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Commodore:
Tony DiNicola PC



PRESQUE ISLE YACHT CLUB. INC.



MEMBERSHIP MEETING NOTICE

The February membership meeting will be held in the clubhouse on **Sunday, February 10th at 2:30 p.m.** Commodore Tony DiNicola will preside. This will be the first meeting with our new leaders in the helm. Let's have a good turn-out to support our new officers.



VALENTINE PARTY

Read all about the PYC Valentine Party in the enclosed flyer. The party will be held on Saturday, February 9th at 6:30 p.m. in the clubhouse. Bring a dish or dessert to share. The club will provide Wedding soup, BBQ ham sandwiches, stuffed Cornish hen breasts, pop, coffee, and beer. The cost is only \$6 per person. You can sign up in the clubhouse or call Fleet Captain Lloyd Hollister at 825-5292 for more information or e-mail him at lloyhol@aol.com. Let's have a good turnout to help break up the long winter!



COMMODORE APPRECIATION DINNER

Rear Commodore Gene Krahe has scheduled the Past Commodores' Appreciation Dinner for Saturday, March 9th at the Seibenbuenger's Club honoring our Past Commodores. Set aside this evening to attend this great event. More information will be available in the next newsletter. This is one of the nicest parties of the year. It's one of the rare opportunities to thank the Past Commodores for all the work they've done throughout the years at the club making the club what it is today. See you at the party!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY toLucie Arndt, Greg Bax, Ron Berarducci, Suzanne Bunting, Kathi Dearbeck, John Flecken, Barbara Hauck, Bob Jenkins, Jim Koenig, Karen Krahe, Bonnie Magee, Marc McAndrew, John McClellan, Steve Mullen, Dale & Cheryl Oregia, Susan Orinko, William Ramey, Sr., Bob Rzepecki, , Donna Stone, Gayle Wright, Maggie Zimmerman.....all born in the month of February.

CHECK OUT THE WEBSITE

Many great things are happening online at www.piyc.com. If you have not been to our site, we definitely recommend it. We offer three services to all members of the club. The website carries a web page that advertises businesses through which PIYC members are affiliated. The cost to advertise on the page is \$20 per year. Your advertisement will have your web page linked along with your business card and any other information that you would like to present, color or black & white. If you already own or carry a website, we will link it for you for no additional costs. The web site also carries a web page that helps members sell items including BOATS! For \$25 per year, the website will post a picture of your boat, information about the boat or item, and contact information. We also have a web page that lists all the members of the club that want to be listed along with his/her e-mail address. If you would like to be on the Membership Roster web page, please contact Mark Eisert at webmaster@piyc.com or call at 835-6785.



FEES DUE

Don't forget to pay your club membership dues and assessment fee by February 28th, 2002. Everyone should have received their dues statement by this time. If you have not, you may call Treasurer Dan Krahe at 825-9748. Be sure to fill out the back of the statement and return it with your payment. This is very important! Failure to pay your bill by the end of February could result in the loss of your mooring for the upcoming season.



RAMBLIN'S

Everyone had a great time at the Installation Tureen Dinner held in the clubhouse after the January membership meeting. Over 60 people attended this event despite the cold weather. Thanks to everyone who brought those delicious dishes to share with the other members and guests.....Club member Pat Davis is a bit of a celebrity after being highlighted in the Erie Times News about competing in the Quad games. Good luck, Pat.....The annual trip to the Cleveland Boat Show was another success. About 50 people traveled to Cleveland on January 19th to view their dream boats and everyone had a great time.....The 2002 stall guidelines are posted on the wall of the clubhouse. Take a look at it when trying to decide which stall would best fit your boat for this boating season. The guidelines list all the lengths and widths for each stall. Call VC Anne Eisert if you have any questions.Congratulations to Anne Eisert, this month's money

2002 OFFICERS

The following is a list of the 2002 officers along with their telephone numbers. If you have any problems or questions, feel free to give them a call.

Commodore	Tony DiNicola PC	452-6612
Vice Commodore	Anne Eisert	833-1840
Rear Commodore	Gene Krahe	739-2743
Fleet Captain	Lloyd Hollister	825-5292
Secretary	Mark Eisert	835-6785
Treasurer	Dan Krahe PC	825-9748
Board	Bob Franz PC	796-3651
	Mike Gangle	476-7601
	Jim Howard	833-3769
	Don Kenton	899-6559
	Dale Oregia PC	899-5846



COMMODORE NAMES 2002 COMMITTEES

Commodore Tony DiNicola has named his committees for the 2002 season.

Blue Gavel / PBA	Perry Ross PC
ILYA & Sail	Charlie Miller
Port Authority / Welfare	Msgr. Tom Snyderwine
Insurance	Mike Eisert
Newsletter	Anne Eisert
Quartermaster	Al Wright
Logo Sales	Kathy DiNicola
Webmaster	Mark Eisert
Yardmaster	Dale Oregia PC
Steak Fry	Gene Krahe
Pig Roast	Dan Krahe PC
Lift Training / Safety	Dale Oregia PC

If you would like to be on the Ground Crew or a Lift Operator Trainee, please contact Commodore Tony DiNicola PC for more information. It takes a tremendous amount of work to

COMMODORE'S COMMENTS

The year 2002 begins the 58th season of boating for The Presque Isle Yacht Club. During the past 57 years, The Presque Isle Yacht Club has seen many changes. Changes such as, relocation of our club from the peninsula to its current location, community growth, bayfront development, club expansion and increased membership size. These changes have allowed The Presque Isle Yacht Club to evolve into the great organization that we see today. As we look at our facility, The Presque Isle Yacht Club has done well to keep up with community growth and bayfront development. We continue to improve and enhance our organization over the years physically, by work party projects and major capital improvements such as the floating docks, the clubhouse expansion, a new lift and a new lift well. We also have managed to attract new members and maintain a strong level of membership and a healthy list of prospective members. Although we see new faces becoming involved with the Club, to be successful I believe we need every one to be involved in some manner. This can be accomplished very easily, possibly by supporting more of the Club functions, spending a little extra time on work hours, serving on a committee or even running for an elected position. I am looking forward to working with Vice Commodore Anne Eisert, Rear Commodore Gene Krahe, and Fleet Captain Lloyd Hollister this year along with the 2002 Board of Directors. I am also very honored and excited to be able to serve the members of The Presque Isle Yacht Club for a second term as Commodore and be able to lead the membership through a successful 2002.

Thank You
Tony DiNicola
Commodore



2002 CLUB CALENDAR

Enclosed is the 2002 club calendar listing the year's events. Post it somewhere for ready reference. Many great activities will be taking place this year and by taking part in these events will help make 2002 a great year for the club. Please make every effort to attend these great functions to help support the club and the people who put a lot of hard work into putting on

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HAPPY VALENTINE'S



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