

Fircrest Yacht Club Wavemaker

PO Box 1972
Tacoma, WA 98401-1972



NOVEMBER 2021

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Commodore: Gary McVay

Vice Commodore: Britney Latimer

Treasurer: Lori Fleek

Secretary: Robyn Enders

Webmaster: Lee Jeffcoat

Wavemaker Co-Editors: Sonya Jeffcoat & Pam Spring

Sunshine Committee: Kathy Loyd

Handbook Co-Editors: Lee & Sonya Jeffcoat

Basket Auction: Lori Fleek

Commodore Comments:



Fircrest Yacht Club Members!

No comments received.

Gary McVay, Commodore

gmcvay@iaffmg.org

253.691.1313

Vice Commodore Comments:

Happy November everyone! I hope you had as festive of a Halloween as we did. Thank you to the Martin's and Walker's for an excellent cruise at Des Moines - you always host with such spirit and attention to the little details. I know it's thoroughly enjoyed and appreciated by our membership!

I'm looking forward to a strong finish of this year - with great attendance at our November meeting, a relaxing Leftovers cruise (thank you Toni for not-hosting-but-doing-everything) and our Christmas party! I was honored to accept the nomination for Commodore next year. Thank you and I would be thrilled to serve with the other current nominations: Lori Fleek (Vice Commodore), Robyn Enders (Secretary) and Shannon Olsen (Treasurer). Please be sure to join us November 16th while nominations are still open and to cast your vote for the 2022 Board of Directors! I hope to see you all soon - and don't forget to start compiling your bid worthy auction items for the Christmas party!

Britney Latimer, Vice Commodore

saltytribe54@gmail.com

253-223-3583

Treasurer's Report:

Treasury Report November 2021

Beginning balance 9-30-21 \$8,468.04

3 Subtractions -390.83

Ending balance 10-31-21 \$8,077.21

Register Balance \$7,625.81

Looking forward to seeing everyone at the 2021 FYC Holiday Party and Silent Auction Sunday, December 5th. If you are unable to make it to the next meeting in person to purchase your tickets, please RSVP to any Board member.

Any additional questions can be addressed by any Board member as well.

Lori Fleek FYC Treasurer 2021

lorifleek@gmail.com

253-691-5558

**PLEASE CHECK OUT OUR
RECIPROCAL MOORAGE**

GO TO THIS LINK:

www.yachtdestinations.org



October Des Moines Halloween Cruise Report

By Deborah Martin

Thank you to all who joined us at the FYC cruise this past weekend October 29th-31st, 2021 for the Black and White Boo Bash!

We had a total of 10 boats for the weekend festivities and the Down's, McNeils, Lawrences, Toni Fairbanks, Marty Hobbs, and the McVay's made guest appearances by land.

Friday night we enjoyed good conversation, heavy hors d'oeuvres, and a few libations in the pavilion.

Saturday there was time to relax, decorate boats for the boat decorating contest and a few of us headed to Wally's for some seafood and spent time at the Quarterdeck.

Saturday night was an FYC provided Taco Bar and all the fixins followed by a fabulous costume party with judging and prizes. While everyone looked amazing it was hard for everyone to vote on the winners. The first prize went to our future commodore Britney Latimer as Cruella de Vil and her 101 dalmatians. The second prize went to Lee Jeffcoat as Colonel Sanders and third place went to Garry Weaver as the Grim Reaper.

Bob and Paige won the best decorated boat contest with a skeleton bride and groom and the Latimers the second prize with their terrifying apocalyptic zombie.

The Martins and the Walkers want to thank everyone for participating in the festivities and fun! We really enjoy the club and had a great time with everyone!

PLEASE NOTE!!!!

OUR NEXT IN-PERSON MEETING, INCLUDING ZOOM MEETING FOR THOSE WHO CANNOT ATTEND IS:

TUESDAY NOVEMBER 16, 2021 @ 6:30 PM

**FIRCREST POOL MEETING ROOM
545 CONTRA COSTA AVENUE
FIRCREST, WA 98466**

AN EMAIL FROM OUR COMMODORE FOR THE ZOOM CALL WILL BE INCLUDED PRIOR TO THE MEETING.



November Birthdays

12 Jeff Ford
29 Carole Stow

December Birthdays

8 Val Sheehy
17 Burt Auseth
19 Terri Stewart
23 Bob Ruel
24 Alicia Down
27 Alan Martin
27 Kevin Loyd

October 2021 - Fircrest Yacht Club Meeting Minutes

Welcome & Call to Order	Commodore Gary called the meeting to order at 6:40 pm.
Commodore's Report <i>Gary McVay</i>	<p>Conducting meetings hybrid in person and Zoom now. Great to be poolside at Fircrest for in person.</p> <p>Zoom participants: Sheehy's, Weaver's, Olson's, Walker's, Jeffcoat's</p> <p>2021 Xmas Party/Banquet will be Sunday Nov 5th... Per Tacoma Yacht Club, any one not dining at a table, must wear facemask. Email will be coming regarding interest. Please respond to express your interest in attending.</p> <p>Kathy Loyd suggested maybe doing something less formal perhaps for this year.</p>
Vice Commodore's Report <i>Britney Latimer</i>	2021 Leftover Cruise Nov-26 th -28 th No host right now. Only 4 boats signed up. Cost is \$150 for Net Shed...not enough boats to justify that cost so we will not rent it. The 2022 cruise schedule is in the works! We are definitely going to Poulsbo and Swantown! More details to come. We really want to encourage early cruise host sign ups and even working in hosting teams to spread the work load out.
Treasurer's Report <i>Lori Fleek</i>	Ending Balance 09/30/21. \$8,488.87 Register Balance 10/03/21. \$8,550.75
Secretary's Report <i>Robyn Enders</i>	Toni Fairbanks made motion to approve the September minutes as posted in the October Wavemaker. Kevin Loyd seconded, and minutes are approved.
Committee Reports:	<p><u>Sunshine</u> (Kathy Loyd) – Kristy and Drew – Pain Killer came home from Hawaii very sick.</p> <p>Libby and Bruce bought a place in Northern Idaho and they are moving there.</p> <p>The Polus's grandchildren were in a car accident with 2 other kids on their way to school. Their kids are doing alright. Please keep them in your thoughts. Their daughter was in a separate accident as well.</p> <p>Salty Tribe got some blessings for Oslyn's broken arm. Oslyn thanked everyone for the stuffed puppy. She said it made her arm feel good. 😊</p> <p><u>Handbook</u> (Sonya Jeffcoat) - None.</p> <p><u>Website</u> (Lee Jeffcoat) – None.</p> <p><u>Clothing</u> (Gary McVay) mugs in different colors available, 60th Anniversary burgees available.</p> <p><u>Facebook</u> (Britney Latimer) – None.</p>

Last Cruise Report	Dock Street Cruise – Kim & Garry Weaver 6 boats...played games, some walked /or drove over. Fireball and apple cider...lots of fireball! ☺ Decorated pumpkin contest. Double Vision – Lee & Sonya Jeffcoat won First Place. Livin Sweet – Steve & Vicki Lawrence earned 2 nd place. Nash, Mike and Michelle Lawrence’s grandson even got a prize. For a small cruise, it came together really good and it was really fun.
Upcoming Cruise Info	Martins & Walkers are hosting Halloween Cruise. It is the Black and White Boo Bash! In Des Moines. Limit of 12 slips and are at max but have a wait list. 12 boats signed up and that is max. There is one more opening. If interested, contact Deb. See the flyer in September Wavemaker. TYC Lighted Boat Parade... Saturday December 18 th ! Come out, it’s so fun!
Old Business	None
New Business	Nominations: Kevin Loyd Nominated Britney Latimer for Commodore and anyone she wants to have as her bridge. Lori Fleek seconded and Britney accepted. Dustin Latimer nominated Lori Fleek for Vice Commodore. Kevin Loyd seconded. Lori accepted. Lori Fleek nominated Robyn Enders. Dustin seconded. Robyn Enders nominated Shannon Olson for Treasurer. Christine seconded. Both the Fords and the Millsaps boats are not working now. ☹️ New members are Di and Eddie Graves, sponsored by Pain Killer
New Member Swear In	No new members sworn in this month.
Good of the Order Drawing	Tom Tinker \$5 prize.
Raffle Basket Drawing	Dave Goughnour won the “Boo Basket”.
Next Meeting & Adjournment	Next meeting is Tuesday, November 16, 2021 - Meeting adjourned at 7:24pm.

2021 CRUISE SCHEDULE

Date	Event	Hosts
Jan 19	Zoom Meeting 6:30 pm	N/A
Feb 12, 13, 14	Valentines Day Cruise-Dock Street(10 slips max confirmed)	No Host
Feb 15	Zoom Meeting 6:30 pm	N/A
Mar 16	Zoom Meeting 6:30 pm	N/A
CANCELLED Mar 27, 28, 29	March Madness Cruise - Arabella's (reserved) Room Fee	Cancelled-No Transient moorage
CANCELLED Apr 16, 17, 18	Daffodil Marine Festival @ Breakwater Marina & TYC	FYC Not officially participating
Apr 20	Zoom Meeting 6:30 pm	N/A
Apr 23, 24, 25	Kick off Cruise - Port Orchard (10 spots)	Enders
May 18	Zoom Meeting 6:30 pm	N/A
May 28, 29, 30, 31	Memorial Day Cruise - Brownsville (20 slips confirmed)	Latimers/Olsens
Jun 18, 19, 20	Longest Day Cruise@ Longbranch Marina	Enders
Jul 2, 3, 4	Fourth of July Cruise - Bell Harbor (slips reserved) - Must call & pay 1st night prior	Bouges
CANCELLED Jul 17	Longbranch 100th year Anniversary	NO HOST
Aug 13, 14, 15	Port Orchard Marina	Latimers
Sep 3, 4, 5, 6	Labor Day Cruise - Kingston	Olsens
Sep 21	In Person & Zoom Meeting @ Fircrest Pool 6:30 pm	N/A
Oct 1, 2, 3	October Cruise - Dock Street	Weavers
Oct 19	Meeting @ TBD 6:30 pm	N/A
Oct 29, 30, 31	Halloween Cruise - Des Moines (12 slips)	Martins/Walkers
Nov 16	Meeting @ TBD 6:30 pm	N/A
Nov 26, 27, 28	Leftovers Cruise to Arabella's Landing (slips available) Room Fee	No Host
CANCELLED Dec 4	People With Disabilities Cruise - Volunteer Event Only	Loyds
Dec 5	Holiday Party - Tacoma Yacht Club	FYC Board

More Halloween Cruise Photos



Great Halloween Decorations

Best Decorated Boat – Bob & Paige

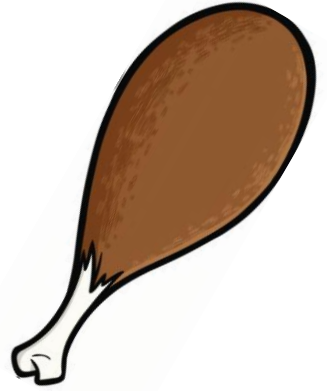


LEFTOVERS CRUISE



NOVEMBER 26TH-28TH

@ ARABELLA'S LANDING



Please join your FYC friends for a relaxing weekend in Gig Harbor. Plans are being made and more info will come as we get closer to the date. As your official non-host, please let me know if you plan to attend. At this time, we have chosen not to use the Netshed and have no potluck meals planned.

Signed up so far are: Fairbanks, Loyds, Lawrences, Shortts, Latimers, Olsens, and Tinker.

You need to call Arabella's directly (253-851-1793) for moorage and slip assignment. FYI, as with almost everywhere, their rates have increased and they require payment up front.

In the spirit of the holiday, I will be collecting personal hygiene items for shelter donation. Think toothpaste and brushes, soaps, tampons, hair brushes.



Please text me at 253-312-1181 or email tonifairbanks6@gmail.com if you can join us!

Thanks! Toni

2021 FYC HOLIDAY PARTY & SILENT AUCTION

Sunday, December 5th – 5:00pm – 9:30pm

5401 YACHT CLUB RD, TACOMA, WA 98402

\$40.00 Per Person – MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE

Sign up and pay at the November 16th Meeting.

Buffet Dinner, Silent Auction, Officer's Raffle Basket & lots of fun!!! Raffle tickets are \$5 for 1 ticket or 5 tickets for \$20

Cocktail hour at 5:00 pm – No host bar.

(TYC accepts bank cards & cash)

Dinner at 6:00 pm

Silent Auction: This is Our Biggest Fundraiser of the Year! Bring new/lightly used items (quality items), gift cards, baked goods or a gift basket for bid.

Bring your checkbook or cash.

Please Bring New Unwrapped Toys for Toys 4 Tots Toy Drive and also food for the Food Drive.

ALL AUCTION ITEMS MUST BE PAID FOR AT CLOSE OF AUCTION ANY UNSOLD items must go home with you at the end of the evening.

**I CAN is 100 times
more important than IQ.**

