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Ron Orr

This Week At 2016 Club of the Year

SANTA MONICA WINDJAMMERS YACHT CLUB
May 22nd, 2017 - May 28th, 2017

The readership is steadily increasing in the new “This Week” bulletin and this fills our hearts with pride since it takes a lot of work to put it together and get it done, It has been done so well that we decided to have a few copies in the office to show prospective members what we have been up to, so please keep reading it.



The Main Event this past weekend was MarinaFest event which happened next door in the park. Some said it was not going to work as far as getting new members to be interested, and BOY, were they wrong, we filled two and a half pages of names of people that were actually interested in joining, most of them came to the club to check out the food, use the wi-fi, see the view and meet the members.

Kudos to the volunteers such as Mark McLellan, Karen and Mike Cross, Susan French, Tom Rowe, Susan and David Rose, Bob Kaye, Laurie Linden, (they will not need to do OD), Ron Orr, our great Barbara who showed the club to so many of the

people coming through our doors and so many others, but specially to Themis Z. Glatman for getting the ball rolling and taking the responsibility of organizing, staffing, decorating our booth, motivating us all to get involved and make this a true Open House for our club. THANK YOU TO ALL !!!! We will now get them all invited to our events and try to sign them all, we do have the best deal in town and the best views in the marina, so tell your friends to come on down and join the fun.

Speaking of fun, this is what we had this past Sunday besides the MarinaFest as the band in the club did



not disapoint, specially when you get a guest singer who is a friend of the club such as Christine Gordon is and who lent her voice to make our event even better.

The people coming in from the MarinaFest, the people from the great SUP event run by our Kurmalliance Organization and Erin Politz in addition to our regular members, made this one of the best weekends this year. We are on a roll



and this is thanks to all of you who contribute time and treasure to make this club a great place to hang out. So stay in touch by reading the announcements, try and participate and, as always, try and support our Food and Beverage operator whenever you can. Try their new menus, come for breakfast or stop by and see the changes in the club, you will like it.

Racers at SMWYC

Also this past weeks, we have been REALLY impressed by Members who race and are out there battling for position either in the Tuesday Night Races, The Sunset Series or the



Sundowner Series. We must call them by name since this is another positive change for our Yacht Club as more members join, they are the ones carrying the SMWYC name out there in the Marina and beyond. They are great ambassadors for our Yacht Club such as Jerome Sammarcelli, DBrian Kerr, Denise George, Lee Rhoads on the Crimson Star, Julie and Matt Warnock on their new Beneteau, James Baurley on his new Viper, our Juniors on the club's Santana 20, Robert Silber on his VX One, Mike Guthrie on his J24 and hopefully we will have others out there carrying the racing torch. Thank you Racers.

Looking Forward



Office Hours:

Tuesday - 1 to 7 pm
Wednesday - 10 to 4
Thursday - Closed
Friday - 1 to 7pm
Saturday - 10 to 4
Sunday - 10 - 4

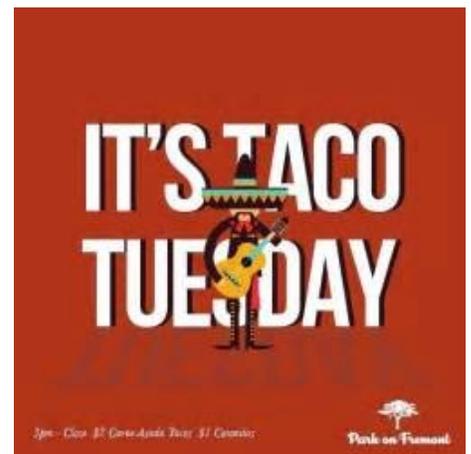
DON'T FORGET TACO TUESDAYS

**Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner 6 days a week
10am - 8pm on our Bar and Patio!**

**Enjoy the Beautiful Views of Marina Del Rey!
Sunsets are Amazing...**

**Friday May 26th - Private Wedding, Seafood
Friday Cancelled**

Members will be allowed to the BAR ONLY AFTER 6pm.
Please be respectful of this change as it benefits the club as well as the FBO who does so much for our enjoyment of the club.



Looking WAY Forward

THURSDAY JUNE 1ST - SPRING SPEAKER SERIES



The Educational Speaker Series continues this time with the expert communicator Steve Potter talking about our Junior Program, how to get involved, what it took to get it to this Highly Successful point and what is in for the future. This is your chance to come and help support the event and show your appreciation to Steve who has done so much for our Junior program and our club.

Did we mentioned what a great time was had at the club on Sunday? Just to make you jealous, we just had to show these beauties who were there to enhance our club experience. Linnea Wantz, Sharon Simmons, and guest singer Christine Gordon on our patio at Sunset. Photo by our Commodore Ron Orr.



You can see yourself here, just send us a photo with a caption.

OFFICER OF THE DAY DUTIES (OD)

As we have been mentioning in the past few This Week bulletins, we are going to start the new Officer of the Day duties for Sundays.

It will consist of two shifts, the first one starting at 9 in the morning going until 1pm and the other going from 2pm until 5pm. Both shifts are of 4 hours and there will be a supporting person there to let you in, explain what to do and help you to become the ambassador for the club and to get to know the club and its members better so we are all more engaged and able to appreciate all the club has to offer.

Since only one person mentioned a preferred time, we will start alphabetically beginning on

Day	Date	A Shift	B Shift
Sunday	May 28	James Baurley	Elise Beane
Sunday	June 4	Al Berg	Luz Bernal
Sunday	June 11	Bonnie Berson	Besim Bilman
Sunday	June 18	Eric Brandt	Susan Bonner
Sunday	June 25	Desobry Bowens	Natalie Brill

Sunday	July 2	John Brooks	Roberta Brown
Sunday	July 9	Chris Burgoyne	Jim Calfas
Sunday	July 16	Kevin Kashima	Brian Cassier

Upon becoming a member of SMWYC, you agreed to perform at least one shift per year. You may be able to switch with other members for a different day by using our roster and informing the OD Chair Themis Z. Glatman at TLadyManor1@aol.com of the switch.

If you are not able to fulfill your OD obligation, we will hire someone to cover your shift and charge your account \$50.00. This is only ONCE A YEAR and it will benefit not only the club but each individual member.

Remember that you as a flag member is entitled to use any of our in water amenities such as Kayaks, Paddle Board and Small Boat Fleet vessels any time you wish, indeed a great value for your membership.



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