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### The Commodore's Comments - Commodore David Herbold

As everyone knows all events at our club have been cancelled until April 21st. The Bridge and Board will announce if more cancelations will be needed. It will most likely be determined by state mandate.

The club now has hand sanitizers at both entry doors for your convenience. These were installed by Dan Hudson.....A BIG thank you to Dan Hudson for sanitizing the club, door knobs, railings and bathrooms!

Myself, Dan Hudson along with P/C Jeremy Schmitt and R/C Dan Collins sanitized all the club tables and chairs, bar stools and sprayed anything that looked like it could hold a germ! The club never smelled so clean!

Also the old cradles on the side of the club were cut up and left for the city to dispose of.

As of now, It looks like the north dock and wall project will go on as planned. I'm sure it will be in the works by the time you read this newsletter.



### Inside News

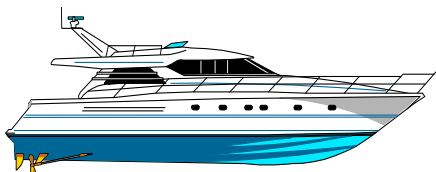
A first for our club....since there is no general meeting in April, we will hold our first and hopefully only internet new member vote! Details to follow as Mike Capan and I lock in the voting process. I would expect this to be around the cancelled general meeting timeframe.

If you do go into the club, clean up and sanitize!

I wish I had more to report, but literally everything is at a stand still but remember boating season is around the corner and we can all wax six feet apart!

Stay Safe  
Commodore "Liberator" Dave Herbold

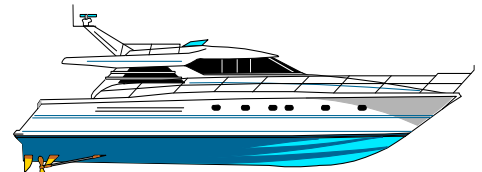
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### COMING EVENTS

APRIL 2020

- ~~03 APRIL FISH FRY, 5:30PM~~
- ~~04 APRIL MEAT RAFFLE, 6:00PM~~
- ~~14 APRIL GENERAL MEETING, 8:00PM~~
- 25 APRIL—THEME TRAY PARTY 5:00PM ??



MAY 2020

- 01 MAY—FISH FRY, 5:30PM
- 03 MAY—FLAG RAISING
- 10 MAY— MOTHER'S DAY BRUNCH
- 12 MAY—GENERAL MEETING, 8:00PM
- 22-25 MAY—MEMORIAL DAY CRUISE



**VICE COMMODORE  
Eric Mowry**

Along with everyone else I am trying to wrap my head around these trying times amidst this pandemic. We are all sailing uncharted waters regarding this and it is certainly causing historical disruptions to the

everyday functions of our club. That being said I am positive we will get through this together, albeit from a safe distance. Through social media and classic platforms like the telephone, let's keep connecting with each other. The only silver lining I see so far is that the weather may be in our favor and boats will be in the water sooner rather than later which will make social distancing a bit more tolerable. I want to thank Dan Hudson for cleaning and disinfecting the club while I was away. He installed hand sanitizer stations on the wall at the entrance and should become part of everyone's routine even after this is all over.

I hope that this entire episode will give us all a renewed sense of purpose and love for our club. When things return to normal I really hope to see high turnouts and support for club functions and meetings. Considering the new capital project that has started the club will need our member's support more than ever. It will also be nice to connect with everyone again at these functions and regain those feelings and good times which we are all craving right now. Stay distant, stay safe, and I'll see you all on the other side of this.

Eric "Toast" Mowry  
Vice Commodore



**NEWS FROM THE REAR  
COMMODORE—Dan Collins**

Well these are strange days indeed' with having to postpone, limit or cancel club activities due to the current health crisis. As tough as it was for the Bridge and Board headed up by Commodore

Dave Herbold to make this decision we are bound to the same laws and standards as any bar or restaurant, also it was a general consensus that we were better off to side with caution and prevention at this time. With that being said we are hoping the restrictions will be lifted very soon as we continue to evaluate the situation regularly. I also want to thank Bill Vaughan as he has volunteered to forego his stipend as bar steward during this time to help offset lost revenue.

Time to look towards the positive. IT'S TIME TO GET THE BOATS READY, and the dock project should be underway. As with every year when prepping your boat please be mindful of keeping the yard clean and pick up after yourself and this year be considerate of the space needed by the crew working on the docks, as this will help the project in a timely manner.

I have a few projects in mind for the club, along with yard cleanup and planting. I plan on power washing the building and refurbishing the memorial flag holders that are by the flag pole. Keep an eye open for future work parties as your help will be appreciated.

Better Times Are Coming  
R/C Dan Collins

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**FROM THE FLEET CAPTAIN  
NICK BATTISTELLA**


By now you are aware that the club calendar has been cleared, and events have been postponed, or canceled. Our new normal is to stay at home for safety. Paula's trying to keep me away from the TV, and closer to our exercise area. Away from the fridge, and closer to the paint brush! Although the boating season is getting closer on the calendar, our thoughts and concerns are elsewhere. We all want to do what's best for ourselves, and for our loved ones. Time will pass slowly in some cases, but pass it will. When we are finally able to get our boats in, may it provide us with a sense of normalcy, comfort, and peace. In the meantime we have a path to travel, a bridge to cross. It could be a couple of weeks, some say longer. For however long it takes, heed the warnings, follow the rules. We'll be just fine on the other side.

"Things are not always right because they are hard, but if they are right one must not mind if they are also hard. "

-Winston Churchill

Your fleet captain

Nick Battistella



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Vice Commodore	Eric Mowry	913-8817
Rear Commodore	Dan Collins	445-6357
Fleet Captain	Nick Battistella	984-8868
Dockmaster	Bill Vaughan	445-4917
Recording Secretary	P/C Dan Bright	
Corresponding Secretary	Michael Capan	803-4688
Treasurer	Rick Kivler	541-7077

**ELECTED MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

P/C Jeremy Schmitt	Jamin Butcher
P/C Ken Burgio	Chris Carey
Dan Hudson	Dan Bundy
Joe Connolly	

**APPOINTED OFFICERS**

Steward	William (Bill) Vaughan	445-4917
Chaplain	George O. Clarke, Jr.	694-4404
Marina Operator	Bill Vaughan	445-4917
Newsletter Editor	George O. Clarke, Jr.	694-4404
Supply	P/C Jerry Hathaway	693-1739
	P/C Joe Riccio	874-6582

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<http://innerharboryc.com>**





**AUXILIARY NEWS**  
**From Your President**

I hope everyone is healthy and well stocked. The men have met and cancelled April's fish fry, the meat raffle, and our April Auxiliary meeting. They will re evaluate for Theme tray and looking forward to

Flag raising. I will do my best to communicate all information via our face book page, the clubs face book page and email. Please feel free to contact me with any questions, 541-7007.

If you need to venture out, please be smart about it. Use hand sanitizer, wash your hands when you get home. Practice "social distancing". Check on your elderly neighbors. Prayers to any essential workers.

Stay safe,  
 Phyllis  
 President


**2020 Auxiliary Officers**

President	Phyllis Kivler	541-7077
Vice President	Becky Mowry	796-5197
Rec. Sec.	Teresa Schmitt	
Corr Sec.	Nancy Myszka	877-0131
Treasurer	Marlene Weiss	693-3852
Fleet Mates	Amanda Butcher Deanna Butcher	
Chaplain	Mary Riccio	830-4904

**Board of Directors**

Jill Collins	Kathy Batcho
Robin Schmitt	Valerie Wells

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**Happy Birthday to:**

- April 03 P/C Tom Maloney
- April 06 George Clarke Jr.
- April 09 P/C Scott Green
- April 12 Mike Capan
- April 13 P/C David Masters
- April 15 Scott Butcher
- April 18 Juliet Rowland
- April 21 Dan Hudson
- April 24 James Connolly

**Auxiliary Happy Birthday to:**

- April 03 Susan Kiener
- April 04 Amanda Butcher
- April 06 Mary Riccio
- April 24 Teresa Schmitt
- April 22 Cheryl Maloney
- April 27 Denise (Molly) McGee
- April 30 Debbie Connolly



The IHYC Ladies Auxiliary wish to thank the members who bring desserts for the Fish Fry dinners.



# Get Well

## GOOD AND WELFARE

Special prayers and get well wishes go out to the following members: Vince Motto, Bob Weiss, P/C Neal McPartlan, P/C John Knipler, Brian McGee, Jim Connolly, P/C Joe Riccio, P/C Bob Myszka, Norma Stallone, Etta Glasshauser, Arlene Manth, Linda DiBenedetto, Sandy Hanley and Deb Connolly.

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P/C Joseph J. Riccio  
 for IHYC Supply Committee

**Fish Fry News**

Bring your family and friends and join other IHYC members starting at 5:30pm for a delicious fish fry dinner usually the first Friday of the month except April 03 2020 when the club is closed due to COVID-19. We look forward to seeing again when we can resume.

**2020 Monthly Booze Raffle**

\*\$5.00 a chance

\*Must be 21 or over to enter

\*Prize random amount gift cards \$50 -\$100 for Consumers or Tonawanda Liquor Store

\*To enter sign book at bar 1 line equals 1 entry, non members must include phone number

\*Winner will be drawn first Tuesday of the month

<b>TEAM 4—2020</b>
<b>APRIL, AUGUST, DECEMBER</b>
JAMIN BUTCHER—MIDDLE FRYER
SCOTT BUTCHER—FRYER
CHRIS RIZZO—BROILER
ANDY VALLANCOURT—PLATE
DEANNA BUTCHER—SERVE/BUS
AMANDS BUTCHER—SERVE/BUS
PAM THURSTON—SERVE/BUS
TARA HUDSON—SERVE/BUS
DAN HUDSON—DISHWASHER
DAN WILSON—SERVE/BUS

Questions Regarding Bar/Kitchen

<b>TEAM 1—2020</b>	<b>TEAM 2—2020</b>	<b>TEAM 3 —2020</b>	<b>TEAM 4—2020</b>
<b>JANUARY, MAY, SEPTEMBER</b>	<b>FEBRUARY, JUNE, OCTOBER</b>	<b>MARCH, JULY, NOVEMBER</b>	<b>APRIL, AUGUST, DECEMBER</b>
P/C MARTY SIMINSKI—FRYER	MIKE CAPAN—FRY	DICK WATSON—MIDDLE FRYER	JAMIN BUTCHER—MIDDLE FRY
P/C JAIME SCHMITT—MIDDLE FRYER	RON WILSON—SERVE/BUS	P/C MIKE SEAMAN—FRYER	SCOTT BUTCHER—FRY
P/C JEREMY SCHMITT—BROIL	CINDY WILSON—SERVE/BUS	JIM ORTIZ—BROILER	CHRIS RIZZO—BROIL
JIM CONNOLLY—DISHWASHER	P/C TOM MALONEY—BROIL	BOB CARROLL—SERVE	ANDY VAILLANCOURT—PLATE
CMDR DAVE HERBOLD—SERVE	CHERYL MALONEY—BUS/SERVE	ANN CARROLL—SERVE	DEANNA BUTCHER—SERVE/BUS
KATHY BATCHO—SERVE	VINNIE MOTTO—DISHWASHER	JIM PERUSICH—DISHWASHER	AMANDA BUTCHER—SERVE/BUS
<b>OPEN—BUS</b>	MARSHA MOTTO—DISHWASHER	PHYLLIS KIVLER—PLATE	PAM THURSTON—SERVE/BUS
<b>OPEN—PREP</b>	JOE CONNOLLY—FRYER	CHRIS FRONCZAK—BUS/SERVE	TARA HUDSON—SERVE/BUS
JIM MICHAELS—PLATE	SUE BARRETT—PLATE	MANDIE FRONCZAK—BUS/SERVE	DAN HUDSON—DISHWASHER
KELLY DRESSLER—SERVE/BUS	MARK BARRETT—SERVE/BUS	DARRYL STELTER—FINAL PREP	DAN WILSON—BUS/SERVE
<b>OPEN—BUS/SERVE</b>	<b>OPEN—SERVE/BUS</b>	PATTY STELTER—FINAL PREP	
		<b>OPEN—BUS/SERVE</b>	

# WFC Women's Auxiliary Theme Tray Event

**Date:** Sat. April 25, 2019

**Time:** 5:00 - 8:00pm



**Entrance Fee:** \$10.00 per person. The entrance fee includes one sheet of tickets & a roast beef sandwich (Food served at 6pm). Additional sheets of tickets \$8 each.

**Special Tickets:** 3 for \$5 for Big Ticket items (Main Table)

**Please bring a "Dish to Pass"** for each family attending. Guests are welcome to attend but please ask that they also bring a dish to share.

There will be a **Cash Bar** at the event.

If you would like to make a monetary donation or a basket donation, please contact Deanna Butcher at (716) 909-3232 or Amanda Butcher at (716) 946-6923. Sign-up sheet in the Club House.





# April 2020



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
			<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	
			<b>IHYC Closed until further notice due to COVID-19</b>				
<i>5</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>11</i>	
<i>12</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>18</i>	
<i>19</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>25</i>	
						Theme Tray	
<i>26</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>30</i>			