

April, 2017



Hello Clear Lakers!

Not much of a winter this year which is great for the winter haters, but awful for the winter lovers. I can take it or leave it but I do like to engage in some of the winter activities like ice fishing, snowmobiling and snow skiing. With the exception of the snow and ice in December and a couple days in January, there wasn't much opportunity for that this year. So what's a person to do? How about putting in your dock in late February! That is what Bill and Chris Geiger did on the 22nd of February. I think that might be a new record! I did put a section of dock, a lift and a boat in the following day and took a couple laps. The marina bay was still frozen at the time!

This is going to be an outstanding year at the CLYC! We have an awesome board of directors and volunteers that will help me see to it that this year will be the best ever! Rick and Kris Gartner and Jim Geiger have been working all winter booking entertainment and caterers for the up-coming season. It will be a blast, I guarantee it! Tim and Sandy Ginn, the Ski Club chairmen, announced July 29th will be the date for the Ski Show this year and promises tons of fun for our talented club skiers this year. Chris Hughes, our Sailing Chairman, is planning two sailing schools this summer, one in late June and one in mid-July. He is also planning several small type sailboat races (sunfish etc.) in July. Sue Stout and Barb Wenger will be in charge of pickle ball and the tennis club this year, promising the nets will be up sometime in May. Bruce Spangler and Tim Peterson will again be in charge of the CLYC Bar this year and I'm positive they will make sure we don't run out of adult beverages! They have done a fantastic job year after year managing the bar and keeping a great assortment of spirits on hand. Jan will back at the helm as the master bartender.

This year is the 60th Anniversary of our beloved Flying Scot sailboats, as well as the 40th Anniversary of the C-Scow. The Sailing Club, which our yacht club was founded on, has added more and more boats each year and promises an awesome summer of competitive sailing in both the Saturday and Sunday Series which I have grown to love. If you own a Flying Scot or C Scow (or MC Scow) and you would like to give racing a try, don't hesitate to contact myself, Chris Hughes or any other sailing club member and we'll explain how it all works. I'm sure you'll get hooked like I did.

See you at the first TGIF on Friday May 26th with Big Apple Pizza and live entertainment with Joe Justice.

Let's make this the best summer ever at the CLYC.

See you soon!!

Bill Zeller, 2017 Commodore

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## **2017 Membership Application Directions**

Your membership application for the 2017 season is enclosed. We have included a personalized Contact Information sheet reflecting the data that we currently have on file. Please review, correct and add data on this sheet. Also verify that email addresses listed are still those you prefer.

Membership renewals are **due June 1, 2017**. Add a 10% late fee if paid after June 1st. Help us jumpstart the summer season so we can publish the CLYC Directory early this year. **Please renew NOW!** If you have questions about the membership application, contact Barb Wenger at 904 273-0657 or [barbwenger@gmail.com](mailto:barbwenger@gmail.com)

## **2017 CLYC Events (so far) – Mark your Calendar!**

- May 6 Club Clean Up 10 AM
- May 26 Big Apple Pizza with music by Joe Justice
- June 2 Sutton's Deli
- June 9 The Party Pan with music by Pan Man
- June 16 Igrandma's Food Truck fish fry
- June 23 Appetizer Night - music by Aaron & Sarah
- June 24 Conservancy Fundraiser
- June 30 Italian Grille Chicken Gusto
- July 1 Clear Lake Fireworks (rain date July 2)
- July 14 Men's Steak Night - music by Johnny Rodriquez
- July 21 Igrandma's Food Truck Pork Tenderloin
- July 28 Ski Club Fundraiser
- July 29 Ski Club Show and party
- August 4 Music by Island Vibe
- August 11 Lakeside Farms Market farm to fork
- August 18 Appetizer Night with music by Jim Weber
- General Membership meeting 10 am
- August 25 No TGIF
- August 26 Commodore's Ball
- Sept 15 Appetizer Night
- Sept 22 Soup and Chili with music by Mike Conley

## **Small Boat Educational Race Series**

The Sailing School will host a small boat educational race series this summer on Sundays in July at 1:30 pm. Two 30 minute races will be held to give participants opportunities to practice all aspects of racing. The Sailing School is asking for volunteers to come out and coach racers. A short instructional session will be held at the Yacht Club after the races. All boats 14' (Sunfish or smaller) and under are eligible to race. Sailing school boats are available for use on a first come-first serve basis, but must be reserved in advance by contacting Megan Moss [meg.moss@icloud.com](mailto:meg.moss@icloud.com) or [260-466-6956](tel:260-466-6956). The dates for the races are July 9, 16, 23, 30. The cost for the series is \$20.

## **Sailing Camp**

There will be 2 sailing camps this summer in order to accommodate more campers. The 1<sup>st</sup> sailing camp will take place on Monday June 26<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday June 28<sup>th</sup>. The 2<sup>nd</sup> camp will be Monday July 17<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday July 19<sup>th</sup>. It is open to all campers ages 7 and up. We can accept up to 15 students per camp this year. Enrollment will be open to Yacht Club members and family of members only until June 1st. Enrollment will then open to the public. To reserve a spot for your young sailors, contact Chris Hughes at [CLYCSailingSchool@gmail.com](mailto:CLYCSailingSchool@gmail.com) or call [260-243-0448](tel:260-243-0448).

## **Junior Tennis Lessons**

Junior Tennis Lessons will be held July 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> from 10:30 – 11:30 AM. Players, ages 7 and older, can join in these free lessons. Participants do not need to be members of the CLYC tennis/pickleball club. Very cool Clear Lake Tennis T-shirts will be ordered for all kids who participate. If your child/grandchild is interested or if you are willing to help coach, please contact Samantha Howald at [showald@bex.net](mailto:showald@bex.net) or Barb Wenger at [barbwenger@gmail.com](mailto:barbwenger@gmail.com).

## **Picture Directory**

A picture is so helpful in remembering names. We want your picture to be included in our Picture Directory! You are also welcome to submit updated photos since many photos are from back in 2012! If you take your own photo, we need a close-up, head & shoulders photo of both you and your spouse/significant other. If you send a picture from your phone, send it as an email, not a text. Email the picture to [barbwenger@gmail.com](mailto:barbwenger@gmail.com) and be sure to include your name in the email. Thanks for your participation in our CLYC Picture Directory!

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# Clear Lake Yacht Club Membership Application

## FEES

### CLEAR LAKE YACHT CLUB MEMBERSHIPS

	<u>FEE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
<b>Family Membership:</b> For 2 individuals, their minor children, full time students and occasional extended family visitors. Regular visiting families are encouraged to get their own family membership.	\$250	_____
<b>Young Family Membership:</b> For 2 individuals both being under age 30 & their children.	\$150	_____
<b>Single Membership:</b> For one individual <b>over</b> age of 21 years.	\$125	_____
<b>Youth Membership:</b> For one individual of 21 years or <b>under</b> .	\$25	_____
<b>Honorary Life Membership:</b> For all former commodores <b>over</b> age 65 & their spouses.	FREE	_____

**Please note: Add 10% late fee if paid after June 1<sup>st</sup>. Please renew NOW!**

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### **OPERATING GROUP ACTIVITIES MEMBERSHIPS**

Participating in operating group activities requires a Clear Lake Yacht Club Membership

#### **SAILING**

<b>Sailing Series</b> includes <b>Saturday &amp; Sunday</b> racing. Per boat registered.	\$125	_____
<b>Small Boat Educational Race Series (July 9, 16, 23, 30 only)</b>	\$ 20	_____
<b>Class of Boat</b> _____ <b>Sail #</b> _____ <b>Color</b> _____		
<b>Mooring:</b> Offered on a limited basis to Sailing Group Members in accordance with mooring regulations.	\$125	_____

#### **TENNIS AND PICKLEBALL**

<b>Family Tennis-Pickleball:</b> For individuals over age 30 and their minor children. Included as family members are full time students or those living at home who are <b>under</b> age 21.	\$75	_____
<b>Young Member Tennis-Pickleball:</b> For individuals under age 30 and their children.	\$25	_____

#### **SKI CLUB**

<b>For youths age 18 and under</b> \$25.00 per person. Requires a CLYC membership.	<b>each \$25</b>	_____
<b>Family Maximum</b> \$75.00	<b>or max of \$75</b>	_____
<b>Name</b> _____ <b>Birth year</b> _____	<b>Name</b> _____ <b>Birth year</b> _____	
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### **VOLUNTARY DONATIONS**

<b>Building Preservation/Repair Fund</b> for building repairs and non-reoccurring expenses.	\$	_____
<b>Entertainment Fund</b> to help fund entertainment and special events.	\$	_____
<b>Tennis Court Maintenance</b> to build a fund for routine & major repair of courts, nets and fences.	\$	_____
<b>Sailing School</b> – to fund sailing camps, educational races and boat maintenance.	\$	_____
<b>Other (please specify below)</b> to provide extra funds for an Operating Group to create new programs.	\$	_____

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**Total of all Payment Amounts (insert on top of Contact Information page)** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

# Clear Lake Yacht Club Membership Application

## CONTACT INFORMATION

SEND TO:

**Due June 1, 2017**

Clear Lake Yacht Club Membership  
PO Box 668  
Fremont, IN 46737

(NOTE: 10% late fee applies if paid after June 1<sup>st</sup>)

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

(Amount paid)

Make Check payable to: Clear Lake Yacht Club

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### PLEASE PRINT

His/Her Full Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home (Winter ) Address \_\_\_\_\_

Winter City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Clear Lake Address \_\_\_\_\_

Clear Lake City, State \_\_\_\_\_

Home (Winter) Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Clear Lake Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax Number \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone (his) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone (hers) \_\_\_\_\_

Email (his) \_\_\_\_\_ Email (hers) \_\_\_\_\_

**Family Information:** List children under 21 years old. Note their BIRTH YEAR (not age).

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Year \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Year \_\_\_\_\_

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Year \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Year \_\_\_\_\_

**Check Yes or No for each:**

Yes

No

I hereby authorize CLYC to publish my information in the CLYC Directory  
for member use only.

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**Please complete both pages of the Membership Application (Contact Information and Fees)  
and send, with your check (made out to Clear Lake Yacht Club), to the address above.**