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Commodore's Report



Dear Members,

The first quarter of 2024 is flying by. It is another wet one so that means we will have plenty of cool water on the river this summer.

The Board of Directors is starting to plan out our summer events and we hope to have four or five cruise ins and cruise outs. Our Vice Commodore Kyle Cordes, Port Captain Tommy Keller and Fleet Captain Sam Teresi are working hard to put together these fun events. It has been a while since we have done any cruise outs, so a big round of thanks to Fleet Captain Teresi. Be sure to check the website for a list of upcoming events. There is also a list posted on the door to the clubhouse.

One of the best parts about being Commodore is to be able to acknowledge the hard work and extra effort one of our members makes for the club. In reality, I could list 10 or more members each month as we have quite a few dedicated members. This month I would like to recognize Patrica Chavez, Magic Rossi, Susan Cordes, and the whole decorating crew. These members have gone over the top with the club decorations for the Halloween Party, The Commodore's Ball, and the Valentines Day Party. We are very lucky to have such a nice clubhouse that allows us to hold these events and a great group of members that work so hard.

The next person I would like to recognize is Kathy Teresi. Kathy has taken on the responsibility of preparing those fantastic meals for the Commodores Ball and the Valentines Day Party. Her dishes are amazing and are already the talk of the Delta Yachting community. She has volunteered to cook the meals for as many of our events as she can. I know from personal experience that cooking the meals for these events is a daunting task and Kathy handles it like a true professional.

Having said all this, I am honored and have the great pleasure in appointing **Kathy Teresi** as the **Executive Chef of the Marina West Yacht Club**. We will be posting her picture along with her name and title on the wall of Officers and Appointees in the entry hall of the Clubhouse.

Summer is just around the corner and Dana and I cannot wait to see all of you at the clubhouse and on the river.

Yours in service,

Bill Power
Commodore



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Vice Commodore's Report

Dear Members,

Where in the world will your MWYC membership take you? As a reminder, your membership grants you reciprocal privileges at other PICYA member yacht clubs (PICYA = Pacific Inter-Club Yacht Association.) As you travel around northern California, pull out that giant smartphone and do a quick map search for yacht clubs. You might be surprised at what you find. If a club is open, stop in for a visit. Doing so can be fun and interesting!

Are you traveling outside of northern California? No problem! Most yacht clubs happily offer reciprocal privileges to one degree or another, including your club.

Members Bridget & Terry Sholin recently visited the Devonport Yacht Club. Where is that? Any guesses? See below.



Bridget & Terry Sholin at Devonport Yacht Club in Auckland, New Zealand. dyc.org.nz

Member Karen Kleckner at the St. Croix Yach Club. www.stcroixyc.com



And earlier in February, Susan and I visited Naivasha Yacht Club, a Kenyan sailing club, on their own little island in Lake Naivasha, Kenya.



Susan & Kyle at Naivasha Yacht Club. www.nyc.co.ke



Lake Naivasha



Hippo warning at Naivash Yach Club

When you visit another club, send me a photo so I can share! I would love to know what you are up to!

Yours in service,

Kyle Cordes
Vice Commodore



Rear Commodore

Hello Members,

Our cruise in season has kicked off with the recent visit from Delta Marina Yacht Club from Rio Vista. This club has traditionally come each and every Valentine's Day weekend for many years, even before the club moved to Oxbow Marina. We plan to reconnect with them on our upcoming Memorial Day weekend visit to Delta Marina harbor.

While we are waiting to firm up some dates for other clubs who wish to pay us a visit, this season, I am looking forward to opening the clubhouse and bar on the weekends as we move on from winter. Please be sure to let me know of any ideas you may have for activities or food items we can all enjoy on a Friday or Saturday evening at the club. We always need fresh ideas from you all. Having a 'Game Night' coupled with a simple and inexpensive dinner has always been popular in the past.

With regards to Bar operations, we have some compliance items we need to work on. Since July of 2022, The ABC requires that all persons who serve on premises alcoholic beverages have a certificate on file upon completion of the online training course. As the primary member who bartends, I got the certificate long before the required date. We only have two other members, Jessica, and Kyle, who also hold a certificate. It has been suggested that we get maybe another four members or so to get together on a Saturday at the club and take the online course together. MWYC really needs more help behind the bar at events and in my absence when I am travelling. Please help your club and let me know if you are interested. We would like to complete this before May if at all possible. The cost is minimal and we can organize it to take the training from a single service provider. For more information about the program and its details, see: <https://www.abc.ca.gov/education/rbs/>

Thanks in advance for your support with this and I look forward to seeing you all at the club!

John Romero
Rear Commodore & Clubhouse Manager



March 2024

Denise Abbott - 9th

Valerie Speno - 17th

Patrick Ruff - 19th

Kim Korth - 24th

Birdie Forsythe - 26th



See the Bartender for Your Birthday Drink Token



April 2024

Kevin Rose - 8th

Kerry Rose - 9th

Charlie Marwedel - 11th

Bridget Sholin - 14th

Karen Kleckner - 17th

Jim Montgomery - 23rd

Barbara Cheddar - 27th

Sam Teresi - 30th



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Welcome Our New Members



Jim & Kay Montgomery





MARINA WEST <i>Yacht Club</i>		2024 CALENDAR	Revised: 2/17/24
<u>JANUARY</u>		<u>JULY</u>	
13	Board of Director's Meeting @ M.W.Y.C. Oxbow	6	July 4th Boat Parade & Pancake Breakfast
13	Commodore's Ball Hosted by: Kathy Teresi	12-14	Sacramento Yacht Club & Epic Float
		19	Friday, Unleashed Poker Run
		TBD	Board of Director's Meeting Week of the 15th
		27	General Membership Dinner & Game Night
<u>FEBRUARY</u>		<u>AUGUST</u>	
9 - 10	Valentines Day Celebration & Cruise-in w/Delta Marina YC Hosted by: Romero, Teresi & Keller	TBD	Board of Director's Meeting (Select Nominating Committee)
17	Board of Director's Meeting @ M.W.Y.C. Oxbow	TBD	General Membership Dinner & Game Night
<u>MARCH</u>		<u>SEPTEMBER</u>	
TBD	Board of Director's Meeting Week of the 11th	TBD	Board of Director's Meeting
16	Quarterly General Membership Meeting, St. Patty's Corned Beef Dinner & Game Night: Hosted by: Kathy Teresi	TBD	Quarterly General Membership Meeting, Dinner & Game Night
23	Wine Tasting & Dinner		
<u>APRIL</u>		<u>OCTOBER</u>	
TBD	Board of Director's Meeting Week of the 8th	TBD	Board of Director's Meeting
13	General Membership Dinner & Game Night	TBD	General Membership Dinner & Game Night
27	Opening Day & Vessel Inspection	26	Halloween Party Hosted by: TBD
<u>MAY</u>		<u>NOVEMBER</u>	
4	General Membership Cinco De Mayo Fiesta & Game Night	TBD	Board of Director's Meeting
TBD	Board of Director's Meeting Week of the 13th	TBD	Sacramento Bayliner Club Cruise-In
24-27	Cruise Out: Delta Marina, Rio Vista Hosted by: The Teresi's	TBD	General Membership Dinner & Game Night
<u>JUNE</u>		<u>DECEMBER</u>	
7-9	Cruise-In: Discovery Bay Yacht Club	7th or 14th	Saturday, Lighted Boat Parade & Potluck
TBD	Board of Director's Meeting	TBD	Board of Director's Meeting
22	Quarterly General Membership Meeting, Dinner & Game Night	TBD	Quarterly General Membership Meeting, Dinner & Game Night
		31	Tuesday, New Years Eve Party & Potluck



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Be sure to follow our events, photo albums,
and other notifications on Facebook.

Our Facebook page for MWYC is:

<https://www.facebook.com/mwyc.oxbow/>

Our website page for MWYC is:

<https://www.marinawestyachtclub.com>

**New Membership applications are
also available on our website**