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Grand Lagoon
Yacht Club
NOVEMBER
2023



The Commodore's Corner

Great job to all who made the "New Member Meet & Greet" on October 15th. a great success.

In case you missed it, we had two \$250 Member Drawing winners at the Meet & Greet.

The November 'All Hands Meeting" will be Wednesday, November 15 at 6:00 P.M. The slate for 2024 Officers and Directors will close at that meeting. The board is in the South window to sign up for an elected position.

The elections will be held, Wednesday, December 13 from 5 to 7 P.M. Mark Orangio is chairing this year's election committee.

If you have moved, please update your address, and if necessary, phone number and email address with the office. Thank You.

Enjoy Your Club!
Bob Matson, 2023 Commodore



The Vice's Voice

We made it through October, and cooler weather is just ahead. I want to take this opportunity to highlight some upcoming Fall club activities that you should be on the lookout for.

- Thanksgiving Potluck: The Kitchen is closed during this event, so bring everything you need.
- Fall All Hands Meeting and Club Elections for the 2024 Flag Officers and Board
- Christmas Decorating
- Holiday Wagon of Cheer: If you have unopened liquor or wine that you would like to donate, prepare to put it in the wagon in December. Raffle tickets will be sold at the bar in December.
- Kids Christmas Party: Santa and his helper distribute gifts you provide.
- New Years Party

South parking lot work will be delayed due to a medical issue with the contractor.

Billing reminder: When you receive new credit cards, please let the office know about new card numbers and expiration dates for those with credit cards on file.



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NOVEMBER 2023



SUN CLUB OPENS AT 9 AM FOR BRUNCH	MON	TUE	WED	THU BUNCO & TRIVIA REGISTRATION AT 6:00 PM	FRI CLUB OPENS @ 4 PM Chef's Special	SAT CLUB OPENS 12 PM
			1 Chef's Special	2 BUNCO 6:30 pm Tai Chi 8:30 am Mahjong & Games 2 pm Appetizer Specials	3 VIC & THE GIRLS 7-10 pm	4 Open Menu 12 - 8:30 pm Bar 12 - 9 pm
5 Open for Brunch at 9 am Open Menu 1 - 7 pm Bar 9 am-8 pm	6 Club Closed	7 Club Closed Tai Chi 8:30 am Biloxi Bus Trip	8	9 CRAPPY CRAFTERS 10 am Tai Chi 8:30 am Mahjong & Games 2 pm Appetizer Specials	10 DUELING PIANOS WITH NORM & PAUL 7-10 pm	11 Open Menu 12 - 8:30 pm Bar 12 - 9 pm 
12 Open for Brunch at 9 am Open Menu 1 - 7 pm Bar 9 am-8 pm	13 Club Closed	14 Club Closed Tai Chi 8:30 am	15 ALL HANDS MEETING 6 pm	16 TRIVIA 6:30 pm Tai Chi 8:30 am Last day for 2023 Mahjong & Games 2 pm Appetizer Specials	17 RUSTY 7-10 pm	18 Open Menu 12 - 8:30 pm Bar 12 - 9 pm
19 Open for Brunch at 9 am Open Menu 1 - 7 pm Bar 9 am-8 pm	20 Club Closed 5:00 pm Finance Comm. Meeting 5:30 pm Board Meeting	21 Club Closed	22	23 THANKSGIVING POTLUCK 2-4 pm 	24	25 Open Menu 12 - 8:30 pm Bar 12 - 9 pm
26 Open for Brunch at 9 am Open Menu 1 - 7 pm Bar 9 am-8 pm	27 Club Closed	28 Club Closed	29	30	31	



From the Rear Commodore



Hello All. I hope that everyone is well and enjoying the change of weather. It appears that we have dodged another season without a major storm. Keep living right ya'll. It's working! It was wonderful to see the great turn out at the Halloween Party. It appears that we had the largest crowd and number of costumes than in the last five years.

We have the Blue Angel Homecoming raft up event on November 3rd and 4th. Kevin Marshall has mentioned this on Friday nights. Well Kevin is on a European Cruise. The sorry dog! Anyway, we will have a few boats available to run folks out to our raft up. There has been a sign up sheet in the club for some time. We will be available starting at 10am on both days. We can of course do some later pick ups if someone does not want to go out for that long. The show starts at 11am and the Blue Angels fly at 2pm. For those of you that are bringing your boat out, we will be anchored behind Sand Island in the Ft Mcree cove. We will be in a motoryacht named "La Vie DeSante" and Nelson and Kim Sharps 32 Catalina sailboat along with a few others hopefully. We will be flying the GLYC Burgee. If anyone is not on the list for pick up, and wants to join us, then let me know. I will be happy to come grab you.

As far as the Marina and Dry Storage, we still have a waiting list of three for Dry Storage, the west side wet slips are full with one on the waiting list and there are four slips available on the east side. We are planning to begin the dry storage parking lot work soon. Please ensure that your trailers are mobile. We will contact you to move your trailers when the time comes. Well that's about it for me. As always feel free to contact me if I can be of any assistance. Thank you to the amazing staff for making things better everyday..

Kind Regards,
Captain Scott A. Walley
Rear Commodore GLYC



From the Fleet Captain



Hey, everyone! Well, we had a great Adult Sali Camp the last Saturday in October, with 9 folks showing up ready to sail, including one Kid! Hey, I said adult sail camp is for ALL ages, and we proved it. Special thanks to Tom Wagner for helping out and skippering the Getaway, and also to Shaun Clements for helping me get the Capri back to ship-shape and fully operational status. Both boats did great and are ready to go if you'd like to check them out on your own, anytime!

Our GLYC race team is still bringing home the trophies! With both Mark Heinold and Pete Buckley waiving the GLYC burgee at the final GYA Laser race of the year. Pete took third and Mark took fourth, and area sailors know GLYC will represent with professionalism as well as being good sports on the course. Thank you guys for representing our Club so well across the Gulf Coast!

Don't forget about GLYC Raft-up for the Saturday Blue Angels Homecoming Show on November 4, 2023. This raft-up will be in the Ft McCree cove and we'd like to get as many boats together as possible. All size/types of boats are welcome, just bring plenty of fenders, dock lines, and refreshments! For folks that don't have a boat but want to have a great time on the water, Scott Wally will be at the GLYC dock on Saturday morning at 10 AM to give rides out to the cove. I already know we'll have at least 7 boats out there to enjoy the Air Show from a very unique perspective!

Last but not least, start planning now for the Redneck Regatta in late January, 2024! This is a very serious race, indoors, using human powered sailboats on a demanding, and unforgiving course! If you've never participated, talk to some of the ol' timers at the Club, many of whom are already in training for this year's festivities. I'll have more info as we get closer, but if you want to get a race ready, class legal, sailboat see your friendly bar tenders at the Club, they're \$10! Decorations (and trash talking) are mandatory and the competition will be fierce!

That's all for now!

Sail Safe!
Kevin

ENTERTAINMENT STUFF

What an amazing October we had. Our Octoberfest was phenomenal with the Platinum Premier and our Tribute to UTE then ending with our Halloween Bash!! The costumes were awesome. Again, thanks y'all for making our job so much fun!! Our secret guest was something else.

Now the holidays are upon us. We've got Vic and the girls back on the 3rd, then, back by popular demand, on the 10th, Dueling Pianos, by the man that started it all: Paul Therrell and Norm Hastings. There might even be a special guest, too. That's also the Marine Birthday Party. A way to honor all our true marines. On the 17th, we have our mystery man, Rusty back. Always a huge crowd pleaser!!

On the 23rd, Mike, me, and Georgia are hosting our annual Thanksgiving Pot Luck. Again the kitchen is closed!! Off limits!! No entrance!! We'll have plugins for crock pots and any other hot food. Please bring your own serving utensils. The doors will open at 1:00 and serving will start around 2:00. We'll probably finish up around 4ish. And, again, please clean up behind yourselves. It's always alot of fun. We have a sign up sheet by the back door.

See y'all around the Club, Kathy, Allyson, and Patty

CRAPPY CRAFTERS CORNER

On Friday the 13th we met at the club at 10:00 for our October meeting where we discussed ideas for November and Jeanne Chandler brought in a cowboy hat made from beer can cases!!!! Around 11:30 about 20 of us caravanned to Gary's Brewery and Biergarten on Gulf Beach Hwy for what turned out to be a delicious lunch and great drinks!! Some enjoyed the wide variety of wines they have.....some enjoyed the different flavored beers they have on tap. A couple tried BOTH! Some were having so much fun they opted not to take the tour of the brewery! It's such a great place to hang outif you haven't been stop by one day and check it out. They also have everything you need to make your own beer and wine!!!!

Now on to our November meeting which will be Thursday November 9th at 10:00 at the club. As I mentioned last month, Kathy R. has asked for some help with décor for the Children's Christmas partythis year's theme is The Grinch! We're bringing boxes to wrap and stack "Whoville" style! As a craft project we're going to fill Christmas balls and make boxes from Christmas cards. In addition we're going to have a local artist who will have fabulous jewelry at wholesale prices. Nautical charms, chains, earrings, bracelets and anklets. Even some of her original pearl and leather designs. Cash or checks please. So enjoy one stop shopping for the holiday season! And it gives you something to put in the little boxes you're going to make!!!! A win win!

We signed up a few new members this month at the Meet and Greet on Sunday October 15. Welcome to Cyndie Legendre, Jeannette Prince, Maureen Duryer, Sarah French, Janice Fuller and Paula Wilson. If you're reading this and think it sounds like fun come join us on Thursday!!! See you all around the club. Cheri Honeycutt





What was the only product Elvis Presley ever did a live commercial for, sunglasses, donuts, or watches? This fun question and nineteen others were posed to the 31 players on four teams at October's Trivia Thursday. The Ringers rode the caboose to fourth place. The other three teams were separated by only two points. The 'Nattis took Third, only one point behind the West Siders. The BABS edged the Siders by only one point to take First.

The format for the questions is simple: nine multiple choice, nine you know it or you don't, and two multiple point value, catch-up questions. This allows every team to have a chance to win right up to the final question. Cost to play is only \$10 per team, no limit on team size. Make your plans to come out **Thursday, November 16** for the next Trivia Night. The fun starts when you get here but the questions start at 6:30. Bring your brainiac friends or join one of the other teams. Come early for Tara's special or other great menu items.



October's Bunco Night was host to twenty players, so no ghosts had to be named. Red Rodgers claimed First Bunco and Steve Joyner took Last Bunco. Norma Jolly somehow managed to stay seated for thirteen losses to take Most Losses honors. Half and Half winners included the aforementioned Red, Joe West, and Shari Sparby. Second Place was split with Tracy Sclase, Kathy McCaffrey, David Jolly, and Trudy Staak. Most buncos was made by Rita Weimann, and Most Wins went to Margaret West and first-timer Robbie Hendrickson..

November Bunco is scheduled for **Thursday, November 2**. Make your plans now to play this fast, fun, easy-to-learn game. Cost is only \$10 per player, and all money is paid out to the winners. Registration starts at 6:00 and the game at 6:30. Take this opportunity to get together with old friends and make new ones. Come early to enjoy some of Tara's great menu items.

Flag Officers and Board of Directors 2023

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Red Rodgers 850-982-8357	Chris Henderson
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Committee Chairs 2023

Dock Master - Bill McMillian	Entertainment - Kathy Haskins	ERT- Laurence Donelan
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Regatta - Kevin Marshall	Communications - Debbie Buckley	

GLYC Management

Kathy Renfrow—Operations Manager (850) 607-7569 office@grandlagoonyachtclub.com

Reminder - \$75 Minimum Quarterly Fee for Bar/Galley

Please be aware that the Grand Lagoon Yacht Club imposes a \$75 minimum quarterly fee for the bar/galley. This means that each "member number" must spend a minimum of \$75 every three months for this fee to be waived.

Example: A member spends \$50 over three months on either bar or galley but has not met the quarterly minimum of \$75. This member will be assessed the

	<u>Galley</u>	<u>Bar</u>	<u>Office</u>
Mon/Tues	Closed	Closed	Closed
Wed/Thurs	4pm-8pm	4pm-9pm	2pm-5pm
Friday	4pm-9pm	4pm-10pm	2pm-5pm
Saturday	Noon-8pm	Noon-9pm	2pm-5pm
Sunday	9am-7pm	9am-8pm	Closed

Tai Chi



What better way to start your day than getting together with friends, gently stretching and flexing your muscles and stiff, achy joints. Being outside in the morning air, looking at the calm, glassy water is clearly a bonus. GLYC offers **twice weekly Tai Chi sessions, Tuesday and Thursday mornings**. They start at 8:30 and last about thirty minutes. No special equipment is needed, but we are outside, so dress for the weather. And this time of the year, the weather is nearly perfect. Beginners are always welcome. There is no charge for this member-led activity, but the results are priceless.



Winner's Circle

50/50 Drawing

Member's Drawing:

Every Friday a members number is drawn and the number drawn wins a club credit toward their account.

MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN.

The \$\$ Amount keeps going up when the member whose number is drawn is not present.

**Please Welcome our
Newest Club Members**

*The GLYC Board and Members Wish
To Welcome You and Your Families*

**Sandy & Tom Vanesse
Russ & Charlene West
Tom & Monica Hammond**

Current membership: 300

GLYC Clubhouse Hours

Weekday	Bar	Galley
Monday	CLOSED	CLOSED
Tuesday	CLOSED	CLOSED
Wednesday	4PM to 9PM	4PM to 8PM
Thursday	4PM to 9PM	4PM to 8PM
Friday	4PM to 10PM	4PM to 9PM
Saturday	NOON to 9PM	NOON to 8PM
Sunday	9AM to 8PM	9AM to 7PM

Chef's Special on Wednesdays and Fridays
Appetizer Specials on Thursdays
Sunday Brunch until 1pm

DEADLINE FOR LAGOON LINES ARTICLES/ADS

The Lagoon Lines deadline is the 20th of the month. Would you like to place an ad with the GLYC Lagoon Lines? Contact Tracey Angelopoulos if you want your ad to appear in the next Lagoon Lines issue.

Call or better yet, email your submissions to:

secretary@grandlagoonyachtclub.com

Business card	\$10.00/issue
1/4 page	\$15.00/issue
1/2 page	\$25.00/issue
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GRAND LAGOON YACHT CLUB HOUSE RULES

1. Members are responsible for signing in their non-member guests. The GLYC member shall be responsible for the guest's conduct, and the guest shall leave when the member leaves.
2. Non-members that are not the immediate family of a member will be allowed in the Club no more than six times per year. Members of other reciprocal yacht clubs, providing proof of membership, are not considered guests. Transients temporarily renting a slip are allowed access to the club during the rental period. Frequent guests will be encouraged to join the club. The Board will review abuse of this rule and take action.
3. Prior members who have resigned from the Club and were not in good standing cannot be a guest of another member.
4. A person whom a member is dating is considered a guest, but the date may use the facilities of the Club as often as the date is accompanied by the member, provided that the date abides by all the rules and regulations of the Club.
5. Be appropriately dressed in the club. No bathing suits, tank tops, or bare feet in the clubhouse. Be at least casually dressed in good taste during the dining room hours.
6. Observe current opening and closing hours as posted.
7. Refrain from offensive language, conduct, or intoxication. If offensive, a member may be asked to leave the premises by club management or a Flag officer and is expected to do so at once
8. Refrain from going behind the bar, entering the galley during operation, or otherwise interfering with bar/galley functions.
9. Purchase all alcoholic beverages to be consumed on the premises from the bar.
10. Be accountable for the conduct of their children. Children are not allowed at the bar other than the service station for the purchase of soft drinks or other sundries. They must leave the area immediately after their purchase.
11. Refrain from littering on the premises.
12. Members are accountable for their pets and their conduct. Pets must always be on a short leash and in designated areas. Designated areas included downstairs, parking lot, and upper deck on the east side only.
13. Do not take club property (eg. glassware, china, silverware, etc.) beyond the dock.
14. Refrain from smoking, including e-tobacco products, "vaping," or use of all other tobacco products inside the clubhouse.

Members should be aware that:

1. These rules are enforceable by any board member, manager, or Flag Officer present.
2. Delinquency in financial obligations will result in denial of club privileges and possible expulsion from The Club.
4. Any complaints, requests, or suggestions must be directed to The Board in writing.
5. Violations of any of the above rules will result in action by the Board of Governors concerning the member(s) involved. The member(s) will be allowed a hearing and the Board of Governors' action may be appealed. However, if the member(s) in question is on the Board, he/she will not be allowed to vote in the appeal.
6. Rules will be posted at all times.