



## The Sheboygan Yacht Club April 2021

### Commodore's Comments



It seems fitting that on the one-year anniversary of the covid pandemic we held the first SYC membership meeting in a year. It was nice to get together and conduct time-sensitive important business. Thank you to everyone for your patience as we worked through the technical details of conducting another first: a combined in-person and Zoom membership meeting. The membership responded by maxing out the in-person guideline of 25 people and 27 computers representing 34 people via Zoom. We will likely try this again for the April meeting.

Thank you to the Bylaw committee of Chair Eric Zufelt, Mike Larson, and John Travis. Given the situation, they diligently came up with the precise wording of the bylaw that allowed us to conduct a hybrid meeting of in person and Zoom attendees while adhering to county meeting guidelines. This also allowed us to reach a quorum and vote on two motions that had a critical timing element to them. Passing the motions allowed deck materials to get ordered and avoid future price increases. The contract with Michels Corp was also signed so they can schedule us in for spring work.

The repair and realignment of intermediate dock pilings is long overdue. They have not received attention for well over 15 years. Two of the pilings have been lifted by freezing ice so high they are in danger of falling over. Several other pilings have been lifted and pushed sideways out of position. Tying up using intermediate pilings helps distribute the load on dock lines and piers during periods of severe wind storms. Contracting with Michels while they are in town rebuilding the south pier saves us the cost of transporting and mobilizing the equipment which would double the project's price.

Many thanks to Dave Bronson for donating his time and expertise to replace the outdoor deck. The entire project should provide many volunteer opportunities providing you are not accident prone. Removal of the old deck, cleanup after the tree comes down, and rebuilding the deck will be labor intensive. Construction products have seen intermittent supply shortages as well as ridiculous price increases. We were anxious to get materials on order and save time and money.

SYC members have responded competitively to the matching challenge grant for the deck project. With an anonymous donor pledging \$16,000 and offering to double any donations up to \$8,000, nearly \$6,000 has already been donated to that goal. What a tremendous response! In addition, a second anonymous donor has pledged a large donation of non-matching funds. This project has definitely been very popular with the membership. Thank you to everyone for your immediate and generous response.

Be safe and stay healthy, and please help "Raise the Deck".

~Commodore Tom

### Dates to Remember

April	4	Easter Sunday Brunch at SYC
April	8	SYC Membership Meeting
April	11	Sunday Breakfast at SYC
April	18	Sunday Breakfast at SYC
April	22	SYC Book Club Meeting
April	24	Sailing Banquet
April	25	Sunday Breakfast at SYC

### SYC Club Hours

**Club Closed Mondays**

**LUNCH**

**11:30 to 1:30 Wed-Thu-Fri**

**Dining and Carry-out**

**4:00 to 8:00 Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sat**

**\*\*Order Carry-out at 920 458 6601\*\***

**BAR**

**4:00 to close Tue, Sat. Sunday hours variable**

**11:00 to close Wed, Thu, Fri**

**House Manager**—Sean Pieters  
**Chef**—Benjamin Sommerfeldt  
**Service Coordinator**—Melissa Butters  
**Office Manager**—Kori Novicki



**Commodore**  
Tom Atkins



**Treasurer**  
Jennifer Spicer



**Vice Commodore**  
Jason Diener



**Recording Secretary**  
Candace Pitts



**Rear Commodore**  
Hans Graf





**Membership Secretary**  
Georgia Otto

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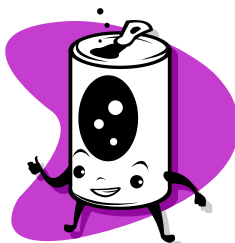
 <b>SYC April 2021 Calendar of Events</b> 						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>28 April 29</b>	<b>29 March</b>	<b>30 March</b>	<b>31 March</b>	<b>1 April</b>	<b>2 April</b>	<b>3 April</b>
Bar 9:00-noon Sunday Breakfast And Carry-out 9:00-noon No Dinner Service ○	Club Closed	Bar 4:00-close Dining and Carry-out 4:00-8:00 <b>Taco Tuesday</b>	Bar 11:00-close Lunch 11:30-1:30 Dining and Carry-out 4:00-8:00 <b>Wing Wednesday</b>	Bar 11:00-close Carryout 5:30-8:00 Dining at 6:00, 7:00, and 8:00 p.m.	Bar 1:00-close Lunch 11:30-1:30 Dining and Carry-out 4:00-8:00	Bar 4:00-close Dining and Carry-out 4:00-8:00
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<b>25 April</b>	<b>26 April</b>	<b>27 April</b>	<b>28 April</b>	<b>29 April</b>	<b>30 April</b>	<b>1 May</b>
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## Happy Hour @ SYC

4:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

*\$0.50 OFF drinks during Happy Hours*

**Every Night Except Fridays &  
Club Meeting nights**



New Moon



Marie Larson on the piano

Full Moon





## Easter Breakfast at the Sheboygan Yacht Club

### Sunday, April 4, 2021

10am – 2pm (*bar open at 9:30am*) **Reservations required**

**Easter Bunny and Egg Hunt outside starting at 11:30am.**  
**Meet in Pavilion – Easter treat bags for all kids**

#### All entrée's include:

**Assorted breakfast breads and pastries, fruit and berries with a lemon poppyseed sauce, coffee or tea**

#### Slow Roasted Prime Rib 29

8 oz. prime rib, Stag cheddar mashed red potato, grilled asparagus, porcini au jus

#### Easter Ham 25

8 oz. pit smoked Iowa ham, Stag cheddar mashed red potato, grilled asparagus, pineapple rum chutney

#### Crème Brule French Toast 17

creamy and crunchy Texas toast French toast, macerated berries, whipped cream, bacon or sausage links

#### Traditional Eggs Benedict 17

two poached eggs, toasted English muffin, Canadian bacon, hollandaise, fried breakfast potato,  
 bacon or sausage links

#### Salmon Lox Benedict 20

two poached eggs, toasted English muffin, salmon, hollandaise, fried breakfast potato,  
 bacon or sausage links

#### Ham and Roasted Vegetable Omelet 16

3 egg omelet, Iowa pit smoked ham, grilled squash, zucchini, onion, Stag aged cheddar cheese,  
 with fried breakfast potato, bacon or sausage links

#### Kids Menu 7

**Chocolate Chip Pancakes** - with bacon or sausage links, fruit

**Waffle Sticks** - with bacon or sausage links, fruit

**SYC Kids Breakfast** - 1 egg, fried breakfast potato, with bacon or sausage links, fruit

**French Toast** - with bacon or sausage links, fruit

Call: (920)458-6601 or Email: [sean@sheboyganyachtclub.com](mailto:sean@sheboyganyachtclub.com)

**Carry-Out and Curbside Delivery orders can be called in starting the week prior to Easter.**



## Sunday Breakfast at the Sheboygan Yacht Club Every Sunday (January 17 through April)

Restaurant and Bar open 8:45 am

Seatings at 9:00 am, 10:00 am, 11:00 am

Reservations recommended.

**Menu varies from week to week and will include great selections like the following:**

- Eggs Benedict
- Salmon Lox Eggs Benedict
- Crème Brule French Toast
- All American Breakfast with 2 eggs your way, potatoes, bacon or sausage, fruit
- House Made Corned Beef Hash
- Omelets
- Quiche
- Breakfast Burritos

### Kids Menu 7

Waffle Sticks with bacon or sausage links, fruit

SYC Kids' Breakfast 1 egg, fried breakfast potato, bacon or sausage links, fruit

French Toast Bacon or sausage links, fruit

\*\* Breakfast Drink Menu \*\*

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*\*Watch for weekly menu changes\**

Carry-Out and Curbside Delivery Available



## 2021 SYC Book Club Meetings and Selections

- ◆ The April meeting of the SYC Book Club will be held on Thursday, April 22, at 6:00 p.m. Selection: *The Cellist of Sarajevo*, by Steven Galloway (HF).
  - ◆ The May meeting of the SYC Book Club will be held on Thursday, May 27, at 6:00 p.m. Selection: *American Dirt*, by Jeanine Cummings (thriller F).
  - ◆ The June meeting of the SYC Book Club will be held on Thursday, June 24, at 6:00 p.m. Selection: *Dumplin'* by Julie Murphy (humor).
  - ◆ The July meeting of the SYC Book Club will be held on Thursday, July 22, at 6:00 p.m. Selection: *The Shipping News*, by Annie Proulx (F).
  - ◆ The August meeting of the SYC Book Club will be held on Thursday, August 26, at 6:00 p.m. Selection: *A Woman is No Man*, by Etaf Rum (F).
  - ◆ The September meeting of the SYC Book Club will be held on Thursday, September 23, at 6:00 p.m. Selection: *The Giver of Stars*, by Jojo Mayes (HF), and *The Bookworm of Troublesome Creek*, by Kim Michele Richardson (HF).
  - ◆ The October meeting of the SYC Book Club will be held on Thursday, October 28, at 6:00 p.m. Selection: *The Woman in the Window*, by A.J. Fynn (mystery).
  - ◆ The November meeting of the SYC Book Club will be held on Thursday, November 18, at 6:00 p.m. Selection: *Into the Abyss*, by Carole Shaben (bio/true adventure).
- \*\*No December Meeting\*\***



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## Sea Scouts



Due to COVID, it's been exactly one year since we last met with our scouts at our SEAS workshop. On Saturday 6 March we reconvened to pick up where we left off on the two canoes we started a year

ago! We had a low turnout because some of our scouts were attending other BSA events. It seems everything is opening up at once. We are going to try and finish the two canoes before our summer program starts in June.

Also, we are a few of weeks into a mail-in fundraiser in lieu of our usual February Chili Cook Off. If you received a letter from us please be generous. Thanks!

~Mark Matthias

## New Members



Werner and Linda Binkowsky, Associate.  
Sponsors: Eric Zufelt and Bruce Sneen

# Raise the Deck!

## Sheboygan Yacht Club fund raiser to rebuild the deck.

**Your donation to help rebuild the deck will be matched 2 to 1 by an anonymous donor. For every dollar donated up to the first \$8,000, the donor will double it.**

**Excess donations will go into a fund specifically earmarked to satisfy Sean's wish list for deck lights, temporary heat, and wind screens.**

**Weather permitting, deck demolition will start in late April. We are targeting completion by the end of May.**

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**Please make checks payable to SYC & indicate "deck" on the memo line.**

**Here is my donation to help rebuild the SYC deck.**

<b>Up to \$100</b>	<b>Weather Deck</b>
<b>\$100 or more</b>	<b>Quarter Deck</b>
<b>\$1,000 or more</b>	<b>Bridge Deck</b>

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

Sheboygan Yacht Club Officers and Committees 2020-2021			
Elected Officers		Board of Directors	
Commodore	Tom Atkins	3 Years 2017-2020	David Hillebrand
Vice Commodore	Jason Diener	3 Years 2019-2022	Jeanette Wierzbach
Rear Commodore	Hans Graf	3 Years 2020-2023	Chuck Butler
Treasurer	Jennifer Spicer	2 Years 2019-2021	Phil DeTrana
Membership Secretary	Georgia Otto	2 Years 2020-2022	Mark Duff
Recording Secretary	Candace Pitts	1 Year 2020-2021	Mark Wessel
Appointed Officers			
Bow'n'Stern Editor	Ronald Abler	Fleet Surgeon	Phil DeTrana
Chaplain	Dione Knop	Librarian/ Historian	David Hillebrand
Counsel	Robert Melzer	Measurer	Mark Wessel
Flag Lieutenant	Mark Mickelson	Parliamentarian	Peter Mayer
Fleet Captain	Mike Olien		
Commodore Committees (Chair/Co-Chairs in <i>Italics</i> )			
Bylaws	Eric Zufelt	Youth Sailing	Whitney Kent
	John Travis	Entertainment	Sandy Diener
	PC Michael Larson		
Dockmaster	Mike Olien		
House	Paul Bartelt	Membership	Cori Kaplan
Race	Peter Mayer Mike Knop	Sail Sheboygan	Jason Bemis
Endowment	Finance Committee	Sea Scouts	Karen Fischer
Vice Commodore Committees (Chair/Co-Chairs in <i>Italics</i> )			
HVAC	Chris Aldag	Publicity/Web	Jason Irish
Education	Matt Wierzbach		Dan Peterson
Grounds	Deb Ericson Floyd Leo	SYC Apparel	Bev Davidson
			Kathy Snider
Historical	Dave Hillebrand	Yachting Activities	Dawn Vertz
Rear Commodore Committees (Chair/Co-Chairs in <i>Italics</i> )			
Barge	Steve Meicher	Electrical	Kenny Ebbers
Building	Chris Aldag	Lunch	
Derrick Yard	Kevin Werner	Piers	Steve Mech
	Steve Meicher		
Finance Committee (Chair/Co-Chairs in <i>Italics</i> )			
2016-2019	PC M. Reichelsdorfer	2017-2020	Nils Lemke
2015-2019		Treasurer	Jennifer Spicer
2016-2019	Paul Bartelt		
Board Appointed Committees			
Tech Team	David Fisher	ad hoc Piers	Tom Holtan
	Mark Duff		PC Peter Mayer
			PC Bob Kuehlmann
			Steve Meicher