

# Commodorés Comments

Hello from regatta season! We have had all varieties of wind in these past weeks on our beautiful waters and at regattas! We also celebrated the life of past commodore Ruth Rappold who served in the era where you did house and grounds and social as part of the ladder. We heard stories of her crawling under the old club house to turn off/on the water for the season. We were so blessed to have her support for the club in her many years.

The C race this past Saturday proved exciting with 3 masts going down (2 sidestays and 1 forestay plate) and one tip at the leeward mark. We have had many regattas in the past 3 week! MC champs was on Delavan with Chris Kubicek ending in 4th and Keith Beren in 12th. Breeze was on for that weekend and held into LBSS Opti on Monday where we had 6 green fleet and 12 in RWB. Arlo Stein topped the green fleet in 7th and George Lillwitz topped RWB in 4th. X boaters were then on to TRAP (11 boats, Hailey and Riley Greeson 4th), Quads (10 boats, Hailey and Riley 2nd, Mason Keane and Cameron Brickler 3rd, George Lillwitz and Klaus Stein 4th), and GLSS (11 boats, Mason and Cameron 6th, Hailey and Riley 7th).

A big thanks to Wendy and Linda who stepped up to try a new 4th of July concept. I really enjoyed the potluck concept, which brought different foods to enjoy and our tried and true games. Musical chairs was competitive as always, followed by sack races and the egg toss. We may be outgrowing our lawn with the number of toss participants which was amazing to see!

Pickleball courts are open and they have become quite popular! It's great to see so many different generations on the courts.

I look forward to seeing you at the club in the coming weeks or out on the water!

-Anne Muller



#### **EGG TOSS WINNERS** George Lillwitz & Mason Keane



**LBSS Fundraiser** Tomorrow 4:30pm start

# FRIDAY NIGHT BITES

# Tonight 7/11 5pm

# From the Sailing Commodore

LBSS hosted the 33rd annual Opti Regatta on June 23 and had 73 boats registered! The wind was up and the Opti's were moving up and down the lake with great speed. Always exciting to see the sport of sailing alive and well among the kids. At the X – Quad Regatta at Nagawicka, we had a strong showing with 10 boats registered. Haily and Riley Greeson came in 2nd, Mason Keane and Cameron Brickler came in 3rd, George Lillwitz and Klause Stein came in 4th. Also racing at Nagawicka were Adele Brickler, Charlie Lillwitz, Mia Brandt, John Lillwitz, Fred Skotarzak, Brianna Byrnes, Ella Muller, Avery Keane, Penny Keane, Brayden and Crosby Brickler, Luca Muller, Arlo Stein, Morgan Seaverson, and Natalie Angelo. Well done Beulah X Fleet!

In the last mainsheet, I mentioned we should all be manifesting some wind, and it worked! Maybe a little too well. I guess I should have specified we needed to manifest wind below 20mph. As the sailors know, we had several cancellations for too much wind. Let's hope mother nature finds a happy medium and we have solid winds below 20 for the remainder of the season.

- Ted Kennedy

# Check **lbyc.us/NEWS** for the latest regatta recaps and pics



# LBSS Fundraiser July 12<sup>th</sup> 4:30<sub>pm</sub>

#### Tour 4 homes on the lake via Pontoon.

Two are new or relatively new construction, one is a heavy remodel and one is a time warp.Each home will have a representative, either a builder, remodeler, or realtor to tell you about the house.

Pontoon boats will travel a directed route and we will all wind up at the LBYC for a catered dinner by **Toothpicks** and our usual fun **Auction and Games**.

Gather your group and a pontoon and let us know who the Driver is and we will communicate directly as to which house to start at and when.

Don't have a boat/group? Let **<u>Stacy Keane</u>** know and we'll assign you to one!

## <u>BUY TICKETS</u>

\$150 / person \$75 / under 25

	DATE		TIME	CLASS	PRO	PRO TEAM	CHASE BOAT	
RC S	Sat.	7/12	10:30	MC/X	Brian Brickler	11	Tim Lange	
			1:30	С	Jeff Lippert	1	Joe Katcha	Chris Kubicek
	Sun.	7/13	10:30	С	Rob Clayton	5	Brian Bellew	Paul Riedl
CH			1:30	MC/X	Michael Barr	6	Melanie Urben	Melissa Pruessing
HEDUL			5:00	Opti/Laser	Dave Berg		Brendan Keane	Stacy Keane
	Wed.	7/16	5:00	MC/C	Chris Kubicek	Jim Berman	Dave Berg	Randy Schmidt
	Sat.	7/19	10:30	MC	Martin Barr	9	Wendell Gooch	Nora Kiernan
Π			5:00	Opti/Laser	Dave Berg		Stacy Keane	
	Sun.	7/20	10:30	MC	Dave Porter	2	Tim LeRoy	Caroline LeRoy
	Wed.	7/23	5:00	MC/C	Jeff Lippert	Jeff Mueller	Ted Kennedy	Dan Uhen



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# Socially Speaking

I don't know about you but I think it's been super fun to see how the new courts and patio have influenced the ambiance and undercurrent at the Club this summer. For me, the energy and activity heightens the 'community' feeling and offers the opportunity to casually connect beyond the formal programming. I love stopping by on a Saturday or Sunday and seeing a group of C Fleet sailors sitting on the patio before (or after) they go out to sail!

You'll see additional information throughout this Mainsheet on upcoming events, but July includes:

**Cookouts continue!** Committee chairs are transitioning into 'lighter' fare for the summer heat, but still so delicious! Join us!

**Yoga continues!** Feedback I've gotten is that the variety (and quality!) of instructors is great and people appreciate the ability to walk in. Join us any Saturday at 8:30. Feel free to walk in and pay/register afterward

**Open pickleball:** We're adding adult open pickleball on Tuesday and Thursday evenings with Don Stein and Friends hosting. And, we're open to feedback on how to help open pickleball get some structure and traction, so if you have an idea, please let me or Dan Uhen know.

**Friday Night Bites:** 7/11 and 7/25 – Andy Stein and Sarah McDonald are hosting tonight – their menu features a variety of different sausages from Hometown Sausage Kitchen. No reservations required! Sausages not your thing? Come for a drink or for one of the mainstay menu items.

**Wine Night #2 – Bubbles on Beulah!** (7/17) After a sold out Wine Night in June, Wine Night returns in July!.

**C Fleet Party** (7/26) – Hosts Kate and Will Haeger are hosting again and while there may not be a Wheel of Destiny this year, I'm sure they've got a lot of fun up their sleeves

Now, bear with me for a few housekeeping reminders:

- Please review the "Court Rules" (included in this Mainsheet and also on the web site) as a family and ensure that everyone in your household knows they are responsible for adhering to them. This especially applies to the footwear requirement and putting equipment back when done.
- If you move the patio furniture or put up an umbrella, please reset it before you leave. The umbrellas will rip (or potentially worse) if left up in high winds.

That's it from me. Looking forward to seeing you at the Club soon!

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# **Pickleball** is a hit!

#### Here are some reminders to everyone on our new space

- All guests must be accompanied by a member
- All players must agree to the LBYC Pickleball Code of Conduct (see below)
- Appropriate footwear (sneakers/tennis shoes) required. Crocs and other shoe types put scuff marks on the acrylic surface.
- LBYC has provided equipment to enable everyone to participate. If you borrow equipment, return it to the equipment box.
- Clubspot is the reservation system. If you are on the courts without a reservation, you must cede to any reservation holder, even if arriving late.
- Please exit the courts promptly. Repeat offenders may lose reservation privileges.

Pickleball will succeed best if its Ambassadors and participants embrace the values of good sportsmanship. It is essential that all pickleball players at LBYC, whether members or guests of members, model good behavior, lead by example, and show self-control in pledging as follows:

- I will not engage in unsportsmanlike conduct or encourage others to do so.
- I will not engage in any behavior that would endanger the health, safety, or wellbeing of others.
- I will not engage in the use of obscene language or gestures.
- I will not flaunt my position.
- I will treat others with respect.
- I will exhibit fairness and honesty in my dealings with others.
- I will accept responsibility for my own actions.
- I will exemplify the highest standard in ethical behavior and fair play.
- I will engage in conduct that is free from fear, discrimination, abuse, and harassment.











STAY UP TO DATE VIEW THE LBYC CALENDAR



**Register by Wednesday July 23** 

# JULY 16TH COOKOUT

#### **Pulled Pork sandwiches on buns**

Coleslaw

Dessert

Pasta Salad

Adult \$15.00 Child (under 10) \$12.00

Chips

Register by Monday July 14th

## JULY 23RD COOKOUT

#### Ham and Cheese Sliders served on brioche buns

- Coleslaw
- Tuscan sliced melon
- Chips

 Peaches with ice cream and carmel sauce

#### Adult \$15.00 Child (under 10) \$12.00

Register by Monday July 21st

# **BUILDING PROJECT UPDATE**

Our big announce from our committee is that we have a new Chair. John Russell will be the new Building Committee chair. John is a recently retired leader at a very large building company in Chicago. With all of John's expertise in the project field, John will serve the club very well in this role.

The committee is looking at different options on the interior and are getting close on finalizing the plans. As mentioned in the last Mainsheet, the bar is staying put. As far as our \$825,000 budget for the renovations (\$750,000 with a 10% overage allowance), we have spent approx. \$450,000 on the outside, leaving more than \$300,000 for interior renovations. The club is going to look great when finished!

- Ted Kennedy

# Wine @ LBYC

#### Thursday, 7/17, 6pm: Bubbles on Beulah

Wine night #2 features a comparison of varietals served still vs sparkling. Come taste through three different pairings and enjoy some light bites.



## FUNDRAISING UPDATE TO SUPPORT THE LBYC PROJECT

#### Fundraising window is open, we'd love to have you participate and create a lasting memory.

- 1. "Naming Rights" options are listed below, the front fire pit is taken.
- 2. We're working on clarity to the personalized bricks, more to come.

# Once again, if you like it then you better put your name on it.

**Please join us** – individually or in groups – and let JoeSko or Linda Fox if you have questions or need more information.

- 1. Main bar \$20,000
- 2. Mobile bar cart \$7,500
- 3. Pickleball courts (2) \$7,500 each
- 4. Court benches \$2,500 each
- 5. Tennis court \$10,000
- 6. Patio \$10,000 front, \$7,500 side or back
- 7. Back fire pit \$3,500
- 8. Planters (parking lot) \$1,000 each
- 9. Planters (random) \$750 each

#### Thank you for your support – you make the LBYC.









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## SIDESTAYS' MIDSUMMER SCHEDULE AND NEWS

**Lunch and Learn** Thursday, July 24 at 12 Noon Come hear stories about Lake Beulah by the Sidestays' Memoir Writers led by Anne Humphrey, and enjoy a lunch of memoir related dishes.

Author Talk Thursday, July 31 at 7-9 PM at LBYC

Join us to hear of Marnie Mamminga discuss her award-winning book Return to Wake Robin and hear about lake life, nature, and the Midwest. Return to Wake Robin is available at local libraries and Inklink Books (and Amazon). Registration appreciated: <u>https://www. lbyc.us/sidestays</u>

**Body Balance** exercise class Thursdays at 7:30 AM at LBYC – All LBYC members welcome.

Next **Memoir Workshop** Tuesday, July 15 at 5:30 PM in the LBYC bar area

**Lunch and Learn** Thursday, August 14 at Noon about Native Gardening and the Environment

Annual Meeting Tuesday, August 26 at 10 AM at LBYC

AND

#### The Lake Beulah Yacht Club (LBYC)

**online merchandise** store is officially launched offering members the ability to browse and purchase LBYC-branded apparel and accessories. This online store can be found on the Lake Beulah Yacht Club Website by clicking **MERCH** in the main menu or <u>https://lbyc2025.</u> itemorder.com/shop/home/.

# Accessories

#### July 24 Lunch and Learn - 12:00 Noon Sidestays' Memoir Writers with Anne Humphrey

Come hear some stories written by the Sidestays Memoir Writers Group, focusing on stories about our lake. Enjoy a lunch of dishes related to the stories while you learn a little about memoir writing. Just bring your ears for listening!



Free for Sidestays members - \$10. for guests Go to lbyc.us/sidestays to register or contact Peggy p.d.krueger@gmail.com (847) 999-8087 please register by noon, Monday July 23

#### *Author Talk* MARNIE O. MAMMINGA



Join us to hear the behind-the-scenes adventures of award-winning author Marnie O. Mamminga and timeless stories about lake life, nature, and the Midwest.

Return to Wake Robin, One Cabin in the Heyday of the Northwoods Resorts will be central to her talk. This book can be purchased at Inklink Books in East Troy and <u>marniemamminga com</u>, Marnie's books will be for sale & signing after the presentation.

Menu Fruit Cobbler & Vanilla Ice Cream Lemonade & Iced Tea Bar: Brandy Old Fashioned, beer, wine, & soda available for purchase with a credit card or account.



RSVP lbycsidestays@gmail.com or https://www.lbyc.us/sidestays Honorarium contributions welcome at the door, \$10 PP suggested.

# ILYA NO TEARS 2025



## **MONDAY JULY 21st**

It's regatta time - this time with our youngest tykes. Join in on the fun to create a fun experience for our first and most novice sailors. The buoys will feature a Minions theme - if we can figure it out. Loads of coaches will be on hand to help our sailors learn about our great sport.

Please contact Anne Muller or use the <u>Sign up Genius link</u> to volunteer!







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#### Please join us as we celebrate

# THE LIFE OF

Monday, September 1st 1:00 - 4:00pm at Lake Beulah Yacht Club

## What's Happening

FRI. 7/11	FRIDAY NIGHT BITES OPEN PICKLEBALL	5:00p 5:00p
SAT. 7/12	YOGA OPEN PICKLEBALL LBSS FUNDRAISER	8:30a 9:00a 4:30p
SUN. 7/13	OPEN PICKLEBALL	1:00p
TUE. 7/15	MEMOIR WRITERS	5:00p
WED. 7/16	OPEN PICKLEBALL COOKOUT	5:00p 6:00p
THR. 7/17	BODY BALANCE	<b>7:30</b> a
SAT. 7/19	YOGA OPEN PICKLEBALL	8:30a 5:00p

SUN. 7	7/20	OPEN PICKLEBALL	1:00p
MON. 7	7/21	ILYA NO TEARS	all day
WED. 7	7/23	OPEN PICKLEBALL COOKOUT	5:00p 6:00p
THR. 7	7/24	BODY BALANCE SIDESTAYS LUNCH & LEARN	7:30a 12:00p
FRI. 7	7/25	FRIDAY NIGHT BITES	5:00p
SAT. 7	7/26	YOGA OPEN PICKLEBALL C FLEET PARTY	8:30a 5:00p 6:00p
SUN. 7	7/27	OPEN PICKLEBALL	1:00p