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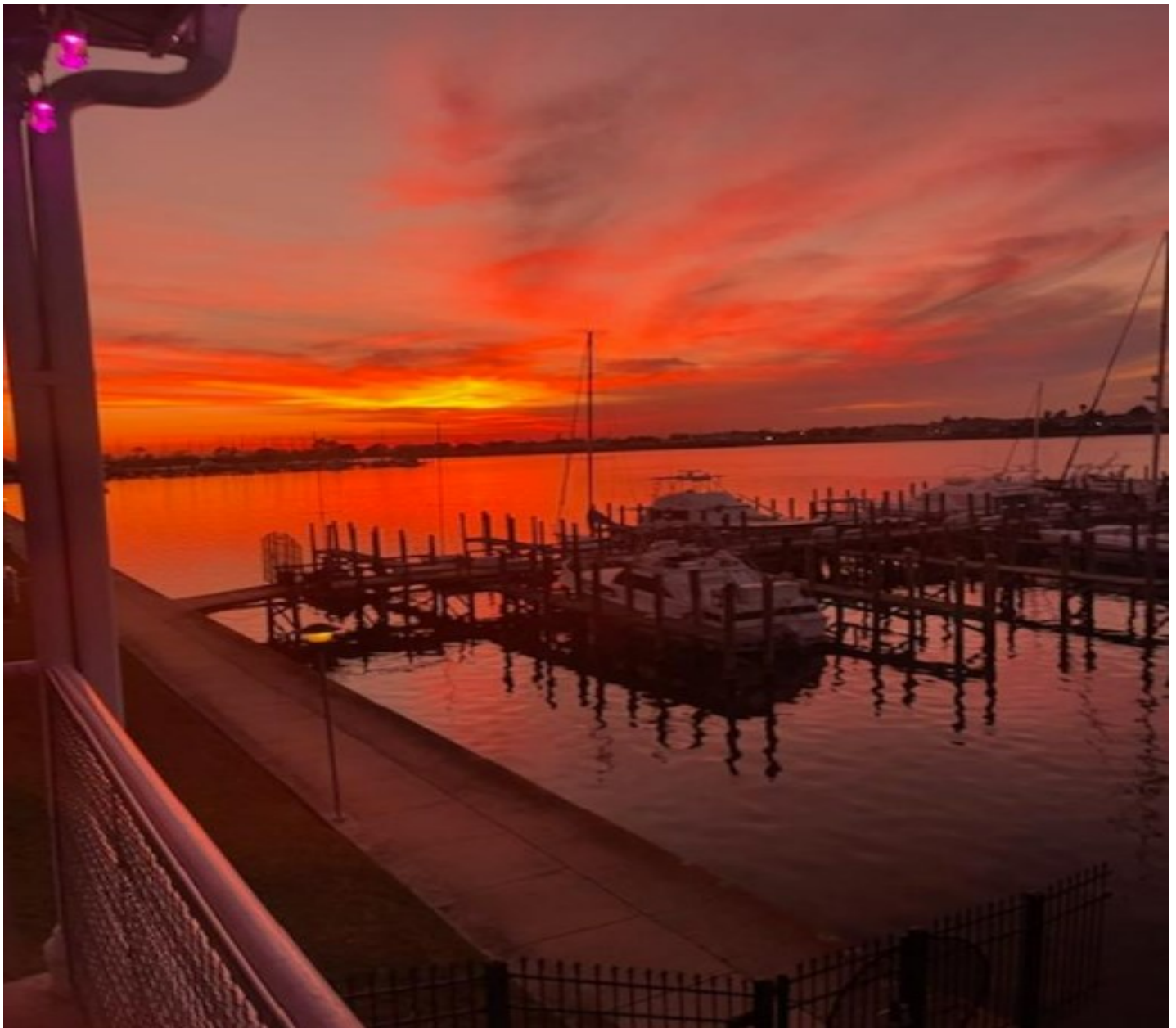


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Tammany Yacht Club

2024

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TYC Club Hours:

Monday & Tuesdays-Closed

Wednesday– 5-10 P.M.

Thursday—5-10 P.M.

Friday– 5-11 P.M.

Saturday– 5-11 P.M.

Sunday-4-9 PM.

TYC reserves the right to close early starting at 9:00 P.M.

Advertising Rates

Business Cards—\$10.00/month

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The club is open to members during rentals.

Events subject to change without notice.

TTT=Tasty Thirsty Thursday





COMMODORE'S CORNER

Rene Marques



Greetings, TYC Friends,

I wish to take this opportunity to extend a "Thank You" to our club members and friends who so willingly volunteered their time and efforts in the past few weeks to attend and work our TYC Sail Camp, help replace ceiling fans and shades on our TYC porch, or any odd job around the club that needed attention. Your efforts are greatly appreciated and your work around the club is certainly evident. The club looks amazing, and these small but very significant jobs could not have been accomplished without your help.

Thank you, Bobby Tassin and Steve Case for your great management skills in helping our Sail Camp run smoothly, and for providing a safe environment for our kids to have fun.

I extend a "Thank You" to Cheryl Perret, our House Chairman, and Jay Dunaway, our House Manager, for their consistent and coordinated efforts in helping our TYC food shopping excursions and meal preparations as well as rentals run so smoothly. Your efforts have certainly lifted our club status from great to awesome. Thank You!

A big "Thank You" is extended to our awesome Support Staff, Ciara McCall, Zack Smith, and Amanda Siefert, for their friendly and efficient service to our club. These young people mix and serve our drinks, they clean our dining and kitchen areas, as well as tend to many important areas of our club, which makes life easier for us as members. They are a wonderful asset to our club! Thank you, guys, so much!

Our Fish Fry and Steak Night in June as well as our "Bubba Night" (Thank you, Bubba!) were well- attended by TYC members as well as the many friends of TYC. Due to the continued effort of all, TYC will certainly be remembered in the future as one of the great Northshore Yacht Clubs of all time.

Our General Membership Meeting is scheduled for Friday, July 19. I look forward to seeing you there.

Rene Marques
TYC Commodore



TYC WELCOMES

JAY DUNAWAY
ZAC SMITH
AMANDA SIEFERT





Our Commodore, Rene Marques, and Club friend, Jack Yantachka, install new ceiling fans.



Racing Committee/LPRC Chairman



Bobby Tassin



TYC Racing June-July 2024 – Dr Bobby Tassin

TYC Mark Coordinates:

T – N 30 10.923 W 89 50.099
Y – N 30 11.238 W 89 49.372
C – N 30 11.902 W 89 49.247

Eden Isles Channel Marker 1 – N 30 12.640 W 89 48.034

Spring racing has been a lot of fun with a small but competitive fleet with some weather challenges. Series 1 resulted in sailing 3 of 6 planned races and was taken by White Lightnin'.

Spring Series 1: three races 3/13, 3/27 and 4/17

Boat	Points	Pos
White Lightning ()	5	1
Nightshift (First 375 SD)	11	2
Second Wind ()	12	3
Windsome ()	14	4
StraitJacket (J/109 R SD)	15	5
Zoya II (Jeanneau 44 DS)	17	6

Thanks to all who come out to race and to Doug, Kathy and the RC crew on *m/v Seariously* the signal boat and of course to all our members **who prep, cook and clean for the WedNite burgers!** All are much appreciated! The WedNite burgers and hot dogs continue to be a hit!

Spring Series 2: six races 4/24 through 6/5.

We ran an extra makeup race for the final WedNite race of Spring Series 2. The competition was tight with two points separating the top two boats going into the final race.



At the end of May, TYC had the pleasure of hosting past RC members Gary Knight and Dodie Jones on the water and Gary also parlayed his stay for Triple T Thursday and a Friday Steak Night. Great to have the “gang” back on the water.



Here is how the Spring Series 2 shook out:



Third Place-Night Shift



Second Place – Windsome





First Place – White Lightnin’



Crew of White Lightnin’



Two Against the Lake – rescheduled to May 4th.

There was “mano a mano” this year with Winsome and Zoya II duking it out for line honors. We did a new format with a pursuit style course using our “C” mark as the start and finish line with a course heading out into the Rigolets and back. For those not familiar, the time difference of the boats racing in conjunction with the course length is calculated for the start times and the finishing order of the boats determines the places. Nightshift was not able to squeeze the race into a return from overseas travel the night before. At one point, Zoya II was within 40 seconds of Windsome who then pulled away to capture first place.

Two vs Lake 5/4/2024

Course length 14.2 miles (“C” to Rigolets #4 and back)

Boat	PHRF	Delta	Start time
<u>Windsome</u>	153		10:00:00
Zoya 2	<u>138</u> (-15)	213 seconds; 3' 33"	10:03:33



Second Place – Zoya II

Skipper Rick Gunderson and Crew Steve Earle



First Place – Windsome

Skipper Tom Smith and Crew Will Walsten



Summer Sail Camp – All three of our past assistant instructors are now US Sailing Level 1 certified! Congrats to Sarah Abney, Maddie Munster and Cohen Gros. Combined, they have just under 30 years of experience as TYC sail camp attendees, assistants and now instructors! A shining example of the legacy of TYC Sail Camp and all the volunteers, especially people like Sandy Stone and Mike Parks and his family who have given so much of their time, talent and treasure over many years. A group of the usual suspects turned out to fix up the floating dock and sort out the containers and small boats prior to this year's camp. A big thanks to Pauline and Rene for getting a new outboard for the coach boat! Session three starts Monday, July 8th and we have had a great sail camp thus far. It is very impressive – in a matter of a mere 2-3 days we have brand new sailors out on the water.



****Thanks to all who considered - "how can I support the club?"** The club monitors for each day of sail camp are very much appreciated and I trust have felt the significance of sail camp. If you feel the calling, contact me at bhtassin@att.net to get involved. With the advent of the upcoming 501(c)(3) foundation, there is much to be done.



GYA – Challenge Cup 2024

TYC had no sailboat racing this year, but we were represented by the Finaddict in Gulfport doing RC work of setting the leeward gate marks. Wayne Sewing and I were on board and enjoyed some competitive racing,



Looking Ahead - TYC Fall Racing

Single-Handed Race - Saturday 10/5/2024.

LPRC starts at TYC in 2024 and is October 25 – 27th.

Skippers Meeting is Thursday October 24th. Please “save the dates” so we can get more TYC boats joining in the LPRC!

Recall that as a member of TYC, you have reciprocal privileges to visit any GYA yacht club. Policies vary by club and by event, so when planning a visit, call ahead for details.

Fair winds and following seas!



Corinthians Cruises 2024

- Spring Cruise – Coordinator Al Johnson – 985-778-3104
 - 3/9 Cruise to NOYC – Leave M1@10:00
 - 3/10 NOYC Opening Ceremonies & Regatta
 - 3/11 Cruise to TYC - Blue Crab as an alternative
 - 3/12 Cruise to Smugglers Cove or Bay St. Louis based on wind
 - Return date depends on group deadline 3/22 to PontYC Opening
- PontYC Opening Cruise – Coordinator Hooper Harris – 281-619-4689
 - 3/22 Cruise to PontYC for Opening Ceremonies
 - 3/23 PontYC Opening Ceremonies Start
 - 3/24 Cruise back to NOYC & TYC
- Madisonville Cruise– Coordinator Hooper Harris – 281-619-4689
 - 4/6 Cruise to Madisonville
 - 4/7 Cruise back to PontYC & TYC
- Bastile Regatta Cruise – Coordinator Danielle Rodriguez -504-957-5393 / Hooper Harris
 - 7/12 Cruise to NOYC
 - 7/13 Bastile Regatta
 - 7/14 Cruise back to PontYC & TYC
- CSA Summer Party Cruise – Coordinator Kenny Breau – 504-915-3553
 - 8/2 Cruise to PontYC
 - 8/3 Summer Party
 - 8/4 Cruise back to NOYC & TYC
- Pam Sintes Regatta Cruise – Coordinator Louise Bienvenu / Al Johnson
 - 8/23 Cruise to NOYC
 - 8/24 Pam Sintes Regatta – Female Skipper
 - 8/25 Cruise back to PontYC & TYC
- Great Lake Race Cruise – Coordinator Kenny Breau – 504-915-3553
 - 9/20 Cruise to NOYC
 - 9/21 Great Lake Race
 - 9/22 Cruise back to PontYC & TYC
- Wooden Boat Festival Cruise – Coordinator Hopper Harris – 281-619-4689
 - 10/18 Cruise to Madisonville
 - 10/19 Wooden Boat Festival
 - 10/20 Cruise back to NOYC, PontYC, TYC
- Fall Cruise – Coordinator Skipper Chanault – 504-812-9948
 - 2 Week Cruise Window based on weather 11/10 – 11/22
 - TYC – Blue Crab stops on way out and way in to Lake
 - Smugglers Cove or Bay St. Louis based on wind

TYC members invited to join in - by sea or by land.





Editor's Comments

Pauline Marques



Greetings Fellow TYC Members and Friends,

I am hopeful this message will find you in the best of health and prosperity.

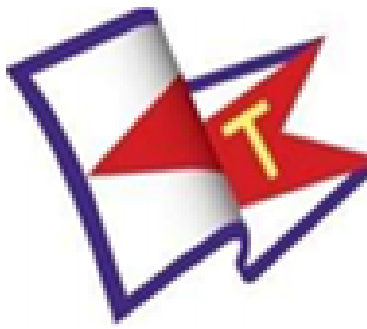
As always, I extend a "Thank You" to all our TYC photographers who have captured some amazing photos depicting life and fun on our beautiful Lake Pontchartrain.

Many thanks are extended to our Committee Chairs who work so diligently to get their articles to Spyglass in a timely manner, and to our TYC members who send in pictures to Spyglass from the many events they attend.

I look forward to seeing each of you at the Club.

Pauline Marques





House Manager

Jay Dunaway



To All TYC Members,

These past few months have been extremely fun for me; organizing dinners and implementing a few changes here and there. For that, I would like to say thank you for giving me this opportunity. Work is not work if you enjoy it, and I thoroughly enjoy all of this.

I also feel we are very fortunate with our bar crew at this time. Amanda and Zach are a perfect fit. I have received nothing but great responses about both of them, and I witness their daily involvement and work ethic. I am also happy that we will occasionally have Ciara once or twice a month when needed.

Over the past few months, I have had the opportunity to speak one-on-one with many of you. I can't stress enough about how important it is for all of us because it is your wants, needs, and suggestions that keep me informed. Please know that I pay attention and hear all that you have to say. In most cases, whether it be a suggestion, a problem, or a particular brand that you want behind the bar, it will be done as quickly as possible. Please know that in some cases, approval must be given by the House Committee Chairman or the Commodore.

One thing that I ask of all of you is, if you have the time, please send me suggestions by email on meals that you might want to see on Thursday evenings. Let me know if your favorite gin, bourbon, or wine is not behind our bar. Slowly, but consistently, I am implementing new things that will hopefully make your club a better place for you.



The salad bar on Thursday evenings has been a great hit. Everyone likes the multiple options. Also, this week behind the bar, we will have a hand-press juicer that will produce fresh fruit juice for some delicious cocktails made by Amanda and Zack.

Again, at the end of the day, myself, Amanda and Zach want you to come to your club and feel happy as though you are somewhere where you are taken care of, regardless of what night it is. If you're sitting at a table, please do not hesitate to wave one of us down if you need a cocktail--that's what we're here for. Let us get that for you. My email is listed below.

Warm regards,

Jay

Jaydunaway70458@gmail.com



TYC Extends a Warm Welcome to Guy Geller, TYC'S First Commodore



Tasty Thirsty Thursday

Join us for a TYC culinary experience
each Thursday evening.

6:30 PM

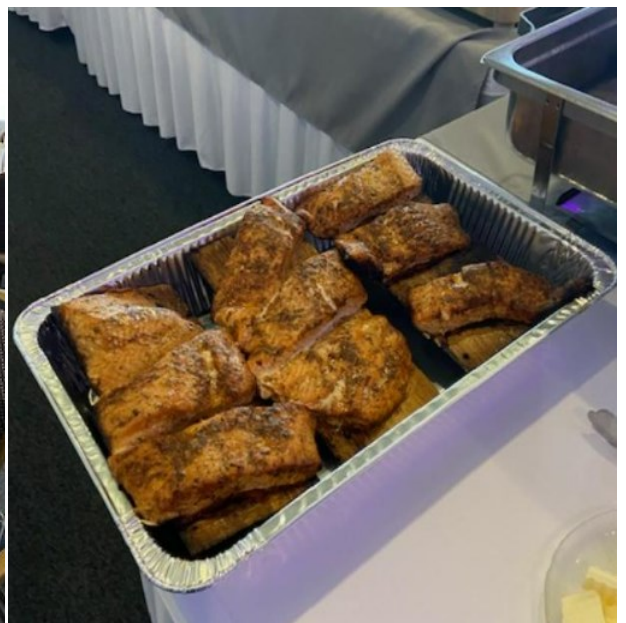
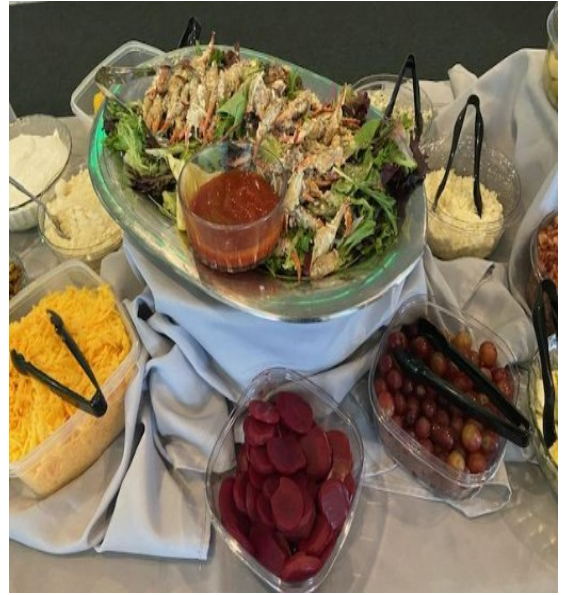
Check your email for details for the week.

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









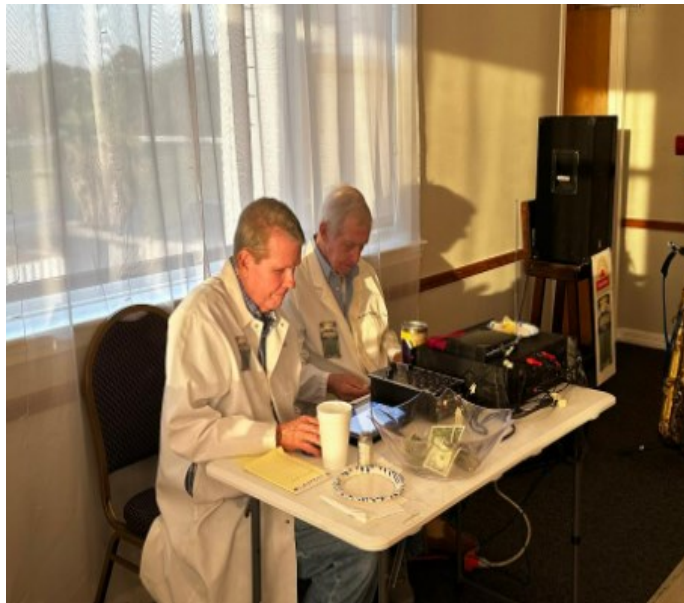
Bubba's Music Night at TYC

Thank You, Bubba!





Music Night Pictures submitted by
Mark Phillips





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.

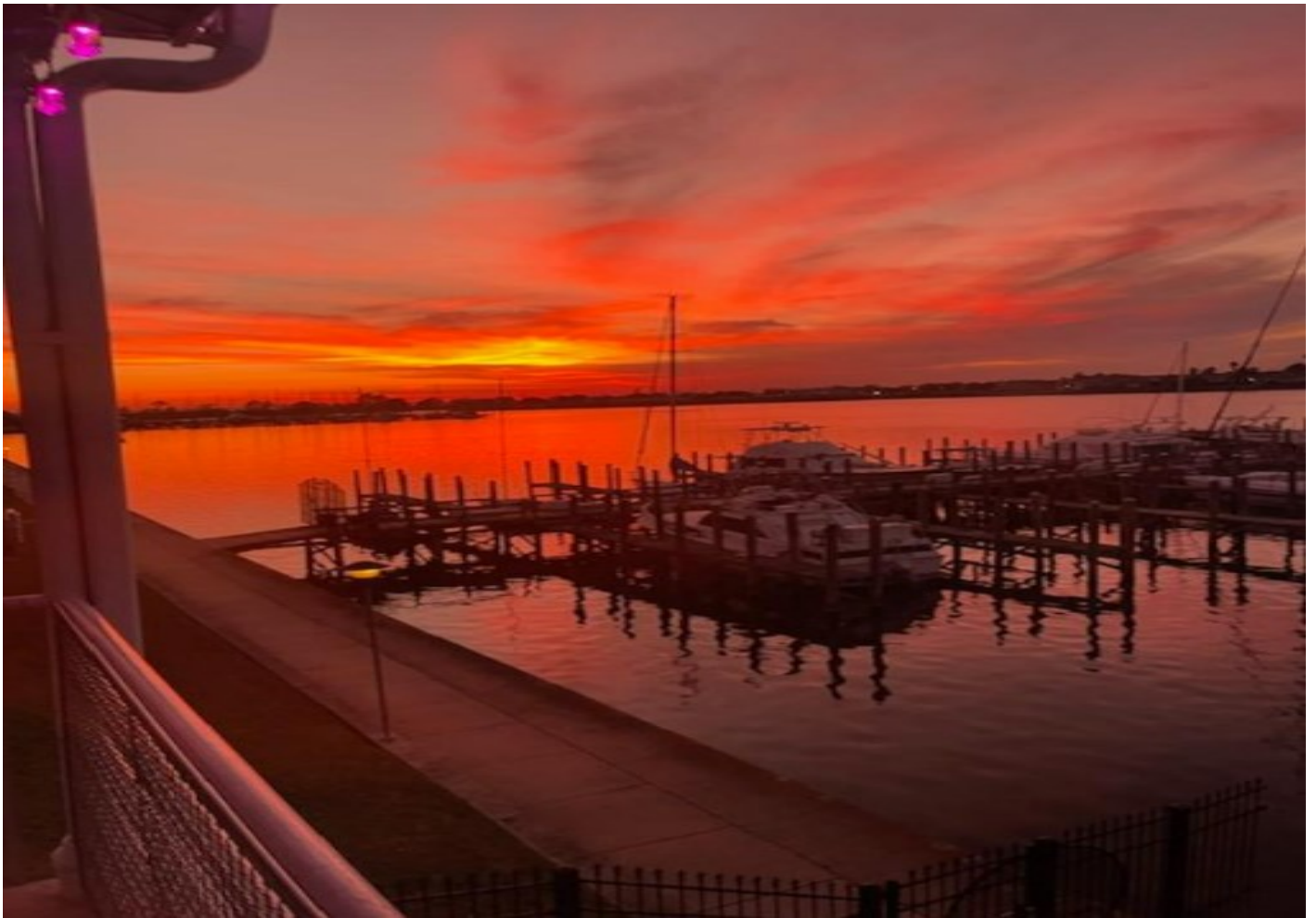


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June Birthdays

Beth Applewhite	6/15
Gary Knight	6/13
Dawnella Johnson	6/8
Audrey Lander	6/11
Cathy Maynard	6/5
Cheryl Perrett	6/7
Dale Phillips	6/11
Nancy Ritzmann	6/23
Tom Slager	6/25
Jeff Ward	6/30



July Birthdays

Michael Banghart	7/30
Doris Burvant	7/17
Cristina Cheramie Case	7/29
Wayne Ciko	7/28
Peter Fabre	7/14
Edward Gonzales	7/1
Darlene Guichet	7/1
Dodie Jones	7/7
Chris Lackey	7/18
Andrew Meyers	7/9
Carol Perrett	7/8
Cathy Pierce	7/16
Gloria Poole	7/11
Juan Price	7/5
Michelle Rabalais	7/30
Sherry Starling	7/21
Barry Statia	7/28
Eric Toups	7/23
Kathy Young	7/9



July 2024

Sun

Mon

Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

	1	2	3	4 TTT Happy 4th	5	6
7 Member Apprecia- tion Night	8	9	10	11 TTT	12	13
14	15	16	17	18 TTT	19	20
21	22	23	24	25 TTT	26	27
28 Steak Night 5 P.M.	29	30	31			





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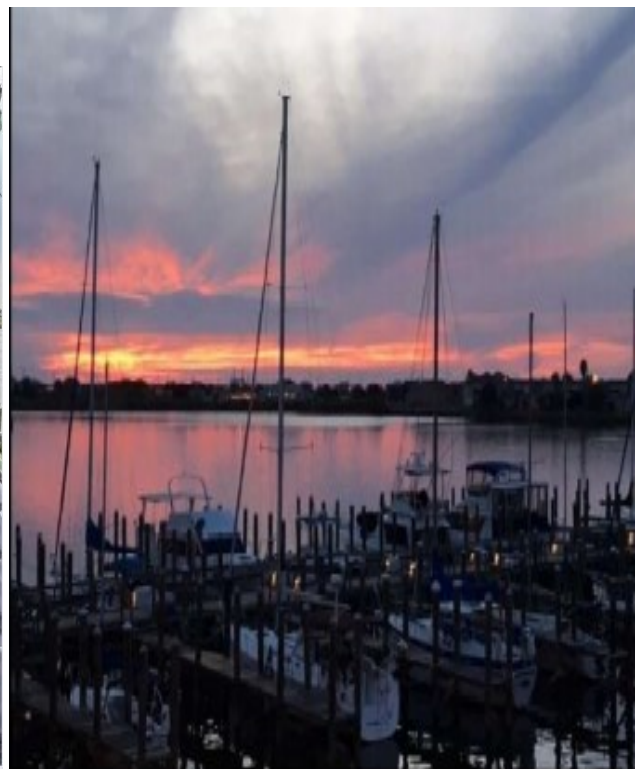
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