

December 2019

THE MAIN SHEET

Monthly Newsletter of The Yacht Club of Hilton Head Island



Babs and Trish at the Change of Watch, kicking off the new club regime and start of the holiday season. Christmas Dinner, NautiLadies Luncheon, and New Year's Day Brunch to come!



99 HELMSMAN WAY
HILTON HEAD ISLAND, SC 29928

(843) 785-9244

BRIDGE

Commodore
Al Pepe

ajpepemd@yahoo.com

Vice Commodore
Candi Hough

candice.m.hough@gmail.com

Rear Commodore
Kathe Golden

kathe.golden9@gmail.com

Treasurer

Barry Moore

wbm28774@gmail.com

Secretary

Linda Bange

lbange@gmail.com

Past Commodore

Mary Ryan

maryryan10@gmail.com

BOARD OF STEWARDS

Class of 2020

Hap Todd

Andrea Shotz

Leslie Gilroy

Class of 2021

Bob Golden

Babs Erny

Julie Traylor

Class of 2022

Carol Lang

Jim Landis

Bill Harlan

Main Sheet Editor

Julie Traylor

julie.traylor17@gmail.com



Commodore's Comments

First, I would like to wish you all a happy Thanksgiving and a happy Holiday season. May you and yours enjoy these times in good health. Second, I would like to thank you for being a member and for the countless hours that you give to the Yacht Club. We would not exist without your help.

In this busy time of year, we have decided not to have dinner on the Friday after Thanksgiving. The attendance has always been small and many prefer to spend this day with family. Also we have engaged the Serg group to cater two dinners in December. Terry and Pat have agreed to provide their services for next year. As you know, they have had a very difficult time recently and for the fine meals they provide we thought they deserved a holiday. Also we ask that you be especially generous with your Christmas bonus this year. They will be presented at the party on Dec 13. Checks can be dropped off at the office before then and made out to Pat Harris. Another thank you in advance!

The club has several new members. Please make a special effort to introduce yourself at dinner and make them welcome.

I close on a sad note. Tom Caldwell passed away recently. He was a member when the current club house was being built and contributed his time until he moved from the island a few years ago. A fine gentleman whom I was proud to call friend.

Al Pepe, Commodore



Nauti Ladies Report

Carole Moore
President

Marilyn Owen
Vice President

Lynne Harlan
Secretary

Julie Traylor
Treasurer

Kathe Golden
Sunshine

President's Report

This is an interesting and active time for the ladies with worthwhile projects and social events.

Under the leadership of Many Ann Compher, we were able to contribute over 300 dozen cookies to be boxed and sent to the troops overseas. Thanks to all who helped bake and wrap. Our November meeting was held while during this event.

December 14th our members will be among thousands placing wreaths on the graves at the National Cemetery in Beaufort. This is a worldwide event. A thirty-dollar contribution bought three wreathes. Our members made a significant contribution. One is placed on each grave. It is a somber and beautiful sight.

Our annual NautiLadies Holiday luncheon will be December 12th at Harbor Town Yacht Club. It promises to be as good as last year.

Birthdays	Diane Stortz 12/4
	Carol Lang 12/8
	Frances Viverette 12/13

Anniversary	John and Julie Traylor 12/27
	John and Carol Lang 12/28

Reminders:

Your check is your reservation for the Christmas luncheon on December 12. Send your check by December 5th, made payable to the NautiLadies and send it to Diane Stortz, 24 Sea Island Drive, Bluffton SC 29910

NautiLadies dues of \$15.00 are now due. They can be paid at the December luncheon or mailed to Julie Traylor, Treasurer, 20 Bermuda Pointe Cir., Hilton Head, SC 29926

Our next meeting will be January 9th.



Food & Beverage Committee

Leslie Gilroy
Chair

Carol Lang

Lynne Harlan

Please make your reservation
online by 12:00 noon Wednesday
—reservations help to save
money.

Prime Rib is \$26.00, all other
meals including New Year's Day
brunch are \$21.00.

To-go meals available!

Menus

December 6, 2019

6:00 to 7:00 Happy Hour

7:00 Dinner

**New England Style Baked Haddock with Ritz and
Almond Topping**

Scallopini of Chicken Savoyard with Ham

**Pumpkin Cheese Cake Crepe with Sweet and Sour
Topping**

December 13, 2019

6:00 to 7:00 Happy Hour

7:00 Dinner

Christmas Dinner

Prime Rib

See Constant Contact for details.



December 20, 2019

6:00 to 7:00 Happy Hour

7:00 Dinner

SERG Catering

*Menu not available now, watch for Constant
Contact on the Saturday before.*

December 27, 2019

6:00 to 7:00 Happy Hour

7:00 Dinner

SERG Catering

*Menu not available now, watch for
Constant Contact on the Saturday before.*

New Year's Day Brunch

Quiche Loraine

Vegetable Quiche

Scrambled Eggs

Buttermilk Biscuits

Baked French Toast

Baked Ham

Sausage

Bacon

Hash Brown Casserole

Assorted Sweet Danish

Pat's Sour Cream Coffee Cake

Mimosas and Bloody Mary's for \$5.00



Bartenders

December 6, 2019

Aubrey & Jan Vaughan

December 13, 2019

Ted & Mary Ellen Witman

December 20, 2019

Jim & Julie Vaughn

December 27, 2019

Mike & Leslie Gilroy



The Ship's Store

Marty Cohen
Chair

Andrea Shotz

Jan Vaughn



CEMBER 6



Please come and shop our sale starting at 6PM. We will have a variety of items and hope you can pick up some Christmas gifts.

We will offer gift certificates as well for those who would prefer that.

Jan, Andrea, and I look forward to seeing you on the 6th! See you Friday,

Marty (martysdaniels@hotmail.com), Andrea (rabbitglen@hargray.com), or Jan (jan@sailserenity.net)

Large Sailboats

Jim Landis
Large Sailboats

Flying Scots

Jim Vaughn
Fleet Captain Flying
Scots

Your Input Needed

The Commodore has appointed a committee to research YCHH involvement with the Palmetto Bay Marina. Input from members are invited to help this committee. Speak with Norm Shotz, Sonny Compher, Hap Todd, or Jim Landis with ideas.

Do we want to seek special dockage rates? Do we want to rent space for Flying Scot dockage? Do we want to provide dinghy dockage? Do we want to contract a pier for club members and sublet? Do we want to invest in our own pier as part of the marina development? Now is the time to think about this while the marina is in construction.

Ideas are welcome!



Power Boats

Mike Gilroy
Power Boat Events

2019 Power Boating

2019 was GOOD; Let's hope 2020 will be even BETTER.

Our power boating activities in 2019 probably rated a 7 on a 10 point scale. Early outings were great with lots and lots of boats participating on lots and lots of cruises and lots and lots of good weather. Early and mid-year cruises, both lunch and dinner, went without a hitch...good temperatures, good weather and good meals. As the year approached a close, however, the weatherman turned nasty, forcing the cancellation of several cruises.

Our last scheduled cruise, November 14 to Buffalo's for lunch is a perfect (or disappointing) example. The Weatherman gave us high winds, cold temperatures and overcast skies, causing a day-before cancellation.

I have HIGH hopes for a much better and more successful power boating lunch and dinner schedule in 2020; and I hope you will all cross your fingers in the hopes that my HIGH HOPES will come true.

Have a great Holiday Season,

Mike

The Fun[d] Committee

Committee Members

Jean Hillenbrand

Candi Hough

Deb Pepe

Mary Ryan

Babs Erny

John Lang
Speakers

Marilyn Owen
Consultant

Trish Bouley
Volunteer

Linda Sheets
Volunteer

FUN(d) Events



A successful, fun November Happy Hour occurred thanks to FUN(d) committee members, volunteers, dessert contributors, and especially you 34 ATTENDEES! The club earned over \$200 in two hours at Happy Hour prices. The Toscana Cristina specialty red wine was the big 20 glass seller along with the buffet and dessert tables. Thanks to all involved.



WANTED/NEEDED 2020 FUN(d) Chair. Whoever steps in will have full support from seasoned FUN(d) members and more plus two past committee chairs. Thanks to the current committee and club members for all the help, support, and contributions which have made this past year's creativity and hard work so rewarding watching our fellow members experience annual, renewed, and first time events while helping the club treasury. This is the pay-off for us FUN members (we need more!) so please consider joining our group-email or call cjhillen46@gmail.com (317) 997-9746



FUN(d) Plan Meeting for winter months events, especially for January, will be announced via Constant Contact Email when finalized for either December or early January.

Change of Watch!



Change of Watch



Introducing...

New member profiles

Every month the Main Sheet will help you
get to know your new members

Steve Strelcheck



Steve was born and raised in southern Wisconsin and received both his BS in Art and MBA from the University of Wisconsin. He worked in the packaging industry for 39 years, and managed his own specialty packaging manufacturing company in Atlanta for the last 27 of those years. While living in Atlanta, Steve and his family discovered Hilton Head and regularly spent time at their villa in Sea Pines. When Steve and his late wife retired in 2008, they moved to Moss Creek, where he still resides. Steve has two sons (in Bluffton and Florida) and five grandchildren.

Steve was Chairman of the Board of the National Packaging Association, Commodore of The Moss Creek Yacht Club, and is active in St. Lukes Church on HHI. He enjoys golf, woodworking, cars, traveling, trivia and sailing, especially on his Catalina 38, *Casperina*, which is docked in Skull Creek Marina.

2019 New Members

Elaine and Ron Racine
Stan and Brenda Street
Jim Dungan
Moe Baddourah
Stan and Bobbi Leavitt
Jim and Shari Manning
Judy and Ed Landis
Ted and Mary Ellen Witman
Odis Boyles
Ed and Cheri Sires
Kris Kronlein
Ed and Nancy Schottland
Steven Strelcheck
Lynn Gavett

