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The Skulldugger

Monthly Newsletter of Jolly Roger Sailing Club



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THE WISDOM OF OUR FOUNDERS

I think frequently about our founders. A bunch of teens and pre-teens that wanted to build and sail boats. They longed to race against each other and share the comradery that sailing can bring. It was a simple idea that they embraced 76 years ago. Look how far we have come.

I drift back in thought to the last few Commodores of JRSC. In my minds eye I see our founders speaking to them from the past...

To Hank Wasilausky they said: "You have come to serve; give back to the club that has given you so much, whatever the cost in time and effort."

To Don Schalitz they said: "Identify those members who are key to our success; take the obstacles out of their way."

To Stan Fogle they said: "Reflection and Remembrance; don't forget the past; honor our eldest members."

To Ron Gall they said: "Courage through the unknown and the unanticipated; we are resilient; we are sailors, and we can respond to a changing environment."

To Neil Whitehead they said: "Celebration, innovation, and growth will guide JRSC forward."

To Jan Wasilausky they said: "Keep our feet firmly planted in tradition; but keep our eyes focused on the future; make sure JRSC is around to celebrate its 100th anniversary and beyond."

And now those fourteen year-olds, our beloved founders, wise beyond years, are speaking to me. And they are saying: "Phil, just don't do anything stupid."

All joking aside, I am proud and honored that the membership of JRSC has shown faith in me. You elected me as your Vice-Commodore last year, and now I move forward as your Commodore. Thank you.

I hope to be worthy of your trust, and to live up to the ideals set down by those wonderful kids over seven decades ago.

Fair winds,

Phil Fry

2023 Commodore, Jolly Roger Sailing Club



Vice Commodore

John Miga

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Consider This!

Jolly Roger Sailing Club is a working club. It is sustained by members who give of their time and skills year after year. Yes, JRSC members understand that the work hours required of them sustain the club; but they may not recognize that the work they perform adds value to the club. The club's bar is, after all, a business; it generates income for the club. The bar as a business would be handicapped if it were not for members who manage and work the bar. These members add value to the club. Similarly, the club docks generate rental income, without the work of club members maintaining and repairing docks, the dock rental business would suffer. Once more, members are adding value to the club by investing their time. Club house rentals provide cash to the club, again, the work of members who maintain the house so as to be an attractive venue are adding value to the club. Don't forget the yard. Maintaining the yard brings cash to the club in that members and non-members see our yard as a safe place to store boats and trailers. Members who work the yard bring value to the club.

Here's the upshot, don't think of work hours as merely requirements for membership, but instead, consider work hours as contributions that bring value to the club.

Work hours

Work hour updates are posted in the club house and will be available on the club's website shortly.

When reporting work hours using the Work Hour Slip, do not provide a detailed description of the work performed. Simply report where the work took place: bar, dock/bulkhead, yard, club house, kitchen, adult/junior sailing.

John M. Miga, Vice Commodore

Work Hour Opportunity:



Weather permitting (no rain) John, our dock chair, will be having a dock work party Saturday, December 3rd, starting around 9.30am. The plan is to remove leaking floats so they can be repaired or replaced. We have a few new style floats we will be installing.

In addition, we want to start pulling off some of the deck boards so they can be replaced or flipped over.

We would also like to figure out a way to test the floats that don't obviously leak to see which we can re-use and which need to be repaired/replaced. These are first generation floats, which we will eventually replace.

If you have them please bring socket sets, drills/impact wrenches. We have some but more will keep everyone busy.

Thanks.....Neil Whitehead



WINTER EUCHRE 2023

Tom Marriott
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Deb Behrens
419 704-6151 (cell)

Just a heads up to mark your calendar, Winter Euchre to Support Junior Sailing, is right around the corner.

The starting date is Friday January 6th and every Friday for ten consecutive weeks weather permitting.

Your sign in time for Euchre will be 7:10 pm with a starting time promptly at 7:30 pm. The format will be the same as the years past with two series. The first series is five weeks with a minimum of three weeks attendance to qualify for prizes. The second series will be four weeks with a fifth and final week consisting of the winner taking half the proceeds brought in for the night.

The price for euchre is \$5.00 same as last year.

Players of all levels are welcome (both members and non-members), bring a friend and have a great time while supporting our club's junior sailing program.

Also, anyone who wishes to bring a snack for the gang may do so, they're greatly appreciated.

Let's make this the best year ever.!



Chad Roper
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Howdy all!

Here are the names of the new Members to be read in at the General Meeting.

Voting on Tuesday, Dec 13th:

Denny & Donna Coates – Social, Sponsors: Dick Harley, Jerry Elhert

All the best,

Chad Roper, Membership Chair



Future sailor in the Roper household!

From the desk of your Financial Secretary

The summer has passed quickly and we are starting to get boats ready for winter. Forms are available in the club and online for winter storage. Be sure to fill one out, and send it in along with a check. There is a chart in the clubhouse with the fees calculated based on the length of your boat. You can always call me at 419 474 4194 if you have any questions.

Club rules require that your name be on your trailer or cradle if is stored in the yard. It is becoming more important that you take care of this, as the number of new members and boats are increasing.

Dick Harley, Financial Secretary



Dick Harley

Financial Secretary

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**Live Music
Friday Nights
6-8 pm**



**“Ladies Fun Bunch
Lunch”**

**Wednesday,
December 14th at 11:30am.**



**Contact Judy Owens
to RSVP and for more info....
419-367-7759
15170magi@gmail.com**

**Georgio’s—Downtown located at
426 N Superior St, Toledo, OH**

hope to see you there!



“Lunch Bunch”

Vince Hebert

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Mark your calendars now!!!

**The next Lunch Bunch gathering
will be Wednesday,
December 21st at 11:45...**

**Black Forest Café located at
3624 Seaman Rd, Oregon OH**

Until then.....Capt. Vince



2022 Awards and Change of Watch Banquet

Friday, December 9th, 2022 6:30pm

St Michaels Center, 4001 Navarre Ave

Oregon, OH 43616

Questions should be addressed to Bill or Judy Owens

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Lynne Fogle
Entertainment Chair

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'tis the season...
TO ROCK
UGLY
SWEATERS



Ugly Sweater Christmas Party

Sunday, December 18th

Includes a Cookie Exchange, Caroling, White Elephant

Gift Exchange, and games. Club to provide the main

Dish. Members are asked to bring a traditional, favorite

Holiday dish to pass.

January/ February 2023 Events...

Chilli Cook-Off

Mardi Gras Party

More info to come....



MARK YOUR
CALENDAR!

December 2022

Ahoy Mates!!!



UPCOMING EVENTS.....

JRSC— Work Party, Saturday, December 3rd, 9:30am

JRSC—Annual Awards & Change of Watch Banquet, Friday, December 9th, 6:30pm, St Michaels Center on Navarre

JRSC—General Meeting, Tuesday, December 13th, 7pm

JRSC—Fun Lunch Bunch, Wednesday, December 14th, 11:30am, Georgios, see newsletter for info

JRSC—Ugly Sweater Christmas Party, Sunday, December 18th, more info to follow

JRSC—Lunch Bunch Wednesday, December 21st, Blackforest Café, see newsletter for info

JRSC—Board Meeting, NO BOARD MEETING THIS MONTH

JRSC—Euchre Starts, Friday, January 6th, 7pm. See newsletter for info

JRSC- General Meeting, Tuesday January 9th, 7pm

JRSC—Fun Lunch Bunch, Wednesday, January 11th, more info to follow

JRSC- Lunch Bunch, Wednesday, January 18th, more info to follow

JRSC—Board Meeting, Tuesday, January 24th, more info to follow



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Membership Appreciation Dinner 2022



The club still has a Chrysler 22, and two Xcites for sale.
Please see Neil or Jan for more information.



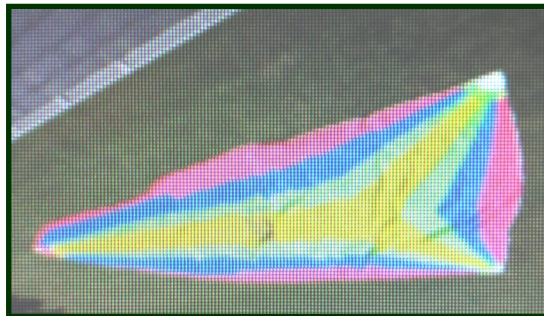
CURRENT MEMBERSHIP	
ACTIVE	66
ASSOCIATE	38
SOCIAL	44
JUNIOR	11
HONORARY	8
TOTAL	167

Greiner Symmetrical Spinnaker for Sale: \$350

Yellow/Green/Blue/Pink. 40ft Luff x 20.5ft Foot.
Excellent condition and still has that new feel to it.

Text or Call:
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Spinnaker



From the Editor

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Cut off date for the January 2023 edition will be December 27th.

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December 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3 Work Party 9:30am
4	5	6	7	8	9 Change of Watch 6:30pm	10
11	12	13 General Mtg 7pm	14 Fun Lunch Bunch	15	16	17
18	19	20	21 Lunch Bunch	22	23	24
25 	26 Skuldigger Deadline	27	28	29	30	31 

January 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 	2	3	4	5	6 Euchre Starts 7pm	7
8	9	10 General Mtg 7 p.m.	11 Fun Bunch Lunch	12	13 Euchre 7pm	14
15	16 	17	18 Lunch Bunch	19	20 Euchre 7pm	21
22	23	24 Board Meeting 7 p.m.	25	26	27 Euchre 7pm	28
29	30	31				



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Making Waves on Lake Erie!

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