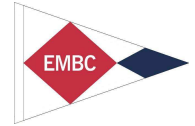


Edgewater Marina Boat Club's Rudder Post



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Commodore's Corner



John Moldovan (RJ)

Commodore

Where did this month go...? Time flies when you're having fun.

I am going to keep it short this time around. Although I like to write and babble about things in this newsletter I also like to read what everybody else has to say. I wish that some of my other Officers would share my enthusiasm about this subject. When was the last time you read something From the Vice or Rantings from the Rear? If I can't get my Officers to participate maybe we can find somebody else that would like to contribute to the newsletter. I know that there is somebody out there that would like to show off their scriptural skills. If you would like to start your own column about something specific, like fishing, boat repair, or anything else for that matter please contact me. I know that we can add more variety to the newsletter.

For the latest information on all the events that we have planned please go to 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 September 10th 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

Welcome back to this corner of our newsletter. All the officers have had their say, and it's time for me to continue rambling on.

Let me start by congratulating all members for participating in our shin-dig Aug 9th. It was a spur-of-the-moment event. We had Chris C. and the 'Second Hand Dogs' along with Dave N. and 'Strangers of the Street' displaying their artistic abilities to our delight. We all enjoyed the evening until the torrential rains came down. Just the same we all kept our spirits up and the bands kept on playing under a canopy.

Once again I was surprised. While it was raining, I was pouring refreshments in the shed, until Renee appeared with her fiddle. She sweetly asked, "Would I mind if she plays on the fiddle". Little did I know I'd be serenaded the rest of the night. It was like, I'll play a tune and you name it. 'Leave-it-to-Beaver, Beatles, Hawaii Five-0, Hogan's Heroes ...'

You-name-it I'll-play-it, she said. This was wicked. We had folks yelling out 'can you play??' The night went on and it was a pleasure to tune into the talent we have in our backyard.

Just the same, I'd like to announce that Chris C and the 'Second Hand Dogs' will be appearing once again, Sept 13, to capture our enjoyment. It's BYOB and food for now.

We still need to institute the Cornhole Tourney and the Regatta. It's getting late.

Sorry, but that's all folks.
Enjoy

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The Social Scene

Sherry Wilke

Entertainment Committee

Now for the biggest event of the season.

The Dan Zola Orchestra will perform for us on Saturday August 30th, that's this Saturday. Great Big Band music from an 18 piece orchestra. Your feet will be movin'. Music will be from 8 till 11pm. Food and beverages will start at 6:30pm. Check out the air show from your dock or boat. Then stay for the music and dancing.

The Ox Roast was a great event. There was a nice variety of side dishes, thanks to all who brought food. Another thanks to all who helped prepare for the event. Dustin did a fine job of playing the tunes.

September is an open month so lets make some plans for a Browns tail gate party.

The next event is the EMBC Clambake. This will take place on Saturday October 4th. Our own Dave Meister will be putting the event on. What kind of great dessert will he surprise us with this year? The shed opens at 6:30pm and the dinner is served at 7pm. Get your reservations in asap. September 28th is the deadline for ordering.

Last year member pricing was \$23, for non-members it was \$25. This years pricing should be close to that but may be up a bit. Explorer Browser.Ink

As always you have a choice, "steak or bake".

Remember the entertainment committee is about: planning, shopping for good prices, getting help for setting up and cleaning up. Good help is hard to come by.

See you at Zola,

Sherry

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Birthday Wishes

Bob Girosky	9	5
Michael Longa	9	5
Pete Mann	9	8
Joshua J Wilke	9	11
Eric Vestfal	9	15
Diane Thwaite	9	17
Joy Longa	9	17
Dan OHara	9	22



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FROM THE SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

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



Web Stuff

Submitted by Buck Wilke



Here we are, this is the September newsletter already,

What should we call this summer? The summer of wind or maybe white cap summer. How about this, the summer that blew by. Am I right or wrong, isn't this the windiest boating season in your memory?

Well one thing for certain is if we are nearing the end of summer, we are ready for the Dan Zola Orchestra to entertain us. Come on down to the pavilion on Saturday, August 30, for the best blast of the summer. Food and beverages start at 6:30 pm and the best part, the music and dancing runs from 8 till 11 pm. Support your club and be there with your friends for the festivities. Everyone is welcome.

Below is a reprint of a letter that was emailed to me from Boat US. Read it and be happy.

Dear BoatU.S. Member,

Thanks to some great teamwork, the threat of a new EPA discharge permit for all your boats is gone!

On Tuesday night, President Bush signed into law "The Clean Boating Act of 2008," which gives recreational boats a permanent exemption for the court imposed EPA discharge permit.

I thank each of you for helping create this victory for boating. Every time we asked for your help, you were there to push the legislation further down the path towards successful passage. You contacted your Members of Congress and helped them understand the importance of boating in your life. And Congress heard the loud voices of tens of thousands of boaters! Nice work!

Enjoy the rest of the summer on the water!

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For more information on this topic please visit
www.boat.us/gov.

Trojans and Viruses and Worms, oh my!!! Does this stuff worry you? It should. But you don't have to pay for the protection that you need. There are freebies out there, you just have to download them. Here are two such anti-virus

programs that you can have for free. I use "Avast" home, this is a free program. Another really good free one is "AVG". The two sites are listed below:

Avast free for home use.

<http://avast.com/eng/download-avast-home.html>

AVG free anti-virus <http://free.avg.com/>

Both of these programs do a good job, I just prefer the Avast.

Till next month,

Buck Wilke

Jack's Place

August 2008



Jack's Laws of Universal Truth (Part three):

Law of the Theater

At any event, the people whose seats are furthest from the aisle arrive last.

Law of Thermodynamics

As soon as you sit down to a cup of hot coffee, your boss will ask you to do something which will last until the coffee is cold.

Jack's Law of Lockers

If there are only two people in a locker room, they will have adjacent lockers..

Law of Rugs/Carpets

The chances of an open-faced jelly sandwich landing face down on a floor covering are directly correlated to the newness and cost of the carpet/rug..

Law of Location

No matter where you go, there you are.

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



September 10th
EMBC Monthly Meeting

The Editor's Notes

Deadline for articles in our July newsletter is September 27th.

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.

Items may be sent to the Editor.



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You can email your article to:
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