

January 2010

Officers:

Danny Detchon - Commodore
William Uptegraph - V. Commodore
Louis Young - Rear Commodore
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(Term expires 2010)

Ren Davis
Ken Durbin
Byron Fairclough
Jim Kennedy
Anthony (Tony) Rozler
Dennis Snyder

(Term Expires 2011)

Randy Longacher
Gary Martin
Kevin McCullough
Don Miller
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Joan Vender

Club Manager:

Jorma Campbell

Bar Manager:

Clara Huffman

Kitchen Manager:

Brook Deetz

Fleet Captain: - Sailing

Linda Kamerer

Fleet Captain: - Pontoon

Paul Tinlin

Junior Sailing-Liaison

Ken Durbin

Brew Meister:

Curt Adams

Committee Chairpersons:

Will Uptegraph - House
Louis Young - Finance
Byron Fairclough - Membership
Ken Durbin - Social
(Tony) Rozler - Building & Grounds
Don Miller - Pool
Denny Snyder - Ducks
Ken Durbin - Junior Sailing
Joan Vender - Kevin McCullough
Co-Chair- Insurance & Safety
Kevin McCullough - Flag Master
Linda Kamerer - Fleet Capt.- Sailing
Paul Tinlin - Fleet Captain- Pontoon
Tom Simmelink - Blue Gavel
Harold G. Tedrow - Communication

Commodore's Comments.....

HAPPY NEW YEAR! Please allow me to introduce myself. I'm Danny Detchon. I have been a member of the Atwood Yacht Club for many years. It's my privilege and honor to be your Commodore for 2010. All this information is intended for our **New Members**. Speaking of new members, I'd like to issue a special **Happy New Year** to you. I encourage you to visit our Club as often as possible and get involved with the committees that will be operating throughout the year. If you are not sure how to go about this, give me a call (330-735-3255) and I will be happy to help.

My wife, Colleen and I, sincerely hope you enjoyed our Club's decorations this past Christmas. A special **THANKS** to Rhonda Allimore (and Nick) for doing a great job on lighting our Lounge tree. Also, a **Thank You to All** other members who helped decorated the lounge area.

I'd like to take a moment to provide a general outline for my plans and aspirations for the coming year. Foremost in my wishes is to provide a welcoming atmosphere for our Club. I want our Club to be known as an enjoyable place where you will want to spend your time. I fully realize that I can't please everyone; however, I will do my best to accommodate the majority. I hope to make progress on raising money for our New Pool Fund. We are currently at \$50,000.00 and still have a long way to go. I'm also aware of member concerns about our food quality and consistency. We made many improvements already and will continue to work on this issue.

As Colleen and I look ahead to the coming year, we are quite excited about the possibilities that are available here at **Atwood Yacht Club**. We promise to work hard to provide an interesting and exciting 2010.

We cordially invite you and your guests to come and help make the Atwood Yacht Club **"The Place to Be"**.

Sincerely,
Danny Detchon - Commodore 2010

Calendar of Events

January	21	Ladies Auxiliary Meeting.....6:30 P.M. Light lunch follows meeting	
January	23	Italian Night.....Seatings - 5:30 & 7:30 Entertainment- Friq & Fraq See Flyer this issue	
February	7	Superbowl Party & Annual Club Closing for annual repairs and maintenance	
February	7	"Cure the Winter's Cabin Fever " begins See insert-this issue	
February	20-21	AYC Ladies Auxiliary Bus Trip Casino Niagra-See flyer this issue	Patty Lamielle
February	24	Club Re-opens.....	Regular Club Hours

Ladies Auxiliary News.....

The Ladies Auxiliary held it Annual Christmas Luncheon on Sunday, December 6th. The ladies enjoyed a Festive Luncheon featuring stuffed chicken breasts, pulled-pork Sliders, appetizers, salads, a Holiday Sangria punch, and assorted home made deserts.

The ladies were entertained by Ken Durbin who offered his interpretation of many of our favorite Christmas Carols.

The winner of this year's quilt was announced: it was Betty Persinski, our hard working, outgoing Treasurer.

Following the Luncheon the ladies relaxed to some Spa treatments including: full body massages; head, neck hand and foot massages; nail treatments; color and make-up tips; Holiday Hair ideas; and a representative explaining permanent make-up techniques. Our thanks to Adrian Lamialle, Sandy Ledford, Rene' Smith, Jennifer Carlton, Dorothy Schiefer, Amy Mays, Ali Watkins and Westin and Carlos Mitcham who helped with the Spa treatments.

We closed the afternoon with a visit from Jolly Old Saint Nick himself, Harold Tedrow, who passed out homemade "treats".

Thanks to all who helped make this event a success, and I hope all the Ladies of the Club will participate in some or all of our activities this year. We welcome any suggestions or volunteers for programs. Our meetings are the 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:30 pm, and a light lunch follows each meeting. Hope to see you there!!

Bobbie Jones
President Ladies Aux. 2010

Main Sail Ale

February Shutdown.....

Due to the fact that our new ballroom floor does not require much maintenance, we will not have to close our Club for the entire month of February. We can do all the other cleaning and repairs in a short period of time.

We will close Sunday, February 7th after the Super Bowl/Closing Party, and reopen February 24th (Wednesday). Please look for our Events flyers in this issue.

DUES-DUES-DUES-DUES-DUES.....

All invoices were sent to the membership on December 1st for 2010 dues and fees.

Thanks to all who have sent in their payments. If, however, you have not paid yours yet, please do so as quickly as possible.

Early payment allows us to pay off our line-of-credit and get the new year started on good financial footing.

Newsletter Information.....

In order to save printing and postage costs, there will not be an edition of the Newsletter for the month of February.

However, please have all your information to Harold Tedrow at tuckerpc@tusco.net or fax at 740-498-8114, or to the Club office by February 15th for the March edition. This will allow time for all information to get published in time for Club reopening February 24th.

From this point forward the deadline will be the 25th of each month.

Also, if you know of any members who have been ill or deaths, please see that the information gets to the Club office for publication.

Harold G. Tedrow
Editor and Publisher

Reciprocal Agreement w/Union CC.

I thought that I would keep you in the loop concerning our reciprocal arrangements with Union Country Club. They are planning a social event on Saturday, January 23rd and AYC members have been invited. They are having "Martini Night" where the lounge is being turned into a Martini Bar. Food, band, the works. I am going to reserve a couple of tables.

Let me know if you want to go.

Lou Young
Rear Commodore

Lockers.....

The Club has Lockers available in the men's locker room. For anyone interested, please contact John Bodner, Secretary/Treasurer....

Membership Cards.....

As members dues and fees are paid, 2010 membership cards will be available in the lounge. You may pick yours up by asking any of the bar staff

Membership Information

If you have not already done so, please check the Club Membership Book to be sure that your information is correct.

Call the Club with any corrections to help keep the Clubs records up to date. We will be starting with the Membership Book for 2010 very soon, and it is important to get this as soon as possible.

Thank you

Sailing News.....

On December 12th we gathered at AYC to celebrate the life of fellow sailor Fritz Koitermann who passed away 11-30-09. By the number of people in attendance, it was clear that Fritz was the type of man who made a lasting impression. Again, the "making of memories" was shared along with an array of pictures including family and friends. I feel so fortunate to be part of this sailing community. A place where anyone with a love of the wind and water is welcome.

As 2009 has drawn to an end, I hope everyone enjoyed time with family and friends. For those of you headed to warmer climates. Enjoy! The rest of us will be daydreaming as we read our sailing magazines and wait for spring.

Until next time, Remember:

Life is not measured by the moments that we breathe but rather by the moments that take our breath away.

Linda Kameron
Fleet Captain

Club Concerns.....

Our sincere sympathy goes to the family of long time member Dr. Joseph Weir who passed away recently.

Also, we wish the best of luck to Ashley McGill, a new member and life long resident of Dellroy who will be deployed in February into the service.

Membership Cards.....

When you have paid you dues and fees for the upcoming year, your membership card will be placed on file in the lounge.

Just ask any of our staff for your card.

AYC Ladies Auxiliary Casino Bus Trip

February 20-21, 2010

Casino Niagra

Cost: \$140.00 per person

Sign up in the Lounge

Payment due when you sign up

Call Patty Lamielle
for more details

330-771-7520

2010 Committee Members

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Docks

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Tony Rozler

Junior Sailing

Ken Durbin, Liaison

Insurance & Safety

Joan Vender
Kevin McCullough

Flag Master

Kevin McCullough

Fleet Captain's
Sailing- Linda Kameron
Pontoon- Paul Tinlin