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MENTOR HARBOR NEWSLETTER



HARBOR LIGHT:

VICE COMMODOR'S REPORT MIKE D. PETREY, VICE COMMODORE



What a month of May we had here in Ohio! We were able to see about everything mother nature had to offer, we had snow, 90 degree temps and one of the worst north easters I've seen in a long time. Despite some of the foul weather we sure had a wonderful month here at MHYC, our summer kick-off party and new member introduction was such a great night of fun. Our Memorial day service was absolutely one of the best we could have ever asked for and I would like thank Commodore Duke Allyn. We also had the opening of the pickleball courts which is one of the hottest new things here at MHYC.

I would like to remind everyone that we will have the Coast Guard here at the club on June 12th to do voluntary safety inspections on your boats. This is always a good thing to have done to ensure all of your safety equipment is up to par. As the boats begin to fill the docks please be reminded that the lower level parking is for boating member's only and that guests should use the upper parking lots. The gas dock is now fully open and stocked with plenty of snacks and many choices of beverages with even those of the adult kind.

Now that we are in June and getting into some of our prime boating months the club will become busier by the day, with that being said I'm sure many of you know that there are staffing issues are almost everywhere right now and especially in the bar and restaurant industry. To help the club insure we can provide a quality dining experience please try to make reservations when coming down for lunch and or dinner. Even with the staffing issues I think we have done a wonderful job with providing quality service and food, which I would like to thank Jaime, John, Chef Rob and all of our staff for all of your hard work.

I can honestly say that I have not been more excited for a boating season than this year, with the club thriving and membership on the rise my wife Paige and I are excited to get to know all the new members and create new long lasting friendships. So CHEERS to a great season here at MHYC!!!





MENTOR HARBOR YACHT CLUB

EAST BEACH REOPENING PARTY!

TROPICAL SALMON SALAD

MANDARIN ORANGES/ TOASTED COCONUT/ SHAVED RED ONION/ BABY GREENS/ SESAME DRESSING

KALUA PORK SLIDERS

BRAISED PORK/ SWEET & TANGY SAUCE

HAWIIAN MEATBALLS



SHOYU CHICKEN

COCONUT RICE

GRILLED VEGETABLES

HAWIIAN CHEESECAKE SALAD

\$25++ PER PERSON



Mentor Harbor Yachting Club TACO TUESDAY!



EVERY TUESDAY IN JUNE!

\$17 CHEF'S TACO BAR

CHIPS & SALSA

CHOPPED SALAD

ROMAINE LETTUCE, TOMATOES,
BLACK BEANS, CORN,
CUCUMBERS, CHEDDAR,
CILANTRO LIME VINAIGRETTE

CHICKEN TORTILLA SOUP

MINI CHURROS



CHICKEN

BEEF

SHRIMP

CARNITAS

SIDES

RED RICE REFRIED BEANS

BLACK BEANS

SAUCES SALSA ROJA

SALSA VERDE

SOUR CREAM TACO SAUCE

MOLE

TOPPINGS

SHREDDED CHEESE TOMATOES ONION LETTUCE









Volunteers Needed!

Junior Olympics Sailing Festival

Mentor Harbor is proud to host our 6th Junior Olympics Sailing Festival for Lake Erie. We anticipate nearly 100 sailors and their parents will descend on MHYC starting July 9 for a 2-day clinic, and racing on July 11. We have 3 professional coaches coming to work with the Opti, Laser and Club 420 fleets. If I haven't talked to you yet, please let me know if you can help on Sunday July 11 either on or off the race courses! We will have activities for all, so please plan to stick around and enjoy the festivities!

Contact kathyallyn@gmail.com

2021 M.H.Y.C Board of Directors

Commodore Duke Allyn Vice Commodore Mike Pettrey Rear Commodore Ken Balogh Past Commodore Jim Gallagher P.C Douglas Chris Burton, DO Dave Scarnati - Harbor Marty Weber - House John Duer - Membership Gretchen Kubicek - IT Brian Keck - Secretary RC Ken Balogh - Treasurer

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Charlie Davis - Controller
Mike Jablonski, Jr. - Harbor Master/Facilities Manager
Rob Clough - Executive Chef
John Winters - Food & Beverage Director
Sydni Jussila - Membership Director

Upcoming Nights!

Family Pickleball is open play on Wednesday nights, rackets and balls are available to borrow. We are also offering West Beach Open Sailing nights on Wednesdays from 5-8p, where you can rent the club boats - kayaks, paddleboards, Hobie Waves, FJs, O'pen Bics off of West Beach. Click here for more information or to reserve your boat, or check out more information in the Junior Activities update. https://sites.google.com/view/mhyc-junior-activities-sailing/open-sail-rentals

Special Family Nights Coming Up:

July 21: Special Guest: Magician Rick Smith, Jr. on the Patio August 18: Last Blast Kids Beach Party

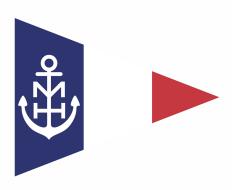
Harbor Nights - Live Music at MHYC - Thursdays
Make your dinner reservations in advance, as we are frequently sold out ahead of time. If you know of a great local, small band, please shoot an email to jcordova@mhyc.us with your suggestions.

Dock Challenge: Saturday, Aug, 28 starting at 4pm.

How it works: Each dock will provide a specialty drink and a few appetizers. We will start at E/EW docks and work our way every 45 minutes from D to C, to a combined A/B then across to East Beach + Social and Summer fun members. Motor City Gold will play on the East Beach with dinner.

E/EW Docks: Jeanie Balogh
D Dock: Brian Litra
C Dock: Cecelia Duer
A/B Dock: Captains NEEDED!

East Beach/Social Summer Fun Dock: Patty Perry + East Beach Captain needed



Let take a look at back at May

Mother's Day was an incredible display of food and appreciation for the moms in our lives.

Thanks to the Cruise Fleet for coming up with two new traditions: The Fitting out/Burn Your Socks party was a hit on West Beach. And the official Renaming of the Boats, including champagne offered to the wind gods was hilarious. Thanks to the Cruise-Fleet for sponsoring the live music on the pool deck on Sunday.

The green-thumbed members planted gorgeous flowers around the club on Spring Planting Day. It looks beautiful! Thank you!

Summer Kickoff was a fun night with a live band and introduction of some of our MANY new members (Thanks to our amazing Membership committee!)

Memorial Day Weekend was another new event that we hope becomes a tradition, inviting the Blue Gavel (the past commodores) to dine and chat with the current MHYC Board members, plus spouses and significant others.

The Memorial Day service was a beautiful morning of remembrance, and everyone enjoyed the

live bag-piper and bugler.

The Family Goosechase Scavenger Hunt kicked off and is still on, through the Goosechase App. It will be open all summer. Fun for the whole family, try to find everything around the Club grounds, and learn a little while you are doing it! Here are the instructions:

- 1. Download Goosechase App on your phone
- 2. Choose to play as a guest or make a free account.
- 3. Search for the MHYC Scavenger Hunt game or code ZMVX8D Passcode is MHYC
- 4. Create a team and get going!





Clean Marina Award

Mentor Harbor Achieves Clean Marina Platinum Status

A huge round of applause for Mrs. Cecelia Duer for spearheading Mentor Harbor's efforts to become certified as an Ohio Clean Marina. Not only was she successful but her hard work and passion resulted in MHYC being designated as a Platinum Clean Marina, one of only three in the entire State! Thank you and congratulations, Cecelia.

10 reasons to be proud to be a Clean Marina.

- 1.Clean marinas keep boil, fuel, sewage, anti-fouling paint, solvents, cleaning products, plastics, soil and nutrients out of Great Lakes boating waters.
- 2. We maintain high water quality and keep habitats healthy for humans, fish and wildlife.
- 3. Clean water is safer and more desirable for swimming.
- 4. By reducing trash and contamination and lowering overall waste we potentially lower the cost for boaters, marinas, and boat yards.
- 5. Clean marinas and responsible boaters help prevent the spread of aquatic invasive species.
- 6. Our clean marina attracts boaters who appreciate a cleaner environment and follow good boating practices.
- 7. Marina design improves water circulation and reduces the need for dredging.
- 8. Clean marinas enhance the positive image of coastal communities and contribute to regional economic prosperity.
- 9. Members and here to environmentally sound best management practices
- 10. Everybody wins when we keep great lakes water is clean!



JUNIOR ACTIVITIES

KATHY ALLYN, CHAIRPERSON

It won't be long before the weekdays get REALLY busy at MHYC. We are welcoming 70 kids ages 7.5-16 to Crow's Nest Sail Camp starting June 14. With the exception of the week of July 18, we will be hosting our youngest members until Aug 6, from 9am to 4pm, Monday through Friday. When they aren't out sailing, our youngest members will be in the lower level of the clubhouse, in the pool, or on the beach or playground. Our ratio of our professional US Sailing-certified instructors to sailors is very low, and our campers will hold the utmost respect for the property and adult members. We will be cancelling for weather days to reduce indoor activity. Please also note that the camp has reserved the far side of The Courts during camp hours. Please contact our Junior Sailing Director Caitlin Aguero with any questions at mhycsailcamp@gmail.com.

See the special insert for Junior Olympics - we need volunteers! July 11.

Sailing Opportunities for ALL

If you missed out on signing up your child or grandchild for our 6-week Crow's Nest Camp, or SOS for beginners ages 5-10, we offer private lessons for ALL ages, and a 1-week learn to sail camp Aug 2-6. Plus, we have Open Sailing on Wednesday nights where you can rent one of our sailboats, kayaks or paddleboards from 5-8p on West Beach. More information is below or go here to register: https://sites.google.com/view/mhyc-junior-activities-sailing/home

In August, we will unlock pre-registration for 2022 Crow's Nest Camp, with members receiving first priority on registrations.

Swim Team and Swim Lessons

Private swim lessons are available upon request. Swim Team practices will be held in the mornings at the MHYC pool and Quail pool. Thanks to MHYC member Lena Valencic, a former swim coach and competitor, who is chairing the swim team this year in conjunction with Quail Hollow Country Club. This will kick off next week and suit orders are due ASAP. Please contact her with any questions and go here to register and view the schedule:

https://sites.google.com/view/mhyc-junior-activities-sailing/swim-teamlessons

MHYC Junior Race Team

You may have noticed the dinghy sailboats going out on Tues/Thurs evenings - that is your MHYC Junior Race Team! Practices move to daily morning practices starting June 14. The Advanced 420 and Laser sailors along with our Opti Race Team will be competing all over the region in the I-LYA Traveler Series starting with Hoover Sailing Club June 12, then to North Cape June 19, CYC June 23, Edgewater June 26 with a second set of regattas after the 4th of July. Area E championships are July 1-2 and 6, with winners advancing to nationals. Four of our junior women sailors are attending a 3-day clinic in Macataway Bay, MI, with the new Ida Lewis Junior Women's Clinic. About 14 sailors will compete at I-LYA Junior Championships in Put-in-Bay from July 18-22.

Open Sailing - Wednesday Nights

Open Sailing will be running on Wednesday nights from 5-8p with an instructor on land to help rig/launch and an instructor on the water for safety. We may be able to schedule weekend events too. Can take out Hobies, FJs, Open Bics, Kayaks, SUPs and more from West Beach. If you want to set up a fun family or kids party with our boats, please contact us!

mhycsailcamp@gmail.com

Private Sailing Lessons

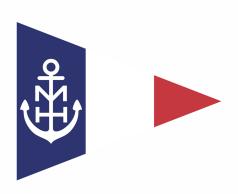
Open to ALL ages, based on your availability and schedule! We can teach on your boat or ours, dinghies or keelboats. A private lesson package can be purchased for 1, 3 or 6 lessons, and the lesson can be shared by 2 people. We have had parent/child lessons, sibling lessons, best friend lessons, and single lessons on the boat of your choice (pending approval by the Sailing Director).

We are currently scheduling for June 1-13. More information is here:

https://sites.google.com/view/mhyc-junior-activities-sailing/private-sailing-lessons

US Sailing Instructor Courses @ MHYC

From June 5-10 we are hosting three back-to-back sailing instructor certification courses for Level 1 and Level 2 instructors from all over our region. All are sold out/waitlisted. They will be held in Spinnaker Room and the drysail/on the water from 9-5 each day. Please be a great ambassador for our club as we are welcoming instructors from all over - including outside of Ohio!



Harbor Lights GM Article June 2021

As we roll into June and the boating season, I would like to point out a couple new offerings related to the restaurant. On Tuesday's Chef Rob will be featuring a Taco Bar and on Wednesday's it will be our Flip-Flop Grill which coincides with Family Night. Please note that there will be no a la carte dinner menu available on these two nights. See the flyers elsewhere in this publication for details.Look closely at this month's calendar to see all that is going on because it is a lot! From Vessel Inspections to The East Beach Re-Opening Party, Father's Day, Bar Crawl, Harbor Nights and more. Be sure to make a reservation for any of





forward just a little bit into July, our Fireworks Cook Out is scheduled on its annual date of July 3 rd. As was the case last year, we will not be allowing the public onto the Club grounds, only members and their guests. It is important that you call ahead to reserve your wristbands. For those of you unfamiliar with the process; we pass out wristbands for the fireworks show to help us keep track of who is permitted to be here. One reminder regarding parking; the lower, east parking lot is reserved for dock holders only. All other members should park on the upper level or in the west, lower parking area to alleviate congestion near the docks. We appreciate your cooperation on this. A big thank you to Mary Hawkins, Mary Jackett, Chuck and Cecelia Duer, Naomi Guttman, Steve Krebs, Denise Ruthenberg and PC Mike Logsdon for the beautiful job they did on the Spring Planting. Your hard work is greatly appreciated and the Club looks beautiful! If you have been down to the dock area this week you may have noticed that the compasses on the sidewalk have been beautifully re-painted. This is thanks to Layne Sutton, daughter of MHYC members Damon and Jan Rodehorst. Thank you, Layne! If you have the need for any freelance, custom painting let me know and I will put you in contact with Layne. Things like murals, logos, vehicle and boat graphics and more are all in her repertoire. Summer is here and I will see you all at the Club very soon!

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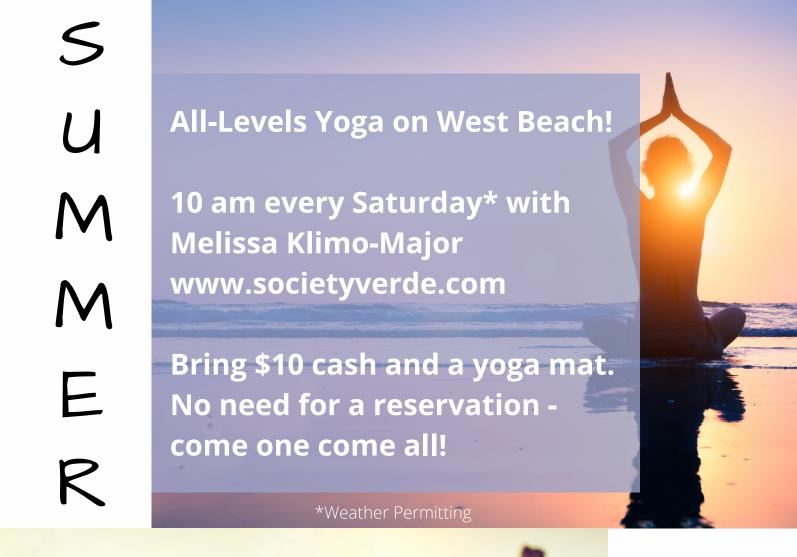
FATHER'S DAY GRILL & CHILL

June 20th Served from 12:00-5:00 PM

FROM THE GRILL
BURGERS \$10
HOT DOGS \$10
BRATWURST \$10
FROM THE SMOKER
PULLED PORK \$10
RACK OF RIBS
FULL RACK \$23 1/2 RACK \$ 15
1/2 CHICKEN \$12
CHILL

NE STYLE LOBSTER ROLL \$23
CHICKEN SALAD CROISSANT \$10
ALL THE TRIMMINGS
POTATO SALAD / COLE SLAW
GAZPACHO & CHIPS
BUNS & ROLLS
ASSORTED CHEESES
LETTUCE/TOMATO/ONION/PICKLES
COOKIES & BROWNIES

Call for a Reservation: 440.257.7214

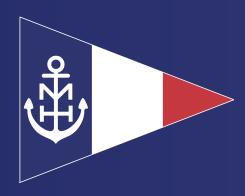


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Kayak and Paddleboard Rentals at The Gas Dock!

On weekends and weeknights (up to 1 hour before dusk and outside of sail camp hours), members may rent one of the kayaks or stand-up paddleboards. Simply fill out the rental form and bring your lifejacket (or you can borrow one, lifejackets are mandatory).



MHYC June 2021 Hours of Operation

Dining

Monday

Club Closed

Tuesday

Lunch 12:00-4:00 PM

Taco Bar 5:00-9:00 PM

Wednesday

Lunch 12:00-4:00 PM

Flip-Flop Grill 5:00-9:00 PM

Thursday

Lunch: 12:00-4:00 PM

Dinner 5:00-9:00 PM

Friday

Lunch 12:00-4:00 PM

Dinner 5:00-9:30 PM

Saturday

Lunch 12:00-4:00 PM

Dinner 5:00-9:30 PM

Sunday

Brunch 11:00 AM-3:00 PM

Dinner: 4:00-8:00 PM

Pool

Monday

12:00-6:00 PM

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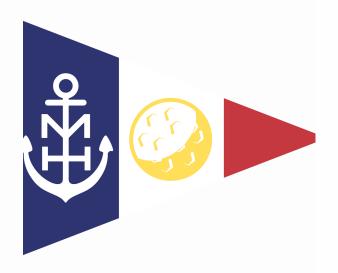
Saturday

12:00-8:00 PM

Sunday

12:00-8:00 PM





Welcome to MHYC Pickleball

Time to Dink & Get out of the Kitchen

All MYHC Members are Welcome!

- Open Play is available to all club members when the courts are not occupied for events
- Members may bring a (non-member) guest for Open Play. (Subject to club rules)
- Paddles are available on loan at the gas dock and front desk
- Courts by the basketball hoops will be used during kid's camp.
- Contact Kelley Payerl to schedule a free learn how to play session.

Round Robins

Sunday, June 27th Monday, July 5th Sunday, August 1st Sunday, August 28th Sunday, September 19th

Leagues

Mon, Wed, and/or Friday 9-10:30 AM

Tuesday and/or Thursday 5-6:30PM

BEGINNING JUNE 7th

To Sign- UP

Email Kelley at kelley@rapidshot.com, 440.279.3376 to register or for more information on Round Robins or Leagues.

Email Harriet at haholleran@me.com to be added to the Pickleball Fleet Newsletter distribution.

Membership in the Pickleball Fleet is required to participate in Round Robins and Leagues. See details below

LEARN TO PLAY with Kelley at Family Fun Nights at THE COURTS

Wednesday, June 2nd and 9th 5-6PM

MORE Important Information!

*Pickleball Fleet memberships are \$75/Individual, \$100/Family.

*We are 35% of the way toward our \$45,000 fundraising Goal to cover court & start-up cost. Donors at the \$1000 level and above do not pay dues for the first year!

Contact Kelley or Walt Payerl or Charlie Davis (MHYC Treasurer) cdavid@mhyc.us regarding membership, or to make a donation to our incredible PBall facilities!

Keep an eye out for our Pickleball Fleet website!

First Pickleball Round Robin of the Season!

ROUND ROBINS!



Yay! We had 36 players for the first Pickleball Round Robin of the season, on a beautiful (and windy!) Sunday of Memorial Day weekend

Congrats to the Winners

10 – 12 pm group – AL LANGLOIS!

2 – 4 pm group – COLLEEN GALLAGHER!

We had a few new members and families join the fun, including the Thomas family. Great to see junior members Josephine, Charlie and Teddy playing pickleball!

We also had an impromptu visit from the top pros and players in the country, including Barry Waddell, Jim Enger and their protégés.

They put on a demo match and gave us a few pointers. They will be back for some lessons throughout June. Watch for the dates.

Kelley and Walt. 440-279-3376



Save the Dates for June Special Entertainment Events

June 3 - Harbor Nights - live music with Eric Andrews 7-10p

June 10 - Harbor Nights - music by a duo, The Berry's 7-10p

June 11 - East Beach Reopening Party - Dinner and Live Music with Nick Zuber 6-10p

June 13 - Father's Day - Take a break and have a lovely brunch at MHYC!

June 16: Kite Flying and West Beach Family Bonfire Night (BYO Kite!)

June 17 - Harbor Nights - Island music with Alex Bevan 7-10p

June 19 - Motorboat Bar Crawl (see details) 1p -?

June 20 - Fathers' Day Grill and Chill on the Patio

June 24 - Harbor Nights - Jazz music with Bobby Salvaggio and Dan Bruce