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From the Helm

Opening Day was a huge success thanks to the many volunteers. There were many compliments on how great the orchestra was and what a fine addition it was to the day.

Moving on, we continue to work on bringing the club up to par as far as the Fire Marshals requirements. The island clean up in the parking lot is an on going work in progress. I hope to see this done within the next couple of weeks.

Up and coming; the Fishing Committee will be doing a Lobster and Steak Dinner, the Rear Commodore has a Hillbilly Night coming with a bluegrass band (break out those overalls), and the popular Friday Night Raw Bar. With weather getting warmer the deck is a great place to hang out, have a cocktail, and enjoy the view and good company.

With the boating season coming into full swing we are planning a Blessing of the Fleet on July 4th. We plan on having the Harbor Master lead the fleet and the Bpt Fire Dept to shower the parade, so save the date! Even just to be a spectator it should prove to be quite a site.

Lastly I want to remind everyone that Tuesday the 2nd was the last General Meeting for the summer. We voted in several new members, bringing us closer to full membership. Also a gentle reminder to return your glasses and bottles to the bar when your done, and the 10 to 10 rule is in full effect for no smoking on the deck.

See you all at the club,

Jim



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Calendar of Events

Tuesday, June 2nd
General Membership Meeting 7pm

Monday, June 22nd
Board of Governors Meeting 7pm

Weekly Events

Thursday Night Dinner
Check website for special menus

Friday Night Happy Hour
-Raw Bar: Lobster Rolls, Chowder,
Lobster Bisque, Stuffed Clams,
Shrimp, Clams & Oysters on the
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From the Vice Commodore

Greetings,

Opening Day has come and gone and it was fantastic. I want to thank the volunteers who helped out with the Ships Store sale: Sue, Boo, Kim, Cindy, Carrie, Joe, and Joe. Great job!! We were regaled with a 30 piece orchestra who wowed the crowd with show tunes, then "Sneaky Pete" rocked the house for the rest of the afternoon. Jim Anderson and company once again fed us with the traditional fare. Dan, Rob, Emile, John, Jack and Bill were busy keeping up with the revelers and Mother Nature was kind with a cloudless day. Great start of the 2015 season!

Mike Andre and BRYAC are now doing the Raw Bar and business is booming with the weather. They will also be adding some non-seafood items for those who enjoy 'landlubber' fare. Come on down and enjoy! Look for some acoustic entertainment on the deck soon on Saturday nights.

The Ship's Store Opening Day sale was a success. I received a lot of request and suggestions and I am taking ideas for the next order (July/August). Please email me with request and I will do my best.

It is Connecticut State Law that members sign in their guests. I have sent out emails in the past on 'how to' and remind members to COMPLETELY and LEGIBLY sign their guests in. No 'dittos' and no 'scribbles'. I am sure you don't want me chasing you down to sign in (truthfully, I don't want to either). Also, reminder folks, smoking is not permitted in the Club at any time or outside on the decks from 10am to 10pm. This policy will be strictly enforced. A 'smoking area' has been established on the outside corner of the Penfield Room.

As always, please be courteous to your fellow members/guests. And lastly, PLEASE, PLEASE bring your drink glasses back to the bar when you are done. It is the members responsibility to 'clean up' after themselves.

Please feel free to contact me for ideas, suggestions, or to just say 'hi'.

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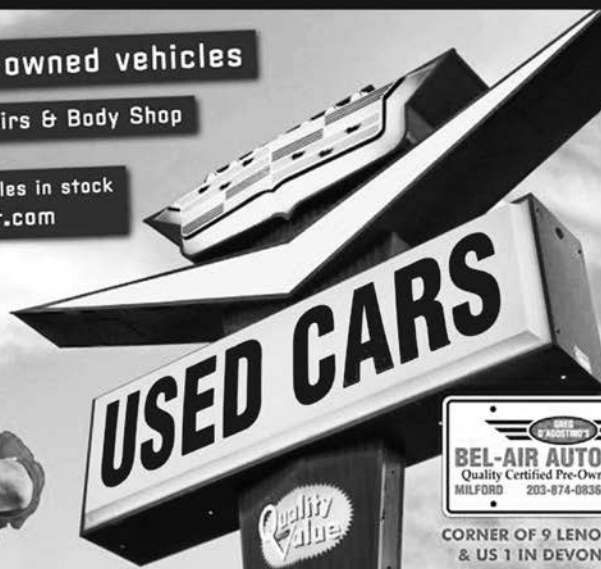


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The Fishing Line

We are off to the races! The fishing season has begun and a few people are on the board. You can still buy your buttons at the bar to join this fun activity. The water is warming up, the temps are now in the low 60's. Fluke and stripers seem to be hot right now and plenty of bunker have been seen in the harbor. Thank you for all of you who bought raffle tickets. The winner of the IPAD was Steve Pattalano.

Good fishing,
Dina Cummings
Fishing Committee Chair



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