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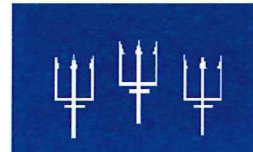
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Sail & Power Squadron
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From The Desk of Commander Bonnie Krieg, AP



Leading Our
Squadron Forward



I hope everyone had a Merry Christmas.

I can't believe it's already 2014. What a great year we had, with more to come in 2014!

If you haven't already done so, please call to RSVP for the annual Change of Watch on January 10th. It's a short meeting and seems to be tradition to have fun afterwards hanging out with friends at the bar. See enclosed flier for more details. Hope to see everyone there.

Cheers, Bonnie

**Don't forget
to RSVP by
Jan 3 for the
Change of
Watch**

**Friday
Jan. 10, 2014**

Executive Committee - 2014

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2011/12 - Robert L. Krieg, AP

2010 - Ronald Negrish, AP

2006 - Robert L. Moore, AP

2009 - Chester M. Landis, SN

2005 - Linda M. Lumpkin, S

2008 - Dennis J. Blaga, AP

2004 - Gerald Landis, AP

2007 - Claudia Landis, AP

2002/03 - Michael A. Boyle, JN



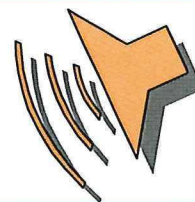
CAPTAIN WOODY



General Membership Meetings

General Membership Meetings are normally held on the 1st Thursday of every month, 6:30 Dinner, 7:30 meeting, September through June. **January is the Annual Change of Watch!**

**C.O.W. Location: Blossom Heath
24800 Jefferson, St. Clair Shores, MI 48080**



Executive Board Meetings

Executive Committee Meetings are normally held on the 3rd Thursday of every month, at 7:30 PM, August through May.

Location: Cdr Bonnie Krieg's Home

Education Department - by Lt/C Robert T. Krieg, AP

Happy New Year!



St. Clair Shores Sail & Power Squadron received the R/C Glenn H. Howell, SN trophy for 1st place with the highest percent of Elective Courses earned in the educational year. We also received an award for excellence in recreational boating education.



Just another reminder that the ABC Boat classes start up again on March 5th, on Wednesdays for 5 weeks, from 7-9pm, at the St. Clair Shores Civic Arena. Books cost \$40. We will need proctors if you can help. More information and a flier with details will be provided soon.



See you at the St. Clair Shores Change of Watch on January 10th!

Bob

Administrative Department

It's that time of year again for District 9 squadron Change of Watch events. St. Clair Shores COW is January 10th, where we will honor Cdr Bonnie and the other squadron members for stepping up to the plate. I hope you will attend and show how much we appreciate her and all our members for all their hard work and dedication. You are also welcome and invited to attend other D9 squadron COW's. Please contact a bridge member if you would like additional information.



It takes a lot of work to keep our squadron running smooth. If you are interested in volunteering for a position, please contact anyone on the bridge. There's something for everyone, and we could really use your help!



It's hard to believe that 2013 is almost over, and we're already thinking about the 2014 Spring District Conference, 04-06 April, 2014 at the Doubletree Hotel, Holland, Michigan. The 14 March reservation deadline is absolutely firm and will not be extended. Rooms, if available, will be an additional \$40 per night. Save the date and make your reservations now. See additional details enclosed in this newsletter; a conference registration form will be coming out soon.

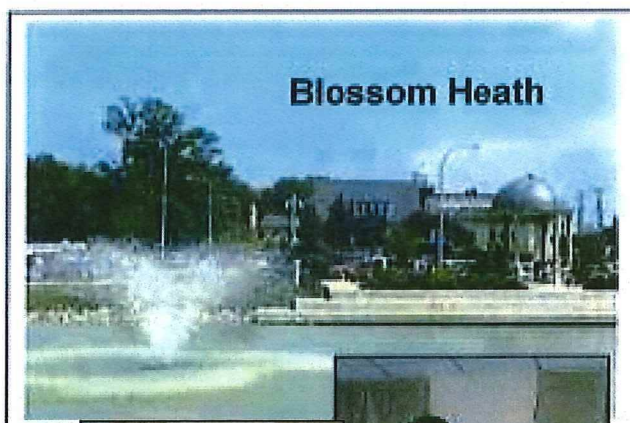
St. Clair Shores Sail and Power Squadron



You are invited! SCSSPS Change of Watch

When: Friday, January 10, 2014
Where: Blossom Heath
(see details below)
Time: 6:00 p.m. - Doors open
6:30 p.m. - Dinner is served
Cost: \$27 - you can pay at the door

RSVP: By 1/3/2014
Call Bonnie Krieg
and please leave a msg.
(586) 883-2380



- Chicken AU Champagne dinner served.
- Meeting starts approximately 7:30 p.m.
- Uniform A with Four-in-hand Tie (or) Business Casual Attire.
- Cash bar.

Location:
Blossom Heath
24800 Jefferson
St. Clair Shores, MI 48080
(located on the Nautical Mile)



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CALENDAR

| January | | | |
|-------------------|---------------------|---|------------------------------|
| <u>January 2</u> | Executive Mtg. | 7:30pm - Cdr. Bonnie Krieg's Home, 22486 Ardmore Park Drive, St. Clair Shores, MI | Bonnie Krieg 586-883-2380 |
| <u>January 10</u> | Change of Watch | Blossom Heath, 24800 Jefferson, SCS, MI 48080 | Bonnie Krieg 586-883-2380 |
| <u>January 27</u> | USPS Annual Meeting | Hyatt Regency Riverfront, Jacksonville, FL | USPS.ORG |

Wish You
Happy New Year

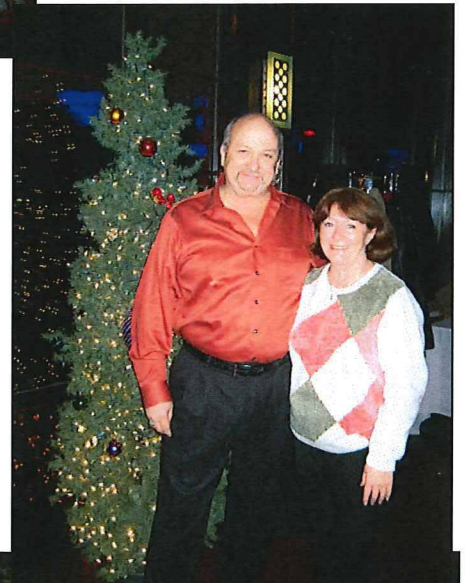
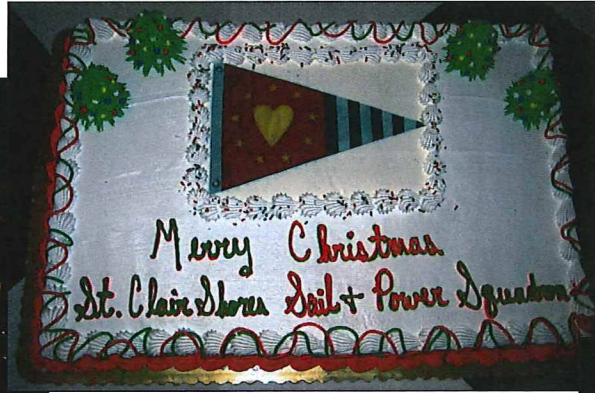
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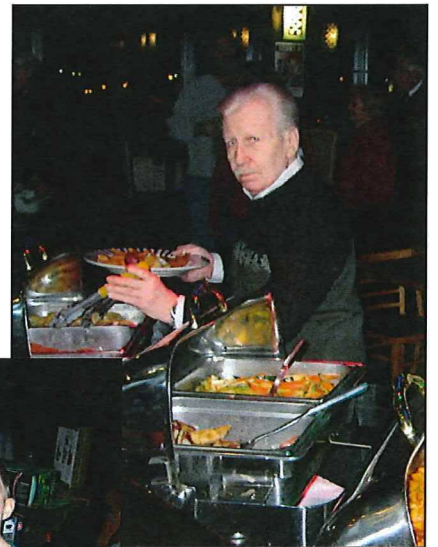
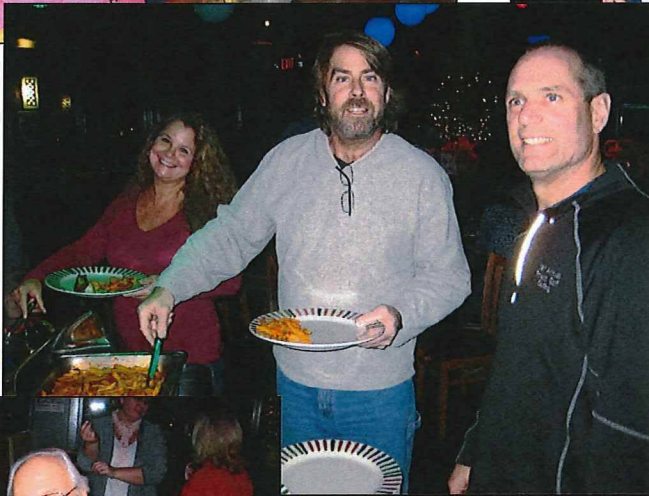
56th Annual

Detroit Boat Show

February 15-23, 2014 • Cobo Center

Christmas Party Pictures ... see more photos on our website: www.scssps.org







Happy New Year



2013 Merit Mark Recipients

Blaga, Dennis J
 Boyle, Michael A
 Boyle, Patricia E
 Crooks, Harry D
 Crooks, Virginia M
 Denolf, Gary
 Derocha, Nancy
 Grafton, Matthew
 Grafton, Urban A.
 Grafton, Vivian
 Jacobson, Lisa
 Kay, Andrew F.

Krieg, Bonnie
 Krieg, Jessica L
 Krieg, Robert L.
 Krieg, Robert T.
 Lumpkin, Charles
 Lumpkin, Linda M.
 Rogal, Michael
 Timmerman, Fran
 Timmerman, Tim

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YOU!

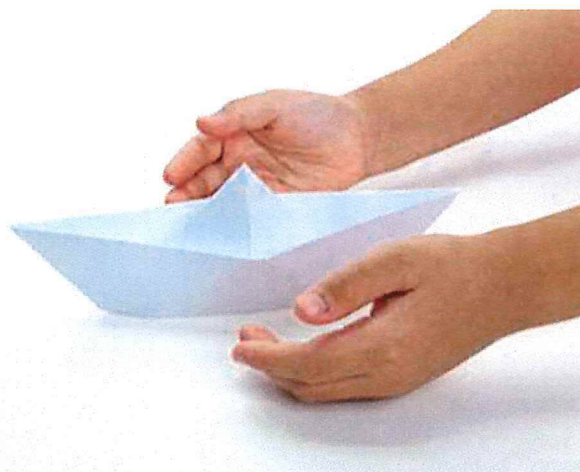
Safety Tips



Stay afloat 7 tips for seacock safety

You don't want to skimp or cut corners when it comes to keeping water out of your boat. Nowhere is this more important than with your seacocks. Follow these seven tips to ensure that the water stays on the outside and your boat stays on top.

1. A failed underwater fitting or hose will easily overwhelm bilge pumps and sink your boat.
2. Use real seacocks, never gate valves, below the waterline.
3. Close all seacocks (except cockpit drains) when you are not on board: They will be less likely to jam, you will remember where they are, and there will be fewer ways your boat will sink when you're not there.
4. Make sure you have wood plugs handy. They are proven to stop a flood when a fitting or hose fails.
5. Use only high quality 316 stainless or marine-grade hose clamps.
6. Double-clamp below-the-waterline hoses and offset the fastener on the hose barb.
7. Make a drawing of through-hull and seacock locations, and keep it handy.



—Capt. John Schwab

CHAPLAN'S MESSAGE:



Our deepest sympathy to the Landis family for the loss of our comrade and Past Commander Jerry Landis.

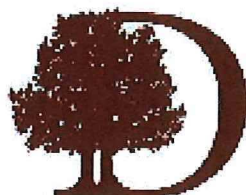


D9 Spring Conference 2014

Dates

4 - 6 April 2014

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3. Visit their web site at www.holland.doubletree.com. In the field provided, enter group code **USP**.

Please make your reservations early for both sleeping rooms and hospitality rooms. You will pay more after the cut-off date of 14 March 2014. We have a very good room rate before the cut-off date. I cannot guarantee you will be able to get a room after the cut-off date, so please reserve early.

Hospitality Rooms Reservations: Please send me (mike.rachuk@gmail.com) an e-mail after you have made your reservation for a hospitality room. In the e-mail tell me the name of the squadron and the name of the contact person with e-mail address or phone number of the contact. The information will help us make sure your hospitality room is taken care of properly. Please also copy the same information to Fred Hoitash (cfdist@comcast.net).

Mike Rachuk
D9 conference Coordinator

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE!!!

We are offering discounted memberships exclusively to St. Clair Shores Sail & Power Squadron. Officially, June 1st dues will be decreased for our squadron only!

\$55 - Individual
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The USPS® Pledge

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Advertisements and Boosters are up for renewal ... Ads are now located on the web tool!

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Please support our newsletter. For a donation of \$10.00 annually your name and boat name will be listed in the Squadron Booster Section of the newsletter.

If you have a business you would like to promote, please fill out the form below and include the information to be printed. Or you can forward a copy of your business card. Business card ads are \$40.00 for 10 issues prepaid. Half page add \$80.00 for 10 issues prepaid.

Newsletters are distributed to all squadrons in District 9, as well as to boosters, associate members, and other supporters, and your contribution is tax deductible.

YES, I would like to support St Clair Shores Sail & Power Squadron and place an advertisement, or be a booster.

Enclosed is my check in the amount of \$_____. I understand that my ad/name will appear in 10 issues.

Name (PRINT): _____

Phone Number: _____

Boat Name: _____

Enclosed is a copy of my advertisement. Please contact me to discuss the layout.

Dated: _____ Signature: _____

Please cut out this form and mail along with your check (payable to: SCSSPS) and mail to:
Linda Lumpkin, 23229 Liberty, St. Clair Shores, MI 48081
Phone: 586-218-9255; Email: scssps@ymail.com

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Associate Member Application

Name: _____

Address: _____

Home phone: _____ Business phone: _____

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Boat name: _____ Size: _____ Power or Sail: _____

Current squadron: _____

Certificate number: _____ Grade: _____ Rank: _____

What is the reason you want to be an Associate Member of SCSSPS?

_____ Date _____

SIGNATURE

Annual Associate Membership dues are \$10. The Membership year is the same as that of USPS, June 1 to May 31, and is not prorated. Associate members receive our monthly "Shore Lines" newsletter and are welcome to participate at all official General Membership, educational and social functions of SCSSPS.

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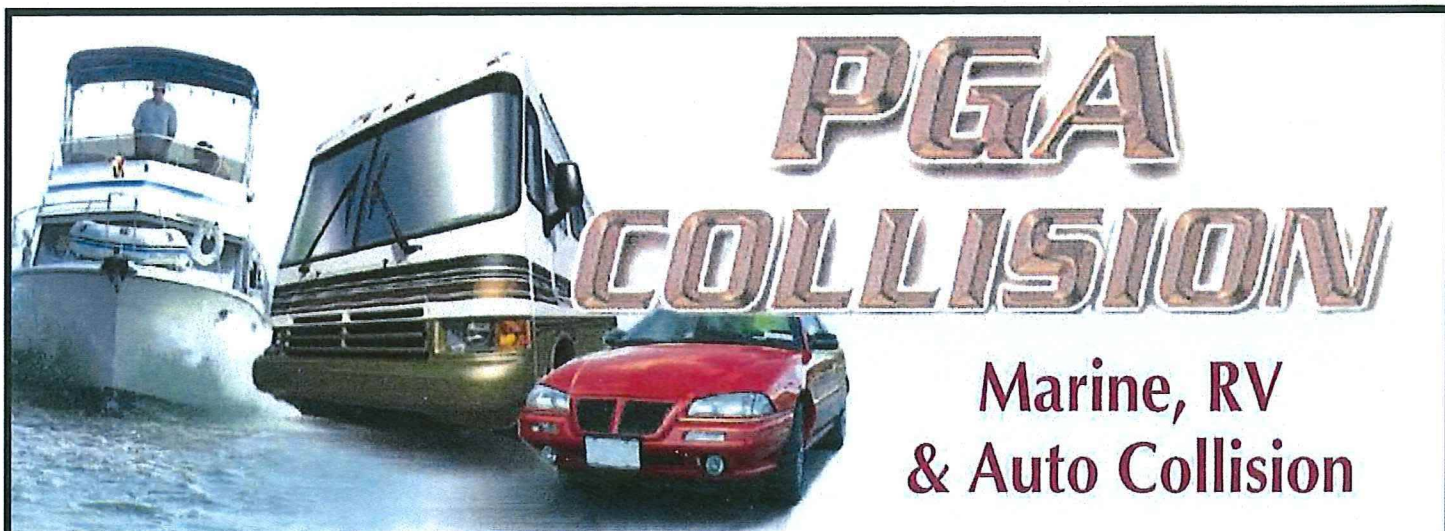
MAIL CHECKS PAYABLE TO: SCSSPS
ST. CLAIR SHORES SAIL & POWER SQUADRON
23229 LIBERTY
ST. CLAIR SHORES, MI 48080

TIME TO RENEW!!!

SCSSPS BOOSTERS 2013

- Dennis J. Blaga - Susan Kathleen (S)
- Mike Boyle & Nancy Derocha - Knot All Mine
- Gary & Louise Denolf - Lake Effect II
- Lisa Jacobson - Shore Lines Booster
- Bob & Bonnie Krieg - The Donna
- Ted & Vicki Grafton - Gallant Lady
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