



ALTON MOTORBOAT CLUB

NEWSLETTER

DECEMBER 2014

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR!!

MEMBER TOTALS:

REGULAR - 192

SOCIAL - 138

HONORARY - 5

OFFICERS:

Commodore	Steve Stutz
Vice-Commodore	Mike Reese
Secretary	Mike Hentrich
Treasurer	Bill Klinke

DIRECTORS:

Board Chairman	Dino Taylor
Bar	Rich Kortkamp
Dock Assignment	Bob Jenkins
Dock Repair	Matt Knight
Entertainment	Matt Woulfe
Grounds	Doug Pichee
House	Ron Jenkins
Membership	Linda Johnson-Petterson
Special Events	Tom Williams

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHIES TO RON JENKINS AND HIS FAMILY FOR THE RECENT PASSING OF RON'S BROTHER KENNETH.

WELCOME NEW MEMBER:

GEORGE RAFTOPOULOS - Social

UPCOMING EVENTS

12 December - Holiday Shopping Spree
Friday evening from 4 - 9 pm. A few of our members will be holding an evening to shop! Christina Roberts, who runs *Craftgarden* will have her fun aprons, towels, ornaments, dolls and much more! Yvonne Rushton, who runs *Gigi's Fashion For Fun* will have her fashionable purses and handmade jewelry! Just in time for the holidays. You won't want to miss it!

14 December - Children's Christmas Party
Sunday Afternoon from 1-4. Bring your children and grandchildren to the club to get a gift from Santa. Sign up at the club by Sunday, Dec 7th.

16 December - Adult Christmas Party
This will begin after the December membership meeting. Bring a \$10 gift if you want to participate in the gift exchange. The club will provide meat. Please bring a side dish to share.

20 December - Wii Bowling Tournament

31 December - New Year's Eve Party
Ring in the New Year at the Boat Club. The Owls will be entertaining us into 2015; they'll play 9-1. Cover charge will be \$15. The club will provide chicken wings and Shrimp. Bring a dish to share.

24 January - Installation Dinner
The band RadioStar will be on hand to help us install our new Board Members.

1 February - Super Bowl XLIX

PAST EVENTS

8 November - Wii Bowling Tournament
Chris took 1st Place on the lanes in November.

16 November - Turkey Shoot
It takes days of planning, people volunteering their time, and you, the members to make this event possible. Thank you to everyone who helped to make this year's Turkey Shoot a success. Special recognition is in order for our bartenders, Chef Geo and his wife Laurie for a wonderful meal and Tom and Amy Williams for again orchestrating such a great occasion.

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FROM THE KITCHEN

Check the calendar page (lower right), for Chef Geo's weekend specials.

CHAIRMAN (DINO TAYLOR 618-407-2792)

Our club is in compliance with all state and local regulations and continues to profit from our new video gaming machines.

BAR (RICH KORTKAMP 618-466-7518)

The club has attained a package liquor license and will soon offer certain brands of beer "in bulk". The board is determining pricing and details. The bar saw an excellent day at the Turkey Shoot.

DOCK ASSIGNMENT (BOB JENKINS 618-406-6034)

There are 8 slips and 12 parking spots available. Be sure that Chairman Jenkins has your insurance information.

DOCK REPAIR (MATT KNIGHT 618-407-9890)

Water is shut off. There are still noncompliant dock boxes being used in our harbor. These must be white and fiberglass.

ENTERTAINMENT (MATT WOULFE 618-465-3151)

Come in to the club and sign up on the New Year's Eve seating chart to reserve your seat. There will be designated drivers available if you need help getting home.

GROUNDS (DOUG PICHEE 618-580-6930)

Our parking lot is safe from the weather. Snow removal has been arranged for the winter months.

HOUSE (RON JENKINS 314-852-7860)

Captain Ron has installed new vents in the kitchen. He is also still looking for volunteers to clean the walk-in cooler.

SPECIAL EVENTS (TOM WILLIAMS 618-466-0134)

Turkey Shoot Raffle Results:

12 gauge Shotgun - Dorothy Gaither

.380 Pistol - Steve Stobbs

Scenic View Picture - Kori Herschen

MEMBERSHIP (LINDA JOHNSON 618-466-9914)

Members are the most important asset to our club. We currently have 335 members on the roster, but would welcome and could use many more. Bring any potential members you know in the club to show it off. The Boat Club is a great place for friends and children of all ages.

FROM THE COMMODORE

This year's election committee has been formed. Layne Gibson, Joey Springman, Dan Fitzgerald, Darlene Seidler and BJ Bechtold have stepped up to recruit potential 2015 officers and board members. If you have considered serving the club in one of these positions, contact a committee member. Butch Rister continues to monitor and report progress on the Piasa Creek Corp of Engineers project. The venture is currently underway with the building of a comprehensive mockup of the area. Be safe in the upcoming winter weather and Merry Christmas!!

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 BOARD MEETING 7:00 FREE WINGS	2 \$3 SMALL PIZZA	3 DEBBIE'S CHICKEN FRIED CHICKEN	4	5	6
7	8 FREE WINGS	9 \$3 SMALL PIZZA	10 DEBBIE'S COUNTRY FRIED STEAK	11	12 HOLIDAY SHOPPING SPREE 4-9 PM	13
14 CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY 1-4 PM	15 FREE WINGS	16 MEMBERSHIP MEETING 7:30 ADULT CHRISTMAS PARTY \$3 SMALL PIZZA	17 CHEEF GEO'S HOMEMADE PIZZA	18	19	20 Wii BOWLING 7:30 PM
21	22 FREE WINGS	23 \$3 SMALL PIZZA	24 CLUB CLOSSES AT 6 PM	25 MERRY CHRISTMAS	26	27
28	29 FREE WINGS	30 \$3 SMALL PIZZA	31 NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY W/ THE OWLS	<u>Chef Geo's Weekend Specials</u> Dec 5-7th Smothered Chicken Breast Dec 12-14th Angel Hair Pasta w/ Meatballs Dec 19-21st Appetizer Platter Dec 26-28th Ultimate Seafood Platter		
		GALLEY HOURS: FRI & SAT. 5-10 PM SUN. 2-8	DRINK SPECIALS SUN - BLOODY MARYS AND SCREWDRIVERS \$2.25, MON & TUES - BOTTLE & CAN BEER \$1.75, WED - DRAFT BEER \$1.00, THURS - WINE \$2.25, SAT - MARGARITAS \$2.25		OTHER BAR SPECIALS FREE WINGS EVERY MONDAY 16OZ BLUE MOON \$2.00 SMALL PIZZA \$3.00	



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