

The object of the Sandusky Sailing Club shall be the promotion and encouragement of sailing and seamanship, and of a sportsmanlike attitude toward racing and competition. The Club is organized to encourage small boat sailing and racing among those who may not be able to afford large annual dues and assessments.

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December 2021 Cross Bearings

12/01	Wed	Senior Membership status requests due	
12/03	Fri	Fireside Fridays.....	6:00pm
12/04	Sat	I-LYA Winter meeting at Westlake Holiday Inn	
12/06	Mon	Sadler Basin Com mtg	7:00pm
12/07	Tues	SJS, Inc board meeting	7:00pm
12/10	Fri	Fireside Friday	6:00pm
12/11	Sat	Blue, Blue Xmas Party	7:00pm
12/14	Tues	SSC Board meeting	7:00pm
12/17	Fri	Fireside Friday	6:00pm
12/21	Tues	Communication Committee meeting ..	7:00pm
12/24	Fri	Fireside Friday	6:00pm
12/31	Fri	New Year's Eve party	8:00pm
01/03	Mon	Sadler Basin Committee meeting	7:00pm
01/04	Tues	SJS, Inc board meeting	7:00pm
01/07	Fri	Fireside Friday	6:00pm
01/11	Tues	SSC Board meeting	7:00pm
01/14	Fri	Fireside Friday	6:00pm
01/18	Tues	Communication Committee meeting ..	7:00pm
01/21	Fri	Fireside Friday	6:00pm
01/28	Fri	Fireside Friday	6:00pm

For more info, go to www.sanduskysailingclub.com.
Go to "community" then drop down to "event calendar."

Message from Commodore Wes Blazer

Happy holidays!! I hope everyone had a nice Thanksgiving and is looking forward to Christmas and New Year's. Before I go any further I would like to Thank PC Andy and Cinda Davis for all of the work they have put in over the last three years; it has made a huge difference around the club. Also, I would like to welcome Jason Huffman to the Bridge as our new Rear Commodore. I just wanted to take a moment to say I'm looking forward to this coming year and if you have any questions or concerns don't hesitate to get in touch.

Fireside Fridays - Don't forget to stop down on Friday nights for Fireside Fridays. It's a good way to stay warm on a cold winter night and catch up with friends.

2022 Dock contracts have been sent out. Try to get them sent in as soon as possible as it helps with planning future projects and repairs that keep our basin looking good and functional.

Volunteerism - One of the foundations of our club is volunteerism. It is what makes this place special. If you would like to host a party, please let us know!

Congratulations Mike! On Dec. 4, PC Mike Fishbaugh became will become the 2022 I-LYA Commodore at the I-LYA winter meeting at the Westlake Holiday Inn.

The Race Committee is looking for more

volunteers. I have worked with the race committee for the past two years. It's a great time and a lot of fun. So if you're interested please let us know.

I hope everyone has a great Christmas and a happy New Year! Thank you everyone, and as always, I look forward to seeing you at the club.

Sandusky Vice.....VC Hank Boissoneault

The club has been put away for the winter. All the boats have been removed and work continues on the repair and replacement of docks. The extra trash bin has been put on hold and will remain so until April of 2022.

The inside of the club continues to be used for various parties and is being cleaned on a weekly basis.

It was discovered a window was loose in the restrooms and that is being addressed as I type this message.

Should you see something out of place or in need of attention, please do not hesitate to contact me so that I can look into getting it fixed or repaired.

SSC Mugs - Anyone who has gotten an SSC Mug from 2019 or 2020-2021 Awards Banquet, feel free to bring your clean SSC mug to the Dairy Bar to have your drinks in them. Plastic cups are starting to get scarce at GFS and the goal has been to start eliminating the number of plastic cups that we use when the steel mugs were introduced in 2019 by PC John Schwartz. SSC mugs will not be stored in the Dairy Bar.

Bar Tabs - Please make sure that you close out your tabs each night before you leave. If you do forget, please make

Blue, Blue Xmas Party

DeLee and Jim are at it again

Saturday Dec. 11
from 7 until ?

There will be a D/J
for dancing.

Wear your blue stuff.
Blue underwear is
optional!

There will be a
featured drink.

Get out those
blue suede shoes.

Bring snacks
to share.

**Bring your family and friends.
It will be a fun time.**

New Years Eve Party

- A quiet, inexpensive New Year Eve with sailing friends.
- Friday, Dec. 31 at 8:00pm until later...
- Bring an appetiser and/or dessert to share
- Bring your charming self and friends
- Tales of sailing adventures will be de rigueur.

sure to stop down on a night when the bar is open to close out your tab prior to the end of the month. It will skew the Bar Financials if we carry over sales from the previous month.

Call/text 419-357-1044 or email me at ViceCommodore@SanduskySailingClub.com.

Thank you — VC Hank Boissoneault

View from the Rear RC Jason Huffman

Thank you to the club for your trust in electing me to the Bridge. I hope to bring a fresh perspective to the Bridge while continuing the great traditions we already have.

SSC Awards Banquet - In November we were fortunate to have the opportunity to once again gather at the Sandusky Yacht Club to hold our annual awards banquet for both the 2020 and 2021 sailing seasons. Unfortunately, as with many things, all was not quite normal. Due to timing issues we were unable to present flags at the banquet. That means we have an excuse to hold another party in February.

Banquet Photos - There are great photos from the 2020/2021 banquet. Go to https://1drv.ms/u/s!AgbDYIhG59mn6kULyA5zyLixu_Wj?e=eg8V4rAny Photos can be added to this folder as well.

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Have a safe holiday season - As we enter the holiday season, I wish you all a safe and happy time with family and friends. Know that we are currently planning for a full season of events, while doing our best to ensure the health and safety of all who attend our gatherings.

If you have any thoughts or ideas of fun club activities or are willing to help out with a function or two, please do not hesitate to reach out to me. My goal is to keep the club's momentum going.

Thank you - RC Jason Huffman 614-940-1565 or RearCommodore@SanduskySailingClub.com

Sadler Sailing Basin Committee....PC Jim Ziss

C Dock - Huron Marine Products will be working on C dock this fall and early spring. Existing dock boards will be removed and replaced with grade premium treated 2x6 boards. Frame structure of the dock will be evaluated for structural issues and repaired.

2020-2021 SSC Awards Banquet



Lease Schock, the 2021 Lyman Award winner, is flanked by several past Lyman Award winners.

VC Hank Boissoneault and crew (wife, Kelly, and Danny Olson) celebrate a top Interlake season.



PC Matt Bedee holds some heavy hardware - the George Ward Sportsmanship Award.

The following work from the storm damage will also be worked on:

A Dock - Six spud poles will be lengthened with an additional 84" welded onto the existing pipes. Out of alignment spud poles will be pulled and reset.

B Dock - Two spud poles will be added to the 30' end section of the dock. The ramp connection will be serviced.

C Dock - Existing out-of-alignment poles will be pulled up and the dock re-set to proper alignment. Spud poles will be reset and lengthened. Two section welds that have failed will be repaired and reinforced. Five failed floats will be replaced and existing floats inspected.

Last notice is on dock boards - When all the boats leave the basin, a crew will inspect all the fender boards on each dock to see if the boards meet the basin's standards. The standard is 2x6 or larger boards are to be bolted to the post with 3/8" through bolts. Boards should run even distance for the dock up; the owner can decide the height. All boards not complying to the standard will be cut down. The reason behind this is safety, for you and the next person who gets your dock.

Membership and DockagePC Matt Bedee

Dockage - Dock contracts were sent out via email in October. If you didn't see it, do a search for "SSC – 2022 Dock Contracts" and if your email is updated, you will find it. There is a link in the email to pay your contract online like last year. Full and half payments can be paid online; but the discounted payment can NOT be paid online. If you did not get an email, then email Dockage@sanduskysailingclub.com indicating that you didn't receive a dock contract. Make sure it's the email address that you want the contract sent to.

Membership - Dues statements will be sent out on or about Jan. 1, 2022 via email and can be paid online after Jan. 2 by clicking the link in the email that is sent with your dues statement. Even if you don't pay online, make sure to update your membership information while on the website. If you don't think you received your dues statement after Jan. 1, do a search for "SSC – 2022 Dues Statement" and if your email is updated, you should find it. If you did not get an email, then email Membership@sanduskysailingclub.com indicating that you didn't get a membership renewal.



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Communications Committee.....PC Matt Bedee

Communication w/ Membership - If you want to have an event added to the calendar, information sent to the membership via email, or a message sent via Remind, please send to webmaster@sanduskysailingclub.com. This will get it to the right people to get it done. Sending it to one person will delay getting it posted or risk not getting it posted at all. Make sure to include what you want to be said, any graphics, etc. Those who get the email will copy exactly what your correspondence said to make the posts or Calendar Event, so make sure to spell check.

Remind - If you have not signed up to get messages via Remind, please text @sailsand to 81010 to get Remind Announcements. Remind is used to get last minute announcements out to members and currently we have about 170 users on Remind. You can download Remind for Android and Apple Devices, then set up an account if don't have one already.

Sandusky Junior Sailors, Inc...Suzanne Hartley/ Mic Kaufman / Michelle Gilboy

Happy Holidays from SJSI! This year you can purchase a gift certificate for any of our 2022 programs, private lessons and charters. If you would like to purchase Youth Learn to Sail classes for that special child in your family, now is your chance because registration for 2022 will be open in time for you to make that purchase for Christmas!

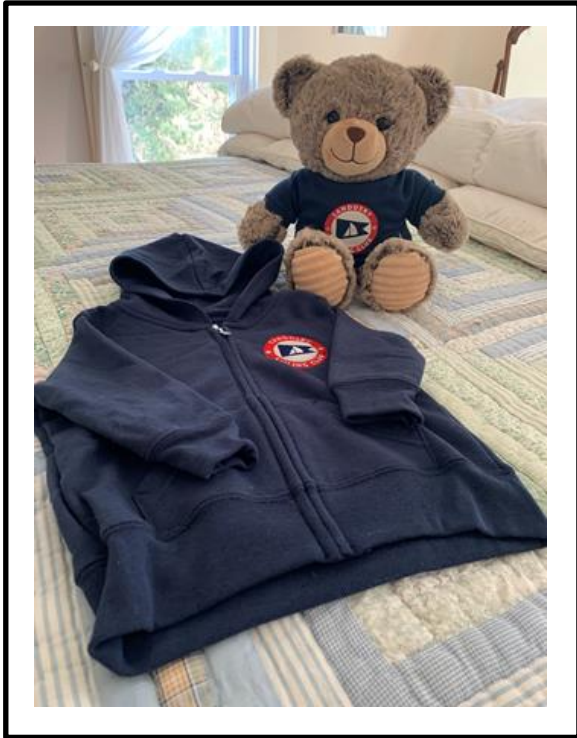
The Cleveland Boat Show is right around the corner (Jan. 13-17). If you'd like to join us and help promote SJSI and SSC, sign up to work a shift or two during the show. If you have any questions or need more information, contact Michelle at 419-871-8080 or michelle@sailsandusky.org.

RC BoatsTerry Parker

Our fleet of RC boats is hibernating in the storage building at Deepwater Marina. After the holidays, watch this space for announcements of volunteer opportunities to help get them ready for the next racing season – only five months away! Meanwhile, a safe, healthy, and joyous celebration of whatever holiday(s) you observe!

Contact me at 440-320-3100 voice/text or Terryparker47@gmail.com

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Our online store is officially open!
These pictures are only a few of the items that are available. They can all be seen and ordered thru the store website, [SSC.spiritsale.com](http://ssc.spiritsale.com). You can shop, order, and chose delivery method. The merchandise will be delivered right to your door.



Any questions, contact
Carolynne at 216-854-0459 or
email SSCGear@SanduskySailingClub.com

Orders can be placed, paid and delivered online at SSC.SPIRITSALE.COM

<u>Description</u>	<u>Color</u>	<u>Size</u>	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Total</u>
BOSUN BEAR SSCBEARWEAR Mascot		One Size		15.00	
SSC rash guard	Silver - White	XS-S-M-L-XL-2X-3X-4X		22.00	
SSC rash guard long sleeve	Silver - White	XS-S-M-L-XL-2X-3X-4X		25.00	
Ladies rash guard	Silver - White	XS-S-M-L-XL-2X-3X-4X		22.00	
Ladies rash guard long sleeve	Silver - White	XS-S-M-L-XL-2X-3X-4X		25.00	
Youth rash guard	Silver	XS-S-M-L-XL-2X-3X-4X		18.00	
Youth rash guard long sleeve	Silver	XS-S-M-L-XL-2X-3X-4X		20.00	
Youth washed SSC T	Red - Navy	XS-S-M-L-XL		14.00	
Infant SSC T-shirt	Red - Navy	6mo - 12mo - 18mo		10.00	
Toddler SSC T-shirt	Red- Navy	2T - 3T - 4T		10.00	
Men's Tipped Polo	Navy/White - Red/Black	XS-S-M-L-XL-2X-3X-4X		32.00	
Ladies Tipped Polo	Navy/White - Red/Black	XS-S-M-L-XL-2X-3X-4X		32.00	
Jerzees ¼ zip cadet collar fleece	Navy	S-M-L-XL-2X-3X		38.00	
Youth ¼ zip fleece	Navy	S-M-L-XL		30.00	
Infant full-zip hoodie	Navy - Red	6mo - 12mo - 18mo		16.00	
Toddler full-zip hoodie	Navy - Red	2T - 3T - 4T		16.00	
Men's Fleece Vest	Gray	XS-S-M-L-XL-2X-3X-4X		29.00	
Ladies Fleece Vest	White	XS-S-M-L-XL-2X-3X-4X		29.00	
Waterproof jacket	Navy - Dark Gray Heather	XS-S-M-L-XL-2X-3X-4X		55.00	
Ladies waterproof jacket	Navy - Red - Yellow	XS-S-M-L-XL-2X-3X-4X		55.00	
Eddie Bauer Soft Shell Jacket	Gray - River Blue	XS-S-M-L-XL-2X-3X-4X		65.00	
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In addition to our exciting new merchandise, we are introducing an annual special t-shirt option!

Our special shirt features a professional picture of a Wednesday night race with Cedar Point in the background. These are ordered from Pelz Lettering. The online store is open until mid June and pickup will be in time for July 4th weekend.

Questions?

Contact Carolynne at SSCgear@sanduskysailingclub.com or go to

https://shop.barragsdrinkwear.com/sandusky_sailing_club/shop/home

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or email jphartung@bex.net

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Sailing stuff for sale

26 foot Grampian sailboat: Good starter boat! 3 sails, roller furling, spinnaker, 9.8 Evinrude outboard motor, radio, portapotty, fully equipped, cradle. Good shape. Asking \$4,000/negotiable. Contact: Douglas F Foss 440-292-5070 text: Grampian sailboat.

Ariel - 1972 CAL 2-29 Sailboat for sale. Great day sailor. Has been out in 35-40mph blows. Solid boat. 2-29 was an upgrade for the cruiser racer set. Has wheel steering. New rudder. Converted to all electric motor. It's great for instant reverse and instant power forward. Proven over the last 8 years. Batteries replaced last year. Four year old Bimini, replaced the plastic material with umbrella. 3-4 yr/old Main. Has older genoa 155 on a Harken roller furling. Anderson Self Tailing winches. All lines run to the cockpit. Good for single handed sailing. Asking \$10,500. Call Randy Ramhoff @ 419-656-1908, R.Ramjet@ymail.com

Used Interlake sails (Dieball), 2 jibs, 1 main, 2 Lewmar 10 inch chrome winch handles (non-locking), 2 life jackets (1 MTI adult, 1 child Extrasport), Harken mainsheet block set (3 blocks) for medium size boat. Contact J. Martin 419-202-3129 leave a message.

Tartan 10 #329 (Patrimpas) for sale. Equipment includes several class measured and registered racing sails, VHF radio, AM/FM/Bluetooth stereo with external marine speakers, aluminum winter frame and canvas winter cover, lots of spare parts. Upgraded running rigging and several racing modifications. Asking \$10,000. <https://sailboatlistings.com/view/83454> Contact Aud Jucaitis at 216-970-3263 or aud.jucaitis@outlook.com

Paddle boards and inflatable docks for sale. Contact Larry Knauer at ldknauer@gmail.com for more information.

Harken MK IV unit 1 furler for sale. Brand new. Priced to sell! Brad Balmert at bradb1384@yahoo.com or 440-670-5065

Interlake Sails - Main and jib. Lightly used one season. \$1,000 or BO. Call Pete 419-366-8358 or email.pgrant@bex.net

Interlake with trailer - Two sets of sails. For info contact Richard Byrd at 216-533-6209 or alphabyrd@gmail.com

J/24 for sale - 1979. Set up for single-handed, MORC or one-design. Good sails and rigging. Fair trailer. Boat is in good condition - The bottom has had substantial attention by Jeff Witter; it has been blasted, sanded, faired and ready. \$4,400. Contact PC Park McRitchie at park@quikspray.com

1987 Hunter 31 - Excellent condition. Several sets of sails recently inspected and repaired. Yanmar 2GM20F 2 cyl. diesel. Sale includes steel cradle and many extras. Ready to cruise or race. Asking \$13,500. Racing sails are available for extra \$\$\$. Contact Rory Carpenter at 734-660-1517.