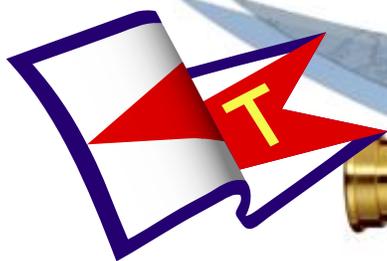


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1196 Harbor Drive, Slidell, LA

August 2013

First Mates



Club Crawl!!!



Commodore's Corner

Tom Smith

Louisiana has officially announced that the heat has arrived and summer is in full swing. Summer camps are wrapping up and again we have had a very successful summer sailing program. Our instructors and volunteers have again done a great job providing an excellent platform for children to learn sailing and boating skills that can be used for a life time of water activity enjoyment. The group of junior sailors that are being developed now have shown boat handling and sailing skills that are impressive to witness. Thanks again to our sailing staff.

The 4th of July party was again a hit and very well attended. The food was good, the fireworks were impressive and as always the company of friends was terrific. What better way to spend our countries birthday.

One pleasant surprise has been the continuation of renegade racing. The wind usually quits by this time of year making racing difficult. We continue to have 5 to 7 boats sailing a simple course and enjoying burgers every Wednesday night. We will continue having burgers as long as crews continue to participate. Many crews are rotating people to new jobs and training for the fall season. Bridge and Bunko groups will also continue thru the remainder of the summer.

It was great to see an excellent turn out for the general membership meeting and I would like to thank all of you for participating in the open discussions about our future business. Friday night drawings are as popular as ever. One of these days we will have a winner.

The entertainment team is hard at work preparing for another great calypso party. A good band has been secured and the ladies imaginations are running wild. I again expect this to be one of our most fun events. Invite a friend or two, put your flowered shirts and dresses on and come on out for a fun night. This time of year the sunsets are spectacular so come on out and enjoy the view!



TYC Race

Wayne Jablonowski

Wednesday Night Renegade Series

Renegade Racing is fun! Come on out for some Wednesday night sailing, just congregate around the harbor entrance around 7 o'clock for informal racing or just a mid week sail with like minded folks. If you need additional info contact me.

Kudos to the Board and Membership!

It was a great decision by the Board supported unanimously by the membership to find and purchase a newer and competitive Flying Scot for the club. The Flying Scot is the boat used by the Gulf Yachting Association as the interclub race boat. The 2 boats the club now has, while in OK shape to sail, cannot be made competitive, no matter what repairs and upgrades are made to them. TYC will soon have a boat that our Juniors and Members will have a chance to compete in.

UPCOMING EVENTS

We are still in the summer doldrums, and there are no TYC scheduled races except for the Renegade races until the Fall Series begins in September. I had mentioned scheduling a Friday night race sometime between now and September, but I have received no feedback, so unless there is some interest I will scrap the idea.

Ladies Team?? Pass Christian is hosting the Knost Regatta on August 10 and 11. This is the GYA Ladies Championship sailed in Flying Scots. It would be great for TYC to send a team. Anyone interested?

August 31 - Sept 2, Lipton Cup Regatta, Labor Day weekend. Annual GYA Championship racing in Flying Scots, this year hosted by Bay Waveland YC

Sept. 7-8, Back to School Regatta , Pontchartrain YC , always a favorite for the Juniors.

Sept. 21, Great Lake Race, South Shore Lake Pontchartrain. We should get a few TYC boats over for this usually "great" race.

TYC FALL SERIES begins Wednesday September 4, immediately after Labor Day.



Membership

Bobby Tassin

Hello TYC members! I am playing catch up this month and am very happy to report on multiple new members!!

At the May TYC BOD meeting, we approved the reinstatement of membership for a Past Commodore – Wayne Sewing. Wayne and his first mate Jeanne did a great job at the helm of TYC some years back. They now own “Away Away” on the seven dock in Oak Harbor Marina. Of course the WedNite TYC racers new and old know Wayne from his work helping out on the Sunsetter doing markset work for every WedNite race. A hearty welcome back to Wayne and Jeanne!

In June, we inked three new members – Chad Gonzales and two Jr members – Sydney Huth and Charlie Gudaitis. Chad and Angelle Gonzales own the “Budget Bender” – they have hit the TYC scene trimmed in and up to speed! One of their sons did all of the summer sailing sessions and now captains his own Opti – way to go! They are also already sharing TYC with family and friends and recruiting more new members!! Sydney of course has been an asset to our summer sailing camp for a while now. She sails on the Mount Carmel HS sailing team in NOLA and wants to do more regatta racing. Charlie did a summer sail camp session and was bitten by the sailing bug as well.

In August, we have at least two more members for official approval. Hat’s off to Dee and Michael Bauer for sponsoring new Jr members – Charlie Loupe and Dustin Damper! Two more young pirates ready to pillage the lake and gulf coast. Thanks to everyone who has been meeting and greeting potential new members as they appear on the horizon.

How can you promote TYC to potential new members: the “one to one” concept and TYC license plates. One to one is that if we each can successfully recruit one new member to TYC, we double our membership. I also encourage everyone to purchase a TYC license plate and get it on your vehicles – a small but effective way to raise community awareness.

TYC designates a couple events each year that would be great to invite potential new members. Barry Statia has reminded me that the next event is coming this month – The Calypso Party on Aug. 24th. This is an annual favorite where potential TYC members can converse, relax, and get to know the membership. So, please invite anyone who has interest and grow our club!

Fair winds and following seas



Entertainment

Barry Statia

Hey, Members! It's time and it's back... the Calypso Party!

So mark your calendars and circle Saturday, 24 August. Member cost is \$15.00 and nonmember is \$18.00. Those prices increase on the 17th of August so buy your tickets early. And what are you receiving for your \$15.00? First of all a great evening. Mellow out, dance, and enjoy a summer's night among friends. After the Fact is there to entertain you with lively and soulful music. That's right... live entertainment.

Of course a selection of hors d'oeuvres will sustain your energy level for the upcoming limbo contest. Oh, we are asking Members to donate to a Calypso basket. Numbers from your tickets are pulled and one is drawn for the Calypso basket. Your contributions are appreciated.

See you there!



TYC First Mates

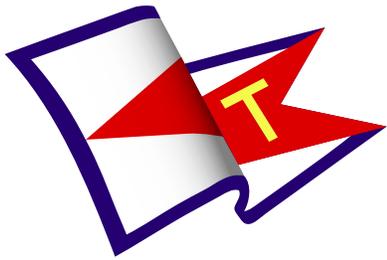
Gloria Poole

The First Mates Board has been very busy in July planning our first and hopefully annual Club Crawl. I would like to thank the board for all their hard work. We had a wonderful turnout and a great time. There were 23 women who attended. We had a roomy bus and a great bus driver, who did not mind our dancing in the aisles and our wonderful singing.

We started at our club with a great breakfast prepared by Desiree. Thank you Desiree. We then went to Ocean Springs Yacht Club where we were greeted by several members and then enjoyed bushwhackers. We enjoyed lunch at Pass Christian Yacht Club. We then journeyed to Bay Waveland Yacht Club, where the commodore and many members welcomed us. This was such an enjoyable and great way to get know each other away from the club. It was fun touring the clubs and getting new ideas for our own.

Bunco is scheduled for August 29, all are invited to join. First Mates have a new bulletin board across from the ladies room. We will post pictures, newspaper articles, summary of meetings and future events. So check it out.





Upcoming Events

August 2013

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2 Friday Night Dinner - Birthday Night 7:30pm	3
4	5	6	7	8	9 Friday Night Dinner 7:30pm	10
11	12	13 TYC Board Meeting	14	15	16 Friday Night Dinner 7:30 pm	17 Rental
18	19	20	21	22	23	24 Calypso Party
25	26	27	28	29 Bunco	30 Friday Night Dinner - Steak Night 7:30pm	31

Make sure the following events are in your calendar. A full listing of all events happening at the club can be found online at <http://www.tammanyachtclub.org>. If you would like to submit your event to the calendar, please email spyglass@tammanyachtclub.org.



Friday Night Dinners

August 2nd - Birthday Night

Lasagna, Cesar Salad, Vegetable, Bread, and Birthday Cake

\$13 Members \$15 Non-Members

August 9th

Stuffed Pork Florentine, Salad, Rice Pilaf, Vegetable, Bread, and Dessert

\$14 Members \$16 Non-Member

August 16th

Chicken Breast with Artichokes and Mushrooms in a light Cheese Sauce with Penne

Pasta, Salad, Bread, and Dessert

\$12 Members \$14 Non-Members

August 30th

Choice of Beef Filet, Ribeye, or Tuna Steak, Potato, Salad, Bread, and Dessert

\$19 Members \$24 Non-Members

Dinner reservations needed by the Thursday before each Friday Night dinner.

Sign up at the bar or call TYC at 985-649-5222.

TYC August Birthdays

Dennis Gilbert 3

Karl Boehm 4

Sonny Brennan 4

Bill Henkel 4

June Collins 7

Dave Barnes 8

Steve Pierce 16



Dawn Harkins 19

Jane Watson 20

Sandy Stone 21

Tom Smith 24

Jackie Boehm 28

Susan Jobst 29

Show up for Birthday Night and celebrate with cake. Also, get a free drink on your birthday! If you have a birthday this month and your name isn't on the list, please let Membership know.

Email spyglass@tammanyachtclub.org.



Tammany Yacht Club's Annual

Calypso Party

Saturday, August 24th

Starting at 6:30pm

Enjoy Cocktails with Complementary Heavy Hors d'oeuvres

7:30 – 11:30pm Live Music
After the Fact Band

Tropical/Island Food
Limbo Contest and Prizes
Tropical Liquor Basket Raffle

2013 Calypso shirts are on display and for sale at TYC!

<p>Tickets Purchased Prior to August 17th TYC Members \$15 Non-Members \$18</p>	<p>Tickets Purchased After August 17th or at the Door TYC Members \$20 Non-Members \$25</p>
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Tickets Available Starting at TYC.
Stop by or call TYC at 985-649-5222 for more information.







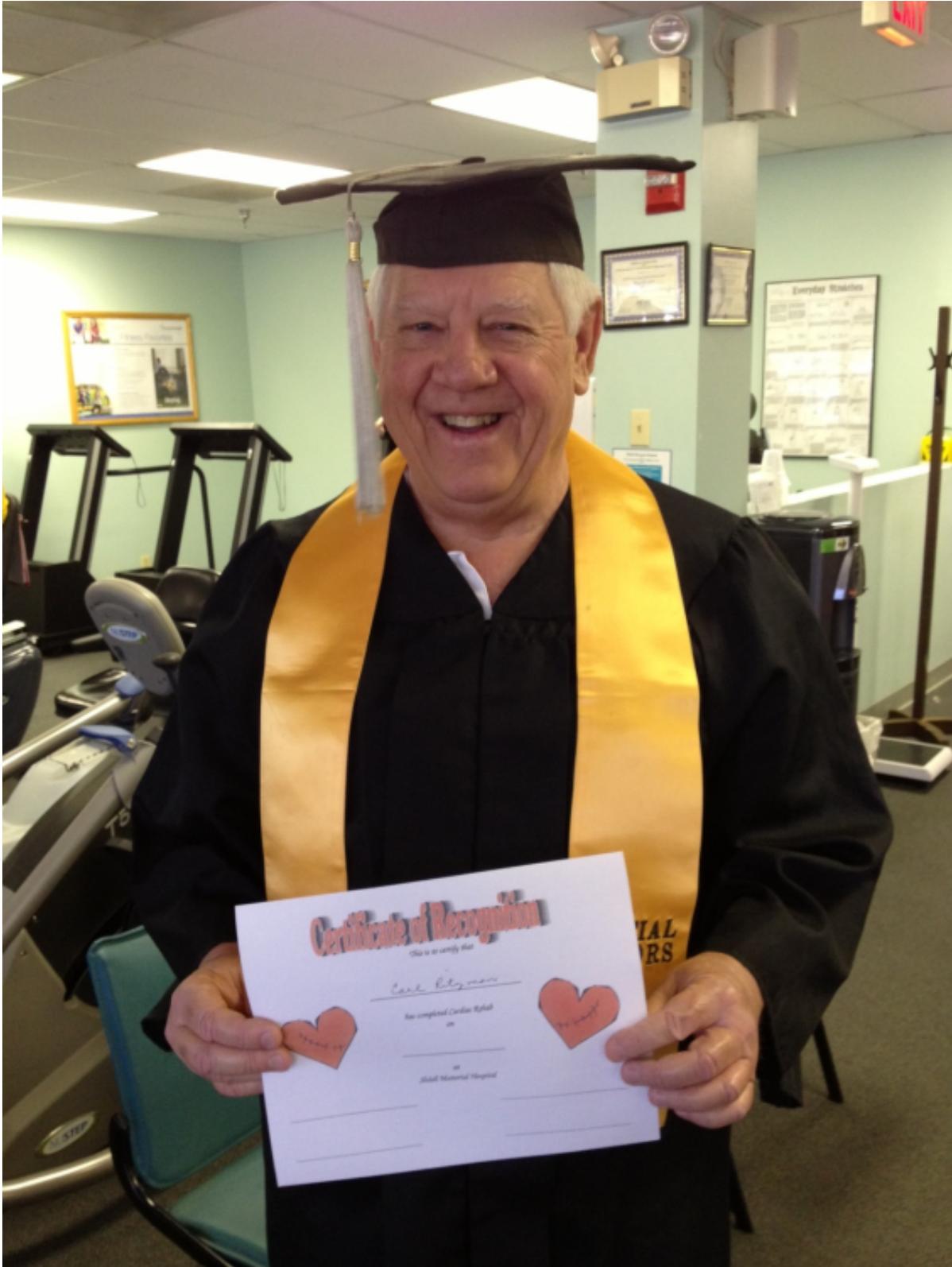








Congratulations Carl on your Cardiac Rehab Graduation!!!!!!!





Bilge Swill

Bob

Something about a Boat – Something about a Dog; that gives a man a home. (A cool new song)

Happy Happy Happy, Do you have a happy place? I would like to think that one of my Happy Gilmore, utopias would be sitting in the cockpit on the hook. You get a long sweet good morning kiss from that special friend. A fresh cup of Cubano coffee hits your hands as it is steaming through the morning dew at about 6:00 am. Then the sun just starts to peak over the horizon giving mirror to the deepest blue Caribbean water. While the night before a peaceful rocking motion had a lullaby from the wind and waves caressing the hull. Close your eyes.... Come on, just listen – you can hear it! (YOU CAN DO IT!)

Grab your fins, who wants a fresh Grouper Salad, English Ham Omelet and a Papaya brunch?

Haaaaaaa, life is good !



The members of the Queen Ann Bridge Group continue to play Wednesday nights at TYC. Please join us!

Finish up your week with a free bar tab!
Every Friday TYC will be holding a drawing for a bar tab.
Drawing will be at 9pm.
Unwind the week at TYC. . . have a drink. . . win a bar tab!



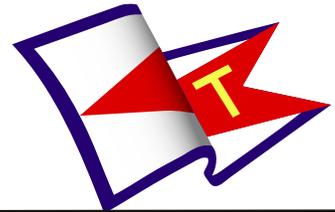
Editor's Corner

Angela Keister

Can you say BACK TO SCHOOL??? BLECH!!!!!! Where does the time go? Camp is over, vacations are winding down, electric bills are soaring, thunder storms roll in almost daily only means one thing.... Yep it's August! I hope you all had a wonderful, happy, and safe summer with your family and friends.

I heard the First Mates club crawl was a HUGE success!! I was so sad I missed it, however I had 5 very happy kiddos thrilled that I chose to spend the last day with them in Orange Beach. The bonds that were made will last a lifetime and our sisterhood will continue to thrive. Great job ladies!!!!

For those of you who haven't heard the drawing is currently at \$720!!! Now.... Tom Smith has a nasty little habit of locking the door around 8:45, so you might want to start arriving just a bit early, make yourself comfy, and settle in, or you may find yourself sitting outside listening to the big winner squeal with delight!!!!!!



DON'T FORGET

to visit the TYC gift shop case for

Logo shirts, hats, visors, cups, koozies, and more!!!!

Please contact Mark Poole with any questions, special orders, etc at 985-788-3448



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Monday & Tuesday - Closed
 Wednesday - Thursday - 5pm to 10pm
 Friday - 5pm to 11pm
 Saturday - 2pm to 11pm
 Sunday - 1pm till 9pm

Club hours may be extended at the discretion of the Club Manager or the ranking Board Member.

Don't forget that on Thursdays and Saturdays your second drink is free. Also, be sure to sign up for Friday night dinners by the required time and cancel if your can't make it to avoid a penalty.

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