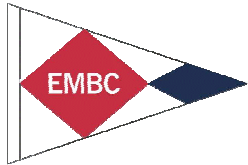
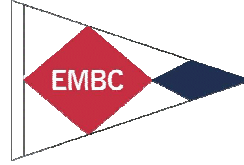


# Edgewater Marina Boat Club



## Rudder Post



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#### Events Calendar

- > Winter Meetings Moved to Sidetracks, 13429 Lakewood Hts. Bl.
- > Commodores Ball— March 27th



### Commodores Corner



**Bruce Hill** - Commodore

Happy New Year All Let's hope for a warm and sunny 2010 boating year .May the winds blow out of the south/ Southwest

all Summer long. Sea you all at the next meeting at Sidetracks.

Bruce

### Rantings from the Rear



**Rick Verrell** - Rear Commodore

Happy New Year 2010!

Hope everyone had a great holiday! With the New Year starting and spring just a few months away, hope everyone is thinking about the upcoming boating season. I have been trying to tackle a few of the items on my "to-do-list", which has included refinishing more of the teak trim and rebuilding the seats for the fly bridge. Winter has finally arrived, with a vengeance, and the Marina just doesn't look the same. The ice started to form shortly after Christmas in and around the docks. Christmas day there were a few trailer boats out. Went down there on Wednesday, Jan. 6 and as far out you could see was ice on the lake! Hopefully the ice will leave as quickly as it came in.

I would like to thank everyone that showed up for our last meeting. We had our voting for officers and trustees, and have a few changes in office. Hope everyone will help and support the Board in this New Year. Remember that it is the members and not just the members of the board that make up EMBC. The purpose of this club shall be to promote, protect and encourage the sport of boating; to encourage the members to become familiar with and to adhere to the rules and laws of navigation and seamanship and to promote and encourage sociability and friendship among

its members, as per our Constitution. Our next monthly meeting will again be held at the new location at Side Tracks on Lakewood Hts Blvd instead of the Zone Car.

The Mid-America Boat Show again will be held in January and also the Sports and Travel Show at the I-X Center. Time to get out there pick out a new boat or maybe just dream about one just a little bit bigger! I heard a rumor that Tiger Wood's Yacht may be up for sale. I figure that if all members chip in, say \$250,000 each (\$20,000,000 245ft boat/80members=\$250,000) we could take turns using it. Keep dreaming Rick. Well that's all for know, hope to see everyone at the next meeting and down at the Marina come spring.



Think Spring!

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**Birthday Wishes**

Eli Matthews	1	1
Michelle Parson	1	1
Renee Matthews	1	1
Dave Hamm	1	1
Robert Perkins	1	3
Joe Tomazic	1	3
Debbie Brown	1	3
Jill	1	6
Joan Atzec	1	12
Ray Bliscik	1	17
Gunther Wingert	1	20
Thomas Habanek	1	22
Tom Banyas	1	29



**2010 Flag Officers**

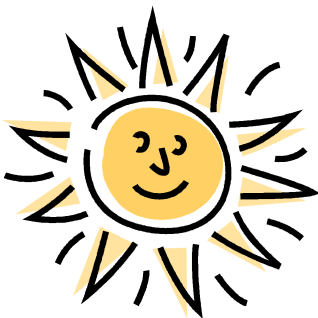
Commodore – Bruce Hill  
 Past Commodore – John Moldovan  
 Vice Commodore – Rick Verrell  
 Rear Commodore – Dale Gutfranski  
 Fleet Captain – Dave Meister  
 Treasurer – Dan Othberg  
 Secretary – Kathy Verrell

**Committees**

Sunshine – Nina Gamin  
 Entertainment – Ray Bliscik  
 Refreshment – Dale Gutfranski & Nina Gamin  
 Membership – RJ & Steve Longa  
 Publicity Director – RJ  
 By-Laws – Chris Cieplowski  
 Nominating – Vacant  
 ILYA Delegate – Tom Habanek  
 GCBA Delegate – Tom Habanek

**Board of Trustees**

- Chuck Davis
- Roger Nickolas
- Terry Wilke
- John Moldovan
- Gunther Wingert
- Dave Murrow



**Fleet News and Views**



by Tom Habanek

Aloha

Been thinking of a few things and reading about a few more. I came upon this funny story of adventure which somehow reminded me of a guy we met in a bar (had to be) in Wrightsville Beach NC talking about his experience there on his boat in a windstorm and his "dinghyboat". I was laughing so hard at

that story we got free drinks all night. This other one has the same air about it. See some of you at the boat show.

Here is the funny story and a long one.

<http://www.davearcher.com/goodwill.html>

**Secretary's Escritoire**



Kathy Verrell - Secretary



As we welcome January with its frigid cold and snow, Thoughts of summer-time on the boat keep me warm.

I hope all of you had a wonderful Christmas and New Year. Ours was filled with family time, great food and happy memories.

The next big function our club has is

the Commodores Ball. It is the last Saturday in March. We will be taking reservations at the January meeting or by e-mail at [kittyv55@sbcglobal.net](mailto:kittyv55@sbcglobal.net). You can call either Ray or myself for information as well.

Congratulations to all of the officers and trustees that were voted in at last months meeting. We have some new voices on the board this time around which should make this months meeting very interesting. Thanks to Sherry and Cristy for counting the ballots.

Looking forward to seeing all of you at the meeting,

Your secretary, Kathy

## Minutes of December 9, 2009 Meeting



The meeting was called to order at 7:36PM, there were 23 members in attendance including 5 officers and 4 trustees.

The minutes of the November meeting were read and approved.

Reports from the Officers;

Treasurer: We put a deposit down at Brennans for \$600.00. We currently have \$6812.02 in the bank.

Reports from the entertainment Committee:

The Commodores Ball will be held on Saturday March 27th at Brennans. The menu and price will be the same as last year.

Voting was held and here are the results.

Commodore; Bruce Hill

Vice Commodore; Rick Verrell

Rear Commodore; Dale Gutfranski

Treasurer; Dan Othberg

Secretary; Kathy Verrell

Fleet Captain; Dave Meister

Trustees; Chuck Davis, John Moldovan, Dave Murrow, Roger Nicholas, Terry Wilke, Gunther Wingert.

Sherry Wilke and Cristy Schott counted the ballots. Thank you.

There was no new or old business. We voted on where to hold our meetings and the majority wanted them at the "Side Tracks" bar. The new officers take over effective January 1st.

The 50-50 raffle was for \$58.00 and was won by John Moldovan

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15

### Upcoming Meetings

EMBC monthly meetings are held the second Wednesday of each month at 7:30pm. During the cold months the meetings will be held at Side Tracks Bar , 13429 Lakewood Hts. Blvd.



**January 13th**  
EMBC Monthly Meeting

### Editor's Notes

**Deadline for articles in our next Newsletter is January 29th.**

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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Cleveland, OH 44111



