



Landmark Yacht Club

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Next Meeting

**** June 24 – Board Meeting at 4:00 p.m. – General Meeting at 5:00 p.m. **
at the Clubhouse**

Landmark Yacht Club 2006 Bridge

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Meeting Minutes

Commodore – Gary Farrell

I want to thank the board and all the members that participated in preparing the club for our flag raising. The grounds and building looked great and the meal was delicious!

The ceremony is a longstanding tradition with yacht clubs and it is our day to be part of that tradition. It is a time to reflect on the meaning of the flags that are flown on our club flagstaff and to remember our past members that helped to shape the club. Unfortunately, the board feels that a small number of our members in attendance did not show respect for those traditions. This was displayed by loudly talking throughout the ceremony including the blessing and the national anthem. If members do not want to participate they should remain off grounds until the ceremony is completed. In the future, the children on club property will be expected to be seated with the audience. It is a privilege to be a member of Landmark and by joining the club a member agrees to respect their fellow members and the traditions.

The board would like to thank the Coast Guard Auxiliary for providing the members with a safety class on June 3rd. There were 15 in attendance. The next class is scheduled for July 29th at 9 am. The topic will be "Use of a GPS and Charts." It will last 2 hours.

Vice Commodore – Jerry Rice

A big thank you goes out to Roger Baxter for the motor bracket and use of his motor on our pontoon so that we may proceed in cutting the hydrilla that has grown rapidly around our dock and swimming area. We need volunteers to help this weekend and the weekend of the 17-18th (I know it is Fathers day weekend) and maybe before the meeting on the 24th. Also for the members scheduled for the June workday -- the grass probably will need to be cut and miscellaneous upkeep to keep the club in good shape!

Rear Commodore–Ron Cheek

Deb and I want to say THANK YOU to everyone for the wonderful surprise wedding reception. We were both overwhelmed. THANK YOU does not begin to express our feelings toward everyone for all that you did. A very HEART FELT THANK YOU!

Also I want to thank everyone who helped put in the piling Sunday, June 4. Everyone there put out an EXTRA LARGE effort to get this job complete, including the ladies.

Reminder:

When you renew your boat insurance, I need a copy for the club records.

Fleet Captain – Gary Vineyard

This is just a reminder that the PRYCA float-in is July 14-16th at Kinsale Marina. The Landmark Yacht Club week-long cruise follows on July 16-23. We will leave Kinsale and go to Somers Cove in Crisfield, MD; and then on to Tides Inn in Irvington, VA. From there we will go to Deltaville Marina. Anyone interested in going to Tall Timbers this weekend, June 10th, should contact Gary Farrell.

Secretary – Dyan Stott None.

Treasurer – Pat Jones

Often when I pick up mail from the club's post office box there are numerous coupons for restaurants and various discounts for local merchants. I thought it would be a nice idea if I put these in a basket near the bulletin board so members can use them.

Membership – Nancy Vineyard

We welcome aboard our new members, Mark & Gwyneth Michel and Trevor & Tonya Young.

Programs & Attendance – Peggy Myruski

The meal for the June meeting will be grilled steaks. Members **must** call to let either Nancy or Gary know by June 21st if you would like your name added to the list for shopping purposes. Please call 540-854-8353. Desserts will be provided by Virginia, Hilda, Suzanne and Marge in June.

Activities Committee –

We are having our Hula-Hoop competition after the meeting on June 24th!! We will have fun finding out who is the best of the best in the club! so.....don't be shy.....get ready and practice your "Hula-ing"!! Some Hula-Hoops will be provided, but you

are encouraged to bring your own....a real deal at \$2.50 at any Food Lion! We will be introducing outdoor Ping Pong to the club and a horse shoe pit very soon for afternoon or after dinner fun!!

We will definitely be practicing for the Float-In Challenge with exercises in "life ring toss" and "blind dinky rowing" so those of you that are attending the Float-In and all others that want to join in....please be prepared to participate in practice starting at 2 pm in the afternoon!! Any one that has an inflatable dingy, sleep masks, paddles or stop watches and is willing to bring it to the meeting for use in the practice exercises, please respond to Sally or Chevy. Thanks and see you there!!

New Business: None.

Old Business: None.

Welfare Concerns: None.

Potomac River Yacht Club Association (PRYCA)
Gary Farrell . Delegate
Harald Seiler . Member at Large (MAL-Board position)

Chesapeake Bay Yacht Club Association – CBYCA
William (Bill) Jones . Delegate
Charlie Wilkerson . Alternate

June Birthdays
01 . Don Basham
01 . Linda Garmon
05 . Angelo Christiano
30 . Karen Mercado

June Anniversaries
29 . Alan & Julie DeShazo

July Birthdays
11 . Roger Baxter
14 . Gary Farrell
18 . Nancy Jo Barr
24 . Dawn Cook
27 . Cheri Seiler
28 . Robert Cook, Sr.
31 . Crystal Bowser

July Anniversaries
15 . Michael & Linda Garmon

Workday Schedule

May

John & Laura Hall
Jerry Rice
Paul Wireman
Harald & Cheri Seiler

June

Angelo & Mary Anne Christiano
Ron & Debbie Cheek
Gary & Sally Farrell

2006 Calendar of Events

June 9-10	Cobb Island Days
June 24	LYC Meeting 5:00 pm NOTE: TIME CHANGE
July 14-16	PRYCA Float-In at Port Kinsale
July 16-23	LYC Summer Cruise
July 29	LYC Meeting 5:00 pm NOTE: TIME CHANGE
Aug 5	PRYCA Board and Delegates Meeting ó Mt. Vernon Yacht Club
Aug 26	LYC Meeting TIME TO BE DETERMINED
Sept 9-10	Party on the Potomac ó Old Dominion Yacht Club (Alexandria)
Sept 16	End of Summer Party Aquia Harbor
Sept 23	LYC Meeting
Oct 28	LYC Meeting
Nov 6	PRYCA Board and Delegates Meeting ó Capitol Yacht Club
Nov 18	LYC Meeting
Dec 2	Alexandria Parade of Lights
Dec 9	LYC Christmas Party and Meeting at the Club