

Scuttlebutt

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The Official Newsletter of the Atwood Yacht Club

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Commodore's Comments.....

It's April already and we will soon be able to officially say that "spring has sprung". I'm sure everyone is as anxious as I am to enjoy warmer temperatures and the outdoors. There is always something "very special" about a day at AYC and Atwood Lake whether you're sailing, floating on your pontoon, or just relaxing at the pool or picnic area.

The Club reopened on February 27th much to the delight of all. The Opening Party was well attended and the St. Patrick's Day Party was a huge success as both the Lounge and Ballroom were packed for the corn beef and cabbage buffet. Benjamin Coal Company kept the dance floor lively at both parties. Compliments and thanks to Norma, Steve and all the Staff for a job well done; the Irish apparel was fantastic and Lou Young's Social Committee added some great decorations.

As many observed, the Club opened as usual with a fresh cleaning and some decorating changes. Many behind the scenes maintenance projects were completed including refurbishing of the storage area near Norma's office and planning continues for key outside building and grounds projects that were budgeted for the year.

The AYC Ladies Auxiliary continues as a significant support group to the operation of our Club. Trish McCullough, President and Jackie Miller, Vice President updated their activities and plans for 2007 projects at the March Board Meeting and were applauded for their completion of the cabinet remodeling project in the Ballroom. Look for more great things from this group and I encourage all of you ladies to become active.

Paul Tinlin's House Committee has been very busy working with Norma, Clara and Steve to continue verification of inventories costs through our computer data bases for both the bar and kitchen, thus enabling better accounting controls for these cost centers. This has been an ongoing tedious job. I would like to thank past Board member Joe Cline who continues to provide endless hours of support to this project.

Commodore's Comments Continued.....

This is the time of the year when our Secretary/Treasurer is busy verifying and finalizing membership lists to assist Harold Tedrow in publication of the 2007 Membership Directory. This has also been coordinated with major contributions from Dan Detchon's Membership Committee that will provide future plans to add new members necessary to replenishing those lost annually through attrition. I would also like to thank past Secretary/Treasurer, Tony Rozler, who provided much help on this endeavor and also the transition of financial functions to Paula Moyer.

In conjunction with verification of membership, Randy Well's Dock Committee has been busy updating dock assignment and filling new requests. Everyone is anxious for the boating season that will soon be upon us.

The Executive Committee has initiated plans to review and update the Club's Five Year Strategic Plan with input from current Board Members and a few past Board Members. A Special Dock Committee has also been appointed to assist in evaluation and recommendations for future dock additions. Our goal is to have these plans finalized with recommendations to the Board before year end. Completion of these projects will be significant to future Financial Committee planning.

I'm looking forward to all the pleasures of spring and an active April at AYC. An opportunity always exists, so please do not hesitate to get involved when asked to support a Board Committee.

As always, Pauline and I look forward to seeing and talking to you at the Club.

John B. (Jack) Wyrle
Commodore 2007

Calendar of Events

April	8	Easter Buffet.....	Staff
		Seating times are 12:00 and 2:30	
April	12	Ladies Auxiliary Meeting.....	6:30 p.m.
April	14	Sailing Fleet Meeting.....	12:00 noon
April	14	IRS Party.....	Social Committee
April	22	Video Game Tournament.....	2:00 p.m.
April	24	Ladies Auxiliary Spring Dinner.....	See Flyer
May	11	Friday Night Entertainment begins	Social Committee

Ladies Auxiliary News.....

Welcome to **SPRING!** Our Board consists of President Trish McCullough, Treasurer Colleen Detchon, Vice-President and Secretary Jackie Miller. Needless to say, there is still an opening for Secretary. What a great way to meet members, be active with the Club and make a difference. If this sounds like you, please call Trish at 330.735.2642.

Because of your generosity in supporting the Ladies' Auxiliary in 2006, we were able to donate over \$8,600 toward the warming oven for the kitchen, storage containers for the basement and re-facing of the bookshelves in the ballroom. Along with those contributions, we will be funding \$2100 toward new pool furniture this year. **THANK YOU! THANK YOU!**

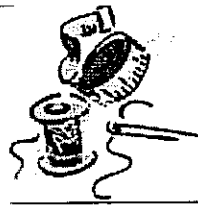
The Ladies Auxiliary will be in charge of the AYC clothing this year, so check out our separate article in this month's **Newsletter**. Also, look for each month's schedule in the monthly **Newsletter** or on the AYC's website, www.atwoodyc.com under activities. Our April meeting will be **Thursday, April 12, at 6:00 p.m.** All ladies of the Club are invited and complimentary pizza and salad will be served. Please plan to attend, meet the Board, check out the bookshelves and enjoy good food and camaraderie.

As we all look forward to spring, plan on attending our April 24th Annual Spring Dinner. Please see the flyer in this month's **Newsletter** or on the website.

Jackie Miller
Acting Secretary

Club Concerns.....

Our deepest sympathy goes to Earl Anders whose sister passed away and to Trudy Sensel on the recent death of her sister in law.



QUILTERS & SEWERS NEEDED.....

It's that time of year when the members of the Ladies Auxiliary start working on this Year's 2007 quilt. A fabulous design has been chosen and the packets will soon be ready for distribution amongst the Club's ladies. Whether you are a beginner or an expert, quilters and sewers are needed to help make this yearly event a success. If you recall, we raised over \$1,000 for our Club from this project.

This event has been part of the Club's history for many years but due to fewer lady volunteers, this project is in jeopardy of being discontinued. **LET'S NOT LET THIS HAPPEN!!!!**

Please call Mary Richards at 330.735.2269.

Hello Friends.....

It's good to see so many of you and your families enjoying our Club again this spring after the brief shut down in February. During your next visit I hope you will notice the recent decorating improvements.

The addition of new hickory doors in the Ballroom, just to the left of the fireplace greatly improves the appearance of the shelving unit that houses the TV, sound system equipment and most importantly, the flags used throughout the sailing season by our Flag Master, Ralph Redmond. This custom cabinetry was last year's improvement project funded by the Ladies Auxiliary.

While cleaning up the shelves in preparation for the cabinet makers I found many old photo albums filled with pictures of members enjoying social events in years past. They have been placed in convenient locations throughout the Clubhouse for members to enjoy. So if you are interested in this organization's history, take a few minutes to leaf through these albums. You never know who you might recognize.

Hello Friends continued.....

Also, underway are decorating improvements in our foyers using memorabilia found deep within those same shelves along with some new furnishings for flexibility as we host more events. Awards won by Club members found in the basement have been cleaned and brought upstairs where new members and of course our guests can get a brief glimpse of AYC history. An active group of senior members interested in keeping our facility updated while preserving its rich past has become involved in the decorating endeavors and will be acknowledged when the project is complete.

Jack and I look forward to seeing you during the coming months as we enjoy our special meeting place on beautiful Atwood Lake and all that it has to offer.

"Lady" Pauline

AYC Board Comments.....

At the regular meeting of the AYC Board, March 16th, various items were held.

One of the topics of discussion was the Bylaws of our Club and Club rules.

You will be receiving your copy of the 2007 Membership Book in April. Please take time to review the Bylaws and Club rules section to familiarize yourself concerning these areas.

Your cooperation is very much appreciated.

Thank you.

Board of Trustees



STARTING ON JUNE 2, 2007

Continental Breakfast
As simple as 1-2-3
Stop on over
At the AYC

The Ladies' Auxiliary

Social Committee Reports.....

If you missed the AYC St. Patrick's Day Party, you really missed a fun event. It was a great night to be Irish, even if it was only for a day! Buzz is...the Club is a happening place this year. Our next social event is the IRS Party which is scheduled for Saturday, April 14th in the lounge area. Entertainment will be furnished by our own, Tom Newbold Karaoke and Chef Steve will tickle your appetite with his creative 1040 buffet, complete with Taggart's Rocky Road Ice Cream. Tax day is Monday, April 16th this year, so it doesn't really matter if you must pay Uncle Sam, get a refund, or file for an extension, you need to be with friends.

Also we are planning more events this year for "teens" and our young/young at heart members. Our first event is a Video Game Tournament, sponsored by Red Octane. The tournament is scheduled at 2:00 P.M. Sunday, April 22nd. It will be a two round elimination playoff of Guitar Hero for Play station 2 with the best score receiving a \$50 gift certificate from Best Buy. While gamers are waiting to play in the tournament, we will have other game systems to play, such as Xbox, Nintendo 64, and possibly, Nintendo. Even if you don't want to enter the tournament, you are welcome to just come and play videos. Pizza and soft drinks will be provided by the Club. More information can be obtained from Wayne Shaw RT43AUT@aol.com.

May 11th kicks off our Friday Night Entertainment in the lounge for the summer season. We have an exciting group of entertainers this year, starting with Jerry Paten's "Then & Now", a two man group playing Jimmy Buffet tunes and other of your favorite selections. Jerry also has a five piece group "Mid-Life Crisis" who is performing at our Jimmy Buffet Party on August 11th, so it will be a fun year for all "Parrot Heads".

Lou Young
Social Chairperson

Golf Anyone?.....

AYC Golf
Yes, before we know it we will start chasing that little white ball again. Dates this year are June 13th, July 11th, August 15th, and September 12th.

Also, the Member/Guest will be June 9th.

Look for more details and sign up sheets next month. Sign up in the Lounge on May 16th and May 23rd or call Jim Kutcscher at 330.268.6701

Jim Kutcscher
Have a Great Day

Sailing News.....

Our first Sailing Fleet meeting will be held Saturday, April 14th, 12:00 noon at the AYC. We will distribute our race schedule as well as the social activities schedule.

Bob Kuchner will be showing two DVD's on Racing Rules. We have invited the Sailing Buckeyes to join us for the showing. Anyone involved in racing is certainly welcome and encouraged to attend. You can pay your fleet dues at that time: \$40 for a racing membership or \$30 for a social membership. Those unable to attend can send their check to :
Bobbie Jones
311 Russell Ave.
Wintersville, Ohio 43953

Boat news: Bobbie and Gary Jones will be sailing a Hunter 28.5 this season. They are presently deciding on a name for the new arrival. Christening ceremonies and Open House (boat) to be announced.

With all this rain, the lake is filling up fast. Maybe we will have our boats in the water early this year (my fingers are crossed).

Until next month remember: A smooth sea never made a skillful sailor.

Linda Kameron
Fleet Captain

HELP WANTED

While Christmas is still months away, the Black Tie Auction/Christmas Dance committee is already busy and needs help from you, its members. We are looking for donations to again make this event an appreciated success.

ANY ITEM WORTHY TO THIS CAUSE MAY BE DONATED. DO YOU HAVE ANY UNUSED AIRLINE MILEAGE, MARRIOTT REWARDS OR OTHER LIKE POINTS, A VACATION HOME, OR UNUSED TICKETS, SYMPHONY OR SPORT EVENTS?

Don't let them all go to waste - make wishes come true for a deserving group of children this Christmas by donating them to the Black Tie Committee. You may do so by contacting Jackie or Don Miller 330.735.2585.

Dock Committee.....

Although docks have been assigned, don't forget to have your license and dock decals installed on your boats prior to placing them in the water.

If you have any questions concerning your location, it will be posted on the board on the front porch of AYC.

Randy Wells
Dock Chairperson

House Committee.....

Our staff are sporting new shirts, receiving training and instruction to help them provide you with the professional service you deserve.

With many being new to our Club, your cooperation will be much appreciated.

Paul Tinlin
House Committee Chairperson

BONJOUR

YOU AND YOUR GUESTS ARE INVITED TO THE
LADIES' AUXILIARY ANNUAL SPRING DINNER
AND FASHION SHOWS

"CITY OF LIGHT"

TUESDAY, APRIL 24, 2007

6:00 P.M. – CABERET LOUNGE
COCKTAILS (CASH BAR)
HORS D'OEUVRES

FASHIONS FROM THE AYC CLOTHESLINE

6:45 P.M. – PARISIAN CAFE
4-COURSE DINNER SERVED BY SPECIAL
GARCONS

CHILLED FRUIT SOUP
ATWOOD YACHT CLUB SALAD
CHICKEN CREPES
SURPRISE DESSERT
FASHIONS FROM RUNWAY RAGS

7:30 P.M. – FASHIONS FROM
LAVENDER BRIDAL

TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE BAR OR BY CONTACT ING: TRISH
McCULLOUGH 330-735-2642, COLLEEN DETCHON 330-735-3255 OR
JACKIE MILLER 330-735-2585

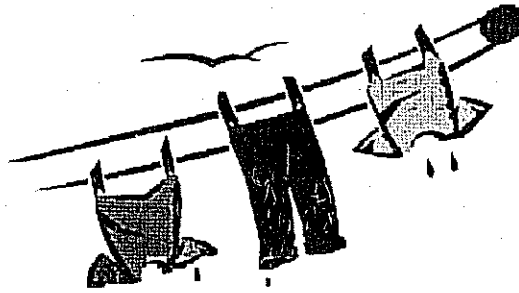
COST: \$ 18.00 PER PERSON

DEADLINE FOR TICKETS, APRIL 17, 2007

**PRE-SALE TICKETS ONLY. RESERVATIONS FOR 3
OR MORE REQUIRED
NO TICKETS SOLD AT THE DOOR**

AU REVOIR





THE AYC CLOTHESLINE

ARE YOU TIRED OF HEAVY WINTER COATS, HATS, GLOVES AND SCARVES? SPRING IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER AND THIS YEAR THE LADIES AUXILIARY WILL BE IN CHARGE OF OUR BEAUTIFUL LINE OF YACHT CLOTHES. WE HAVE CHOSEN FOR SPRING A LOVELY GROUP OF WELL-MADE, DURABLE, AND EASY CARE DENIM SHIRTS, POLO SHIRTS, SWEATSHIRTS, WINDSHIRTS, HATS AND JACKETS IN POPULAR COLORS TO CHOOSE FROM AND AVAILABLE IN MANY SIZES INCLUDING WOMEN'S PLUS AND MEN'S EXTRA LARGE AND TALL. ALSO, THERE WILL BE A SELECTION OF SIX EMBROIDERED LOGOS TO CHOOSE FROM.

CHECK OUT THE DISPLAY CASE IN THE LOUNGE. ITEMS WILL BE NUMBERED AND CAN BE ORDERED (ACCOMPANIED BY A CHECK) THRU JACKIE MILLER. ORDER FORMS WILL BE AVAILABLE BY THE DISPLAY AND CAN BE DROPPED OFF AT THE BAR.

WE WILL BE ADVERTISING IN THE SCUTTLEBUTT (WITH DETAILED INFORMATION AND PICTURES EACH MONTH), THE DISPLAY CASE AND ON OUR WEB SITES: [WWW.ATWOODYC.COM](http://www.atwoodyc.com) & <http://www.companycasuals.com/atwoodyc/start.jsp>.

REMEMBER – ALL PROCEEDS FROM THE SALE OF THESE ITEMS WILL BE USED TO BENEFIT THE CLUB. YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT IS GREATLY APPRECIATED.

EXTRA!!!! EXTRA!!! LOOK FOR THE SPRING LINE TO BE MODELED DURING THE COCKTAIL HOUR OF OUR SPRING DINNER, TUESDAY, APRIL 24, 2007.

JACKIE MILLER

EASTER BUFFET

APRIL 8TH

2 SEATINGS

12:00 OR 2:30



ADULTS 17.50

KIDS 7.50

UNDER 3 FREE

EASTER

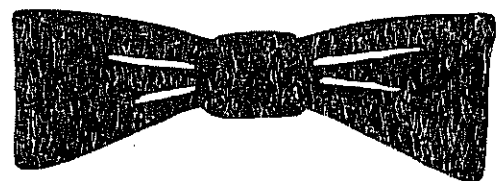
BASKETS

FOR THE KIDS



*MARK
YOUR CALENDARS
FOR A NEW DATE OF
THE ANNUAL CHRISTMAS
DANCE & BLACK TIE CHARITY
AUCTION TO BENEFIT "SHARE A
CHRISTMAS" TUSCARAWAS COUNTY,
DELLROY "SHARE A CHRISTMAS", & THE
CARROLL COUNTY COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS
PROGRAM*

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2007



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 CLOSED	3 SOUP & HOT DOGS	4 SPECIAL: SALISBURY STEAK	5 LITE FARE MENU	6 SPECIAL: GROUPEY	7
8 EASTER BUFFETT	9 CLOSED	10 SOUP & HOT DOGS	11 SPECIAL: CREAM CHICKEN	12 LITE FARE MENU	13 SPECIAL: STUFFED COD	14 IRS PARTY
15	16 CLOSED	17 SOUP & HOT DOGS	18 SPECIAL: STUFFED PORK CHOPS	19 LITE FARE MENU	20 SPECIAL: WALLEYE	21
22 VIDEO GAME TOURNAMENT	23 CLOSED	24 LADIES STYLE SHOW	25 SPECIAL: CORNISH HENS	26 LITE FARE MENU	27 SPECIAL: ALL U CAN EAT FISH	28
29	30 CLOSED					
					