

# Landmark Yacht Club Newsletter

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**March 18, 2017 Meeting @ 5 PM//Cleanup Clubhouse/Grounds @ 1 PM**

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### Commodore – Chevy Rice



- Welcome back to a great 2017 at Landmark Yacht Club! We had an awesome 2016, but are going to have an even better 2017!! There were 30 members present at the luncheon at Fatty's Crabhouse. Thank you to everyone who was able to make the meeting. Tim Trice led the Invocation before our meeting started. See you at the March Meeting/Cleanup!

### Vice Commodore – Gene Fischer (Absent)



- The annual Spring Clean-up of the clubhouse and grounds will be held Saturday, March 18<sup>th</sup> at 1200 before the regular March meeting which is at 5 pm. Everyone who can make it should try and help out to get the clubhouse ready for the 2017 season. I have attached a list of things that need to be done. You can either do something that day or the week before the meeting. You may sign up ahead of time or choose something that day to help out. The list will be on the kitchen counter. If anyone has any questions, you can contact me by email at [fischered@verizon.net](mailto:fischered@verizon.net) or call me at 540-903-3418. Thanks to everyone in advance! I really appreciate everyone's help in making this a successful clean-up.

- The 2017 Work Log will be in the clubhouse before the cleanup. Be sure to write down any hours you work in cleaning up LYC!

### Rear Commodore – BZ Biesenthal



- BZ let slip owners know that Slip fees will be emailed out!! Slip fees and dues must be paid before your boat can be put in the slip. All slips are full.

### Fleet Captain –



### Sharon Biesenthal

- We are going to change the Summer Olympics to June vice July this year.

### Secretary – Debbie Fischer (Absent)



- Please send any updates to rosters, such as addresses/phone numbers, to Debbie at [fischered@verizon.net](mailto:fischered@verizon.net).

### Treasurer –



### Stephanie Franklin

- The 2017 Budget was approved. The January Treasurer's Report was given.  
- If you haven't paid your 2017 dues, please do so as soon as possible.

### Membership – Kathy Fox

- S.E.R.V.E.  
Kathy Fox let everyone know that LYC received



a thank you letter for our donations to the Stafford food bank, S.E.R.V.E, in December.

**P & A – Chris Daly**



- The March meeting theme will be Pot Lunch. No Grill Cooking!!! Chris Daly is accepting volunteers to host monthly meetings with a theme.

**PRYCA DELEGATE – Angelo Christiano**



- Angelo passed congratulations to our Commodore, Chevy Rice, for receiving “PRYCA Commodore of the Year.”  
- No one from LYC was able to attend the PRYCA Change of Watch in Alexandria, VA in January 2017. Maybe next year we can get a group together to go.

**CBYCA DELEGATE – Mike Hurlburt**

- Nothing

**WELFARE CONCERNS**



- Condolences to Debbie Fischer’s family on the passing of her father January 26<sup>th</sup>.  
- Please keep Marty Rodriguez in your prayers as he is recovering from heart valve replacement.  
- Condolences to Diane McCutcheon’s family on the passing of her father.

**NEW BUSINESS**

- T-Dock – There are numerous loose boards on the T-dock. BZ will take for action.

**OLD BUSINESS**

- Ice Maker – ON HOLD  
Jerry Rice will be repairing the ice maker soon.

- T-Shirts – IN PROGRESS  
Sharon Biesenthal is investigating a new source for t-shirts, hats, jackets, sweatshirts, etc.

- Clipping the Hydrilla in front of the Clubhouse – IN PROGRESS  
Susan Gayton awaiting response from Stafford County for the boating season 2017.

- LYC Website – **COMPLETED**  
Thank you to Paul Mussey, Webmaster, for completing the LYC website. Thank you Paul!!!

- Clubhouse Roof – **COMPLETED**  
Darryl Myers finished the repairs to the roof. Thank you Darryl!!!



**TALK TO THE BOARD**

Nothing.

**CLUBHOUSE**



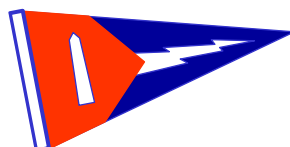
**WORK SCHEDULE**

**March 18, 2017**

All LYC members are invited to prepare the clubhouse and grounds for the first 2017 LYC March Meeting.

**2017 Work Schedule**

Gene is preparing the 2017 Work Schedule. If there are any meeting dates you are not going to be available to work, please send him an email at [fischered@verizon.net](mailto:fischered@verizon.net) by March 17th so he can complete the schedule.



**UPCOMING CELEBRATIONS**



**February Birthdays**

- 2 Tim Trice
- 9 Belinda Hurlburt
- 15 Butch Yahnert
- 10 Susan Gayton

**February Anniversaries**

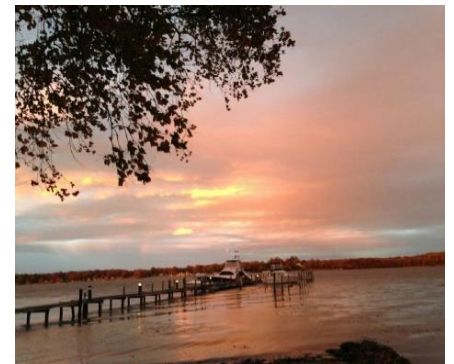
None

**March Birthdays**

- 3 Sharon Biesenthal
- 4 Ken Mercado
- 12 Kathy Smith
- 14 Bill Osborne, Jr.
- 16 Blake Sigler
- 17 Jessica Phillips
- 22 Trudy Osborne
- 28 Nicholas Robey
- 31 Jerry Rice

**March Anniversaries**

- 14 Robert & Jeri Mitchell



<i>2017 Calendar of Events</i>	
Feb. 25 2017	11 AM-Board Meeting 12 PM-Member Meeting, Fatty's Crabhouse, Stafford, VA
Mar. 18 2017	4 PM Board Meeting 5 PM Member Meeting <b>Pot Luck</b>
Apr. 22 2017	4 PM Board Meeting 5 PM Member Meeting
May 20 2017	2 PM Board Meeting 3 PM Member Meeting <b>Flag Raising</b>
June 24 2017	4 PM Board Meeting 5 PM Member Meeting
July 22 2017	4 PM Board Meeting 5 PM Member Meeting
Aug. 26 2017	4 PM Board Meeting 5 PM Member Meeting
Sep. 23 2017	4 PM Board Meeting 5 PM Member Meeting <b>Crab Feast</b>
Oct. 28 2017	4 PM Board Meeting 5 PM Member Meeting <b>Oyster Festival/Halloween</b>
Nov. 18 2017	2 PM Board Meeting 3 PM Member Meeting <b>Chili Cook-Off</b>
Dec. 2 2017	2 PM Board Meeting 3 PM Member Meeting <b>Christmas Celebration, Swearing in of the Board</b>



**FAREWELL to  
Cap'n Berry's  
Safety  
Corner...**

Capt. Berry is moving on and wants to say goodbye to everyone at Landmark Yacht Club! Fare winds and following seas! He will miss everyone! Remember to check the Virginia Boating Education Website to be sure you are current on the safety regulations. <https://www.boat-ed.com/virginia/>



**By Lexi Franklin**  
Lexi will be back next month after the Clubhouse opens!!! See you then!!!

**SEE YOU ALL  
March 18<sup>th</sup>  
at the LYC  
Clubhouse!!!**

