

LAKE SOUNDINGS

March 2023



Signals from the Commodore:

Spring is only a few weeks away and soon geese will be flying north, boats will be launched, and sailing will be underway. Following up on the recent email from the Lease Negotiation Committee, please submit any questions or comments you have concerning our lease renewal via email to CM_@pultneyvilleyachtclub.org. Our thanks to

members who already submitted helpful information and questions.

Also, as you prepare for sailing season, please consider reaching out to anyone you have been meaning to speak with concerning joining PYC. While Cathy MacDonald has been fielding calls and new member applications during the winter, there are still opportunities for additional new members.

Lastly, an important reminder that proof of insurance is required for all members who will have boats in use at PYC. Our thanks to those who have already submitted their insurance document. If you have your 2023 coverage documentation, please send to CM_@pultneyvilleyachtclub.org.

Thanks & regards, Dan



Flares from the Vice Commodore:

Our first social event of 2023 is in the books. It was good to see everyone at the Annual Winter Cabin Party at Newport Yacht Club. Thank you to Bruce Brannon and Dave Muth for the chili and everyone else for the fixins'!!

Be on the lookout in the coming days for the Club Calendar then pull out your personal calendars and get involved with planning one of the many social events lined up. I am very grateful for the many members that stepped in to help with events last year; this year I am seeking members to host social events. Events without hosts are at risk of being canceled.

Upcoming Events

MARCH	CANCELED	First Friday Happy Hour
	7-Mar 6:30PM	Executive Committee Meeting (zoom)
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	4-Apr 6:30PM	Executive Committee Meeting (zoom)
	7-Apr 6:00PM	First Friday Happy Hours (WHERE! Any ideas?)
	TBD	Fleet Race Planning Meeting
	TBD	Fleet Captain's Workday/Launch Floating Docks
	29-Apr 7:00AM	Spring Launch

Save the Date: July 22 Pultneyville Homecoming Weekend.

We will have special music guest Steve Grills featuring Bronson Hoover. Tanya



Notes from the Rear Commodore:

Twenty days until Spring. Most boats are faring well through the big winds and heavy ice. Although the weather has not been favorable, warmer days are ahead. I would like to thank all involved in our newly formed committees: Lease Negotiation and Harbor Improvement. Let us not forget Jeff Talon's ongoing efforts to obtain our dredging permit. Charlie

“To desire nothing beyond what you have is surely happiness. Aboard a boat, it is frequently possible to achieve just that. That is why sailing is a way of life, one of the finest lives.” -Carlton Mitchell



From the Secretary's Pen:

Greetings!

We are still gathering photos for the COVER PHOTO of the 2023 Log. Email that fantastic picture along to me.

We'll look at all the photos that are submitted and choose one for the cover. Also, remember to email any photos for the membership directory section of the log. JPEGs are preferred for all photos. Thank you.

Best,
Leslie
pultneyvilleyc.secretary@gmail.com



Keel Talk & Heeling with the Fleet Captain:

As Spring approaches, anticipation grows. Paint, polish and yes admiration. Let us not forget the rush of adrenaline as your vessel flies overhead on Launch Day. Next comes the seasons first wind filling our hearts and sails with thoughts of challenging for the lead or just a leisurely day in the sun.

“A sailor is an artist whose medium is the wind. Live passionately, even if it kills you, because something is going to kill you anyway.” -Webb Chiles



Membership News:

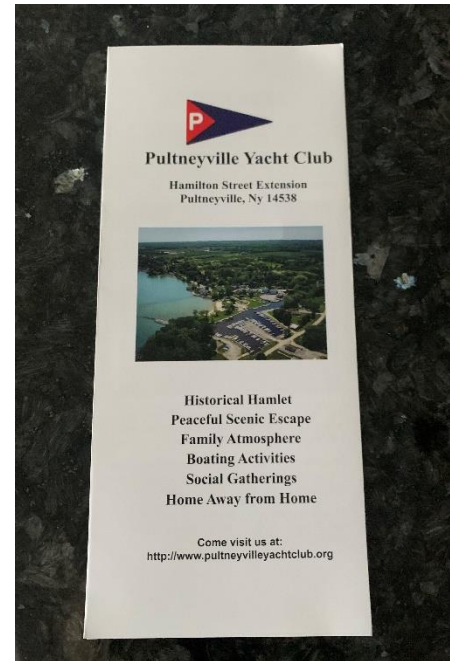
It's March and Spring is approaching quickly!

I am beginning to get calls requesting information about the PYC and all it offers! That said....., I would like to encourage all members to let people know how great our PYC is! Now is the time to encourage your boating friends, racing crew members, neighbors, etc. to consider joining PYC!

We have the newly revised PYC brochures (shown) that are available either at the Clubhouse or let me know if you would like some to distribute to various places such as realtors, marine dealers, and other establishments that you feel appropriate and I will send along to you.

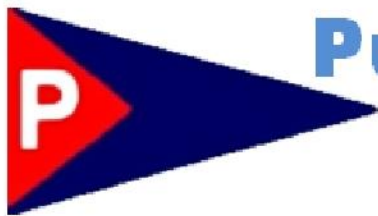
Also, once again, PLEASE take some time and post the attached PYC flyer wherever you feel appropriate! It is the time of year that folks are planning for the upcoming season and will be searching for a wonderful overall boating experience that our PYC provides both on land and sea! We need ALL OF OUR MEMBERS to become involved in bringing new members into the Club!!!! We have a significant number of available docks and we could well use the added revenue!

I am pleased to welcome Michael Bamann and Carol Ziegler as our newest PYC members! Michael and Carol dock their 51' Sea Ray at the Sodus Marina. They have visited the PYC several times with their previous 38' boat and enjoyed the total experience. They have had a great deal of boating experience over many years and Michael has a 50-ton captain's license. They are looking forward to being part of the PYC Community!



Cathy MacDonald, Membership Chair





Pultneyville Yacht Club

Historical hamlet
Peaceful scenic escape
Family atmosphere
Boating activities
Social gatherings
Home away from Home



Come visit us at:
www.PultneyvilleYachtClub.org

We strive to provide a welcoming, friendly, safe harbor and yacht club for sail and power boats.



There are many social functions throughout the year.
Our club is a volunteer working club making it an affordable option.

Through a common interest in sailing, cruising, racing competition, sportsmanship, comradery and family values , many new and lasting friendships are formed.

Please stop in for a visit or check out our website at
www.PultneyvilleYachtClub.org
Docks usually available.



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