

Tammany Yacht Club

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Tammany Yacht Club

2021

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**The TYC 2022 Board of Directors will take office on
January 28, 2022 at the General Membership meeting, 7:00 P.M.**



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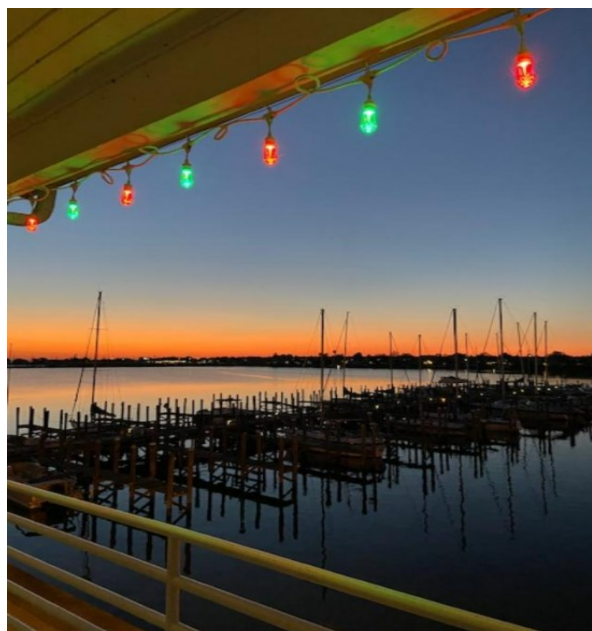


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Commodore's Corner

Frank Bush



Ring in the New Year

Hope everyone had a Happy Holiday. As we ring in the New Year and life flirts with getting back to normal, a new variant keeps us on our toes. Please everyone, stay healthy.

With the New Year, we welcome in a new Board which will be sworn in at our General Membership meeting. The new board members have been attending board meetings to get ready to take on the task in the New Year. I'm looking forward to an exciting year at the club. We will be having the General Membership meeting followed by Steak Night Friday, January 28th.

Over the past two years it has been my pleasure to serve as your Commodore. During which we grew membership, managed to have activities during the quarantine, refreshed the facility along with replacing some aging equipment, started a fishing rodeo helping children learn about fishing and boating, hosted the LPRC and helped raise food and clothing for some families in our community.

I know the new board has some great ideas to further make Tammany Yacht Club a fun place, but they can't do it alone, so please support them and volunteer on a committee. It is our club and it's up to all of us to make it great.

Again, thank you for your support over the past two years.

Your Commodore,

Frank





House Committee

Cheryl Perret



Well, another year has come and gone. Hopefully, we will have a healthier new year 2022. Please join me in thanking Ms. Brenda for all her years of service with the TYC Family. We wish her well.

It has been a very challenging year, with Covid; it has been a challenge in getting alcohol, and products. Our rentals have kept us busy this year and we already have about eight on the books for the start of the New Year. We have been able to offer in our rental package, chair covers, sashes and table toppers. We have several colors now in stock, and so far, they have been able to rent them out several times. The shears in the back with the lights have also made a difference. These rentals have made a huge help in keeping our club going.

We are in the process of looking for another bartender and kitchen help. If anyone knows of someone, please have them call me.

I want to thank everyone for making donations to help families in need. At Thanksgiving, we gave out 20 food baskets. A couple of the ladies bought coats for 10 children. We adopted a family with 7 children and will be giving them gifts from Santa. Had it not been for your generous donations, these children would not have a Christmas this year. A few of the ladies got together and wrapped each gift, and 7 boxes of presents were delivered to the family. We are also working with 3 young boys that live in a trailer in some wooded area, having to use an outhouse for their restroom. We were also able to purchase food and clothes for these young men. Please, let's keep these families in our prayers.

Cheryl





TYC Helping Hands Santa's Helpers



"Teamwork
Makes the
Dream
Work"





Thank you to our
Benefactors for
making all this
possible! Thank
you, thank you,
thank you!!!





LADIES LUNCHEON

JANIE BROWN'S

DIRTY SANTA GIFT EXCHANGE

TAMMANY YACHT CLUB



OH!
WHAT
FUN





Entertainment

Linda Phillips



January....A New Year...A Fresh Start...New Adventures. Hopefully 2022 will be a better year than 2021 and I pray all will stay healthy and safe.

I'm writing this prior to our New Year's Eve party but I am hoping everyone will have a wonderful time. My goal is to have the club decorated and together the members ring in the New Year. I want us all to come together and share an evening of fun, food and dancing.

Our ladies had their luncheon December 10th at Janie Browns and then celebrated at Tammany with their gift exchanges. An enjoyable afternoon with plenty of laughs.

We had three rentals in December that brought in some great return for the club. Right now we have three rentals booked in January and I get calls regularly to see our venue or ask questions concerning it.

Seems like we can't catch a break with the weather on our Christmas Boat Parade. UGH~! We carried on and it was still successful. It is always a lot of (*work*) fun whether you watch or participate. Great job to all who helped this year. Thank you Kyle for all the work you do towards this annual event. The community of Eden Isles looks forward to this each year...the Christmas holiday wouldn't be the same without it.

This year we did a few things that hopefully will carry forward into 2022. Together the members of the club gave a wonderful gift to some less fortunate children. I believe it is in giving that we receive, and We gave them the True Spirit of Christmas~!



Yes Virginia, There is a Santa Clause....He lives within us all~! I was touched to be part of a project that took Christmas to these 7 children we sponsored for the holiday. They Still *BELIEVE*...they had the Faith that Santa would come. Their Mother told them things will be tighter this year than normal and the one daughter said "But Momma Santa will still come~!" It's Childlike Faith that everything will be ok. It's the True Spirit of Christmas. We were able as a group to keep this dream alive for them. These kids will forever remember the time Santa came to their home and Santa brought **them** Christmas~! The other 3 boys we helped were older. They do not believe in Santa but I do think we gave them the gift of believing in humanity. There still is goodness in a lot of hearts. Perhaps one day when all of these 10 children are older they will remember this and pay it forward. If so, it keeps the gift forever giving. It keeps the dream alive. Santa Claus is the spirit of giving for the sake of giving. Every act of kindness no matter how small is a piece of love we leave behind....it is the True Spirit of Christmas. May that Spirit forever live in our hearts.

God Bless & Happy New Year to All

Linda Phillips



LPRC 2021 Chairman



Bobby Tassin



2Oceans 1Rock

The First Ever Nonstop Singlehanded Record from New York to San Francisco

In 1854, the 235' clipper ship, Flying Cloud, sailed from New York to San Francisco in 89 days and 8 hours, a record which stood until 1989 when the 60' racing yacht Thursday's Child lowered the time to 80 days 20 hours. In 2008, the 110' racing catamaran Gitana 13, with a crew of 10 traversed the 14,000+ mile journey in 43 days and 38 minutes – a crewed sailing *record which stands today*.

Ryan Finn will attempt to establish the first non-stop singlehanded sailing record from New York to San Francisco, around Cape Horn, on the legendary Polynesian inspired 36' proa Jzerro.

At 43 years old, Ryan has accrued well over 100,000 miles of offshore sailing experience, including three Trans-Atlantic, five Trans-Pacific and many trips throughout the Atlantic and Pacific oceans. With vast experience ranging from 21-foot ocean racing monohulls to 60-foot racing trimarans and every conceivable production cruising/racing boat in between, Ryan has proven his ability on any sailing craft. In 2016 he completed the 2nd longest nonstop solo passage in a proa by sailing from Los Angeles, CA to the Panama Canal - the only longer voyage was done in 1968 by Tom Follett onboard the famous 40-foot proa, Cheers.

At 36 feet, Jzerro is 199 feet shorter than the clipper ship Flying Cloud and weighs three million, five hundred thousand pounds less. Based on Ryan's 10,000 miles of navigation on Jzerro, we believe he can beat Flying Cloud's record by as many as 20 days and compared to more common offshore racing boats of this era, she is as fast as many much larger vessels, at a fraction of the cost.

Ryan and the team at 2Oceans1Rock feel that this is a unique project for sailors and non-sailors alike. It's a true American adventure with the ability to inspire imaginations of all ages.

This record attempt will begin this coming winter, 2022.

Thank you for your time and consideration.



-Team 2Oceans1Rock

If you missed the Zoom presentation we hosted at TYC on 12/15/21, here is a link to the recording: [2Oceans1Rock Presentation by Ryan Finn](#)

Tracker: <https://share.garmin.com/82X63?fbclid=IwAR0xuHARaZhMHHATnvvZNfh76l6Rxkluu07BxgDT2ZaDHS72Xi-MqrjGbVM>

GoFundMe: <https://www.gofundme.com/f/help-ryan-fund-his-nonstop-solo-ny-to-sf-record>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/2oceans1rock>





TYC Race Committee

Kyle Bowser



2021 Annual Eden Isles Christmas Parade

After months of anticipation and weeks of preparation, it was finally parade day. We once again were faced with the potential of severe weather and once again we had to make the decision to go or postpone until the following night. Phone calls and social media posts were coming from all directions. It was obvious the weather conditions were going to present less than ideal conditions, but the timing is what was in question. After a whole day of hoping, it was decided that rather than call it off early and disappoint all of those along the route who had friends and family parties planned, we would meet at TYC and watch the weather radar from there. It looked as though an hour delay would open a window to get in at least most of the route so at six o'clock, we shoved off and the parade was underway. Although the weather at the time was perfect for a parade, what should have been 20 boats got reduced down to 8. Despite the potential for rain, the crowds along the route were very supportive and thrilled to see this annual event taking place. We reversed course this year, giving the west side of Eden Isles a chance to see the parade first. We were able to get through most of the route before taking cover at the Blue Crab. It was from there we rode out the brief squall line, hoping to finish after its passage. Once the rain stopped, it was apparent the wind would be a factor, so we called it quits for the night and a decision was made to finish up the route on the next night.

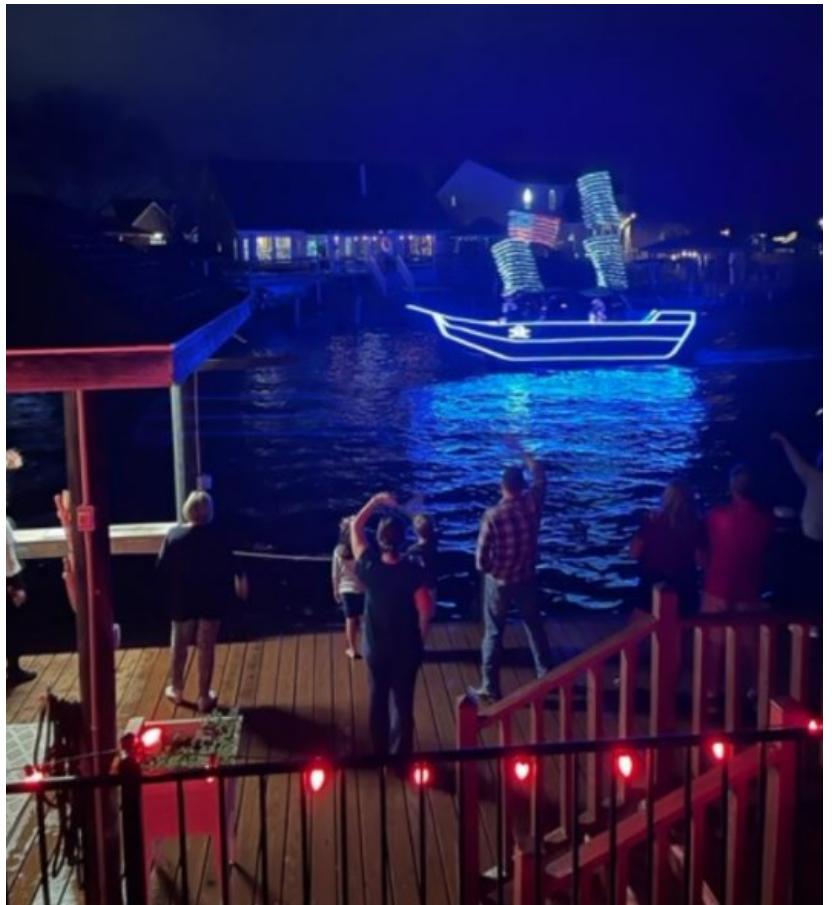
Sunday brought in a new challenge. Although it wasn't raining, it was still windy and much colder. I had no problem braving the elements, however the 8 boats from the night before dropped down to 6. We finished the last section of Eden Isles and then as planned, we set out to cover the areas east of Cutter Cove in Clipper Estates and south of the power lines in Moonraker Lake, as well as the Rat's Nest Rd and Hwy 11 Canals. Over the two nights, we traveled 20+ nautical miles and saw many happy faces along the way.

Hopefully next year the weather will be better and since the new format alternates the route each year, we will travel the Firehouse canal first. Please remember we schedule this for the 3rd Saturday in December which falls on the 17th in 2022. Happy New Year to all.

Then winner of this year's awards are as follows:

Best Small Boat	Johnney Rogers
Best Power Boat	Mike Crowell
Best Sailboat	Isabella
Best Costumes	Bad Decision
Best Holiday Theme	Sea Fox
Best Animated Lighting	Séduisant

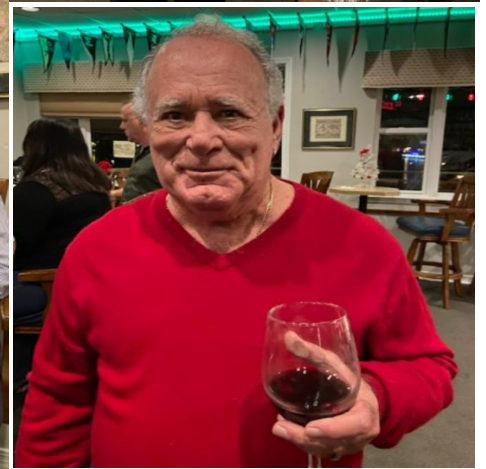
Eden Isles Christmas Boat Parade



**What a
Great Show!**



Mingle and Jingle





Membership

Dave Lemaire



Merry Christmas

Thank you for two years as your Membership Chairman.

I hope the Membership will support the new Board and the new Membership Chairman so that the club can grow and strengthen.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

David J. (Dave) Lemaire, Sr.
Tammany Yacht Club Vice Commodore,
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Happy
New
Year





Editor's Comments

Pauline Marques



Greetings TYC Friends,

I am hopeful that this message finds each of you in the best of health and prosperity.

It's hard to believe that 2022 is upon us. I would like to take this opportunity to wish you a very happy and blessed New Year.

As always, I look forward to seeing you at the Club.

Happy New Year,

Pauline Marques



"Happy Hour"

Thursday, 5-7 PM

Cool Drink in Hand

Good Conversation

"Hanging out with Friends"



What
Better
Way to
Spend an
Evening?



Sunday Fun Day

Are you looking for a place to unwind
on a Sunday evening?

Come enjoy the beautiful
sunsets right from our very
own TYC deck.

Happy New
Year 2022



TYC Steak Night

7:00 PM

Spend a relaxing evening with friends on the last Friday of every month.

Sign up by 8:00 PM on Thursday

Filet \$22 members; \$27 non members

Beef Rib Eye, Tuna or Salmon \$20 members; \$25 nonmembers

Potato and Salad only \$8

Salad only \$6

Child's Plate \$8

Entrees include potato, salad, mushrooms, rolls and dessert.

Dinner Bell rings at 7:00 PM.





GREAT TIMES, GREAT FRIENDS!



Tasty Thirsty Thursday

Join us for a TYC culinary experience
each Thursday evening.

6:30 PM

Check your email for details for the week.

Bring a side dish, visit with friends, join the fun.



NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY 2021





HAPPY
New Year



Welcome



Vincent and Michelle Rabalais

New TYC Members



January 2022

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Please note: TYC events are subject to change without notice.



COOKIN' WITH TYC

Our January recipe is sent to us from Cheryl Perret.
Thanks, Cheryl. Enjoy!



Crabmeat Au Gratin

1 lb. crabmeat
¼ lb. mild cheddar cheese
1 medium onion
1 stalk celery
1 stick butter
1 12 oz. can evaporated milk
½ cup flour
Salt, pepper, red pepper, parsley



Melt butter in skillet, and saute onions and celery.
Add flour and stir thoroughly.
Pour milk and stir.
Add seasoning and cook 5 minutes.
In a separate bowl, pour sauce over crabmeat and blend.
Pour in a greased casserole dish.
Cover with mild cheddar cheese.
Bake until cheese melts and browns.
350 degrees for 35 minutes. Enjoy!





January Birthdays

Pat Geller	1/01
Andre Peltier	1/05
Wayne Jablonowski	1/08
CJ Leblanc	1/09
Annabelle McDermot	1/11
Becky Blank	1/14
Dick Almos	1/15
Peggy Collins	1/17
Victor Echenique	1/19





January Birthdays

Holly Henning	1/22
Kenny LaNata	1/22
Robert Baudier	1/25
Godfred Hennig III	1/27
Rae Ann Normand	1/28
Steve McKinney	1/28
Sherry Beale	1/31
Kathy Hebert	1/31
Red Schwab	1/31



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