

February 2022

THE MAIN SHEET



Celebrating December and January birthdays on Birthday Night! Frances Viverette, Sonny Compher, Charlie Brown, Linda Harris, Trish Bouley, Carol Lang, and Jim Landis



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Commodore's Comments

Dear Fellow Members,

Big news! The 2022 Reciprocity Cards are in! If you want to visit other yacht clubs that are members of the Yacht Clubs of America, you will need your 2022 Reciprocity card. How do you get yours? Please see either Linda Bange, Candi Hough, or Jim Manning at a Friday night dinner at the club.

Maxworx has finished laying out the decking material and much of it is screwed down. Last week, before the "Big Chill", he started building one of the two staircases to the deck. I hope the weather cooperates next week and he is able to start on the second staircase. Why two staircases, you ask? They are required by code with decks of our size. Still to be completed are the railing and bench around the outside of the deck. Please pray for sunny weather.

After the deck is completed and our final inspection is secured, we need to assemble our five new deck tables. I hope this will be a very short work morning or afternoon. If you are handy with tools, please let me know that you are willing to help.

I believe the COVID-19 virus is beginning to trend downward in the USA. Most of our members are vaccinated and boosted, so when you feel safe, please consider returning to the club for a Friday night dinner. We miss you and want to see you soon! (The BOS voted to require all members and guests entering the club show proof of vaccination against COVID-19).

Thanks for all you do,

Candi Hough

Food & Beverage Committee

Leslie Gilroy
Chair
Dana Wheatley
Lynne Harlan
Cheri Sires

Reservations required for
dinners. Signups will be emailed
to members. Meals are \$24.00
unless otherwise noted.

Take-out is an option. You will
have your dinner served to you
in takeout containers. Takeout
dinners will be served first.

Bartenders

2/4

Ernie & Terri Ahr

2/11

Mike & Leslie Gilroy

2/18

Randi Wolfe

2/25

Brian & Deb Plonski

Friday Night Dinners

Chef, Wendell Osborne

Friday, February 4

Garden Salad
Pot Roast
Blackened Trigger Fish
Herbed Rice
Squash Medley
Brownie

Friday, February 11

Caesar Salad
Spare Ribs
Roasted Chicken
Mac 'n Cheese
Braised Green Beans
Pecan Pie

Friday, February 18

SPECIAL DINNER \$29.00

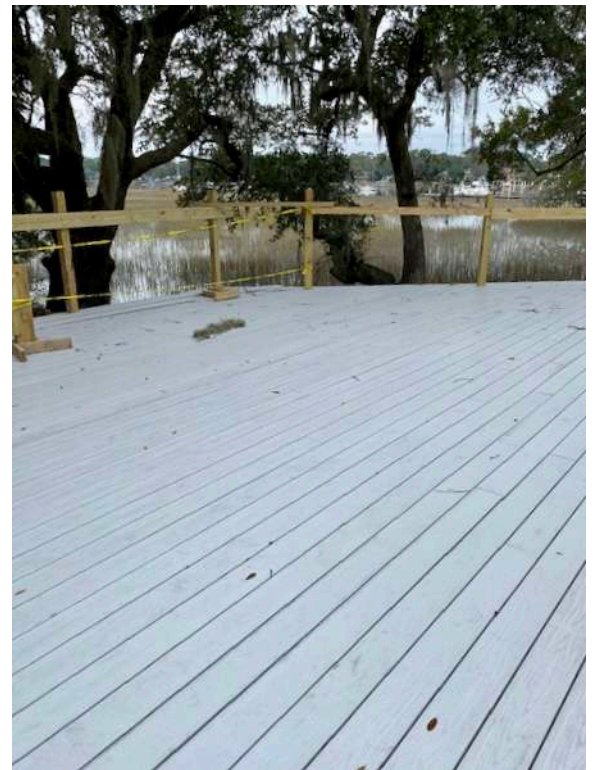
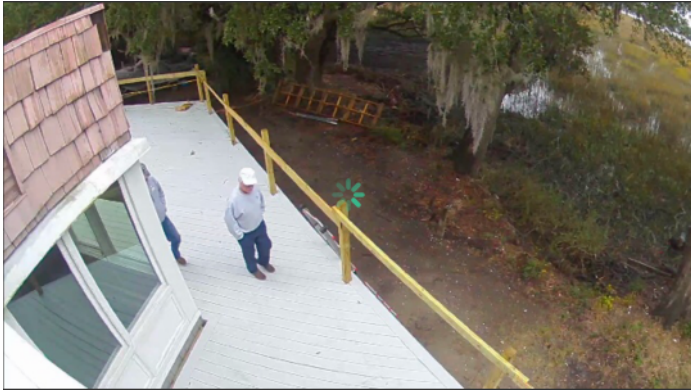
Garden Salad
Prime Rib
Whipped Potato
Asparagus
Peach Cobbler

Friday, February 25

BIRTHDAY NIGHT

Garden Salad
Sweet Chili Shrimp
Honey Garlic Chicken
Jasmine Rice
Stir Fry Veggies
Birthday Cake

Progress on the New Deck



Update

Nauti Ladies

Carol Lang
President

Debbie Plonski
Vice-President

Mary Ann Compher
Secretary

Julie Traylor
Treasurer

Greeters

Jan 28
Carol Lang

Feb 4
Bobbi Leavitt

Feb 11
Nancy Contel

After an incredibly busy, festive December, the NautiLadies have had quite a different January. The month started with an wonderful New Year's Day brunch prepared by Chef Wendell.

Then Monday January 3 a hard-working group assembled to take down the Christmas decorations and store them away until next December. Many thanks to Sonny & Mary Ann Compher for their leadership in the un-decorating process and to Candi Hough for the donation of a splendid new tree.

Due to COVID our January meeting was canceled, as were any planned activities. We're now mentally gearing up for a much more interesting February.

Our next meeting will be February 10. Chef Wendell will prepare lunch for those who wish to dine with us. Marilyn Owen & her crew will be making the tables beautiful for Valentine's Day.

We're certainly going to miss Jan & Aubrey Vaughan, who are moving to Annapolis, MD on February 4.

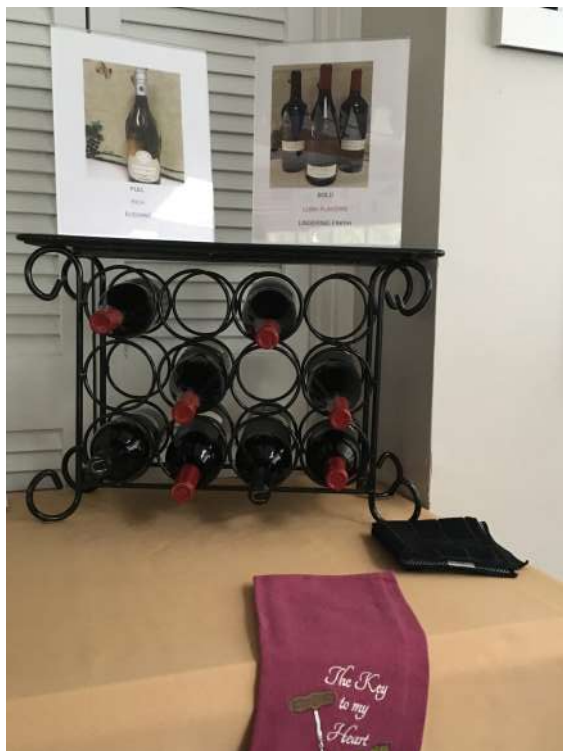
All best wishes to everyone for a happy, healthy, & safe 2022!

- Carol Lang, President

Following Wine



The Wine Club is happy to offer three wines for February to help celebrate Valentine's Day all month long. We hope you'll try at least one if not all three.



Chasing Venus '21 Sauvignon Blanc New Zealand-Marlborough

Does this wine embolden men from Mars to chase women from Venus? No, that is not how this wine from the McLean vineyards in the ❤️ of Marlborough got its name. 'Twas 1769 when Captain Cook took command of the HMS Endeavor. On board we're several astronomers whose publicized mission was to study and chart the passage of Venus as it crossed the sun. What was not made known was the British had commissioned Cook to find the "Southern Continent". Both missions were successful. Marlborough is renowned through out the wine world for producing award winning Sauvignon Blanc. A dry sunny region, cooler than Australia, with wide fluctuations between day and night temperatures. This and stony well

draining soils support a perfect balance between berry ripeness and acidity making the wines distinctly different from Australian wines. The wines are made in a wide range of styles but are loved for their pungent aromatic character, notes of exotic tropical fruits and dry minerality.

Color: Bright, light straw

Body: Medium-Full

Aroma: Bold citrus with herbal & lime notes

Taste: Rich, crisp & clean. Citrus, mango & pineapple

Finish: Lively, long & clean, no oak.

Gerard Bertrand '20 Cote des Roses France-Languedoc

Rose wines are made only from red grapes. In France it is one of the oldest types produced. The depth of color is determined by the grape varietals and how long the juice intermingles with the skins. Because skin contact is short few tannins are absorbed. As opposed to blush wines which are a blending of red & white wines. Rose wines can be sweet, dry or somewhere in between.

Old World Rose are almost always dry, where the ones from the New World tend to be sweeter but that is changing. The best Rose are bold, fruity and have substantial body. This wine is a blending of Grenache, Cinsault and Sarah. The bottle design was created during a competition among design students in Paris. The bottle bottom is cut into the shape of an open rose while the top has an elegant glass stopper. Offer this wine instead of a long stemmed rose this Valentine's Day. Other occasions on which to enjoy a Rose would be: when she wants white and he wants red, with pork or Asian dishes, to celebrate spring, summer, the completion of our new deck or any happy event.

Love Noir '19 Pinot Noir California-Livermore

Pinot Noir grapes are thin skinned, finicky and temperamental. They are highly reflective of the environment in which they are grown. They like warm days and cool nights which California provides. Some affordable Pinot Noirs can be too thin, too lite and/or too acidic. Love Noir is medium bodied, smooth and velvety. It's an easy drinker, alone or accompanying food. The fruit is front and center with a rich robust layered structure. Generous notes of dark cherry and black berries, rich espresso and hints of vanilla. It won a silver medal in the San Francisco wine competition.

Come, fall in love ❤️😍❤️ with the darker side of wine.

Color: Garnet

Body: Medium

Aroma: Cherries, strawberries & cranberries

Taste: Fruit forward with dark fruits, coffee & hints of toasted oak

Finish: Dry, balanced and silky smooth

Cheers! 🍷

Babs Erny



Check out the chart table for the offering of February wines as well as a few of the January wines.

Power Boats

Mike Gilroy



Barring any (more) unforeseen circumstances, we will have a full Power Boating calendar for 2022.

Beginning in April and ending in October (with possible extensions if the weather looks good), we will hold two lunch cruises each month.

For each, we will schedule the destination for an original date and a rain date two days later. We'll visit old favorites and a couple of new ones. We'll try to hit every day of the week except Friday and holidays.

Bobby Golden has offered to help me with logistics and destinations. Look for a more detailed version of our schedule in an upcoming newsletter.

Mike



New Member Profiles

Get to know your new members

Ken Loskamp and Maria Morrell

Ken and Maria met two and half years ago when both were residing in Sea Pines, and since late 2020 are very happily living in Port Royal Plantation. Both have coastal living in their blood. Ken was raised on the Eastern Shore of MD (St. Michaels/Oxford area) spending his early years *messing about in boats* on the waters of the Chesapeake Bay and tributaries. Maria's early years were spent on the lowcountry waters of Fripp and Hilton Head Islands.



Ken's career took him to the Atlanta for 20 years before moving permanently to Hilton Head in 2014. He still works full time, but remotely, for the Transformation Group of Office Depot Corporation. His two sons live and work in the Atlanta area. Ken is an avid tennis player and outdoorsman.

Maria had a successful real estate career in the Washington D.C, Williamsburg, VA and Hilton Head areas. Maria raised her daughter in Northern VA and her daughter still resides there with her husband and Maria's two grandsons. Maria is very devoted to her yoga practice, pickleball, staying active and already enjoying retirement.

They don't currently own a boat, but are looking, and want to hone their sailing skills, with a long term plan to spend time cruising the east coast and Caribbean. If you're looking for crew, give them a call!

Welcome to all our new 2021 members!

Have you seen little blue dots on the name tags of new members? This is your clue to welcome them. We would like these dots to remain for a few months, but may be removed at the discretion of the wearer!

**Trent & Heidi Witthoef
Ken Loskamp &
Maria Morrell
Gina Patrick &
Bill Mitchell
Cathy Mitchell
Eileen Fitzgerald
Tom Vanlandingham
Randie Wolfe
John LaPorte
Mike & Kathy Emery**

**Jim Gawryszewski
Bobby Luta
Rhett Pepe
Parker Newell
Joe Coppola
Angie Eads
Hansel & Jennifer Thompson
Tobin & Jennifer Johnson
Bryan & Debbie Plonski
Kim & Ron Brown**

The FUN(d) Committee has temporarily suspended all of our activities until the omicron virus calms down.

When we resume our activities we will send out an invitation to all members. We are looking forward to a time when we can enjoy a Taco Tuesday or a Trivia Night.

Stay safe and stay healthy.

The FUN(d) Committee

UPCOMING EVENTS

February

4	Friday Night Dinner	6 PM
10	Nauti Ladies Lunch & Meeting	Noon
11	Friday Night Dinner	6 PM
18	Friday Night Dinner—Special	6 PM
25	Friday Night Dinner—Birthday Night	6 PM

**Hear me out...
A party bus,
but it stops at
thrift stores.**

Oldtimers9.com

**Whenever my wife uses the
phrase "I was thinking."**

**That means I either have
to move, build, paint,
or buy something.**

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