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Shreveport Yacht Club Member News

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September
2026



Labor Day Fish Fry

**Join us for our annual fish fry on
Monday, September 7th**

Menu Will Include:

**Fried Catfish, Fried Shrimp, Potato Salad,
Macaroni Salad, Coleslaw, Hush Puppies,
Baked Beans, Fried Okra, Corn on the Cobb,
Jalapeno Cornbread, and Strawberry Pie.**

Adults - \$25

Children (4-8) \$12.00



BOARD OF DIRECTORS

**Shelly Wagner Kammer –
Commodore**

James Coe – Rear Commodore

George Carroll – Vice-Commodore

Charles Tabor – Treasurer

Brenda Graves – Secretary

Chris Lamberth –Member At Large

Kelly Crawford - Member at Large

Brad Schmidt – Member at Large

STAFF

Rick Hutson – General Manager

Brian Keller – Assistant Manager

Lee Hughes - Maintenance

Herbert Kappler – Chef

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2027 Board of Directors Slate

*The 2026 Nominating Committee has made their
recommendations for the 2027 Board of Directors:*

Commodore

Charles Tabor

Vice Commodore

Brenda Graves

Rear Commodore

Shelly Wagner

Treasurer

George Carroll

Secretary

Brad Schmidt

Member at Large

Kelly Crawford

Member at Large

Chris Lamberth

Member at Large

Elizabeth Bradley

*This slate has been approved by the Board of Directors and it
has been posted in the clubhouse. Many thanks to the
Nominating Committee members and outgoing board member,
James Coe.*

Club News

*The Club will no longer be open for lunch on Fridays after
Labor Day. We will still be open for lunch on Saturdays and
Sundays beginning at 11:00am.*

*Please be aware that no one under 21 years of age will be
permitted to sit at the bar countertop. Those under 21 may
still dine in the bar area but must be seated at a table.*



Welcome New Members!

Trey & Elisabeth Simmons, Amy Bush & Ron Martin

Club membership is currently full with 10 families on the wait list.



Commodore's Comments

It's been another busy month at SYC! The weather has been HOT...and so is our new menu! If you haven't made it to the club to try it yet, consider this your official invitation. A big thank you to Rick and the kitchen staff for all the hard work that went into making it a success.

This month also brought our very first Mahjong Play Day! Thank you to Jeri Little and Jennifer Carter for getting this new activity off the ground. There will be many more to come.

Bingo Night was another full house, with Brian keeping everyone entertained and lots of lucky winners took home cash prizes. Bingo continues to be a SYC fave!

You may also notice new signs appearing around the club. Thank you to Brenda Graves for leading that project and helping keep our club looking its best.

We wrapped up the month with our Back to the Future Membership Appreciation Party, and it was a blast! It was great seeing so many members dressed for the theme and enjoying the evening together. Great food, great music and great people! A special thank you to Melissa Lamberth, who once again transformed the clubhouse with her incredible decorations.

Months like this remind me that our members make the Shreveport Yacht Club such a special place. I was chatting with a couple of long term SYC members recently and they said that "back in the day" there used to be a beer vending machine and a cigarette vending machine at the club. Let me know if any of you remember that, when I see you around the club! I love these stories...keep them coming!

Thank you for keeping your anchor at SYC—I'll see you at the club!

Shelly Wagner, Commodore



Member SPOTLIGHT

Melissa Lamberth



The Club would like to recognize one of the true gems of the Shreveport Yacht Club, Melissa Lamberth. If you have ever been to a party at the club, it was probably decorated and organized by Melissa. On a voluntary basis, Melissa decorates the club year round for events and parties. Every Easter, Memorial Day, 4th of July, Member Appreciation Party, Labor Day, Halloween, Ginger Bread House Event, Santa Brunch, Commodore's Ball, and anything in between, Melissa is here to make the club look amazing! Chris and Melissa have been members since 2016 and were both instrumental in having the playground installed at the club. Her husband Chris is currently on the board of directors for the second time and volunteers much of his time to the club as well. Chris and Melissa are avid boaters and can often be seen on the lake pulling their two kids on wakeboards. If you attended the Member Appreciation Party last month, you guessed it, she decorated the entire club for that event. It is member volunteers like Melissa that make this club the best around! Thank you so much, Melissa. We would not know what to do without you!

Member Appreciation Party, 2026



September 2026

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Clubhouse Closed	2	3	4	5
6	7 Labor Day Fish Fry 11:30-7:00 pm	8 Clubhouse Closed	9 Clubhouse Closed	10	11 Bingo & Buffet 6:00-9:00 pm	12 Private Event Downstairs Bar & Outside Areas 12:00-4:00 pm 175 guests
13	14 Clubhouse Closed	15 Clubhouse Closed	16	17	18 Private Event Dining Room 5:00-10:00 pm 175 guests	19 Private Event Downstairs Bar 25 guests – 10:00am – 1:00pm
20	21 Clubhouse Closed	22 Clubhouse Closed	23	24 SYC Board of Directors Meeting – 6:30 pm	25	26