

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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February 2022 Cross Bearings

02/01	Tues	SJSI board meeting.....	7:00pm
02/04	Fri	Fireside Friday.....	6:00pm
02/08	Tues	SSC Board meeting.....	7:00pm
02/11	Fri	Fireside Friday.....	6:00pm
02/14	Mon	Sadler Basin Committee meeting	7:00pm
02/15	Tues	Regatta Committee meeting	7:00pm
02/18	Fri	Fireside Friday.....	6:00pm
02/19	Sat	SJSI Chili Cook-Off	6:00pm
02/20	Sun	Club rental.....	9:00am-6:00pm
02/25	Fri	Fireside Friday.....	6:00pm
02/26	Sat	Winter Party	6:00pm
03/01	Tues	Second dock payment due	
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03/26	Sat	US Sailing Race Management Seminar..	7:00pm

Fireside Fridays - As always please stop down on Fridays for a drink around a warm fire with great company. Oh, and don't forget Chef Matt and the pizza!

Lastly, there is one more thing I would like to cover, or more specifically, mount. When we all look into the Commodores Room we see the nicely restored painting of Interlake No. 1. Then we turn to the right and we see we're missing some photos. So, I'm going to lay out a challenge: I want to see all of the past Commodores' photos on the wall by June 1, 2022. If we don't have them by then we will mount photos of some sort as place holders. Please send your photos to weatherlyboatworks@gmail.com

If you have any questions please feel free to ask. I can be reached at weatherlyboatworks@gmail.com

Sandusky Vice VC Hank Boissoneault



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

Message from Commodore Wes Blazer

I never know how to start these things, so I sit at my keyboard and try to come up with something clever or nice. Well, I'm just going to start with, "Why the hell they don't make snow shovel handles the same length as a regular shovel? Maybe I just have a short shaft shovel.

Anyway, I should get started. Everything this winter has been fairly status quo. We are busy as a Bridge planning a fun summer at SSC and multiple parties are being planned. Keep on the lookout for more information. We have been approached by multiple organizations regarding hosting major class regattas in the future and are looking into the possibilities.

The Summer Slam - This summer we will be launching a new PHRF regatta. It's going to be called The Summer Slam. It will consist of an evening distance race on Friday, followed by two days of buoy racing in the bay. If you have any questions or wish to volunteer, contact Tim Wolford. It's sure to be a good time.

J/24 North Americans - It's a good time to begin discussing 2023 as we will host the J/24 North Americans in early August. I would plan on being around for that as it's sure to be a good time.

If you see anything that needs attention or have a project idea for Spring Workday, let me know. Call/text 419-357-1044 or email me at ViceCommodore@SanduskySailingClub.com.
Thank you — VC Hank Boissoneault

View from the Rear RC Jason Huffman

As we get one month closer to boats being in the water, we have a full month of events in February.

Saturday, Feb. 19 - SJSI Chili Cook off. Contact Michelle at michelle@sailsandusky.org to enter. See the ad attached.

Saturday, Feb. 26 - Celebrate another month of winter gone at SSC with pulled pork. The Dairy Bar will feature whiskey drinks. We will also be presenting flags and awards that didn't make it for last year's Awards Banquet. Bar opens at 6:00pm. RSVP to rearcomodore@sanduskysailingclub.com.

Hope to See everyone at the Chili Cookoff to support Juniors!

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

Sadler Sailing Basin Committee....PC Jim Ziss

Huron Marine Products will continue to improve and repair damage to the marina docks, weather permitting.

A dock - Some spud poles will be lengthened.

B dock - Spud poles will be added to the end of the dock.

C dock - Spring 2021 damage will be repaired, including welding the frame, realignment and replacing the decking.

The electric lighting near the Interlake area will be revised and more 30 amp. outlets will be installed for visiting boats.

An improvement in insurance is being considered to cover the docks in the marina.

Parking lot - Quotations will be considered to recoat and restripe the asphalt parking lot.

If anyone has any questions or comments, please contact me at jimziss@gmail.com or call/text me at 419-271-2548.

Membership and DockagePC Matt Bedee

Dockage - Dock contracts were sent out via email in October and final payments are due by March 1. If payments are not received or the club is not contacted by March 1, your dock may be offered to another member on the waiting list for 30ft, 35ft and 40ft docks. Full and half payments can be paid online, but discounted payments CANNOT be paid online.

Membership - Dues statements were sent out in January via email and dues payments are due by March 1. If they are not received by March 1, then you may miss out on getting your 2022 key card to access the club. The new cards will go active around the Spring Workday.

Please make sure to update your membership information while on the website. If you don't think you received your dues statement, do a search for "SSC - 2022 Dues Statement." If you didn't get an email, contact Membership@sanduskysailingclub.com indicating that you didn't get a membership renewal and the dues statement will be sent.

Currently we are experiencing an issue with some

members paying their dues online. We have temporarily deactivated the renewal form online. A service request has been sent to the webhost to determine what changed on their end to cause the form to stop working.

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

Happy Spring...almost. According to the infamous Punxsutawney Phil, we will be seeing Old Man Winter for the next six weeks.

Chili Cook-Off - If you are looking for something to pass the time, please join us for the 2nd Annual Chili Cook-Off on Feb. 19 at 6pm.

Craft Beer Tasting - On April 9, make sure you join in the fun when we host the 2022 Craft Beer Tasting. The beer list will again be planned by PC Mark Gross and fresh pizza made by PC Matt Bedee.

Cleveland Boat Show - If anyone is interested in working a few-hour shift at the Cleveland Boat Show on March 17-20, please contact Michelle at 419-871-8080 or michelle@sailsandusky.org for more information. We need help staffing the simulators as well as the information booth for both SJSI and SSC.

Race Committee BoatsCarolynne Zettler

Calling all racers, skippers, and fleet captains!

"All hands on deck" to complete work on our three race committee boats. If every boat sends 2-3 people just one time for a three-hour work session on a Sunday, the work will be completed easily.

Time: 1-4

When: Sundays- Feb 20 and 27

March 6, 13, 20 and 27

April 3 and 24

Fleet captains and skippers, please contact your crew and determine who is available for a session. All equipment, supplies, and guidance is provided. No skills necessary. Boats are currently stored indoors.

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



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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.

Sailing stuff for sale

26 foot Grampian sailboat: Good starter boat! 3 sails, roller furling, spinaker, 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 unbrella. 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

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.

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SECOND ANNUAL CHILI COOK-OFF

Date: Saturday Feb. 19

Time: 6-9pm

Location: Sandusky Sailing Club

Dust off your favorite family recipe and prepare your favorite chili and put it to the test. Awards will be given for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place chili's. The cost is \$10 for a sample of all chili entries and \$5 for a bowl of any remaining chili. Contact Michelle at 419-871-8080 (michelle@sailsandusky.org) for more details or to register your chili.

SSC is clearing the shelves to prep for this season's new merchandise options!

Extremely limited quantities of t-shirts, polos, vests, gaiters and bags.

Valentine's Day? Easter?

Please contact Carolynne at SSCGear@sanduskySailing-Club.com

Watch for the launch of our new items!



Sandusky Sailing Club Pizza Menu – Carryout Only



Carryout Pizzas Available

- 12" Pizza w/ Any Toppings \$10.00
- 12" Garlic Cheese Sticks \$5.00

Select toppings for your pizza...

SAUCE/CHEESE

	Select
Extra Cheese	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sauce (Regular)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sauce (Light)	<input type="checkbox"/>

MEATS

	Both	Left	Right
Pepperoni	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bacon	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chicken	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mild Sausage	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

VEGGIES

	Both	Left	Right
Banana Peppers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Red/Green Peppers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Onions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tomatoes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mushrooms	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Olives	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Garlic Powder	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Select how you want your pizza cut...

	Select
Strips	<input type="checkbox"/>
6-Pieces	<input type="checkbox"/>
8-Pieces	<input type="checkbox"/>



2022 CRAFT BEER TASTING

When: April 9, 2022 6-9pm

Where: Sandusky Sailing Club

Cost: \$30 per person

(includes beer samples and pizza)

**Join us for great beers to sample and
fresh pizza made by Matt!**

For more information, contact Michelle at michelle@sailsandusky.org