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Great Lakes Steel Boat Club

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From your Commodore

By Greg Tackett



Hello Everyone,

I hope everybody is doing well and had a great Thanksgiving. The weather sure has been kind to us so far, I hope it holds out for a while.

November was a challenging month for me personally; my work was winding down but it went out with a big bang as I wasn't even able to go to Sun Parlour's commodore's ball because of it. Luckily VC Joe and Lady Carol were able to go and represent the club for Lady Julie and I, thanks for the back-up Joe and Carol.

Well, the annual meeting is right around the corner (Dec 5th) so I hope to see you all there. Be sure to get your ballots in the mail if you cannot attend.

Since my last newsletter Lady Julie and I were able to attend the commodore's ball for Nugents Canal down in Ohio and had a great time. I was able to go to the Yellow Dogs night down at Swan Boat Club as well but that was about it for the month with regards to other club activities for us during November.

As most of you know, Kevin Stone (and Cathy) hosted a fundraiser for the Pennybacker family down at the Gibraltar Community Center a couple of weeks ago and boy was it a nice night. I give Kevin the kudos as he sure worked his tail off but we had many other members there to support him and they all did a great job. This club is simply "something special" when the rubber meets the road, the members sure "stand tall" (as Ralph used to say when he was describing the grounds of the boat club). It sure makes me proud to be part of GLSBC!!!

Also last month we lost another member, "Norm Dunn". I know that he wasn't an "active member" but he sure was "active" with boat club activities. He will be missed...

That's all that I have for now. See you at the Membership meeting.

Commodore

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From your Vice Commodore / Dock Chairman,

By Joe Bacile



Hi everyone.

Winter is here, the boats are put away and not much happening docks wise.

I had the honor to represent our club at Sun Parlor's Commodore's ball last weekend. It was at the Royal Canadian Legion Hall in Amherstburg. The food was good and it was very nice to be there.

Carol and I are looking forward to our annual meeting where we will announce the winners of the 300 Club raffle. The following weekend is our Chicago trip which is always fun.

That's about it for now. See you soon,

Vice Commodore Joe

From your Rear Commodore,

By Kevin Stone



Hello Members

Well we got our first touch of winter burr all I can think about is how long to we can put the boats back into the water.

November was somewhat slower but still had club stuff to do. We started off the first weekend in November on Friday night with Yellow dogs had 30 dogs and 4 pups. I would like to thank Kevin McNiven for the use of his bus and motor home each year he take us to and from yellow dogs so we don't have to drive thank you. I also like to thank Ron and Dan Chevillet for using their motor home as our rescue vehicle. Saturday was the Pennybacker event not club faction but was a great success thank you to all that gave with your hearts.

I was asked to go with SWBC on their bus trip had a very nice time. We will be getting the club house all fixed up for our annual meeting on December 5 doors open at 5 Pm remember bring a dish to pass.

November First Thursday are a great turn out 40 + people, Steven Wysocki and Tony Granelli did an out stand job with the smoked Rib eye over pecan wood cips and that world famous cold slaw, we do have some very good cooks Thanks guys. Please feel free to come down and keep in touch with the people at the club first Thursday is a great way to do that. Rear Commodore / Entertainment

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On a very sad note one of our long time first Thursday/GLSBC members Norman Dunn passed away he will be missed. Norman and I have had many long conversations in the think tank I will dearly miss him.

Please feel free to contact me to give me your input. It's your club and without your input and participation it would not be a boat club but just a marina.

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Kevin Stone

AYC tickets are now available. The party is going to again be at the Holiday Inn French Quarter, in Perrysburg, OH. The dates are February 19, and 20, 2016. If you are interested in tickets please call or text Tom Kovach at [313-670-1582](tel:313-670-1582). Tickets are \$40 per person for the weekend.

Hotel reservation form are available in the clubhouse. Reservations in the main hotel come on a first come, first serve basis so please get your form sent in as soon as possible.

Hope to see you at this party it's always a GREAT time!!!!

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Important Dates

December 5	Annual Meeting
December 11, 12, 13, 14	Chicago Rendezvous

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