

THE TILLER

Lake Worth Sailing Club, Est. 1935
April, 2019

Commodore's Corner

Another beautiful Day here at the club (Tues). Had a chance to mow most of the lawn. We still need to move boats here and there. We also need to do some weed whacking before Opening Weekend. Volunteers would be appreciated.

Keep an eye out for Rat snakes, I have seen two 2-3 ft snakes while mowing.

A quick reminder to members, please clean up your glasses, plates or any other dishes you use. Thank you.

The Gate code has changed. The new number was sent via e-mail. If you have any questions, please e-mail or call me.

Come out and enjoy our beautiful club!

Aaron Brandt, Commodore



Vice Commodore's Report

The March work party, also known as a Painting Extravaganza, was a wash-out. Oh well. You just get to do it again on Saturday 20 April 2019. New window trim, painting, dock repair, and yard work are scheduled. Somebody, or a group of somebodies, will need to fix lunch too. Check with the Commodore on the lunch budget. A chop saw with masonry blade would be a wonderful tool to bring. So would paint roller handles.

You're still not making much progress tagging your outboards in the mower storage area. There are still about 20 waiting for owners to claim them.

A list was sent out to all members identifying eight boats that are full of water. The three in wet slips are just one good rain away from sinking. Most of the trailered boats are heavy enough that the trailer bunks are destroying the integrity of the hull. All eight of the boats are mosquito hot-spots.

Yes, you are also responsible for keeping your boat registration stickers up-to-date. Just buying the sticker doesn't count. You have to actually put it on your boat. The fine is several times the cost of registration.

Clean up Roster: Here's a quick look at the next several weeks. There is a copy of the full year posted on the club bulletin board and web site. Two members are listed for each week so most of us make the list twice a year.

<i>Week of</i>	<i>Member</i>	<i>Member</i>
7-Apr-2019	Lambeth, Mark	Berry, Jerri
14-Apr-2019	Ludden, Dan	Bodycomb, Rosser
21-Apr-2019	Malone, Patty	Bracy, Ron
28-Apr-2019	Marten, Gene	Brandon, Glenn
5-May-2019	Mask, Larry	Brandt, Aaron
12-May-2019	McGown, Quentin	Brandt, Roger
19-May-2019	McMillan, Brian	
26-May-2019	Mergner, Luther	Butler, Mike

Gary Noyes, Vice-Commodore

A Tribute to Two Sailor Buds Now Sailing in Paradise

Their bond is that of brothers,
Joker Gregg and Smiling John.
Two swabbie pals together
now sailing the great beyond.

They left their charts and logs behind
while sailing the higher domain.
No need for such as they soar among clouds
over near and distant plains.

So while you are slipping out of port
look up at the open sky.
Ole Gregg and John will be smiling down
as they see you passing by.
Give them a wave and a sharp salute
and catch the twinkle in their eyes.

*In fond memory of Gregg Brown and John
Schwake, long term members of the Lake Worth
Sailing Club. Fair winds and calm seas.*

B.Crow March 2019



A fine time was had at the club's annual St. Patrick's Day Dinner. Some of the year's best food and beverages were served. As the photos show, green was a popular color choice.

Upcoming Race Committee Schedule

4/7/19	Stokley, David	Hinrichs, Roy	Spring Series
4/14/19	Adkisson, Jack	Bracey, Ron	Spring Series
4/21/19	Easter-No scheduled races		
4/27/19	Barrows, Peter	Brandt, Roger	Opening Weekend-Saturday
4/28/19	Crow, Bob	Butler, Mike	Open Weekend-Sunday
5/5/19	Davis Jerry	Dietz, Peggy	
5/12/19	Finn Dave	Haines, Chuck	
5/19/19	Franklin, Thomas	Hill Dean	
5/26/19	Ghormley, James	Holcomb, Linda	

Social Chairman Berry asks anyone who has kitchen towels to please return them to the club before opening weekend

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What may look like hurricane damage is actually volunteer Sailing Club members getting rid of four abandoned boats that have been cluttering up the grounds. Please remember that it is your responsibility to take care of your boats, trailers and other equipment stored at the club. Keep the weeds mowed around your trailer, drain rain water, help keep down mosquitos, pick up trash etc. Let's have a club everyone can be proud of.

