



Commodore
Ron Orr

This Week At



SANTA MONICA WINDJAMMERS YACHT CLUB **October 31st, 2016 - November 6th, 2016**

We are now in the home stretch for the end of the year activities, and they still just keep on coming. But I just cannot proceed without



commenting on the greatest **Halloween Party** we have ever had in our clubhouse (no offense to Lee Rhoads' parties in the past), but this one took the prize since we had a maze to go through, lots of VERY creative costumes and most important LOTS of people attended. The music was scaryyy good and the decorations were frighteningly terrific. Our entire FBO and especially Nick MUST be thanked when you next see them.



We had Angels, Demons, Staff Commodore

Themis as our Fairy Godmother, Vicki Clark was an true angel for making the outing to our club after an extensive journey thru Africa, Egypt and Turkey with Jerry Garcia (aka Matt Clark) Welcome home .

Congratulations goes to Danny for winning the most fun outfit as a sober pirate bartender (Is that possible?)☺

We danced, ate great food and were visited by the Dawn of the Walking Dead Pirates visiting Chase Park for the County's Halloween party. They all came dressed in their ship's outfits and were a sight to see.



I really hope our second annual party will be as good as the 1st one. Thanks **NICK** for a Howling GREAT time.

On to other news; our club of the year contest finished October 31st, and the book will be presented this Saturday to SCYA for judging and determining the winner of the "Club of the Year".



It has been a labor of love and determination from all of us, and we thank our Junior Staff Commodore Themis Z. Glatman for doing ALL of this work including getting herself and Commodore Ron to all the meetings and seminars. Here is one we attended this Sunday in Long Beach about Remote Control Model Sail Boats. A real fun time and something we may consider in the future for any of our members that get seasick on the water, or for our juniors to get a feel for sailing dynamics before getting on the boats.



Looking Forward

Tuesday, November 1st –Board Meeting 7-9pm

From 7pm till 9:00pm, your board of directors will be meeting to discuss awards, lease negotiations, Club of the Year info

and a recap of our very well done 75th Anniversary Party.

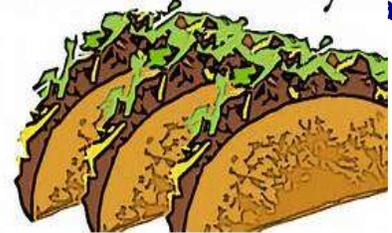
Feel free to join us in the conference room.

November 1st -- and Friday November 4th -- Office Opens from 1-7

This will be a great time to come in and ask about the new PARKING ARRANGEMENTS. You can now buy your parking passes for our parking lot. It requires a \$25.00 deposit for each one of them (refundable when/ if you return it). You will get a ticket without them...

Taco Tuesday

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Have you had a chance to taste Nick's introduction of a **new selection of wines** that he hand picked for our enjoyment? Come down and try them all along with their great dinners, snacks, bar food.

Remember also our **Happy Hours** and the special drinks we have for you. Happy Hour **EVERY WEEK DAY** from 5-7pm. Just in time to beat the traffic before getting home. Come and enjoy \$4.00 drinks at the bar and see the best Sunset views in the entire Marina.

Taco Tuesdays

Come Enjoy Tacos All Day Every Tuesday,
With Classic Carne Asada, Carnitas and Tilapia Tacos, Served Fresh and Made to Order with house made Pico De Gallo.

Serving Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner 7 days a week 9am - 10pm on our Bar and Patio! Enjoy the Beautiful Views of Marina Del Rey! Sunsets are amazing.

Sunday, November 6th - Live Music at the Bar.

This is a bi-weekly event that we host in the bar for our members and their friends that like to hear LIVE music by our great bands.

Come on over, bring your friends and let them know about it happening on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month.

Do You Know a First Responder? Or and Active Duty Military Personnel?



This is your chance to show them that we care about their well being, we have new membership packages that have been instituted to give them a super low price for their membership.

Tell them about us and invite them to our club, we will do the rest...

Have you invited your co-workers for lunch in the club? Why not give them a chance to learn about our great yacht Club???

Looking FURTHER Forward

Do not forget to turn in your ballots in the mailbox by the office

We will be counting the votes for all bridge and director positions. Please participate and help elect the bridge and other positions. We will be announcing the results at the **Installation and Awards Dinner** coming up November 12th. Plan on attending this very important event.



The Commodore's Cruise

November 18th -20th

This will be the year's LAST cruise; hard to believe we have already had 6 cruises this year, the most in the past few years. This last one is truly special as it will not only be our **Commodore Ron Orr's Cruise**, but we will also be celebrating his birthday. Under threat of severe punishment, I have NOT been able to divulge his age ☺



We will be going to the Long Dock in Long Beach and join Long Beach Yacht Club for their activities. We will be walking to the nearby shops, enjoying a Pot Luck party on the dock and will have a really nice dinner in their club with Commodore Ron trying to blow out ALL the candles atop his cake. PLEASE REALLY TRY AND MAKE THIS ONE CRUISE.



Ron has done soooo much for our Yacht Club this year and has agreed to be our Commodore for another year. So, this will



be a great time to show our appreciation. Mark your calendars for this really special date.

We are also entering our esteemed Commodore Ron Orr's HC 50 sailboat in the **54th Annual Boat Parade** happening December 10th.

PARADE DETAIL



The 2016 Theme is "EVERY DAY IS A HOLIDAY"

The 2016 Marina del Rey Holiday Boat Parade kicks off Saturday, December 10, starting with a spectacular fireworks show followed by the parade at 6:00 p.m. The Grand Marshall will be announced soon...

\$00000 if you have not participated in any of our previous events, this is the best opportunity for you to do so.

Bring your kids, lets make cards, insert lights and really help mess up the Commodore's boat to finally win the "BEST OF THE PARADE" award. The Club has won just about all of the awards given at least once, but NEVER the big Kahuna. Let us know if you can help, and if you have any ideas to make this a real year for celebration. You can volunteer by letting me know at Tladymanor1@aol.com

Have you met Luelle? She will answer your questions, reserve your Kayaks or sell you a T-Shirt, so come and say Hi, she is here on Wednesdays, Saturday and Sundays. Deb will do the same Tuesdays and Fridays.

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Pay Attention to the new **parking issues !!!!!!!**

YOU NOW NEED A PARKING PERMIT SINCE SEPTEMBER 1st . The county is giving tickets now and we will not be able to remediate the citation. Permits are available from the office when we are open. They require a \$25.00 deposit (refundable) and will need to be displayed in the front windshield.

ONCE AGAIN IF YOU MISSED

“The New Ship Store with new prices”

Come and see the new décor, the new clothes, the new merchandise, browse through the club items and help us become more recognizable in the marina. Wear our shirts with pride, check out our items now and keep checking for more inventory in coming weeks, Polo Shirts, T-Shirts, Jackets, Sweaters, Vests and the super glamorous Hats.

We are now taking special orders on colors and different sizes you may want from our collection, let us know, just ask Luelle Or Deb on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays.

**P.S. Have you sponsored a member lately?
We will be giving incentives to bringing a
friend to join our club.
So why not tell a friend about our great
club??? 😊😊**