



The  
**Porthole**  
News



March 2007

## Commodore's Message



Have you noticed some strange things happening with club activities? Our Beefsteak Comedy Night on March 24<sup>th</sup> sold out in mid February. Wow... that is the earliest we've ever sold out an event! Who's the comedians? I hear we have a waiting list if the social committee can figure a way to fit another table in there for the event. Sounds like we're going to have a belly busting good time from the all you can eat filet mignon and laughter from the first rate comedians. Looks like the Social Committee has scheduled another successful event.

I have more great news in that we have another new trustee on the board. Paul Sabia has been chosen by the board to fulfill the remainder of Peter Maniscalco's trustee term. Paul has been very active in volunteering on many club projects and participating in our social events, so we know he will be an excellent contributor with the current board. Welcome to the board Paul.

How would you like the opportunity to commemorate your time at Lake Forest with a personalized engraved stone built into our upcoming clubhouse patio project? For \$35.00 you can have a personalized message on one of our paver stones as a permanent marker to commemorate your time at LFYC for generations to come. Complete details of this offer as well as an order form are in this edition of the Porthole. If you would like to take advantage of the offer, please get your order into the office by March 31<sup>st</sup> to guarantee the \$35.00 pre-construction price.

Of a more serious note, back in October 2005 we discovered that our previous office manager had embezzled over \$10,000 from our club. She had deceived us all by taking the funds before resigning and relocating with her family to North Carolina. Because she was in North Carolina, many in our community felt we would never be able to have her arrested, brought back to NJ or receive restitution for the stolen funds. We on the board never gave up as we let the legal processes go forward. Well, I have an update for membership: The authorities got her!

Our previous office manager was arrested by North Carolina authorities on December 22<sup>nd</sup> 2006 and remained incarcerated waiting extradition back to NJ through mid-January. Chuck Emery and I attended her arraignment hearing at the Morris County Courthouse in late January, where in front of the judge, she pled guilty to the theft and criminal charges against her. She posted bond and she will be back to court for her sentencing hearing in March.

In addition to gaining a criminal record, she will have to pay restitution in full for the stolen funds, \$4,000 of which we collected at the arraignment hearing. Details of her restitution payments to the club will be decided by the judge at her upcoming sentencing hearing. We are well on our way to putting this dark chapter of LFYC history behind us and we will receive back all the stolen funds.

So, we have lots of good things happening at our club. Have a Happy St Patrick's Day and I'll see you at the Beefsteak Comedy Night.

Frank Gutowski,  
Commodore

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### Mark Your Calendars:

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The Lake Forest Yacht Club, 35 Yacht Club Drive, Lake Hopatcong, NJ 07849

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# Lake Forest Facilities Update by Jim Brown

With the arrival of winter the past month, can spring be far behind? Regardless of the weather, the trustees have been diligent in moving several projects forward. Here is a brief update on the facilities and the projects.

## New Patio

In the spring, and before the opening festivities, the grassy area between the clubhouse and lake, a paver patio will be installed, with the LFYC logo inlaid in the center. The work will begin in May. I hope you take advantage of the opportunity and buy a personalized engraved paver for your family. This project will enhance the appearance of the club, and make the patio area more functional for our mem-

bers, and guests.

## Clubhouse Repair

Former Commodore Fred Stewart is taking the lead on this project. If you see him looking stressed, tell him he's doing a great job! Because this is a big investment, an architect will be hired to ensure that it gets done correctly. Remember the clubhouse will not be available for the month of July.

## Kitchen Closet

Bob Luongo has been doing a great job completing a punch list of small to medium sized jobs in and around the club. Among the recently completed jobs is the closet in the kitchen, which needed some attention. Insulation was installed to cover the hole left when the old heating and air conditioning system was removed, storage shelves

were installed, and a tool holder installed.

## Oven Fan

Thanks to Tony Maciorski the venting fan above the oven is now wired correctly, and in good working order.

## Panic Door

Pat Brennan has ordered a new set of doors and scheduled the installation. With Jim Thompson. The need for the new panic doors is to insure meeting fire safety codes.

## Wi-Fi Hot Spot

Pat is gathering information and pricing on making wireless Internet access available on the club property.

## Parking Permit and Beach Tags

Chris has contacted the badge

supplier, and with this years badges, the peeling issues will be a thing of the past.

## New Gate Arm and Card Reader

Chris has also been in contact with the manufacturer of the security gate and based on their discussions, the card reader needs to be replaced. This will accomplish two things. First, the gate will function properly, and second, we can issue new cards to all members, and those cards that are still floating out there will no longer work.

## Parking Lot Sealing

Frank has 2 quotes for sealing the parking lot, and will meet with those representatives this month, and finalize the details.

## Security

Chris is contacting security

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## Lake Forest Yacht Club - Board of Trustees

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## Lake Forest Yacht Club (Mailing Address: P.O. Box 217, Lake Hopatcong, NJ 07849)

Office 973-663-0158 Email: [office@lfyc.org](mailto:office@lfyc.org) Website: [www.lfyc.org](http://www.lfyc.org)

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Pat Bagnall President 973-663-0255

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# Facilities Update

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companies for the summer, and will have bids by the March meeting.

## Lifeguards and Beach Director

A few emails have started to come in for the Lifeguard positions, and swimming instructors for this summer. I have contacted the director of the Sussex County YMCA about posting the job openings, and I'll do the same at the West Morris YMCA.

## Dock Rentals and Renewals

Dock rentals and renewals are coming in at about the same rate as last year, and March should see this continuing.

hole, I will be reporting to you the updates. Since Frank reports to you in the Commodore's report, we felt that another trustee should report the facility updates. Please feel free to contact any trustee about any aspect of the LFYC property. We want to hear what things you want done at the club.



As of this issue of the Port-



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# Trustee Meeting Minutes, February 2007

2/8/07: Meeting called to order, 7:05pm

## **Trustees present:**

Patrick Brennan, Jim Brown, Chris DeRobertis, Chuck Emery, Frank Gutowski, Tony Maciorski

## **Trustees not present:**

Open Trustee Position

## **Trustee Updates**

### **Pat:**

Discussion over making the Yacht Club properties a Wi-Fi Hot Spot. Pat Brennan to pursue pricing for implementation in the summer.

### **Jim:**

Bob Luongo Update: Closet organization. Finished. Advertisement for new Life Guards will begin in the January Porthole. Jim to also post in the Sussex YMCA and the West Morris YMCA.

Discussion on hiring a Concession Stand Operator to "man" the stand decided it would be the responsibility of the Beach Director and Assistant Beach Director to delegate concession staffing. Jim to continue work on Beach Directors and Assistant Beach Director job description. Swim Team update: Chris the assistant coach may not be returning.

### **Chris:**

Chris suggested hosting a Carnival at the Yacht Club. After further review and an informal polling, decided to not pursue the initiative. Chris offered to review rental rates for similar halls in the area and provide a report in a future Trustee meeting. (VFW's renting from \$300 + \$50 as deposit).

New gate arm is still required for the gate Chris to pursue with Baxter Associates. Discussion ensued, decision to replace card reader, gate arm and obtain replacement cards. Motion by Chris to have the reader replaced and 500 replacement cards seconded by Chuck, unanimous approval. Badge update. Decision to upgrade our badges so that they don't peel. Minor increase in price, decision to move forward.

### **Chuck:**

Our lawyer sent us a correspondence regarding the taxation of membership dues, Trenton has yet to make a firm stance on this change there is a possibility that we will be charged sales tax for membership dues. If true retroactive tax will be paid by the Club, afterwards tax will be collected from the membership. Awaiting direction/clarification from Trenton. IRS Audit scheduled for February 20<sup>th</sup>.

### **Frank:**

Fred Stewart recommended we engage an architect for their recommendations on the club. Motion by Frank to engage an architect, seconded by Chris, all in favor. Patio Paver Project: Notice to go into the Porthole to pay for engraved bricks. Received 2 member referrals for seal coatings.

### **Tony:**

AC power for Oven fan Completed.

### **New Business**

Discussion about creating a Lake Hopatcong Commission Trustee responsibility? Tabled.

Discussion about open Trustee

Position. Paul Sabia expressed an interest in joining the board. Motion by Frank to ask Paul to accept the available Trustee position, seconded by Pat, unanimous. Frank to contact Paul.

Report on the Lake Hopatcong Commission meeting attended by Patrick Brennan and Jim Brown and possible actions. Decision made to send sample letters and petition taken from the Jefferson-township.org website to all Dock Renters and to all Lake Forest Residents. We will also post sample letters and petition on LFYC.org website as well as posting the petition in the club for renters and their guests to sign. In addition we will include sample letters and the petition with all Yacht Club rental agreements.

John Malone presented to the board a concept for the paver patio including engraving of bricks, he shared prices from Grinnel etc. John willing to assist. Motion by Frank to include engraved bricks in the Patio paver project, seconded by Chuck, all in favor.

Helene Emery, Cindy Maniscalco and Laura D'Uva presented their recommendations of the Lake Forest Yacht Club Scholarship Committee (this committee also included Janice Mishkin and Kristi Brown).

Helene suggested having an Open House at the Yacht Club for Master Lease Hold-

ers, along with members. Trustees will take it under advisement.

Security expense will go up this year due to legislature passed in the State of New Jersey.

Discussion about putting a light on or near the dive mast so that we may light the flag. Feasibility study to be undertaken by Frank and Tony.

## **Adjournment**

Meeting adjourned 10:40pm.

Next Trustees Meeting – March 8, 2007, 7:00pm, Commodore Room LFYC.

Minutes provided by Patrick Brennan, Secretary.

Note: Minutes are condensed, for publishing in the Porthole. Please contact the LFYC Office to view a full set of minutes.

## TOM'S THUMB



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# ST. PATRICK'S DINNER DANCE

# MAR 17

"Sean" and "Molly" O'Hermanns and "Paddy" and "Nelly" Kelley invite you to celebrate the wearing of the GREEN.

Chef O'Houlihan from MC Catering (the same people that gave us that scrumptious New Year's repast) will carve off slices of hot, juicy corned beef or delectably moist, juicy roast beef onto your choice of hard roll, white or rye bread, accompanied by an assortment of salads. Top this off with Irish Coffee & selected pastries and you have the makings of a memorable St. Pat's dinner. With sated appetite music for your listening and dancing pleasure will be provided by the "Melodees" of Wayne. All for \$35.00 per couple--beer, regular coffee & set-ups included. Deadline for reservations and payment March 12. Kelley's -3427 O'Hermanns -0712

Dinner - 8 P.M. - 1 & 2  
Dancing - 9:30 P.M. - 1 & 2



## Lake Forest Legacy




It seems that LFYC was the place to be on St. Patty's Day in the early 80's!!



SAINT PATRICK'S DAY DINNER DANCE

SATURDAY MARCH 20<sup>th</sup>



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\$18 per couple if reservations made by March 15,  
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Call 4392 or the office to make your reservations!  
LFYC members and their guests.



## Social Activities/Calendar



### Saturday, March 24th, 7:00pm - Beefsteak/Comedy Combo

(RSVP by Saturday, March 17th - Reserve early...only 120 seats available.)

Two great events combined to provide an evening of food, friends, and fun. Doors open at 6:30pm and we'll start off with the Traditional Beefsteak at 7:00pm - Salad, "all you can eat" Filet Mignon on French Bread, French Fries, Dessert, Coffee and Tea. Beer and Wine are included, BYO premium spirits & wine. Entertainment will follow with (2) Comedians. Each Comedian will perform for @ 1 hour. Member and Member Guests welcome. Tables of (8) may be reserved.

**Members: \$30 per person/ Member Guest: \$35 per person. To hold seats, prepaid RSVP required to the Lake Forest Yacht Club Office.**



**STEVE MARSHALL- First Act**

The word "gifted" is sometimes overused in the comedy business. But, there is truly no other word that accurately describes Steve Marshall. Well, maybe "hilarious" or "hysterical" would be a good start. Steve is from the old school of comedy...he makes people laugh! He is quick, outrageous and, at times, irreverent. His one man show, "Nobody Told Me" (written & performed by Steve) played to sold out audiences for over 2 years in New York City. He was the only one-man show to be featured at the prestigious Toyota Comedy Festival, and "Time Out New York" called him, "Genuinely Funny". Steve was also a regular at the infamous Los Angeles "Improv", and his many other credits include: HBO's Comedy in Bryant Park, and

Robert Klein on Broadway. This multi-talented artist also writes for many other comedians, including The Late Show with David Letterman. Steve is a solid, well polished professional, who tours nationally as a Headline act. There is no doubt once you see his act, you will become another Steve Marshall fan.



**JEFF NORRIS- Headliner**

His television and film credits include an extended stint on the HBO series Oz, first as an extra and then eventually winning a role as a member of Schillenger's Aryan gang, doing all his own stage fighting (no stunt double for this guy); host of Good Morning America's Make Us Laugh All Night Long; extra work on Law and Order, Third Watch and Saturday Night Live; NY Yankee #87 in Anger Management with Jack Nicholson and Adam Sandler, (both of whom witnessed his celebrity impressions, resulting in Sandler asking for his contact information); in With Lucy with Monica Potter; Midnight Manhattan with Richard Greico; plus appearances in various commercials, including an award-winning one for the Bravo Channel. Norris' acting experiences have whetted his appetite for that side of the business; he studies in Manhattan at West Barron Acting School with plans to pursue that path more aggressively. Norris is a regular performer at Caroline's, Catch a Rising Star, The Improv, and Rascals

Comedy Clubs, to name a few, he has even entertained the cast of The Sopranos at Pips Comedy Club in Sheepshead Bay during private birthday celebrations for Tony Sirico (aka Paulie Walnuts).



### Saturday, March 31st, 1:00pm - Easter Egg Hunt

A fun event for the little ones. Please RSVP to Aileen Cobb at 973-663-9553 by Friday, March 23rd if you are planning to attend the event. Thanks!!!!



### Saturday, April 21st, 8:00 am - Beach Clean Up Day

Hold the date. Tasks needing completion in next month's issue.



### Saturday, April 28th, 9am to 5pm - Lake Forest Community Garage Sale

See page 11 in this issue for details.



### Sunday, April 29th, 3:00pm - Lake Forest Swim Team Sign Ups

Registration and Initial Meeting at the Lake Forest Yacht Club.



### Friday, May 4th, 8:00pm - LFYC Semi-Annual Meeting

Quorum needed by 8:15 pm. Babysitting provided.



### Saturday, May 5th, 8:30am - Boating Safety Course

See page 8 in this issue for details.



### Saturday, May 5th, 7:00pm - Texas Hold'em

Hold the date. Spring tournament hosted by Players Pub Poker.



### Saturday, May 26th - Opening Day Picnic

Mark your calendars. Our season kickoff event...not to be missed!



# Lake Forest Bulletin Board

All requests must be submitted to Laura Squier (973-663-4134 or porthole@lfcy.org) with a contact name and telephone number.



## Birthday Greetings

Happy 5th Birthday to Aiden Kapusta, March 6th.  
 Happy 13th Birthday to Joshua DeJesus, March 12th.  
 Happy 9th Birthday to Janelle Rossi, March 15th.  
 Happy Birthday to Lynn Boettger, March 15th.  
 Happy 8th Birthday to Kelly Hyland, March 22nd.



## Viva Italia! Family Pasta Night

A warm get together on a cold winter night with more pasta than could be eaten! We kept the little ones busy with games as the older kids fought it out on the foosball table. Congrats to Ashley Stewart and Adam Thompson - the winning team. The adults had a dart tournament on the new electronic dartboards, with Jim Thompson and Chris DeRobertis winning comp tickets to Comedy night. LFYC Social Committee delivers another night of great food, fun and friends!



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# Lake Forest Yacht Club Clubhouse Patio Project “Commemorative Stone Offer”

by Frank Gutowski



This May, excavation work will be taking place on the grassy area behind the clubhouse. We will be removing the grass and installing a paver patio in its place. The color and pattern of the paver patio will be exactly the same as we used for our new clubhouse walkway and in the center will be a 6 to 8 foot wide engraving of our club logo. This will improve the appearance of that area and make it more functional for our club activities. The project will begin in mid May and be completed in advance of our Opening Day Picnic.

John Malone recommended to the board that we offer members the opportunity to purchase an engraved commemorative paver stone. We feel this is an excellent idea, so we are making this available to all current and former LFYC members. We have only a limited time to have the engraved stones produced in advance of the project, for there is a 4 to 6 week lead time, so we need to place the order on April 1<sup>st</sup> to assure they arrive in time for the patio build.



(Location of  
new Patio)



(Sample Stone)

All current or former members may purchase a 6” x 9” Commemorative Engraved Stone (similar to the sample shown) engraved with a message for only \$35.00 (pre-construction price). Your message may be up to 3 lines, with each line having a maximum of 13 characters. Commemorative Engraved Stone order forms are available in the March Porthole, the club office or may be downloaded from our website: [www.lfyc.org](http://www.lfyc.org). Please fill out the order form, make out a payment of \$35 to the LFYC and mail or deliver both to the LFYC office by March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2007.

After that date we will still take orders for members wanting to have an engraved stone installed after patio construction. Our contractor will come back and pull out installed stones and replace it with the engraved stones. The cost for the engraved stone will be higher than \$35 for there will be additional labor fees. Details will be provided at a later date.

This is an opportunity for you to be part of this patio project and to commemorate your time here at Lake Forest. Please get your order in before the deadline of March 31<sup>st</sup> 2007 to ensure you get the pre-construction price.

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# Lake Forest Swim Team

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We welcome swimmers ages 5-18

### Requirements:

- **Tryouts required for new swimmers**
- **Daily/flexible practice**
- **Wednesday Evening Meets (6-8:30pm)**
- **Saturday Morning Meets (9-11:30am)**
- **5 Home Meets/5 Away Meets**

Registration and Initial Meeting  
Sunday, April 29th, 2007, 3:00pm  
at  
The Lake Forest Yacht Club  
Yacht Club Drive  
Lake Hopatcong, NJ

**If interested or need more info, please contact:**  
**Patty Bagnall - 973-663-0255**  
**Arleen Osorio—973-663-8869**

### 2007 Lake Forest Swim Team Schedule

Away: Wed., June 27, 6pm - Lake Forest at Park Lake  
 Away: Sat., June 30, 9am - Lake Forest at Mendham  
 Home: Thurs., July 5, 6pm - Shongum at Lake Forest  
 Home: Sat., July 7, 9am - Shore Hills at Lake Forest  
 Home: Wed., July 11, 6pm - Denville at Lake Forest  
 Home: Sat., July 14, 9am - Lake Shawnee at Lake Forest  
 Away: Wed., July 18, 6pm - Lake Forest at Flanders Valley  
 Away: Wed., July 25, 6pm - Lake Forest at Cranberry Lake  
 Home: Sat., July 28, 9am - Randolph Park at Lake Forest  
 Away: Wed., Aug. 1, 6pm - Lake Forest at Roxbury

Trials: Thurs., Aug. 9 - at Roxbury  
 Finals: Sat., Aug. 11 - at Roxbury

End of Season Banquet: Sat., Aug. 11 - Lake Forest Yacht Club

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**Time:** 8:30am - 4:30pm  
**Cost:** \$50.00/LFYC member;  
 \$60.00/non-member



Includes: Textbook, a Federal Regulations booklet, safety brochures, as well as lunch and soft drinks.

Students must bring: a ball point pen and a self-addressed, stamped envelope to the course.

In approximately 90 days, The Safe Boating Certificate Card will be mailed to the student in the self-addressed, stamped envelope by the State Police.

**Prepaid RSVP to Lake Forest Yacht Club  
by April 28th**



# Lake Forest Nursery School News

LFNS is busy preparing for our Open House and Registration on Monday, March 5<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 at the Lake Forest Yacht Club. If you are interested in finding out more about our school, please call 973-663-9553. Our students have had a packed calendar in February - much excitement for some dreary winter days! We had a

visit from The Randolph Pediatric Dental Group. The dental professionals did a great job showing the children how to care for their teeth. The children enjoyed class trips to The Dover Children's Museum and to Disney on Ice. In addition to the special events, we have had a very busy month of learning as well. Mrs. Bukowski covered Groundhog Day, the

letters Rr through Tt, the number 7, the color purple and heart shapes. Both classes had awesome Valentine's Day celebrations! Thank you to our party parents Jennifer Malsbury and The Felter Family.



## Attention Parents of 3 & 4 Year Olds!!

If you are looking for a unique preschool, it is time to register for the 2007-08 school year at

### LAKE FOREST COOPERATIVE NURSERY SCHOOL

Open House and Registration  
Monday, March 5, 2007 at 7:00pm  
at the

Lake Forest Yacht Club  
Yacht Club Drive, Lake Hopatcong

*Parental Participation is required.*

To learn more about the school or schedule a visit call 973-663-9553 or visit our website at [www.lfyc.org](http://www.lfyc.org) and click on 'Nursery School'.

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# 2007 Lake Forest Community Garage Sale

Saturday, April 28<sup>th</sup> from 9 AM to 5 PM

Rain or Shine - - \$15.00 per resident participant - - Open to all Lake Forest residents

As we saw in September of last year, our community garage sale drew many prospective buyers from all over the area. We utilized our website to promote the sale items and provided maps of our community for visitors to find the homes participating. I know many buyers came out looking for specific items our members listed on our website.

The event was so successful, that we decided to run another one this April 28<sup>th</sup>. So if you've been thinking about a Garage Sale this Spring, sign up for our Community Garage Sale and take advantage of our advertising and website resources to help you reach out to many potential buyers. Here are the details:

## Participants:

- This event is open to all residents of the Lake Forest Community
- Participants will sell their items from their home address.
- Residents who want to participate must download or obtain from the municipal building a garage sale permit form. The resident may download the document from the township website, link: <http://www.jefferson township.net/Cit-e-Access/webpage.cfm?TID=4&TPID=149> or pick one up from town hall
- Complete and sign the permit document and deliver to the LFYC office.
- It is recommended that each participant complete a detailed one page description of your garage sale items with the option of adding up to 2 low resolution photos to the document. Description and photos must be kept to one page. The sales description document will need to be e-mailed to: [garagesale@lfyc.org](mailto:garagesale@lfyc.org) no later than **Saturday, April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2007**. Payment to the Lake Forest Yacht Club in the amount of \$15.00 and the completed and signed township permit must be delivered to the club office no later than **Saturday, April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2007**.

## The Lake Forest Yacht Club will:

- Deliver all resident's completed garage sale permits to township clerk office and obtain permits. Residents may pick up their permits on **Thursday, April 26<sup>th</sup>** from the club office.
- LFYC will place advertisements in the AIM Action News and Daily Record the week prior to the event promoting the community garage sale. The advertisement will direct all prospective buyers to our website for participant loca-

tions and sale item description.

- LFYC will set up a Garage Sale webpage on our website: [www.lfyc.org](http://www.lfyc.org) and list all participating garage sale residents. The page will also permit viewers to click on a resident address to view the garage sale item description document.
- A map of Lake Forest will also be on the site for prospective buyers to download.

Any questions about the Lake Forest Community Garage Sale should be directed to Frank Gutowski, e-mail address; [frankgutowski@lfyc.org](mailto:frankgutowski@lfyc.org) or call the club office at 973-663-0158.



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## Announcement!

### The \$1000.00 Lake Forest Yacht Club Scholarship

As I announced at the Annual Meeting, this year will be the inaugural year for our new Lake Forest Yacht Club Scholarship, formerly known as the LFYC Grant. The five member volunteers, who comprise the first LFYC Scholarship Committee, have already met twice and developed the foundation for this award. Besides the change in name to the LFYC Scholarship, they have consulted with area schools and private organizations to develop the criteria and procedures needed to make this program successful.

This scholarship will award \$1,000 to help start off an applicant's higher education endeavor. This one time award may be used for tuition, books and other school related expenses. The candidate must be a Lake Forest Yacht Club member in good standing as well as a 2007 graduating high school senior. Each applicant will write an essay explaining why they are the ideal candidate to be the recipient of the LFYC Scholarship as well as provide three (3) let-

ters of recommendation. Complete details of the application criteria will be found on the LFYC Scholarship Application available in March on our website or your high school guidance office.

Scholarship applications should be addressed to the LFYC Scholarship Committee and be mailed to the LFYC with a postage date no later than April 16<sup>th</sup>, 2007.

On behalf of the club membership, I want to thank Helene Emery, Chairperson of the 2007 LFYC Scholarship Committee, and committee members, Kristi Brown, Laura D'Uva, Janice Mishkin and Cindy Maniscalco for taking the time to research and develop the criteria for this program. Since this is the inaugural year for the award, their groundwork in developing the criteria and procedures will be the foundation for future scholarship committees to evaluate candidates. Their efforts will assure this program is a success this year and for years to come.

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The 2007 dock rental fee for members is \$420.00. If you plan on renewing for the upcoming season, please return the completed and signed rental agreement along with a copy of your boat registration and payment by March 15<sup>th</sup> 2007. Also, please indicate if there is any repair issue that you feel needs to be tended to regarding your slip.

If you have no intention to renew your dock slip for the 2007 season, please contact The club office so that we may reassign the slip to another member.

After March 18<sup>th</sup>, we will assign the new member rental slips and open up available slips to members who want to rent a second slip.

On April 1<sup>st</sup>, all remaining open dock slips will be made available to non-members, with a member referral, at a rental fee of \$1,100.

Any questions or comments regarding 2007 dock rentals should be addressed to Frank Gutowski at 663-2059.



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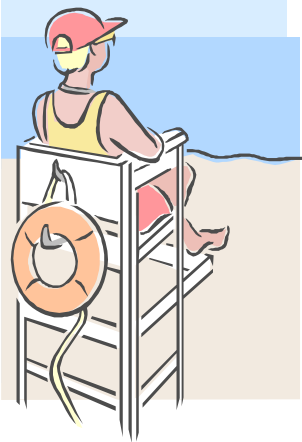
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