



## News from around the club:

### Commodore's Greeting from *your* New Commodore!

I was saddened to learn that Dan Anthony decided to step down as Commodore and thanked him for the valuable contributions he made.

As we move in to the upcoming boating season we have an exciting year to look forward to with boat races, social activities and other events.

Donna and I have enjoyed the interpersonal relations we have fostered at the St. Marys Boat Club and look forward to renewing our commitment to this incredible part of the world.

Let's get involved, stay involved, and assist others to do the same as we help move Grand Lake and the surrounding area forward. The variety of backgrounds and talents that our members possess helps to explain why the St. Marys Boat Club has existed and flourished over the years. It is because of diverse member talents that the future looks bright for us as a club.

Please pass on any suggestions or questions to me. I am always happy to hear from you. Remember, be committed and stay involved in *your* club and let's have a fun!

Bob Brenneman

Commodore

## Wind and Waves

### EXTRA!! EXTRA!!

Material for new club house roof to be delivered Wednesday March 29th.

New roof could possibly be finished by April 2nd meeting!

Jon Bergdal is working on a Eagle Scout project to erect a sign at the entrance to the Boat Club Channel. He plans to have it completed by the end of May.

Commodore Bob says the club house and grounds are looking good.

It is less than 60 days until the Commodore Cup Regatta!

Will your boat be cleaned, waxed, varnished, bottom painted and in the water, ready to go?

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## Up Coming Events for SMBC

- April 2nd, 1st General Membership meeting of the new year.
- April 22nd, Lake Cleanup Day & SMBC Spring Clean Up Day
- May 7th, General membership meeting
- May 27-28 Commodore Cup Regatta
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# 2017 SMBC Race Schedule *and Fun Activities*

## Regattas

### **Commodore's Regatta - May 27-29, 2017**

Saturday, May 27, 11:00am - 2 Triangle Races

Sunday, May 28, 11:00am - Rock Pile Race

**Monday, May 29, 11:00am – Sail to Lunch**

### **Firecracker Regatta – July 1 – July 3, 2017**

Saturday, July 1, 11:00am - 2 Triangle Races

Sunday, July 2, 11:00am - Rock Pile Race

**Monday, July 3, 11:00am – Sail to Lunch**

### **Labor Day Regatta - September 2-4, 2017 – Final Regatta**

Saturday, September 2, 11:00am - 2 Triangle Races

Sunday, September 3, 11:00am - Rock Pile Race

**Monday, September 4, 11:00am – Sail to Lunch**

**Note:** All Regatta Races will include a Captains Meeting at 10:00am with the race starting to 11:00am.

*Activities in Red are fun activities for ALL members.*



## Monthly Rock Pile Series

*The following dates are scheduled for the Monthly Rock Pile Series Races that are scheduled on the weekend of the SMBC monthly membership meeting.*

Sunday, June 4, 11:00am - Monthly Rock Pile Series Race

**Saturday, July 9, 5:00pm – Raft Out**

Sunday, July 9, 11:00am - Monthly Rock Pile Series Race

Sunday, August 6, 11:00am - Monthly Rock Pile Series Race

**Saturday, August 5, 8:00pm – Midnight Sail**

Sunday, September 10, 11:00am - Monthly Rock Pile Series Race

Sunday, October 8, 11:00am - Monthly Rock Pile Series Race - **Final Race**

**Note:** All Monthly Rock Pile Races will include a Captains Meeting at 10:00am with the race starting to 11:00am.

## Saturday Morning Series Races

*The following dates are scheduled for the Saturday Morning Series Races by each month.*

June 3, 10, 17, 24 - Saturday Series Race

July 8, 15, 22, 29 - Saturday Series Race

August 5, 12, 19, 26 - Saturday Series Race

September 9, 16, 23, 30 - Saturday Series Race

October 7 - Saturday Series Race – **Final Race**

**Note:** All Saturday Races will include a Captains Meeting at 10:00am with the race starting to 11:00am.

**Note:** Other sailing activities will be posted in the Clubhouse.

# 2017 SMBC Social Calendar

*\*Note: All events and dates are subject to change.*

## April

2nd : SMBC meeting at 4pm with potluck dinner to follow

## May

7th : SMBC meeting at 4pm with potluck dinner to follow

Memorial Day Holiday: Hosts: Kate & Beth

Sat., 27th: 6pm Dinner

Sun., 28th: 8am Breakfast

Mon., 29th: 11am Sail to Lunch

Catalina 22 Regatta: Memorial Day Weekend Host: Bryan Retterbush

## June

4th: SMBC meeting at 4pm with potluck dinner to follow

## July

4th of July Holiday: Hosts: Don & Jane Davis with Doug & Cindy Bergdall and Irvin & Kathy Baltes

Sat., July 1st: 6pm Shrimp Boil

Sun., 2nd: 8am Breakfast

6pm: Sadie Hawkins: men grill for the women

Mon., 3rd: 11am Sail to Lunch

9th: SMBC meeting at 4pm with potluck dinner to follow

23rd: 11am Sail to Lunch for Lakefest (tentative)

## August

5th: Open Hatch with Cocktails & Appetizers to share (Theme?)

Hosts: Fran & George Schumacher ?

6th: SMBC meeting at 4pm with potluck dinner to follow

# 2017 SMBC Social Calendar (continued)

## September

Labor Day Holiday: Hosts: \_\_\_\_\_

Sat., 2<sup>nd</sup>: 6pm Great American Cook-Out Dinner

Sun., 3<sup>rd</sup>: 8am Breakfast

Mon., 4<sup>th</sup>: 11am Sail to Lunch

10<sup>th</sup>: SMBC meeting at 4pm with potluck dinner to follow

Homecoming Theme: Contact former members to join us for the day.

Marathon Water Station: Date to be announced with information to follow

## October

1<sup>st</sup>: SMBC meeting at 4pm with potluck dinner to follow STARRING:

Soup/Chili Cook-off & Pumpkin Dessert Contest

Hosts: \_\_\_\_\_

28<sup>th</sup>: Halloween Party Hosts: \_\_\_\_\_

## November

4<sup>th</sup>: SMBC meeting at 4pm with Thanksgiving meal to follow

☐ The club will provide: turkey, ham, mashed potatoes & gravy

☐ Members need to bring a complimentary dish

## December

9<sup>th</sup>: 6 pm SMBC Holiday Party with Installation of Officers (Location TBA)

Hosts: Donna & Bob Brenneman

*\*If you are interested in hosting an event, or you would like to add an event, please contact Cindy Bergdall @: cdbergdall@gmail.com or call 1 (260) 438-6982.*

## REMINDERS!

Photo at right of Bob Wilkins on roof of SMBC, changing bulb in range light, last September.

Help is always needed around the club. Please consider volunteering.



Lake Cleanup Day is April 22nd! Wear old clothes and bring yard tools.

Come any time and leave anytime. Lunch provided by club.

## **Saint Mary's Boat Club**

November 6, 2016

Call to order – Quorum not present

Motion to Accept the Minutes from the previous meeting.

### **Officer / Committee Reports**

**Treasurers Report** – Brandi Dickey No Report

#### **Social Committee**

December Christmas party scheduled for December 10, at C.J. Highmarks in Celina. Cost to be \$25 per person. Coctails start at 5:30, Dinner at 7:00.

**Dockmaster Report** - No Report

**Race Committee**—Thank you to all who helped with races this year.

**Vice Commodores Report**—Final Cleaning to be done Wednesday. No issues reported.

Grass cutting to be moved to Tuesdays next season.

**Commodore's Report**—Nominations taken for Tegethoff award and silver tongue award

### **Old Business**

BOG approved contractor for metal roof, to be completed in January 2017

### **New Business**

Elections held for BOG Members for 2019 terms

Nominated: Cindy Bergdall, Donna Brenneman, Jim Hepp, Jane Davis

Elected: Cindy Bergdall, Donna Brenneman

Boater's safety skills class in planning stages for 2017 season. More information to follow.

### **Announcements**

Boat club building to be closed and winterized shortly.

Thank you to those who donated to the food pantry.

Motion to close.

Secretary Matthew L. Dickey 11/06/2016

**Florida SMBC Reunion Hosted by George and Fran Schumacher  
Fisherman's Village, Punta Gorda, Fl. March 15th**



## **2016 Winners!**

**2016 Tegethoff Award winner — Cindy Bergdal**

**Racing Champions of 2016**

**2016 SMBC Club Champion  
George Schumacher**

**Best New Racers  
Hunter and Painter Drury**

**Rock Pile**

**1st Place - Dave Regnet**

**2nd Place - Gary Brown**

**3rd - Bryan Retterbush**

**Saturday Morning**

**1st Place - Bryan Retterbush**

**2nd Place - Dave Regnet**

**3rd Place - George Schumacher**

**Regattas**

**1st Place - George Schumacher**

**2nd Place - Bryan Retterbush**

**3rd Place - Dave Regnet**



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Also if you have pictures you would like shared please feel free to forward them to the above e-mail address.

Thank for your support.

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