

2015

The Nauti News



Homestead Yacht Club

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Our 30th Year of Boating Fun

April 2015

To all HYC Members and Friends:

We want to give a really big thanks to Chip & Claudia for their first event, a dock party at the Marina. The move from the actual dock to under the trees got us folks out of the sun and into the mood to eat and enjoy. As usual, there was plenty of food and fun. We also had our marina manager Jim Wyatt come by and meet with us. Not only did he have a burger and some deserts, he offered to come to a meeting and bring our members up to date on improvements and upcoming events. *I would like some feedback from the members as to when we would like Jim and his wife to attend. May or June meeting??*

Jim mentioned that instead of doing the fishing tournament this year, the marina will be hosting a "Social" for marina patrons on June 13 at the La Playa, more details to come. He also mentioned that he would welcome HYC to have a table or something and we could possibly recruit some new members. In addition, we can forward to him any event info that we would like him to email to marina patrons regarding club events. Sounds like a great way to promote the club and possibly add some new members.

Linda Wood, our meeting dinner coordinator (great job!) sent me an email stating that the Whistle Stop has booked a graduation party for Tuesday June 2, same night as our meeting. What does the club want to do? Have the meeting the Monday before? The following week? I will bring this up at our May meeting.

We do not have an event scheduled for May so if anybody has any ideas. A cruise to Bimini was mentioned but there didn't seem to be much interest. We will bring it up again.

In other news, I was reading the minutes from the last meeting and the raft up scheduled for June 10th? I am not sure why we have the 10th because that is a Wednesday. More discussion at the next meeting.

Speaking of meetings, our next meeting will be at the Whistle Stop on March 3rd. Please respond with your dinner choices when you get the email from our call girl, Linda Wood.

The kitchen has requested that we give them a specific time to start dinner service so that they may properly prepare our dinner without over cooking things like veggies and shrimp. The below schedule has been suggested by our call girl Linda and this is what we will go by. If anyone cares to discuss changes, please bring it up at the meeting:

Social time starts at 6:30pm.

Our meeting starts at 7:00pm and dinner will be ready at 7:15pm.

Whistle Stop:

5 South Flagler Avenue, Homestead, FL 33030
(305) 246-1904

**TREASURER'S REPORT
HOMESTEAD Bay front YACHT CLUB**

BEGINNING BALANCE APRIL 1, 2015 **\$4,124.66**

INCOME:

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| Dues | 0.00 |
| 50/50 | 23.00 |
| Event | 0.00 |
| Total | 23.00 |

EXPENSES:

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| 4/18/2015 Dock Party Attendance: | 14 Members |
| Event Cost to Club | 0.00 |
| Other | |
| Website | 148.87 |
| Directory Printing | 56.19 |
| Total | \$205.06 |

ENDING BALANCE APRIL 31, 2015 **\$3,942.60**

SUBMITTED BY

Chip Casanave
Treasurer

April Meeting Minutes:

Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Cmdr. Peter. First order of business was to approve the minutes from last month as they appeared in the newsletter.

Treasurer's report: Presented by Chip Casanave. Beginning balance \$4,101.66, ending balance \$4,124.66. Full report elsewhere in newsletter.

Party at the marina scheduled for 18th April, hosted by Chip and Claudia. Scheduled for 3:00 p.m. at the LaPlaya Restaurant. BYOB and we discussed a buffet and charging members \$5.00. As everyone knows by now, that didn't happen BUT we had a dock party on the 18th it started at 2:00 P.M. on C dock, everyone brought something. Chip and Peter cooked hamburgers, hot dogs and brats and WE HAD A GREAT TIME.

June 13th or 20th, Cmdr. Dean is trying to put together a raft up, so we'll see how many boats we have that are not being repaired. More at the next meeting.

Monica Adams filled us in on the Bimini "fast boat" trip. It is \$400.00 per couple, includes a buffet. Leaves Friday around 7:00 p.m. and returns on Sunday mid-day. You stay on the boat. There is a casino restaurant on the boat but you have to pay for that. We'll discuss maybe doing this at a later date.

Buz Strandhagen mentioned that the marina is now full.

Sharon Roesch won \$22.00 from 50/50.

Meeting closed at 8:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Claire Strandhagen, secretary



HOMESTEAD YACHT CLUB IS GOING TO BIMINI
ON RESORTS WORLD FAST CRUISE SHIP

WHEN: JULY 24 DEPART AT 7 PM RETURN JULY 26 AT 8 PM

HOW: RESORTS WORLD BIMINI

COST: \$411 FOR TWIN BED INSIDE CABIN FOR 2 PLUS GRATUITY

\$461 FOR TWIN BED OCEAN VIEW FOR 2 PLUS GRATUITY

\$571 FOR KING DELUXE STATEROOM FOR 2 PLUS GRAT.

All of the above include three buffet meals a day onboard, plus free shuttle to pool and beach. Gratuity is \$12pp per day, or \$48 per couple.

**\$1126 FOR 4 IN TWO BEDROOM CONDO PLUS GRATUITY
AND RESORT TAX.**

**No meals included, but you can eat on the ship in one of
their six dining rooms at your expense.**

NO LIQUOR OR SOFT DRINKS ARE INCLUDED IN ANY PACKAGE.

BOOKING: GO ONLINE TO rwbimini.com or call 888-930-8688

Please make your reservations as soon as possible, as this date is wide open now.

NOTE: PASSPORTS ARE REQUIRED

Call or email Dee Riley if you have questions.

HOPE TO SEE YOU AT THE BEACH-----

Editor's note:

Some of us have already booked, so don't wait and hmmm around let's all just do it. A great HYC outing and maybe we can get a boat like we did in Freeport and ride around the island a bit. There is a lot more to see and do there than ever before, don't miss it.

Below are pictures of the picnic at Homestead Bayfront Park Marina. Looks like all had a great time and sorry we missed it.

Larry Roesch, Editor

