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TRACY REDDING SAVED THE DAY ON ANDREWS BAY



In late August QCYC members Tracy Redding and Wendy Hamal-Redding were securely anchored in Andrews Bay when they saw a guy on a boat close to them dive into the water to retrieve a float. He got in trouble and started to go under. The guy's friend dove in to help him, and that resulted in TWO guys in trouble. Tracy Redding jumped into his dinghy, rowed over to help and rescued the first guy AND second guy from drowning. Tracy towed them on raft to their boat, where their boat mates were oblivious to the whole situation. Safe boating is no accident. Thanks to Tracy and Wendy for being alert and saving the day from a double tragedy.

Welcome 2021-2022 QCYC Bridge Officers



At the QCYC traditional change of watch ceremonies these members were installed as bridge officers:

Margaret Krows, Commodore; Michele Bedner, Vice Commodore; Michael Day, Rear Commodore; Eric Wood, Secretary; and Joyce Carlson, Treasurer. Gary Turner, Miguel Suarez and P/C Terron Lindholme were installed as members of the Board of Trustees

OUTSTATION - SCOOP ON OFF-SEASON MOORAGE

Posted by Eric & Barb Wood, Outstation Co-chairs

Off season moorage has started as of September 15th and will continue until May 15 of next year. What that means is all moorage on the inside of the U shaped dock is off limits for visiting Members. The outside of both A and B dock are available and it is rarely full during the winter months. We are looking forward to Fall boating and using the fire pit once the "Burn Ban" has been lifted. It certainly was a long dry summer!

FULL ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP AS WE ENTER THE NEW CLUB YEAR & 2022 SEATTLE BOAT SHOW BOOTH

Posted by Val Ohlstrom, Membership Chair

First I want to express my appreciation to the outgoing and incoming leadership of QCYC. As a committee chair I have always felt supported and appreciated by the leadership and membership. Thank you! I was very happy to see that quite a few members inducted during Commodore Terron's term attended the Change of Watch ceremony in person and expressed to me their appreciation of the club's traditions and community.

Please do not slow your efforts to introduce new members to our club! We move into Commodore Margaret's year at full active membership. With our annual payments due in October each year, however, we historically lose some memberships and dip below 400. Also, at their September meeting the Board of Trustees approved moving five active memberships to life membership. Please congratulate Bruce Ramon, Robert & MaryJo Svendsen, Terry & Diane Carlisle, Jim Damery, and Lewis Titland & Sally Ross and thank

them for their 25-plus years of contribution. In the last year 17 active memberships moved to Life Membership, leaving 5 memberships on the waitlist. Have you thought about being involved with membership at QCYC? If so, call me about organizing the 2022 QCYC booth at the 2022 Seattle Boat Show.

The NW Marine Trade Association has announced that the 2022 Seattle Boat Show will be in person; the dates are February 4-12, 2022. In 2021, although the Boat Show was virtual, we were able to secure our normal booth site in the Exhibition Hall. The Boat Show is always a great opportunity to introduce our club to attendees and brings in new members. Look for announcements soon to sign up on the website for a shift in our booth. You can contact me for further information at membership@queencity.org. With warm regards!

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CONSIDER JOINING A COMMITTEE & BECOMING A CLUB LEADER

Posted by Margaret Krows, Commodore

"Commodore Number 107" – a title I didn't anticipate in my wildest dreams when we joined Queen City Yacht Club in 1989. Of course, then, I was not a member, only Dave. I wasn't a member until spousal membership was adopted in 2011. I marvel at all of the changes that have occurred in the 30-plus years we have been associated with Queen City and I applaud all of them. What I appreciate most is the willingness of our membership to embrace change and adapt our by-laws to reflect societal norms. I am honored to be the second woman to serve as Commodore of Queen City Yacht Club and I anticipate a vibrant mix of genders serving in this capacity in the long term.

I urge everyone who is part of our fabulous organization to consider giving your time and talent in many ways. Committees are a wonderful way to be involved, but also consider being one of the leadership team. If you are ever approached by the Nominating Committee to go through the chairs, please do not dismiss the request out of hand. It is a time commitment, but also an enriching learning experience and an opportunity to serve and have some fun along the way.

Unfortunately, the pandemic of Covid-19 is still haunting us and we are facing future compliance with State, County, and City mandates. King County has set October 25th as a deadline for organizations planning gatherings to require proof of vaccinations or negative Covid tests within 72 hours. The Bridge is committed to following all government guidelines, so as we work through requirements imposed upon us, please cooperate in order to keep our social options alive. More details will be provided in the Monday Bilge Blasts and group emails, as needed.

I want to formally thank Past Commodore Terron Lindholme and First Lady, Denise, for all that they have contributed during their term as primary leadership of our Club. It was a delight to work with them, and their creativity was crucial to getting through a difficult period of pandemic challenges. We had a good time in spite of the setbacks.

This will be yet another year to show adaptability, but we are up to the challenge and we urge all of you to come along on the journey. Normalcy is around the corner.



Commodore Margaret Krows

TERRON & DENISE - THANKS FOR A JOB WELL DONE



Terron with personal bobble-head and Denise Lindholme at Change of Watch Ceremony

SAILOR HELPS SAILOR WITH SPINNAKER HALYARD FIX



Posted by Barry Rutten
Heather Brignull got hoisted 50+ ft. up the mast to do some rigging for David Ewton's 42' Jeanneau sailboat, Salud, at the Bainbridge outstation. Jim Downar, Heather's husband, and David made sure the "raising and lowering of the bosun" was smooth and safe. Heather was a cool and confident pro up there.

Low Cost Date Night
Friday October 22, 6 p.m.
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PC Terron Lindholme sports new jacket from Ship's Stores. Up to 2XL at \$45.



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Vice Commodore's Report

MEMBERS VOLUNTEERING KEEPS OPERATING COSTS DOWN

Posted by Michele Bedner, Vice Commodore



V/C Michele Bedner

It is both an honor and a privilege to have been elected to serve as your Vice Commodore for the 2021-2022 year at Queen City Yacht Club. Queen City is an all-volunteer Club with the exception of our Office Manager. Our Club thrives as a result of our members and their willingness to volunteer by donating

Dan Heffernan is doing an excellent job serving as Moorage & Lockers Chair. If you have any questions concerning Moorage or Lockers, reach out to Dan at Moorage@queency.org. One of QCYC's most valuable asset is our Docks. Hard working Docks Co-Chairs Chuck Gould, Ron Stevenson and Dick Dow share the responsibility of maintaining and keeping our Docks in excellent condition. The Docks Committee hosts 'Docks Fun Day' on the second Saturday of each month to perform all the tasks suitable to be performed by volunteers. A complimentary breakfast is served beforehand. Please consider joining 'Docks Fun Day'. If you have questions, please reach out to Chuck Gould at gould0738@aol.com

House Co-Chairs Gordy Foote and Jim Damery do a fantastic job of keeping our Clubhouse well maintained and in good repair. Work parties are held each Tuesday morning and volunteers are always welcome. If interested, please contact Gordy at (206) 228-2030.

Kyle Bixby will again serve as QCYC Bar Manager and Sherry Weiss is in charge of scheduling bartenders. We are very much in need of additional volunteer bartenders. If you are interested in bartending, please contact Sherry at (206) 818-9953.

Outstation Chairs Eric and Barb Wood are the caretakers of our Bainbridge Island Outstation and do a stellar job of keeping the Outstation operating in excellent condition along with ensuring there is an abundance of supplies. The next time you are at the Bainbridge Outstation, please check the white board inside the clubhouse for a list of tasks.

I look forward to a productive year ahead working with Commodore Margaret Krows, Rear Commodore Michael Day, Treasurer Joyce Carlson, Secretary Eric Wood along with the Board of Trustees and all dedicated Committee Chairs. I also look forward to getting to know each of you when our paths cross at the Club.

their time and skills to keep things running smoothly and affordable for its membership. Volunteering helps to keep Operating Costs down and is a great way to get to know other members. Please consider joining a committee of interest.

As Vice Commodore I am responsible for Moorage, Docks, House and Outstations. The Vice Commodore is also involved with personnel and the Architectural Advisory Committee.

FLEET CRUISE SINGING BLENDERS BENDERS & TOWED INTO THE SUNSET

Posted by Paul Grimm, Fleet Captain

This year has been one of adversity and ebullience. The summer events - Big Brothers was a roaring Hawaiian success including a roasted pig carved by the skinner brothers, Terron and Ragnar. We had a ukulele pluck off and hula dancing hip-off. BYC won the ukulele contest but Terron came in a close second beating out so many others with his rendition of the Hawaiian favorite "Mamas Don't Let You're your Babies Grow Up to be Surfers" - there wasn't a dry throat in the house. Josh "Nukki Nu" Hoffman won the Hula event with his usual flair. And everyone got lei'd.

The South Sound Cruise - South Pacific saw many people stepping up to assist with my one man show which became one of many fleet

captains helping to deliver what turned out to be, conservatively, a lot of fun. I have to thank our Commodore, Terron, and his energetic commodoradorable, Denise, for their unfailing willingness to step up whenever called upon. They're my heroes. Despite engine problems and gas-powered blender energy drinks caused miscalculations, we persevered and had fun anyway. Particularly fun was the concert on the Gig Harbor waterfront where we watched by dinghies to a terrific band. Mark Vanderwall and Kevin Peterson helped me limp into Winslow and then back to the club. Others like Ken & Evie Kenoke, Gail & Doug Genord, Chris & Barbara Castrow, Brian & Natalie Elert, Dave & Lynn Hancock, Bill & Peggy Schickler, Tracy & Kyle Bixby,

Tracy Redding and Wendy Hamal-Redding, just to name a few. Thank you.

To the next Fleet Captains Brian and Christie Presser, and Brian and Natalie Elert, I say these few words: Duty, Honor, Queen City. Three hallowed words that reverently dictate what you ought to be, what you can be, and what you will be. They are your rallying points to build fun when your engine seems to fail, your dinghy attacks you after a few gas-powered blender energy drinks, or when there seems to be a problem with your power cord, holding tank or beverage supply; to create events through adversity and mask-wearing. Others will debate city, state and national leadership and the CDC which divide people's minds.

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LABOR DAY WEEKEND HORSE RACING, DANCING, FOOD & FUN

Posted by Rodger McKinley, Barry Rubery, Denise Lindholme, Kim Nance, & Josh Hoffman

Nice to hear kids playing and laughing over Labor Day weekend at the outstation. Great appy's & libations to kick off the Labor Day Festivities. Meatball-making party Friday morning. Chaos in Eagle Harbor for our "Don't Spill the Wine Dinghy Relay Race" that resulted in no wakes just a lot of ripples and fun after an amazing pasta dinner. If you weren't at the QCYC outstation horse races, you missed a great time. So many winners! A beautiful day at the races complete with Mint Juleps! Followed the instructions for the new and improved gas grill that worked flawlessly.



Commodore Margaret Krows jockeying horses for the races



Sam & Wendy Robison (#11) groove to club blues band



Thanks to Labor Day Chairs Rodger & Carol McKinley - Exhausted & thankful for volunteers



'Three Sheets to the Wind' blues band rocked the outstation



First gentleman & P/C Dave Krows prepares tri-tips for Labor Day



Don't Spill the Wine Dinghy Relay Race



Tarettes Steak Fry crew: Dale Ward, Teresa and Scott Wilson, Carolyn Rolstad



Diane and Bob Prestebak filled in for Friday lunch bunch while Willie was away. Willie & Peggy return to the galley for pre meeting Wednesday dinners; Friday lunches, 11:30 a.m to 1:30 p.m.; and Saturday breakfasts, 8 a.m. to 11 a.m.



Meatball-making party

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'AL REICHE' MEMORIAL CLOSING DAY FESTIVITIES

Posted by Stephanie Farrar & Mark Vanderwall



Closing Day parade honors instigator Al Reiche (R.I.P.)

And that's a wrap on the boating season! Thank you for the great idea of a closing ceremony Al Reiche (R.I.P.)! Awards for the Al Reiche Perpetual Best Of Closing Day Trophy Goes to Al's Mercedes and the 4 Fleet Captains riding along. Linda and Jess Hill, P/C Bob Yates and a cardboard Cutout of Al Reiche! Thanks to Jody Russell for providing the Mercedes and hosting the bar in Al's honor.

The Closing Day Parade most Unusual...Award went to incoming Commodore Margaret Krows for her Krows Nest Costume. Seamlessly nesting her Last Name and Boat Name into the theme (not a blatant suck up move

by the Closing Day Committee, hoping for an unlimited budget for next year).

Many other medallions were distributed with Custom Graphics for the participants.

We ran with the bar. We enjoyed the lengthy parade. The dipping of the oar ceremony was imbibed by several. And Willie's bbq chicken was awarded recognition so that Willie could then be legitimately recognized as an award-winning chicken chef. It was certainly good, but the ribs were better! Thanks to Mark Vanderwall, Nick Castrow and a cast of thousands for the season-end event.



DeLaunay priates rounded out the Closing Day Festivities



Return of the QCYC 'Dock Cart Drill Team'



Closing Day royalty Queen Laurie and King Nicholas Castrow



Commodore Margaret Krows as 'Krows Nest' for Closing Day festivities



Wranglers run the bar upstairs for Closing Day

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SAVE OCTOBER 22-24 FOR FIRST FLEET CRUISE TO GIG HARBOR

Posted by Brian Elert, Co- Fleet Captain

"Your new Fleet Captains are excited to invite you to join them the weekend of October 22-24. Our cruising destination is Arabella's Landing in cozy Gig Harbor where we have ten slips blocked-out.

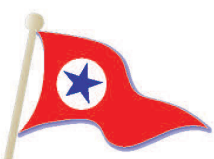
Call Arabella's Landing to reserve and pay directly for your spot and ask for Monique at 253.514.3196. Please email your Fleet Captains, Brian and Christy Presser (Brian@TouchtechSystems.com) & Brian and Natalie Elert (BFEkert@Comcast.net) to let us know you are IN or with any questions. Cheers!"

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QCYC TRADITION OF VOLUNTEERING MAKES US SPECIAL

Posted by Michael Day, Rear Commodore



R/C Michael Day

First and foremost, I would like to express my appreciation to the members of the club for electing me as Rear Commodore for Queen City Yacht Club. Both Kitt and I look forward to the next several years progressing through QCYC chairs with all the

club members.

These reflections serve as a reminder to me that the foundational tradition and backbone of the club is volunteerism – the contribution of countless man-hours by many over the decades. It really is quite remarkable that for more than one hundred years boaters of all types have made time in their busy lives to build and maintain this fantastic boating club.

I believe what makes QCYC unique is this sustained commitment and desire of its members to volunteer and as a team, maintain and improve QCYC. I want to echo the requests made by Commodore Krows and Vice Commodore Bedner for all members to pitch in where we can. I am thrilled with the influx of so many new members. It is worth highlighting

just a few of the benefits of volunteering to all members-new and existing. By contributing your time, you meet new people, deepen connections with friends and help build a strong community. You also gain knowledge and hear different perspectives while creating an environment that supports your boating habit.

Being newly appointed I have much to learn. I welcome your input and participation going forward for this year and beyond. Kitt and I are thankful and appreciative for the opportunity to serve Queen City. We will do our very best to honor its traditions. I look forward to serving with Commodore Krows and Vice Commodore Bedner, in our upcoming year.

related responsibilities. We were reminded again of the long-standing traditions of Queen City by P/C Scott Grimm as master of ceremonies at the recent change of watch. Further P/C Terron Lindholme's final remarks as Commodore highlighted the impact and importance of the contributions of all

LARRY POST CROSSES THE BAR FOR THE LAST TIME

Posted by Ken Klett, Fleet Chaplain

Captain Larry Post, member # 206, a successful businessman and knowledgeable outdoorsman crossed the bar for the last time on August 15th of this year at 69 years old after an 18-month battle with liver bile duct cancer.

J'Anna lovingly writes:

"Born in Centralia, he attended Auburn High School where he met his sweetheart, J'Anna Serquinia. After graduating in 1970 they were married and moved to Cheney, WA to attend Eastern Washington State College. Larry graduated with a BA in Education. Later he completed his Masters in Guidance and Counseling through Whitworth College.

In 1983 Larry and J'Anna worked together to open and grow Olympic Physical Therapy to 9 clinics and 200 employees. Larry's leadership of the business side and J'Anna's guidance on the physical therapy side, the business thrived. After 32 years, Olympic Physical Therapy was sold and J'Anna and Larry retired.

Larry loved adventure. His travels took him to the Philippines, China, Norway, skiing & biking in Japan, going on safari in Africa, and hiking to Machu Picchu in Peru. Even though he enjoyed traveling throughout the United States and Japan with his grandchildren, one of his favorite adventures was right here in the Pacific Northwest where he organized and led a caravan of Grady White boats around Vancouver Island, a trip they called "Round the Rock" which was highlighted in an article in the Boating magazine September 2016. He loved to bike, hike and spent winters skiing in Utah.

Larry's greatest love was for his family. something he often mentioned. He was unendingly proud of Joni, his only child, and her husband Eric Simon. His pride and joy were his grandchildren, Dylan, Jackson, and Grace Simon. He would talk about each grandchild's accomplishments and always found ways to support them in everything they wanted to try."

Larry joined Queen City in 2003 with the sponsorship of Eric. They cruised many years together starting in the '90s, every other year

out to the West side of Vancouver Island or encircling it. Always fishing, crabbing and exploring, the two couples became fast friends.



Larry Post 1952 - 2021

Eric remembers Larry always smiling, cheerful and always putting a positive spin on life's events even when encountering difficult situations. When a piece of boat gear wouldn't work or had failed, Larry would always say: "That's a feature" and then figure a way to fix it or work around it! He was a serious and knowledgeable naturalist knowing flora & fauna and marine life often identifying birds by their song even when it could not be seen!

Larry would often participate in the club fishing derby out of our outstation on Eagle Harbor and was Chair of the event one year.

Larry was passionate about anything boating and fishing. He was happiest when on the water and sharing his love of fishing with his family and friends. He and J'Anna lived on a Selene at Elliott Bay Marina for many years where they met liveboard neighbors Eric and Barbara Wood. He was a member of the Queen City Yacht Club, the Seattle Yacht Club and was very active and served as the Commodore for the Grady White Club. His boating took him to Alaska on a 22' Grady White, multiple times to the West Side of Vancouver Island on a 27' & 33' Grady White, and around Vancouver Island on a 53'Selene and a 33' Grady White. He loved Shaw Island where he spent many summers at the family cabin. He made sure that his daughter and grandchildren found the joy that he found on this special island property.



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Posted by Kathy Dow, Tarettes President
 Our beautiful NW summer is officially over. Many of you will be tucking your boats in for the winter. This means we will have more time for other activities that don't include a boat. Tarettes organization welcomes all women in our club to join in the activities with us this year. We want to have fun, serving our club and community. Becky Garvie has graciously offered to chair The Museum Tours. We will continue the Museum tours starting Thursday, October 21. Our first tour will be the Newly remodeled Buke Museum at the UW. We will meet at the club at 10:00 a.m. and car pool from there. The price of admission for adults is \$22. and Seniors is \$20. After the visit to the museum, we will gather for lunch at an iconic restaurant on the Ave. These outings usually end around 2:00 p.m. All are welcome to join in. Our next Museum will be in Edmonds - the Edmonds Historical Museum and the Cascadia Art Museum on November 18, with lunch at Rory's. Mark your calendars! If you have any questions contact: Becky Garvie Canstyle@aol.com or (206) 979-1870 text or call.

Becky will also be taking a group to the Boat Show on Women's day (TBD).
 Bingo Night 11/12/21 5:30 Happy Hour 6:30 p.m.
 Bingo & Pizza hosted by Debbie Foote and Shawn Quinn.

IN MEMORIAM



Phyllis Caryon
 Tarettes President 1989 - 1990

Tarettes will continue to host Games the first Friday of each month at the Club House after Willie's Friday lunch.

Tarettes zoom Book Club meets once a month. Kathy Dow (president) is chairing this club. The next zoom Book Club meeting is on Thursday 10/21/21. The book is "The Second Mrs. Astor". Captain's Dinner Dec. 9th - Chaired by Mary Jo Swenson.

Arboretum Tour will be hosted by Debbie Foote. Date TBD

Sistee Lentgis (Past Pres.) will chair Girl's Night Out. She will let us know of any upcoming performances. She asked the members to also look into any upcoming performances and make suggestions to her at Kathleenl@comcast.net.

Barbara Wilson (Past Pres.) has informed us that the Tree House is not open due to COVID. She will keep us posted when it reopens so we can get back to our 3-4 times a year volunteer work party and lunch. We miss helping this great organization.

Carolyn Darling has stepped down from the Sunshine chair, because she moved to Florida. Many thanks for a great job! We will miss her and the loving way she served us so faithfully. Our new Sunshine chair is Diane Prestebak, contact

her if you are aware of any club member who is ill or who has passed on or just needs a good cheer up. She will reach out to them via a card or a call. Please contact Diane at her phone # (206) 909-4427 or email: saltymist2@yahoo.com.

Unfortunately, all WIC luncheons are canceled through the end of year. The hope is the luncheons may be able to resume in Feb. 2022. I am honored to serve as your president, and look forward to a great year! Kathy Dow

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ACTIVE PAST TARETTES PRESIDENT CRUISES HOME

Past President, Phyllis Carlyon, passed away of natural causes August 6, 2021 in Seattle. She had been married to husband, Bill, who predeceased her, for 40 years. They traveled extensively and lived for a time in Hong Kong while Bill was an executive for Boeing. Carolyn Rolstad, fellow Tarettes Past President, remembers Phyllis as being very refined, soft spoken, and was devoted to her cat. She was a gracious hostess and loved to entertain. Phyllis and Bill were active members of Queen City Yacht Club, regularly cruising local and Canadian waters on their vessel, Sealyon.

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DON'T DELAY, HERE'S HOW TO PAY QUARTERLY STATEMENTS

Posted by Joyce Carlson, Treasurer joysea@comcast.net 206.551.6190
 New Commodore, new club fiscal year! dropped off at the office.

Billing statements are emailed on the first of each quarter (October, January, April, and July) The first of October brings in a new fiscal year and will include your annual dues, and any other charges.

All members are emailed quarterly billing statements whether or not any charges are due. The administrative office asks that every member ensure their email addresses contained with the Club's website are up to date so statements are directed properly. Billing statements are sent out promptly on the first of each quarter. If that is unsuccessful, please email the office at office@queencity.org.

Payment for statements are due by the end of the calendar month or 30 days -- or \$50 late fee. Payments may be made to the Board of Trustees:

- By personal check which can be mailed or

- By personal credit card, email Elise Ochs the Office Manager to request an invoice to be sent online that you can pay at your convenience. There is a 2% charge for payments of this nature. Personal credit card information provided within emails are not accepted.

- By using the Automated Clearing House (ACH) payment program where payments are made electronically from your bank account on a regular basis. This payment is encouraged and can save headaches!

- The ACH program has no processing fees.
 - ◊ Payments are automatically deducted for the full amount noted on the quarterly statement from your designated bank account on or around the 25th of each billing period. Where the 25th falls on a

weekend or holiday, payments are deducted on the following business day.

- ◊ This allows for almost a full month to dispute any charges or request a statement if you cannot find your invoice.
- ◊ No dollars are deducted from your account where there is a zero balance on your statement.
- ◊ Payments in advance may be made using an alternative payment method (e.g., personal check or credit cards) if the desire is to use a different bank account other than that which is on file.

There is a form to complete for the ACH program, contact Elise at the office and she will be happy to send it to you and respond to any questions.

We look forward to the upcoming year and working with each of you.

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October 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Quarterly Billing Invoices Available (Entire Membership) Friday Lunch 11:30am to 1:30pm	2 Commodore Ball Saturday Breakfast 8:00am to 10:30am
3	4	5	6	7	8 Friday Lunch 11:30am to 1:30pm	9 Flag Officer's Race Private Event - Weiss Saturday Breakfast 8:00am to 10:30am Vessel Electrical Safety Inspection - All Docks 9:00am to 2:00pm
10 Burger Bash 5:00pm to 8:00pm Music Committee Rehearsal 6:30pm	11	12 Docks Committee Meeting 6:30pm	13 Regular Member Meeting In-Person w/Dinner & "Virtual" Zoom 7:30pm to 9:30pm	14 SSAPS 5:00pm Tarettes - Book Club 6:00pm	15 Friday Lunch 11:30am to 1:30pm	16 Saturday Breakfast 8:00am to 10:30am Vessel Electrical Safety Inspection - All Docks 9:00am Vessel Electrical Safety Inspection - All Docks 9:00am to 2:00pm
17 Music Committee Rehearsal 6:30pm	18	19	20	21 SSAPS 5:00pm Tarettes - Book Club 6:00pm	22 Fleet Captain - Cruise to Gig Harbor Friday Social Private Event - Williamson Friday Lunch 11:30am to 1:30pm	23 Fleet Captain - Cruise to Gig Harbor 9:00am to 2:00pm Saturday Breakfast 8:00am to 10:30am Vessel Electrical Safety Inspection - All Docks 9:00am to 2:00pm
24 Music Committee Rehearsal 6:30pm	25	26	27 Regular Member Meeting In-Person w/Dinner & "Virtual" Zoom 7:30pm to 9:30pm	28	29 HOLD - Halloween Decorating Friday Lunch 11:30am to 1:30pm	30 Saturday Breakfast 8:00am to 10:30am Halloween Party 7:00pm
31 Quarterly Billing Invoices Due (Entire Membership)						