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## Commodore's Corner



### John Moldovan (RJ)

Commodore

Two more weeks until Summer starts. June 21<sup>st</sup> to be precise. To get the season started the Fitting Out Party was a blast. A lot of people showed up and everybody had a good time. I want to welcome all the members that renewed their membership and also welcome the new ones. I want to take this opportunity and invite all the new members to our monthly meeting which is the second Wednesday of the month down at the Marina's Pavilion. We would like to meet you and welcome you to our club. Here is the list of new members:

Eric Vestfal	Regular
James P Eperjese	Regular
Jay Carson	Regular
Jeff Vogel	Regular
Kevin P Moran	Regular
Marty Horvata	Regular
Matthew Foraker	Regular
Pete Mann	Regular
Vince Kremperger	Regular
David Gutfranski	Associate
Ed Meister	Associate
Eric Spera	Associate
Frankie Petrucci	Associate
Jack B. Nimble	Associate
James Kane	Associate
Nora Thomas	Associate
Tara Schreiber	Associate
Tony Maglionico	Associate

Welcome to EMBC!!!....

For the latest information on all the events that we have planned please go to [www.embc-cleve.com](http://www.embc-cleve.com). Any of you can also log in and start their own webpage where you can update your information, add pictures and view other members WebPages. There is also a Forum where you can communicate with other members. If you would like to log in please let me know and I will provide your Username and Password.

Our next monthly meeting will be held at EMBC Pavilion down at the Marina on June 11<sup>th</sup> at 7:30PM. Please try to attend.

RJ

## From the Vice

### Dan Othberg

Vice Commodore



## Rantings from the Rear

### Bruce Hill

Rear Commodore



## Fleet News and Views

### Steve Longa

Fleet Captain



This spring has been funky. Temps hover'd around 58~60 degrees and I had no urge to get wet washing down or painting my boat. Let's hope the summer swelter returns. After several reschedules I finally putin, a month after RJ putin. So much for my energy.

In the month of May we had several cookouts. Our primary event, the Fitting-Out party was a success I was told. We registered nine new associate members and eight full members. The Commodore and I for the most part were in the recruiting office registering members online. Our database is accessible to all registered members and it is recommended to check and update your profiles if need be. A complete member list will be provided to the front office, Linda and Tara, for gate card purchase at a cost of \$20.00. Membership ID's will be distributed in the month of June.

As for the Poker Run this year, it's been suggested to keep it simple due to our lackluster economy. We blowboaters are still running on last years fuel supply but

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recognize the cost of refueling a powerboat. Maybe it's time for a snails pace to shine against the hare. Anyhow the event will consist of cruising out of the harbor around the crib and heading over to E55th marina, tying up to the Tiki barge for the nite. This event needs to be finalized at our next monthly meeting.

As for extra-curricular activities, I've enjoyed several sails even though my boats been on the hard. RJ and I have gone out four times navigating ~26nm. The wicked pisser is I get to hold the tiller while he does all the work. Of-course I'm exaggerating. We're thinking of making a trip up Fairport Harbor sometime this summer and we invite any member participation.

One last note I would like to add is that we finally purchase a wifi repeater so us folks on c-dock can connect on the fly. If I'm not mistaken I believe we voted and approved it's purchase in one of our previous meetings.

Your Fleet Captain,

Enjoy.

## Secretary Escritoire

**Nina Gamin**  
Secretary



Happy Father's Day to all you dads and granddads! I would like to share a story from my youth about my dear old dad.

While my family was not exactly poor, I guess we'd be called lower, lower-middle-class. Like many mothers at the time, mine was a stay-at-home mom, and with four children, we were not in a position to enjoy many extras. So when it became obvious that the house needed a new driveway, my parents scrimped and saved two seasons to afford a new asphalt coating. We were so proud to have such a visible update to improve our property.

After the winter thaw and the onset of spring, from a hairline crack in the middle of the driveway sprang a green shoot - unmistakably a daffodil - where none had ever been before. My mother freaked! "Oh good Lord! All that money! Wait till your father gets home! Now we'll have to sue those no-good-nicks! (My mother was a very gentle lady.) Why did this have to happen to us!?!"

When my father did get home from work, Mom marched him right out to the back yard with all the kids waiting and watching for the eminent explosion of words, threats and curses. My father knelt to more closely examine the aberration. As he rose, he

removed his glasses and wiped his glistening eyes and exclaimed, "Isn't nature wonderful?"

This story serves to illuminate several morals, if you will. First, don't sweat the small stuff. Second, stop to smell the roses (or daffodils, or sea air...). Third, you never know but that something you say will stay with a person for forty years or longer. And the final thing that occurs to me is that - if my opinions or reactions are not always typical or "normal", perhaps I have my father to thank (or blame).

I love you and miss you, Taty. You were the best dad e v e r.

P. S. Happy Birthday to Steve Antel. We hope to see you behind the green gate by then.

## The Social Scene

**Sherry Wilke**  
Entertainment Committee

Good Weather equals Great Fitting out Party. We even made new friends, who now are club members. Thanks to all that helped make this event a good one.

Up coming events for June

14<sup>th</sup> Taste of the Marine

Remember, everyone is welcome, so bring your side dish and join for some fun, never know what is waiting for you!

21<sup>st</sup> Walleye tournament

Contact Walter with any questions.

28<sup>th</sup> Dock Crawl

Everyone who wants to par take, will pick up a balloon and fly it from your boat.

This is also open to all boaters, what a good way to meet others in our marina. See you all on e-9

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## Birthday Wishes

Jack B. Nimble	06	10
Terry J Wilke	06	26
Tony Maglionic	06	28
Mark McManamon	06	23
Joe Jozity	06	24
Nina Gamin	06	19



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Please submit all articles to John Moldovan at [news@embc-cleve.com](mailto:news@embc-cleve.com). Please let me know about any illness, deaths, marriages, births, etc. so that we can publish them in our newsletter.

## Jack's Place

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Jack was allowed to have his Jumper Cables back only after he promised not to start anything.

You are stuck with your debt if you can't budge it.

A will is a dead giveaway.

Time flies like an arrow; fruit flies like a banana.

Virginity like bubble, one prick, all gone.

Man who run in front of car get tired.

Man who run behind car get exhausted.

Finally.....What's The Difference Between a Bad Golfer And a Bad Skydiver?  
A Bad Golfer Goes, Whack, Dang!  
A Bad Skydiver Goes Dang! Whack .

Till next time,  
Jack XXX

## Upcoming Meetings

EMBC monthly meetings are held the second Wednesday of each month at 7:30pm. During the warm months the meetings will be held at The Pavilion, down at the Marina



**June 11<sup>th</sup>**  
EMBC Monthly Meeting

## The Editor's Notes

**Deadline for articles in our July newsletter is June 29<sup>th</sup>.**

Please send in any and all articles; personal news, things for sale, cruise stories, letters to the editor, etc., etc. Pictures are welcome, include some details.

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