



ALTON MOTORBOAT CLUB

NEWSLETTER
MAY 2015

347 MEMBERS:

195 REGULAR

147 SOCIAL

5 HONORARY

OFFICERS:

Commodore	Steve Stutz
Vice-Commodore	Rhone Gillis
Secretary	Suzie Fill
Treasurer	Bill Klinke

DIRECTORS:

Board Chairman	Matt Woulfe
Bar	Bob Jenkins
Dock Assignment	Jim Neumann
Dock Repair	Matt Knight
Entertainment	Cliff Rushton
Grounds	Doug Pichee
House	Rich Kortkamp
Membership	Linda Johnson-Petterson
Special Events	Ron Jenkins

THE BOAT CLUB MOURNS THE LOSS OF:

RALPH VARBLE'S FATHER
CLIFF RUSHTON'S FATHER
NED SHULZ'S MOTHER

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS:

MARK LORCH - REGULAR
BRAD KORTE - SOCIAL
MICHAEL MILLER - SOCIAL

UPCOMING EVENTS

9 May - Spring Fling Party

This will be the same format as our previous Luau parties. Dinner will be served at 5pm until gone and will consist of chicken, ribs and brisket. Only \$8. Door prizes to be drawn at 9pm. Bring the family, support your club, and enjoy the fun!

10 May - Mother's Day Breakfast Buffet

Chef Geo will prepare fresh fruit, danishes, biscuits & gravy, hash browns, bacon, sausage and regular or loaded scrambled eggs. All you can eat, only \$10

21 May - Steak Night

Same as previous years, we'll start at 5pm. You'll get your steak and sides for just \$10. The club will provide grills and charcoal for you to prepare your own steak the way you like it. If you don't want to grill yourself, someone will surely prepare it for you.

13 June - Wild Game Feed / Membership Drive

The nautical swap meet at our membership drive has now been expanded to a flea market. Anything you would like to display and sell is welcome. This venture will require a lot of effort from a lot of people. A signup sheet will be posted for volunteers.

PAST EVENTS

28 March - Kid's Easter Party

Dozens of children enjoyed hunting eggs, realizing their prizes, participating in activities and posing with the Easter Bunny. Thanks to CPT Ron and his assistants for a great day for the kids!!

16 April - Prime Rib Buffet

Chef Geo's delicious Prime Rib sold out in under an hour. In the future, we will have a sign up list posted at the club for events like this to ensure everyone can take advantage of the wonderful meal.

FROM THE GALLEY

On Thursday, May 28th, Chef Geo will be preparing BBQ ribs, potato salad, baked beans and salad bar. 5pm until gone for only \$11. There is a signup sheet at the club. Just a reminder, bartenders do not share tips with the cooks at the Boat Club. Please tip accordingly. Also, ask Chef Geo about his desserts.

CHAIRMAN (MATT WOULFE 618-465-3151)

The ATM that was near the juke box has been removed. The state licenses for our video gaming machines are up to date and the payout machine to their left will serve as our fully functional ATM from now on. The state sanctioned video gaming has earned our club nearly \$5000 since its installation.

BAR (BOB JENKINS 618-406-6034)

Along with hosting our first Steak Night of the year, Chairman Jenkins is in the process of setting prices for package beer and liquor.

DOCK REPAIR (MATT KNIGHT 618-407-9890)

The water has been turned on to the north docks. The south docks will be turned on as soon as a few leaks are repaired. Contact Chairman Knight if you would like to earn work hours repairing leaks.

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CLUB HOURS: MON - THURS 2PM-10PM, FRI 2PM-1AM, SAT 10AM-1AM, SUN 10AM-10PM

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DOCK ASSIGNMENT (JIM NEUMANN 314-580-0538)

11 docks remain available for rent. Once the harbor is deepened, filling these empty slips could easily generate the money to pay for the procedure. Members are reminded that only boat trailers are allowed in parking areas. Due to upcoming harbor maintenance, boat trailers on the south lot will need to be moved immediately. You are able to park in the parking lot North of the clubhouse until the South side is ready. Contact Chairman Neumann with questions.

ENTERTAINMENT (CLIFF RUSHTON 618-781-1156)

Contact Chairman Rushton if you can donate your time to help with the Spring Fling. This is another chance to earn your last minute work hours. Two new display cases have been acquired to show off our apparel and will soon be installed. The old display case needs a new home. If anyone is interested, let Cliff know.

GROUNDS (DOUG PICHEE 618-580-6930)

Chairman Pichee will be hosting a grounds work party on May 2nd from 9-1. There is a signup sheet at the club; get your work hours!! He will also soon ensure the current permits are in place with the Corp of Engineers and coordinate spraying for weeds in the parking area.

HOUSE (RICH KORTKAMP 618-466-7518)

Chairman Kortkamp will be overhauling the club's storage closet on May 2nd. He already has carpenters lined up to assist but could use a few more hands for general help. Come to the club on the morning of the 2nd and join either Doug's or Rich's work parties.

SPECIAL EVENTS (RON JENKINS 314-852-7860)

CPT Ron is coordinating with Tom and Amy Williams to make this year's Boat Club Golf Tournament a success. Get your 4 man team together for September 12th at Rolling Hills Golf Course. More Details to come.

MEMBERSHIP (LINDA JOHNSON 618-466-9914)

Work hours are due May 31st. There are plenty of opportunities to get your hours during this very busy time of the year, (work parties, membership drive, etc....), sign up and do your part. Don't forget to pay your membership dues, also due May 31st!!!

NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING

Current newsletter advertising subscriptions will expire after the June newsletter. If you wish to advertise for the first time or renew for another year and haven't already paid, send an e-mail to AltonBoatClub@yahoo.com or call/text Vice Commodore Gillis at 217-370-9047. The cost is \$125 per year per advertising slot.

FROM THE COMMODORE

May-Jun-Jul coupon books will be available on Friday, May 1st. If you have not yet paid your coupon book fee and applicable late fee, do so soon.

Wyatt Smith and Joey Springman will soon be installing a large in ground sump pit on the northeast corner of the clubhouse. This should significantly help in averting damage from future potential floodwaters entering our clubhouse.

Our April membership meeting saw an attendance of around 50 members, the most in months. Thanks to everyone who attended. Let's try to keep this level of participation on all club issues going forward.

Chairman Matt Knight led a lengthy, and at times intense debate over options to deal with our shallow harbor. After a great discussion and many ideas being presented, the membership voted to entertain a long sticking bid from Stutz Excavating. The job will cost the club between 100 and 125 thousand dollars and will convene in as little as two weeks.

Although this project will be contracted, there will unquestionably be work needed to be done by our members. Donate your time and do what you can to help your club prosper.

OFFICER CONTACT NUMBERS:

Steve Stutz - 618-466-1468
Rhone Gillis - 217-370-9047
Suzie Fill - 618-781-4558
Bill Klinke - 618-466-1925

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p align="center"><u>CHEF GEO'S WEEKEND SPECIALS</u></p> <p>MAY 1-3: 2 TOPPING PIZZA AND 1 POUND OF WINGS \$10 MAY 8-10: SALMON, BAKED POTATO, 3 JUMBO SHRIMP AND SALAD BAR MAY 15-17: 2 CHICKEN KABOBS WITH BAKED POTATO AND SALAD BAR MAY 22-24: REGULAR MENU ONLY MAY 29-31: SEAFOOD PASTA IN ALFREDO SAUCE W/GARLIC BREAD AND SALAD BAR</p>					1 NEW COUPON BOOK AVAILABLE	2 HOUSE AND GROUNDS WORK PARTIES
3	4 BOARD MEETING 7:00 FREE WINGS	5 \$3 SMALL PIZZA	6 DEBBIE'S CHICKEN FRIED CHICKEN	7	8	9 SPRING FLING 5PM
10 MOTHER'S DAY BREAKFAST BUFFET 10-1	11 FREE WINGS	12 \$3 SMALL PIZZA	13 DEBBIE'S TACO NIGHT	14	15	16
17	18 FREE WINGS	19 MEMBERSHIP MEETING 7:30, \$3 SMALL PIZZA	20 GEO'S PIZZA NIGHT	21 STEAK NIGHT 5PM	22	23
24	25 MEMORIAL DAY	26 \$3 SMALL PIZZA	27 DEBBIE'S FRIED PORK CHOPS	28 GEO'S BBQ RIBS 5PM	29	30
SUNDAY 31 LAST DAY TO PAY MEMBERSHIP DUES WITHOUT 25% LATE FEE WORK HOURS ARE DUE			GALLEY HOURS: FRI & SAT. 5-10 PM SUN. 2-8	DRINK SPECIALS: SUN - BLOODY MARYS AND SCREWDRIVERS \$2.25 TUES - BOTTLE & CAN BEER \$1.75 WED - 12oz DRAFT BEER \$1.00 THURS - WINE \$2.25 SAT - MARGARITAS \$2.25		



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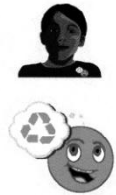


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