

# Tell Tale



#### **May 2022**

The Newsletter of The Shreveport Yacht Club, 2905 Municipal Pier Rd., Shreveport, LA 71119

#### **Commodore's Comments**

We have really had a great month at the club, and things just keep getting better. The Easter Bunny came to see us, and we had a great Holiday in Dixie Regatta weekend with visitors coming from as far as Delaware to participate in the sailing and fun. It's a beautiful site to see all the sails out on the water, and I look forward to watching this event continue to grow.

As boating activity increases, I would like to remind members that we currently have a limited amount of fuel available, so please plan accordingly. Our Long Range Planning Committee is working diligently to increase our fuel capacity in order to keep up with demand.

Now it's time to fire up the grill and hit the pool. Don't forget that we'll be kicking off the summer with our Memorial Day BBQ. So come on out and join the fun at SYC!

Brian Fulco

Commodore

### Manager's Message

Well, the Summer is almost here and we are certainly ready. Our calendar is filling up with events and we have several club events that I want to mention. First, we will have our Cinco De Mayo buffet (be sure to read Cpt. Curmudgeon's article). Next is my personal favorite, Mother's Day! Yes, my mother gets a copy of this. We will end the month of May, and start Summer with our annual Memorial Day BBQ. The swimming pool is now open and there is no better time to utilize the club than now. Also, be on the lookout for a new pickle ball court being constructed by Wiley and Amy Pollard on the slab by D-Pier!

The Long Range Planning Committee has been meeting on a regular basis and has come up with a great plan for improvements to the club. Some of the items being discussed are: re-decking the lower deck, purchasing a larger gas tank, renovating the swimming pool, filling voids under the sidewalks leading to C-pier and around the gas pump, parking lot improvement & and more. Many thanks to Don Olson and the rest of the committee for volunteering their time and knowledge to help improve the club.

Rick Hutson, General Manager

### **Welcome New Members!**

**Hal Anderson & Ashley Briery** 

**Jason Holland & Margo Clendenin** 

**Daniel & Carolyn Snow** 





## **Mother's Day Buffet**

Sunday, May 8

Seating at 11:00 am, 12:30 pm, and 2:00 pm

# Menu

Adults \$28.00 Children (4-10) \$15.00 3 & under - Free

Garden Salad Bar
Boiled Shrimp
Smoked Salmon Display
Sesame Seared Ahi Tuna
Carved Prime Rib
Baked Chicken
Garlic Mashed Potatoes

Loaded Macaroni & Cheese

Squash Casserole

Broccoli & Cauliflower

Spinach Souffle

Raspberry Tiramisu

Chocolate Cobbler

Ice Cream

May 5<sup>th</sup>

**Buffet** 

6:00 - 9:00 pm

\$18.00

Cinco

Chips, Salsa and White Queso Beef & Chicken Fajitas Chicken Enchiladas

Street Taco Bar Rice & Beans Sopapillas



# **Breakfast with the Bunny**









# **Easter Brunch**









# **Holiday in Dixie Regatta**







# **Swimming Pool is now OPEN!**



#### **Pool Rules**

- 1. Pool is for use by members, their families & invited guests only.
- 2. Swim at your own risk, particularly when lifeguards not on duty.
- 3. One person at a time allowed on diving board.
- 4. Pool will close with lightning or high winds.
- 5. Children under the age of 12 must be supervised by an adult.
- 6. No running, shoving, pushing or rough play.
- 7. No glassware, bottles or other breakables in pool area.
- 8. For assistance call (318) 631-7414.

### The Tell Tale



### **ASK CAPT. CURMUDGEON**

[Editor's Note: Capt. Curmudgeon is on vacation this month. This is submitted by a substitute Capt. Curmudgeon so the editor will not vouch for the accuracy of any information imparted, as is traditional with the "low bidder"].

#### Dear Substitute Captain,

Are there any interesting nautical facts about the month of May, other than Capt. Curmudgeon's annual vacation? Signed, Anonymous SYC staff bartender

#### Dear Anonymous,

Yes, and it fits in with the other guy's obsession with the Titanic.

Most people don't know that back in 1912, Hellmann's mayonnaise was manufactured in England. In fact, the Titanic was carrying 12,000 jars of the condiment scheduled for delivery in Vera Cruz, Mexico, which was to be the next port of call for the great ship after its stop in New York.

This would have been the largest single shipment of mayonnaise ever delivered to Mexico. But as we know, the great ship did not make it to New York. The ship hit an iceberg and sank, and the cargo was forever lost.

The people of Mexico, who were crazy about mayonnaise, and were eagerly awaiting its delivery, were very upset about the loss. Their anguish was so great, that they declared a National Day of Mourning, which they still observe to this day.

The National Day of Mourning occurs each year on May 5th and is known, of course, as Cinco de Mayo.

Signed, Substitute Capt. Curmudgeon

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James Coe



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			Food Service 3:00 – 8:00 pm	Food Service 3:00 – 9:00 pm	Food Service 3:00 – 9:00 pm	Food Service 11:00 am – 9:00 pm
SYC Mother's Day Brunch 1:00 am – 2:00 pm – Reservations Required	9 Clubhouse Closed	10 Clubhouse Closed	11	<b>12</b> Food Service 3:00 – 9:00 pm	Private Event Dining Room 5:00-10:00 pm	14
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