



SUNSEEKER'S Boating Club



June 2022



Next meeting June 1st at 7:30pm

Winter Hours:
Closed Monday
Tuesday—Thursday: 6 pm to 10 pm
Friday—Saturday: 6 pm to 2 am
Sundays: 12pm to 8 pm
(subject to change)

Membership Meetings:
First Wednesday of the month
@ 7:30 pm

Address:
28043 N. Gibraltar Rd
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Phone:
734-672-6543
<http://ssbc.us>



Highlights

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COMMODORE: Jennifer Gronda



HAPPY JUNE SUNSEEKERS!!

And a huge YAHHOOOO for boating season. Gentleman Chad and I are super excited to get out on the water and spend time with you all.

In May we were able to attend a bunch of AYC events:

Here we go, started with our own club road clean up and then Derby Party. Club looked amazing and huge turnout for road clean up. Great job to VC Lenny! We ended the day at the Maumee River Yacht Club Derby ball, it was a complete blast honoring Commodore Chris Jurek. Next ball was honoring Commodore Don Teczynski and Lady Kristen of Detroit Beach Boat Club and another gorgeous event and great venue as well. We were able to pop in at Swan and grill up some steaks at their VC fund raiser and the spread they do weekly is amazing. We also attended Bayview Yacht Clubs chicken kabob dinner and got to hear M125 play our favorites, love these guys! NOW exciting part, cocktail receptions have started, and we attended West River Yacht Cruising Club and Grosse Ile Yacht Club receptions and so great to see everyone enjoying our fellow commodores. We started rounding out the month with a dock crawl fundraiser for Elba Mar Commodore Greg Pogorzelski and Lady Rhonda, everyone had a blast. And the gorgeous event that I just love is Opening of the Port, it is a gorgeous ceremony and the clubs that put this on do such a great job.

With the month of June in full force I am excited to see where everyone is for the weekend and spend some time on the water, we have our first poker run this month and hope to see a ton of our members there to support our Fleet Captain Bart, he will have fun for us at each run.

I want to also shout out to RC Tracey for keeping the bar clean and staffed as this is not an easy position but she is handling very well.

I am so glad to see a lot of new faces to volunteer, without your hard work and dedication SSBC would not be this amazing.

Here's to an awesome 2022 with all of you fabulous members!

YOUR Commodore Team Work Makes the Dream Work

Thank you,
Jennifer Gronda



VICE COMMODORE: Lenny Bradburn



Well summer is officially on, and the water is warming up!

May was a lot of fun, and with our annual roadside cleanup we had an amazing turnout. I truly am thankful for having so many people help with this event. After that, we had our Kentucky Derby party. The race was a big surprise to most, and Congratulations to the winners who had the last place horse and never would have imagined they would win!

Unfortunately, we had to reschedule the quarter mania event we had planned, but we do plan on having it this fall. There will be much more information on this event than previously posted, and we are still looking for basket donations to be used for prizes. With the nice weather we had in May, it was nice to have some acoustic entertainment on the patio. I will be doing much more entertainment soon.

OOTI fish fry is quickly approaching on June 10th, and we are expecting a great turnout (weather permitting). We will have pontoons shuttling people back and forth from FYC all day, Freelance playing from 8pm-12am, a delicious fish dinner (\$18pp), and plenty of cold beverages for everyone! If anyone would like to volunteer to help with this event, please reach out to myself or P/C Sue Cisco.

The rear commodore and I attended Opening of The Ports in Toledo on May 28th. It is amazing to take part of this special event, and after the ceremony we all hopped on boats with our classes and had an amazing time cruising up the Maumee River, escorted by the U.S. Coastguard and all the 22 commodores.

Planning for our 22 luau is a big priority moving forward and is expected to be the biggest event all year. I will be having a planning meeting right after then OOTI fish fry and my hope is that out of 324 members on the roster we have a lot of help and support this year!

Thank you,

Vice Commodore, Leonard Bradburn



REAR COMMODORE: Tracey Meyers



Hello Sunseekers,

Warm weather is upon us and I'm excited to move into summer! May was a very busy month. We had another successful bartender class and gained a few new bartenders.

Thank you to PC Jerry Hollis for keeping us up to date on running the keno. Cinco de mayo was a fun night, thank you Ross and Maria.

Huge shout out to all the bartenders covering all our events and keeping the club open for business. Club clean up went well, thank you to those that came out and helped.

VC Lenny and I had a great time at Opening of the Ports. This was both our first time attending this wonderful event.

Starting in June we will have ladies' night on Tuesdays with different drink specials each month. The month of June will be \$3.00 long island ice teas and \$3.00 long beach teas. Ladies set up a night out with your friends at Sunseekers.

Looking forward to seeing everyone at the club and on the water, Summer 2022!

RC Tracey Myers



FLEET CAPTAIN: Bart Frisbee



Hello Sunseekers,

The 2022 rendezvous is upon us, hopefully you can join us at Cedar Point June 16th-June 19th.

The first AYC poker run of 2022 is at Harbor View Yacht Club, Friday June 24th and Saturday June 25th. Stop by for a drink and say hi.

The Poker Run Schedule for 2022 is as follows:

06/24 - 06/25 - Harbor View Yacht Club

07/08 - 07/09 - Elba Mar Boat Club

07/15 - 07/16 - River View Yacht Club

07/22 - 07/23 - Monroe Boat Club

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8/12 - 08/13 - Toledo Yacht Club

08/26 - 08/27 - SunSeekers Boat Club

Your Fleet Captain,
Bart Frisbee

General Announcements

Reminders

- ☼ Membership meeting is June 1st at 7:30pm.
- ☼ Club access is only available via your 2022 membership card or certain legacy key fobs that are still out there. If you haven't yet picked up your 2022 membership card you need to stop by the club and request it from the bartender.
- ☼ Enter your work hours online at the SSBC.US website under the Members Only section (Work Hours) or obtain a work hours slip from a bartender. You must submit for work hours within 30 days of earning them. Unfulfilled work hours are \$20 each and must be paid with renewal dues.
- ☼ Stay in touch via the Sunseeker's Scoop; private Facebook group. If you would like to be added to the group please contact PC Sue Cisco or any of the Bridge members.
- ☼ Club Keno and Pull Tabs are available to play at the club.

**If you are interested in bartending please contact
Rear Commodore Tracey Meyers**

Training will be provided

**It's a great way to meet SSBC members, visiting club
members and fulfill your work hours**

REMINDER: if you would like to submit articles/announcements/stories/pictures for the newsletter, please send an email to Kat Marcum at kmarcum4911@gmail.com. All submissions must be received by the 25th, for the following month's newsletter. Thanks!

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Upcoming Events



OPENING OF THE ISLANDS

band starts at 8pm



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**FRIDAY
JUNE 10
6PM-9PM**



**OPEN TO
AVC/ILVA
MEMBERS
AND GUEST
ONLY**

**PONTOON
SHUTTLE
FROM FYC TO
SSBC
5PM-11PM**

**COD, FRENCH FRIES,
COLE SLAW & ROLL
(CHICKEN AVAILABLE
ON REQUEST)**

**\$18 PER
PERSON
FIRST COME
FIRST SERVE
UNTIL GONE**

Upcoming Events



32rd Annual
OPENING OF THE ISLAND
Blessing of the Fleet

•2022•

EMBC • FYC • GIYC • GLSBC • SBC • SSBC • WRYCC

SUNSEEKER'S BOATING CLUB - FRIDAY, JUNE 10TH

Fish Fry (Chicken on request) 6:00 - 9:00 PM
First Come, First Served Until Gone
Pontoon Shuttle from FYC to SSBC 5:00 - 11:00 PM

FORD YACHT CLUB - SATURDAY, JUNE 11TH

Breakfast Buffet 8:30 - 11:30 AM
Bar Opens at 8:30 AM
Registration 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Ceremonies 1:00 PM
Followed by the Boat Parade and Blessing of the Fleet

ELBA MAR BOAT CLUB - SATURDAY, JUNE 11TH

Special Menu Dinner 5:00 - 9:00 PM
Entertainment & Dancing 9:00 PM - 1:00 AM

SEAWAY BOAT CLUB - SUNDAY, JUNE 12TH

Survivor's Afterglow Party 1:00 PM - ???
Music & Dancing • Munchies & Snacks

Club Members may join the boat parade and have their boat blessed
Please register on Saturday morning - no charge

Visiting officers and their guests taking a boat ride
\$10.00/person due at the registration desk

Electronic sign up on Link: <https://bit.ly/OOTIsignup> or use QR Code:



Upcoming Events

2022 Sun Seeker's Boating Club Rendezvous



Cedar Point

June 16-19, 2022

Join your 2022 Fleet Captain Bart Frisbee and Lady Michelle for a fun-filled weekend at Cedar Point. Come by boat or camper, or even by car. There is fun for all ages.

- Park/Rides - Midway -
- Beach - Waterpark -
- Pool Tram -
- Club Potluck Breakfast -
- Club Happy Hours -

BOATERS

Book your slip starting March 1, 2022, by calling (419) 627-2334.

Group Name: SunSeeker's Boating Club.

Group Leader: Bart Frisbee

- A \$50 deposit will be charged to your credit card when you book.
- Cancellations may be accepted with at least 24 hours' notice.
- Deposits are 100% refundable when cancelled with at a least 24 hour notice, but is forfeited if cancelled less than 24 hours.
- Deadline to book is 6/3/2022.

CAMPERS

Book your site at Lighthouse Point on-line <https://reservations.cedarpoint.com/cedarpoint/> or via telephone (419) 627-2106.

Group Code: SUNS06

- 1st night's full payment due at the time of booking.
- A \$50 fee applies to any cancellation.
- First-night deposit is forfeited for any cancellation received within 72 hours of arrival.
- Sites feature full-hookup with cement pad, grill, picnic table.
- Deadline to book is 5/17/2021.

\$1.98 Dance is 6/17. Toledo Sail Yacht club is a 1 hr. 15 min. drive from Cedar Point.

MARINA DETAILS / RESERVATION INFO

Your group members may now call the Marina office to reserve their space within the group. **STARTING MARCH 15th, 2022** please ask your members to call our reservation number at 419-627-2334 and inform the reservationist they are with the **SUNSEEKER'S BOATING CLUB**.

GROUP NAME: Sunseeker's Boating Club
GROUP LEADER: Bart Frisbee
ARRIVAL DATE: June 17, 2022 (FRIDAY)
DEPARTURE DATE: June 19, 2022 (SUNDAY)
NIGHTS: 2
DOCKS HELD: Quantity 10 - 40 foot docks on Pier 11 that can accommodate boats up to 42 feet length overall
 Quantity 5 - 50 foot docks on Pier 11 that can accommodate boats up to 55 feet length overall
 Quantity 0 - 100 foot docks on Pier 11 that can accommodate boats up to 100 feet length overall

RELEASE DATE: **June 3, 2022 (FRIDAY)** All docks held for the group that have not been confirmed by an individual group member with a credit card deposit will be released on the release date shown.

GROUP PLACEMENT:
 All dock assignments will be made by Cedar Point Marina. Special requests should be made when the member calls in to confirm their reservation.

MARINA GUIDELINES:
 Each individual group member is responsible for calling in at least two weeks prior to the outing to confirm their reservation with a credit card deposit. Any remaining docks on hold that are not confirmed two weeks prior to the outing will be released. Members are required to guarantee their reservation with a MasterCard, VISA, Discover or American Express. A \$50 deposit will be charged to their credit card on the date they confirm.

CANCELLATIONS & SUBSTITUTIONS:
 Substitutions will be accepted no later than two (2) weeks prior to the outing. Cancellations may be accepted with at least 24 hours' notice. Deposits are 100% refundable when cancelled with at least 24 hour notice. Any cancellation with less than a 24 hour notice will forfeit their \$50 deposit. In the event of inclement weather, members who contact the Marina Office before 10:00 am on the day of their arrival can reschedule for another available date within one year.

Amenities & Benefits: Floating piers, gated docks, dockside swimming pool/spa, fuel docks, restroom / showers, 24-hour security, free Wifi at store, laundry facility, courtesy shuttle, picnic area, beach access.

2 restaurants available: Bay Harbor (steak/seafood), Famous Dave's Legendary Pit BarBeQue

CAMPGROUND DETAILS / RESERVATION INFO

*Rooms being held at Lighthouse Point: Sites held - 15

(6) Full Hook-up Back in Site: @ \$121+tax 6/16 and \$124+tax per night the remaining nights
 (9) Full Hook-up Pull Through Site: @ \$126+tax 6/16 and \$129+tax per night the remaining nights

All sites include:

- * Concrete Site
- * Electric Hook-Up
- * Water Hook-Up
- * Sewer Hook-Up
- * Cable Hook-Up
- * Charcoal Grill
- * Picnic Table
- * Free Wifi Access
- * Pets are welcome; they must be registered with the Front Desk, leashed and are the responsibility of the guests
- * Tent Camping is Not Permitted
- * Lighthouse Point offers shower/restroom and laundry facilities, a supply store and a swimming pool/hot tub
- * Requests are noted but cannot be guaranteed

To Reserve, call (419) 627-2106 or go to <https://reservations.cedarpoint.com/cedarpoint/>. Our group code is SUN06. If reserving on-line, in the special code box, select group/block. Cut-Off Date: **5/17/2022** (must book on or before this date).

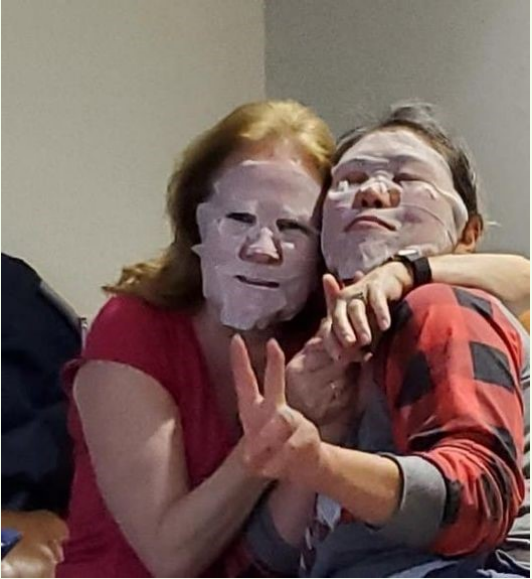
Important Information:

- * Individuals (not group contact) are responsible for reservations, deposits and cancellations.
- * First night's full payment due at the time of booking. (Payment plans may be arranged with reservationist at the time of booking if preferred.)
- * A \$50 fee applies to any cancellation. First-night deposit is forfeited for any cancellation received within 72 hours of arrival.



Amenities & Benefits: Pool & hot tub, water play area, beach access, store / gift shop, parasail / jet-ski rental, 4 bathhouses, shuffleboard, free Wifi, Lake Erie Pier, laundry facilities, shuttle service.
 Restaurants available: Domino's Pizza Delivery
 ***Cottages & Cabins also available.

Members having fun!



May Activities



Swag Available

