

Landmark Yacht Club

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June Meeting

Landmark Yacht Club

3:00 PM

RSVP required for meal following the meeting

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The 2002 LYC Flag Raising was held on May 25th. Unlike the past few years the weather finally cooperated. Bright blue skies, sunshine and a warm breeze allowed the ceremony to be held outside and made for a very enjoyable day.

Twenty-seven members attended the ceremony. Guests included Christina Barr, Stan Rose, Sandi Kovak, Jerri Alexander, Christine Tyson, Greg Mooney and Elaine Cartwright. Also in attendance were Alan Tonelson and his wife Dr. Jo Ann E. Daly. Alan is a present member and past Commodore of Capital Yacht Club and also a past Commodore of PRYCA.

Commodore Bob McDonnell opened the program by welcoming all members and guests present. The 2002 LYC officers were introduced and John Kenyon led the invocation.

Bob then gave an informative speech on the history of Landmark from the early days in D.C. to our present day club activities.

Charlie Fields conducted the End of Watch remembering our departed members. Charlie also acted as our Captain of the Colors and with the assistance of Ed Galati hoisted the flags during the ceremony.

Our Fleet Captain Gary Farrell declared LYC in

commission for the 2002 boating season. Stan Rose was acting cannoneer, Ed Galati lent a hand to fire one round which concluded the ceremony.

All enjoyed a hamburger and hotdog cookout following the program. Thanks to all who helped with the meal and brought appetizers and desserts.

Renay Galati collected for the 50/50 drawing, which was won by Mike Galati.

Clubhouse News

Jerry Rice and Robert Cook did a great job painting the clubhouse floor. Many thanks to Jerry & Robert and to Gary & Sally Farrell for their help in moving furniture.

The flowers around the grounds were planted by Georgia Strentz.

Dock News

Harald organized a dock workday on June 1st. The four new moorings were dropped approximately 100 feet from the t-dock. After consideration of many ideas concerning this project it was decided that each mooring would be floated out on a jon boat. A jet ski towed

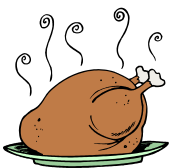
the boat and the moorings were dropped at their designated sights by capsizing the boat. This slow and somewhat risky process worked perfectly. Thanks to Harald Seiler, Gary Farrell, Dan Hammack and Bob McDonnell for volunteering for this task and to all others who helped position the moorings for their journey.

Andy Myruski and John Hall repaired the benches. They were then power washed and painted. Andy also power washed the concrete patio and the small boats stored on the racks. Thank you Andy—

Harald brought pedestal lights and they were installed on the dock. This will provide much needed extra light for activities after dark.

Membership Notes

Before the Flag Raising activities began a new member applicant, Suzanne Auble, was presented to the voting members in attendance. Suzanne is Renay Galati's mother and has visited the club frequently. After a quick vote, Suzanne was welcomed as our first new member of 2002.



Programs & Attendance



The meal following the June meeting will be fried turkeys, potatoes and vegetables sponsored by the Myruski's and Farrell's. They have asked a few members to bring desserts. Due to the preparations involved, **IT IS VERY IMPORTANT** to know how many people will be there. **PLEASE** contact Peggy (540)775-9567; amyruski@crosslink.com or Sally (434)296-8571; gmfc1@aol.com by Tues., June 18th if you plan to attend. They would appreciate your assistance in this matter.



Old Business

None

New Business

None

Birthdays & Anniversaries



June Birthdays
18 – Sydney Chichester
29 – Karen Mercado



June Anniversaries
11 – Greg & Heather Anderson
25 – Ed & Kristie Galati

The next meeting will take place at LYC on June 22, 2002 at 3:00 PM
The by-laws committee meets at 1:30 PM, the Board at 2:15 PM.

REMINDER

The following members are scheduled for a workday on June 22nd
John&Laura Hall, Nancy Barr, Paul&Darlene Gauthier, Dan&Andrea Hammack, Harald& Cheri Seiler, Robert&Terry Cook, Barbara Coughlan, Rose Dixon, Hugh&Carol Fleming, Chris& MaryAnn Christiano, Gregg&Jean Reynolds.
(please plan to arrive at 10:00 AM)

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