous “No Cooking Wednesday” by our Vice Commodore

He is preparing Chicken with spinach kale and lemon sauce over broccoli and mushrooms.

If it is anything like his last Wednesday Night food, you will not be disappointed by it.

All of this for still the lowest price of just \$16.00 for members with reservations reservations@smwyc.org (\$18.00 without or for non members) by noon on Wednesday. A real special meal that deserves your attendance . Special Shout-out to our affiliate members from Fairwind Yacht Club and Marina Venice Yacht Club, come sample our great hospitality and enjoy some ethnicity in your meals.



Thursday, June 18th --Weight Watchers in the dining room midday

Come once again to check out Judy's deals for us club members in their special foods. Come and weight yourself after our delicious “No Cooking Wednesday” meal, from 10am till 1pm.

Friday, June 19th -- Bar is Open for all members and friends.

You can stay and get some drinks from our own Danny and relax in the most beautiful view in the marina.

Saturday June 20th --Our Club is open and so is the Juniors Program

We continue to host our newest batch of Juniors that have been flocking to Steve Potter's new program. Which now is sold out with a waiting list.

■ **Our Valuable Jr. Staff Commodore is finally going on Vacation (well deserved).**

Sunday, June 21st --The Band is Rocking the House

-- Come listen to the Music in our Bar area

This is the greatest time to get our Barbeque food started. You will be able to grill yourself one of our Third Pound Burgers with all the trimmings, enjoy the other great foods we offer and listen to our free “Concerts in the Bar” Series ☺. This Sunday we will feature :

The Road Gang

Yes. I am sure you will be receiving reminders from Lee Rhoads inviting you to come and dance to his great band tunes.

I advise you to accept this invitation, they are fresh from playing in Santa Barbara and other places, so they will be ready with new material and new tunes to make us shake our feet and groove to his tunes.

Do not miss this one.

They have a great following and their music is great, bring a friend and enjoy your club. A great mix of awesome songs easy to dance to, easy to listen and great for entertaining friends and relatives at our Open House Sunday.

Come by, bring a friend or bring your crew.



Looking Further Forward...

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	June20	Wayne Shook	Alleta Ojeda
Sunday	June21	Cynthia Nibler	Michael Petersen
Saturday	June 27	Michael Parker	Mitzie Parker
Sunday	June28	Michael Pitari	John Quickley
Saturday	July 4th	Juddy Pruett	Need Volunteer
Sunday	July 5	Ron Wood	Marlene Wood
Saturday	July 11	Lars Radmall	Vicki Rocco
Sunday	July 12	Cheryl Rhoads	Lee Rhoads

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. If for some reason you are unable to make a trade, please contact Commodore Themis Z. Glatman TLadyManor1@aol.com. If you fail to do your duty when assigned or if you do not find a replacement, 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.

We will be getting more strict in our parking monitoring since we now have many more boats in dry storage and we need the spaces.

PLEASE display your window decal prominently in your car so we know you are a club member in good standing, as of now, we are waiting for more stickers to be delivered, as soon as we have more, they will be available for members that did not get them or only got one even though they are a full flag member with a spouse, please be patient. The new addition is a bumper sticker style sticker to also put in the windshield, better looking than the first one with a white background.

P.S. Have you sponsored a member lately? ☺

