

November 2012



# The Nauti News

**Homestead Yacht Club**

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Our 27th Year of Boating Fun

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## **Turkey Fry**



**Peter Dean removed turkey from the fryer**

## **Meeting Reminder**

**Our next monthly meeting will be on Monday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>  
at the Capri restaurant**

## **Commodore's Comments**

HYC Members and Friends----

Well it looks like we made it through Thanksgiving OK, one down-one to go.

Lets all give Larry and Sharon a "BIG" Thank You for having us at their place last Saturday for the "Annual After Thanksgiving Event". And thanks to all for sharing and participating. There were some who attended by boat! We all had a good time, and as usual, we were not lacking for anything to eat.

The last meeting of the club for 2012 will be at the Capri, on December 3rd. We have many things to talk about, one being the December Event--- The Island Time boat ride/dinner on the 8th for the Key Largo Boat Parade. Another being the "Commodore's Ball" on Jan 11th, and most importantly---paying our dues for 2013. I look forward to seeing you all at the meeting.



Happy Holidays,

Commodore Dave G.

## **Editor's Notes**

As mentioned by Commodore Dave, it is membership renewal time. In addition to sending your check, please also check to make sure that all your membership info is correct. Please pay particular attention to changes in your marina slip, phone numbers, and e-mail address. The info you provide during renewal will be used to create the new membership roster.

Plans are underway for HYC members to attend the Key Largo Christmas Boat parade. For those of you who do not know or have forgotten, the HYC has a long history with this event and for several years sponsored an entry in the parade. In December 2001, the HYC entry was the Grand Prize winner. In this issue of the Newsletter I have included the photo and news item about that award winning event.

Bill Zinn, Editor, [sunbil@bellsouth.net](mailto:sunbil@bellsouth.net)

## **Minutes of November 2012 Meeting**

Meeting called to order by Cmdr. Dave at 7:20 p.m. on November 5, 2012.

First order to business to accept the minutes from last meeting as published in the newsletter.

New Members Richard and Marta Mesa, were welcomed and presented with a burgee. Cmdr. Dave announced that these members actually have a boat. They are docked next to him on D-dock.

Reminder....dues for 2013 are welcome at any time now.

Sunshine Committee: Buz Strandhagen is feeling better....Stan Scherer had his surgery and is looking good.

Treasurer's report: Presented by Dee Riley...beginning balance \$4311.52, ending balance \$4349.52. Full report is elsewhere in newsletter.

November's event will take place on Saturday, Nov. 24th at Larry and Sharon's home in Key Largo. It involves deep fried turkey, all the usual side dishes and desserts, lots of booze and lots and lots of fun. The event is free for members and \$5.00 for guests. A sign-up sheet was passed around at the meeting. Larry suggests you bring chairs and BYOB. We'll be expected at about 2:00 p.m. If you care to come by boat,, there will be room to tie up behind their home.

December: The Key Largo Boat Parade is Dec. 8th and we discussed meeting at Larry and Sharon's to watch it. Details will be worked out at the Dec. 3rd meeting.

Change of watch was briefly discussed....we're looking at Jan. 11th or 12th or Jan. 18th or 19th. More information at next meeting.

50/50 of \$35.00 won by Linda Wood.

Peter Dean has agreed to be Vice Commodore for 2013.

Meeting adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Claire Strandhagen, Secretary

## **TREASURER'S REPORT**

### **HOMESTEAD Bay front YACHT CLUB**

BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2012: 4311.52

**INCOME:**

50/50	20.00
Membership	254.00
Total	274.00

**EXPENSES:**

Dues Overpayment	14.00
Capri	22.00
Event	200.00
Total	236.00

ENDING BALANCE OCTOBER 31, 2012: 4349.52

**SUBMITTED BY**

Dee Riley, TREASURER

**NOTE:** The October event was attended by 15 members and the cost to the club was \$200.00.

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## Grand Prize Winner



**HYC entry, Linda-C-Too, wins the Key Largo boat parade**

Key Largo, Fl - The Linda-C-Too, representing the Homestead Yacht Club, captured two prizes in the Key Largo Christmas boat parade, including the coveted Grand Prize. At the award ceremony at Gilberts, Captain Bill Clemons received the most colorful boat award, as well as the Grand Prize award for best boat in the parade. In keeping with the theme of the parade, From Sea to Shining Sea, the boat was decorated with a large American Flag as well as swimming manatees and dolphins pulling Santa's dinghy. A team of naughty elves danced on the bow, waved to the crowds, and swayed in unison to God Bless the USA as the vessel passed the judge's stands. Congratulations to Bill and Linda. Also, thanks to Santa Ted, elf coordinator Jan and to DJ Larry, who provided the sound system that had the crowds on shore cheering and swaying to our music.

## New Members



**Richard & Marta Mesa**

# Turkey Fry Photos

