December 2013



# **The Nauti News**

# **Homestead Yacht Club**

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Our 28th Year of Boating Fun



## **No Monthly Meeting in January**

Change of Watch is on Jan 17<sup>th</sup> so there is no monthly meeting

### **Editor's Notes**

In last month's Newsletter, Commodore Dave did such of good job of saying how happy he was to be turning things over to our new Commodore Peter and of thanking everyone for their help over the years, that I didn't have the heart to tell him that we still have this newsletter to put out. So, there are no Commodore's Comments in this edition. Instead, on behalf of the membership, I would like to thank Dave for the outstanding job he has done as our Commodore. Also, a special thank you to the lovely Commodorable Anna for all of her hard work and especially for keeping the Commodore on the right track.

I would also like to say Thank You to everyone who has helped me with publication of the Newsletter by providing me with stories, news items and photos over the years. Hopefully you will provide your new Editor Larry Roesch with the same support/assistance. This is my last edition of the Newsletter after five years. Actually this marks the end of ten years as Editor. I had the job for five years, then turned it over to others for four years and am now finishing up a second five years. And before you ask, if I am still around four years from now, the answer will be NO.

Bill Zinn, Editor, sunbil@bellsouth.net

#### **Minutes of December Meeting**

Meeting called to order by Cmdr. Dave at 7:50 p.m. on December 3, 2013. Dave gleefully announced that this was his last meeting as Commodore.

Treasurer's report: Presented by Dee Riley...beginning balance \$3,712.07, ending balance \$3,692.48. Full report appears elsewhere in newsletter.

We were reminded that the Key Largo boat parade is on Dec. 14th and members should book their reservations on the Island Time Cruise as soon as possible.

Change of watch: Ted and Dee spoke with Jimmy at the Capri and booked that venue for our festivities. It will be held on Friday, January 17th. Kim Bankston will be our entertainment. The cost is \$30.00 for members and \$35.00 for guests. We guaranteed 30 people. Menu choices are N.Y. strip steak, salmon or chicken. We will have our own bartender and happy hour drinks.

We all wished Dee Riley a happy birthday.

Thankfully, our call person Liz Phillips has agreed to serve another year.

Donna Pacheco won the 50/50 drawing and \$20.00

Meeting closed at 8:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Claire Strandhagen, secretary.

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

BEGINNING BALANCE NOVEMBER 1, 2013: \$3,712.07 INCOME: Event \$225.00 Total \$225.00 EXPENSES: Big Easy Cooker \$105.93 Event \$138.66 Total \$244.59

ENDING BALANCE NOVEMBER 30,2013:

SUBMITTED BY: Dee Riley, TREASURER

NOTE: There were 25 members and 10 guests attending the event. The net gain to the club was \$86.34, which was applied to the cost of the cooker for an expense to the club of \$19.59.

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#### **Membership Renewal Time**

It is that time again Please complete a new application form and submit it with your check

#### Homestead Yacht Club's Commodore's Ball

Friday, January 17, 2014 CAPRI Restaurant 935 North Krome Avenue Florida City, FL 33034

Cocktails: 7:00pm Dinner: 7:45pm

House Salad New York Strip Sirloin or Grilled Salmon or Chicken Francese Baked Potato and Vegetables Dessert and Coffee

Cash Bar

Music from 7:00pm to 11:00pm By Kim Bankston

Members \$30.00 per person Guests \$35.00

Reservations due by January 10, 2014 Advanced purchase only Send check payable to HYC to Sharon Roesch 51 Cormorant Drive Key Largo, FL 33037-3005 Please indicate your entrée selection