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*The official Newsletter of the EAST LIGHT YACHT CLUB
EAST 55th Street Marina + Cleveland, Ohio
Established 1989*

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JUNE 2011

COMMODORE'S CORNER

Hello Everyone,

Summer is finally here, and the heat is upon us. It sure feels good. We had a great Hot Dog Day. We had over 150 people show up to join in the fun. We had a good selection of gifts to raffle off. Gail Zver was the big winner of the day. She took home a lot of prizes including the TV. I would like to thank all the people who made this event successful. Thanks to Steve Kelly who was in charge and did a fantastic job. Thanks to Ken Boice, Paula & Dave Svihlik, Colleen and Tim Seale, Gayle Zver, Tim Cline, Brandon Kelly, Annie Perko and everyone else who helped in any way.

The Rib Cook Off is our next event. It is scheduled for June 25, 2011. The contest starts with the cooking in the morning, and the dinner in the evening. Judging from 3:00pm to 4:00pm and Dinner from 5:00pm to 7:00pm. Samples of the ribs being cooked and judged will be available for purchase from 3:00pm to 4:00pm. We will award a people's choice trophy to the best tasting ribs voted by you, the public.

RESERVATIONS ARE A MUST FOR THE DINNER. THE DEADLINE IS JUNE 17, 2011. WE HAVE TO ORDER THE RIBS, SO PLEASE CONTACT TIM & COLLEEN SEALE AT 440-646-8881 FOR RESERVATIONS.

YOU MUST BE A MEMBER TO COOK IN THE RIB COOK OFF; SOME OF YOU THAT SIGNED UP HAVE NOT RENEWED YOUR MEMBERSHIP.

THIS IS YOUR LAST NEWSLETTER IF YOU HAVE NOT RENEWED YOUR MEMBERSHIP

THANK YOU TO NICK LAW FOR VOLUNTEERING TO BE DOCK CAPTAIN FOR "C" DOCK. I hope to see all of you at the Rib Cook Off and dinner. E mail me if you have any questions or concerns. Maggie37@cox.net

Maggie Milakovich

Commodore

MARINA NOTES

IF YOU HAVE ANY SUGGESTIONS FOR THIS YEARS EVENTS PLEASE E-MAIL ME AT
MAGGIE37@cox.net

IF YOU HAVE ANY MARINA COMPLAINTS, SUGGESTIONS, OR PRAISES SEND THEM TO:
ODNR – PARKS JIM SEIKEL MGR james.seikel@dnr.state.oh.us 216-881-8141

BOATING BITS

For sale: 30-amp cords, \$25; app. 120' 7/16 Vizzion line, \$150 (great big boat halyard or 2 genoa sheets); spinnaker sheet sets, with shackles, for up to 26' boat, \$75.00; superhooker anchor- chain line set with 14 lb. anchor, 6' white coated chain, 100' 3/8 line, looks like never used, \$65.00 (\$119 at WM). also Jeff 216-752-7504

Small Vessel Reporting System (SVRS)

(05/12/2011) As part of the Customs and Border Protection (CBP) comprehensive effort to improve the security of our nation's borders while enhancing legitimate travel specifically for small boaters, CBP has implemented the Small Vessel Reporting System (SVRS). This page contains an overview of the system, how it works, and who can enroll.

Overview

SVRS enables boaters to report quickly and easily to CBP their arrival from foreign waters.

It is a free, easy-to-use, voluntary program that you enroll for online.

Eligibility

SVRS is available to all U.S. citizens, nationals and lawful permanent residents; Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada who are nationals of a Visa Waiver Program country.

Current Local Boater Option participants, Trusted Traveler Program members and current holders of an I-68 (Canadian Border Boat Landing Permit) must apply for enrollment in SVRS on-line in order to participate, but they do not need to schedule an interview with a CBP officer to complete their application.

How to Enroll

The enrollment system is Web-based. New applicants register online and self-schedule an interview with a CBP officer at an authorized reporting location of their choice.

Participants receive a welcoming email with their Boater Registration (BR) number and password for SVRS.

Availability

Current - May 2011

The system is currently deployed in Florida, Puerto Rico, United States Virgin Islands, and the United States/Canada border.

Future Locations

SVRS will be deployed next in the following locations. Check back at this page for updates.

- West Coast: Oregon to California
- East Coast: New York City to Georgia
- Gulf of Mexico: Alabam to Texas.

Spread The Word!

2011 ELYC BRIDGE

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Secretary:	Colleen Seale	D-33	440-646-8881	sealec@ferro.com

2011 DOCK CAPTAINS

A Dock:	Steve & Kathy Kelly	A-19	216-402-7447	magnacrete@yahoo.com
B Dock:	Bob & Kitty Rak	B-49	440-886-2614	krnessie@sbcglobal.net
C Dock:	Nick Law	C-50	440-234-0192	
D Dock:	David Svihlik	D-6	440-439-5285	pjsvihlik@yahoo.com
E Dock:	Jim Wilhoite	E-40	216-346-4034	james_bigdog1@YAHOO.com
F Dock:	NEED A DOCK CAPTAIN			

WE NEED DOCK CAPTAINS FOR F-DOCK. PLEASE CALL MAGGIE AT 216-299-0418
IF YOU ARE INTERESTED.

GENERAL CLUB MEETING DATES 2011

APRIL 21, 2011
ELYC GENERAL Meeting.
E. 55th Marina Restaurant 7:00 pm

MAY 19, 2011
ELYC GENERAL Meeting.
E. 55th Marina Restaurant 7:00 pm

JULY 21, 2011
ELYC GENERAL Meeting
E. 55th Marina Restaurant 7:00 pm

AUGUST 18, 2011
ELYC GENERAL MEETING
E. 55th Marina Restaurant 7:00 pm

SEPTEMBER 15, 2011
ELYC Nominations Meeting.
E. 55th Marina Restaurant 7:00 pm

OCTOBER 20 2011
ELYC Elections Meeting
E. 55th Marina Restaurant 7:00 pm

Times and locations may be subject to change.
Please check your current newsletter for updates

2011 UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS

JUNE 25, 2011

RIB COOK OFF/RIB DINNER

WHERE: EAST 55TH STREET DOCKS A,B,C,D,E, & F
WHEN: 4:00 PM TILL ??
ENTERTAINMENT: DJ / OR BAND
PRICE:
EVENT LEADERS: DOCK CAPTAIN'S

JULY 23, 2011

CHRISTMAS IN JULY

WHERE: EAST 55TH STREET MARINA CENTER BUILDING
WHEN: 4:00 PM TILL?
ENTERTAINMENT: TBA
PRICE: TBA
EVENT LEADER: MICHAEL AND MAGGIE MILAKOVICH 216-299-0418

AUGUST 6, 2011

STEAK ROAST

WHERE: EAST 55TH STREET MARINA CENTER PAVILION
WHEN: 4:30 PM TILL 7:30 PM
ENTERTAINMENT: TBA
PRICE: TBA
EVENT LEADER: CHUCK AND POLLY HORNING D-24 330-867-8413

SEPTEMBER 10, 2011

DOCK HOP

WHERE: EAST 55TH MARINA CENTER PAVILION
WHEN: 4:00 PM DINNER
ENTERTAINMENT: DJ OR BAND
PRICE: TBA
EVENT LEADER: DOCK CAPTAIN'S

SEPTEMBER 24, 2011

CLAMBAKE

WHERE: CAPTAIN'S QUARTERS AT EAST 55TH STREET MARINA
WHEN: 5:00 PM TILL ?
ENTERTAINMENT: TBA
PRICE: TBA
EVENT LEADER: TIM AND COLLEEN SEALE D-17 440-646-8881

OCTOBER, 2011

PULL OUT PARTY

WHERE: CAPTAINS QUARTERS AT 55TH STREET MARINA
WHEN: 5:00 PM TILL ?
ENTERTAINMENT: TBA
PRICE: TBA
EVENT LEADER: TBA

FEBRUARY 11, 2012

COMMODORE'S BALL

WHERE: DOUBLETREE HOTEL, INDEPENDENCE
WHEN: 6:00 PM TILL ?
ENTERTAINMENT: TBA
PRICE: TBA
EVENT LEADER:



THE 2011 ELYC RIB FEST

SATURDAY JUNE 25, 2011

DINNER SERVED.....5:00 - 7:00 P.M.

DINNER: RIBS, POTATOES, BAKED BEANS, COLE SLAW, ROLL & DESSERT.

PRICES: MEMBERS: $\frac{1}{2}$ SLAB DINNER.....\$12.00
NON MEMEBERS: $\frac{1}{2}$ SLAB DINNER....\$14.00
MEMBERS: FULL SLAB DINNER.....\$18.00
NON-MEMBERS: FULL SLAB DINNER...\$20.00

RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED: DEADLINE IS JUNE 18TH

SEND THIS FORM IN BY JUNE 18, 2011

NAME: _____ PHONE NUMBER: _____

DOCK# _____

OF DINNER $\frac{1}{2}$ SLABS _____

OF DINNER FULL SLABS _____

MEMBERS _____ NON MEMBERS _____

TOTAL AMOUNT PAID _____

MAIL PAYMENT TO: PAULA SVIHLIK, 233 PAUL ST, BEDFORD, OHIO 44146 OR SUBMIT TO YOUR DOCK CAPTAIN OR TIM AND COLLEEN SEALE D-33 440-646-8881



THE 2011 ELYC RIB COOK-OFF

SATURDAY JUNE 25, 2011

ENTER YOUR TEAM IN THE COMPETITION FOR THE TITLE OF
"ELYC 2011 RIB COOK-OFF CHAMPIONS"

TEAMS: EACH TEAM WILL PREPARE 3 SLABS OF RIBS FOR JUDGING

PRIZES: AWARDS FOR 1ST, 2ND, 3RD AND PEOPLE'S CHOICE

JUDGES: CLEVELAND FIRE DEPARTMENT

ENTRIES: \$30.00 ENTRY FEE BUT MUST SIGN UP BY JUNE 18, 2011. ENTRY FEE
WILL GO TOWARDS PRIZE MONEY

TIMES: OFFICIAL JUDGING.....3:00 - 4:00 P.M.
DINNER.....5:00 - 7:00 P.M.

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WHERE: EAST 55TH STREET MARINA CENTER PAVILION

DETAILS: FOR MORE DETAILS OR TO VOLUNTEER CALL TIM OR COLLEEN 4406468881

2011 ELYC RIB COOK-OFF OFFICIAL RULES

Each team must have at least one member from ELYC.

Each team must name one member Captain.

\$30.00 Entry Fee per team. All entry money will go towards prizes.

No team Captain or team members shall be eligible to judge.

The Club will supply 3 slabs of ribs to each team for judging.

Each team will supply all other cooking needs, including charcoal.

Ribs will be available for pick-up by Team Captains at the Marina Headquarters Building from 6:00 to 8:00 PM Friday June 24th.

Ribs may be cleaned, rubbed, or marinated prior to the competition, but must be uncooked at the start of the competition on Saturday June 25TH 2011.

All cooking must be done at the Marina Headquarters Building located in the center of the East 55th St. Marina.

Team Captains must submit the teams rib entries for judging at 3:00 P.M.

The numbers assigned to the teams will be unknown to all teams and all judges.

In the event of a tie three judges will be chosen at random from the existing group of judges to determine the winner.

Extra Bones will be sold to members only.

Deadline to enter is June 18th 2011.

To sign up or any further details contact Tim or Colleen Seale 440-646-8881.

Membership

9 Reasons To Join East Light Yacht Club

1. **USE YOUR BOAT MORE** - Club activities give you the reason to get on the water, which is why we all have boats. Reciprocal agreements with yacht clubs up and down the lake allow you the opportunity to use facilities all over the Great Lakes. Most other clubs around the world will allow you to use their facilities if you present your ELYC membership card.
2. **GREAT SOCIAL ACTIVITIES** - Ever wonder what to do on an empty weekend? The club will help fill your social agenda. Several of these events are free to members and in most cases **YOU GET ALL OF YOUR DUES BACK IN FREE EVENTS!**
3. **CRUISES, CRUISES, CRUISES** – East Light Yacht Club is active with cruise groups in the area. With five ILYA cruises scheduled every season, it is not uncommon to have several boats show up and enjoy the activities.
4. **BOATING SAFETY** - East light Yacht Club has an active program with the United States Power Squadron. Providing safety checks, and boating classes.
5. **Legislation, and information** – East Light Yacht Club has representatives in the Greater Cleveland Boating Association, Inter Lake Yachting Association, Blue Gavel, and The United States Power Squadron. These organizations have lobbying representation at both the state and federal level. They are working hard to make sure that we don't loose our marina. Stay informed at our web site. eastlightyachtclub.com
6. **Inexpensive** – No where on the great lakes can you join an accredited yacht club with all the activities and connections we offer for this price. Most other clubs are two to three hundred per month after an initiation fee is paid. We also receive a club discount at West marine (boatus)
7. **Newsletter** - Receive the monthly activity newsletter.
8. **Family Friendly** – East Light Yacht Club has events for all ages, from our Christmas in July with Santa! To our annual Clambake and of course the Commodores ball/
9. **MAKE NEW FRIENDS** - Perhaps the best reason to join - the club is a great place to be with a bunch of boating people in our marina you will want to know.

We need your email so that we can send the newsletter to you. It will also help us to notify you of important marina notices.

THE MEMBERSHIP FORM IS ON THE WEBSITE IF YOU NEED TO DOWNLOAD A SECOND COPY.

EAST LIGHT YACHT CLUB 2011 MEMBERSHIP & RENEWAL

To be included in the 2011 ELYC roster, this APPLICATION and PAYMENT must be COMPLETED, SIGNED and RECEIVED by May 1, 2011 ALL information marked with an * asterisk, MUST be completed (if applicable). All other information is optional. Please return the ENTIRE form. Please print clearly.

*DOCK # _____ *LAST NAME _____ *FIRST _____ M.I. _____

*SPOUSE'S NAME: _____

*FIRST NAMES (All dependent children under 18, still living at home): _____

*ADDRESS: _____ *CITY: _____ *STATE: _____ *ZIP: _____

*HOME PHONE: _____ CELL PHONE: _____

BOAT NAME: _____ BOAT PHONE: _____

*E-MAIL ADDRESS: (we need this so that we can notify you in an emergency OR WITH IMPORTANT NOTICES). _____

*OTHER YACHT CLUBS: _____

SEND NEWSLETTER: BY REGULAR MAIL _____ BY E-MAIL _____

WOULD YOU BE INTERESTED IN RUNNING FOR A CLUB OFFICE? YES _____ NO _____

WOULD YOU BE INTERESTED IN BEING A DOCK CAPTAIN? YES _____ NO _____

WOULD YOU BE INTERESTED IN ASSISTING IN ANY CLUB EVENT? YES _____ NO _____

*MEMBER'S SIGNATURE: _____ *DATE _____

2010 MEMBERSHIP FEES

(PLEASE CHECK ONE ONLY)

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP

	New	Renewal
Single*	\$ 50.00 _____	\$35.00 _____
Joint**	\$ 60.00 _____	\$50.00 _____
Family***	\$70.00 _____	\$60.00 _____

SOCIAL MEMBERSHIP

New and/or Renewal
Single* \$35.00 _____
Joint** \$50.00 _____
Family \$60.00 _____

After May 30th there will be a \$5.00 charge added to the above membership fee _____

GENERAL MEMBERS Qualifications & Definitions: Anyone, regardless of race, color, creed, sex, or handicap who meets ONE of the following;

* **“Single Membership”:** One person who is a dock holder at E. 55th Marina. One (1) vote per single membership. He or she may purchase three additional event tickets at the membership rate.

** **“Joint Membership”:** A legally married couple or any couple living together with one being a dock holder at E. 55th Marina and they have no dependent children less than 18 years of age. Two (2) votes per couple. He or she may purchase six event tickets at the membership rate.

*** **“Family Membership”** A legally married couple, any couple living together or a single parent with one of whom is a dock holder at E. 55th Marina with dependent children under eighteen living at home. Two (2) votes per couple or one vote for a single parent. All family members may purchase one ticket each per event and four additional tickets per family.

SOCIAL MEMBERSHIP Qualifications & Definitions: Anyone, regardless of race, color, creed, sex, or handicap who is NOT a dock holder at E. 55th Marina and is recommended by a member of this Club, is eligible for membership. These are non-voting memberships. “Social Members” shall enjoy all benefits of the East Light Yacht Club, except voting rights.

* **“Single Membership”:** One person. He or She may purchase up to three event tickets at the member price.

** **“Joint Membership”:** A legally married couple or any couple living together and they have no dependent children less than 18 years of age. He or She may purchase six event tickets at the membership price.

*** **Family Membership”:** A legally married couple, any couple living together or single parent and they have dependent children less than 18 years of age living at home. He or She may purchase six event tickets at the membership price per family.

TERMINATION OF MEMBERSHIP:

a. Membership will terminate upon death and/or loss of dock at E 55th Street Marina per ODNR dockage regulations, with the exception that, upon the death of a member, the surviving spouse shall have full membership rights.

b. Those members who leave the E. 55th Street Marina and give up dockage may continue to be a member so long as dues are paid as required. This provision is also applicable to a surviving spouse.

Application for membership: Applications for membership into the Club shall be made by petitioning any Officer or member of the Club.

Other Club Affiliations: Any member of East Light Yacht Club may be a member of any other yacht clubs.

PLEASE GIVE YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS AS WE NEED IT TO SEND YOU THE NEWSLETTER AND OR NOTIFY YOU OF IMPORTANT EVENTS

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:

EAST LIGHT YACHT CLUB, INC.

MAIL CHECKS AND COMPLETED FORM TO:

**E.L.Y.C. MEMBERSHIPS
P. O. BOX 31607
Independence, Oh 44131**

If you have any questions regarding this form, contact Vice Commodore Ken Boice (a-6) at 440-338-7077



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