



Tell Tale

Shreveport Yacht Club Member News

November
2025

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1st Annual Guvernator Regatta, 2025

Jennings Cup – J-22 Class

1st Place – Steven Pracht (My Girl)

2nd Place – Karl Bradley (Agean)

3rd Place – Dave Ebbrecht (9th Fury)

Guvernator Cup

1st Place – Karl Bradley (Agean)

2nd Place – Wiley Pollard (Amilee)

3rd Place – Dave Ebbrecht (9th Fury)

Portsmouth Class

1st Place – Wiley Pollard (Amilee)

2nd Place – Kevin Brown (Cross Tide)

3rd Place – Linda Shemwell (Thrill Seaker)





BOARD OF DIRECTORS

James Coe – Commodore

Jeff Little – Rear Commodore

Brenda Graves – Vice-Commodore

Shelly Wagner – Treasurer

Charles Tabor – Secretary

George Carroll –Member At Large

Kelly Crawford - Member at Large

Patrick Garrett – Member at Large

STAFF

Rick Hutson – General Manager

Brian Keller – Assistant Manager

Herbert Kappler –Executive Chef

Donald Sanders – Sous Chef

Lee Hughes - Maintenance

Kaelyn Hutson – Member
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Friday, November 14

Buffet from 6:00-7:00
Bingo begins at 7:00pm

Buffet to include:
Fried Chicken
Mashed Potatoes and Gravy
Southern Style Green Beans
Rolls and Butter
Apple Crisp
\$18.00 per person for buffet

\$25.00 per person for Bingo (plays all games)



Welcome New Member!

Lisa Hargrove

Christian & Marci Pendley



Commodore's Comments



October was a busy and eventful month at SYC. The first annual Guvernator Memorial Regatta and 8-Bell Ceremony was a great success. I would like to congratulate all the participants for the great sailing and strong competition. I would like to give a special thank you to Tom Hadel for organizing the regatta and Don Olson, Mitch Guess, Craig Jackson and Steve Durham for serving as Race Committee. Although, this was the last regatta of the year, our Sunday Racing Series will continue for the remainder of the year.

I would also like to congratulate the new Board of Directors elected at the Annual Election Meeting. I have no doubt they will do a great job serving the club next year.

James Coe, Commodore

Manager's Message



It's so nice to see the sailors taking full advantage of this perfect weather. October's Guvernator Regatta was awesome! Thanks to all involved. Thanks so much to Melissa Lamberth for heading up and decorating for the Halloween party again. For those of you who do not know, Melissa decorates for all of the club events on a volunteer basis and does an amazing job. It's members like her that make this club so fantastic.

We have our last Bingo of the year scheduled for the 14th. Make sure to make our reservation early for this event as it is likely to sell out. We will kick off our holiday season parties with our annual Gingerbread House Kid's Party on the 30th. This is another event that can fill up quickly. The Commodore's Ball is scheduled for December 6th, and the Santa Brunch is scheduled for December 14th. We will be closed for Thanksgiving. We still have a couple of dates available for private Christmas parties in December. If you are interested in holding an event at SYC please call the office and we will help with every detail.

Our winter menu will be coming out this month so keep your eyes on your email for a sneak peak of what Chef Kap has in store! See you at the club.

Rick Hutson, General Manager





2025 Commodore's "Masquerade" Ball



Join us for the best party of the year!
Saturday, December 6th
6:00-10:00pm

Complimentary Heavy Hors D'oeuvres
Complimentary Open Bar
Live Band

1st Annual 8 Bells Ceremony

Celebrating club members that have "ended their watch on earth"





SYC Children's Gingerbread House Party

Sunday, November 30th

4:00-6:00pm

\$15.00 per child

We will be making gingerbread houses to take home! Snacks, drinks and gingerbread house kits will be provided.



Employee Christmas Bonus

This year, as in the past, we are asking you to participate in our Employee Christmas Bonus fund; an expression of gratitude to all the hourly employees who work so hard during the year. This fund gives the entire membership an opportunity to acknowledge the efforts of the staff that are not only visible on a regular basis but also those who work "behind the scenes".

Your December statement will reflect the optional charge of \$25.00 for the Employee Christmas fund. If you prefer to give more, less, or none at all, please notify the Club office prior to December 15th.

The board of directors wishes you a safe and happy holiday season.

The Board of Directors of the Shreveport Yacht Club

November 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2 Portsmouth Racing Windard/Leeward 2:00pm Private Event Downstairs Bar & Patio 100 Guests	3 Clubhouse Closed	4 Clubhouse Closed	5	6	7	8
9 Portsmouth Racing Fun Distance 2:00pm	10 Clubhouse Closed	11 Clubhouse Closed	12	13	14 SYC Bingo & Buffet 6:00-9:00pm	15
16 Portsmouth Racing Windard/Leeward 2:00pm	17 Clubhouse Closed	18 Clubhouse Closed	19	20	21	22
23	24 Clubhouse Closed	25 Clubhouse Closed	26	27 Thanksgiving Day Clubhouse Closed	28	29
30 SYC Kid's Gingerbread House Making Party						