

MUSKEGON YACHT CLUB

PORTWATCH

AUGUST 2022



July 9th Jolly Rogers cup winners! It was a race between Lakeshore Yacht Harbor, Muskegon Yacht Club and White Lake Yacht Club. Muskegon Yacht Club team won the cup by one point. They took the top three boat finishes from each yacht club, they added up the points and the lowest points won.

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Race & Regatta.....Jon Ledsworth

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COMMODORE'S COMMENTS:

My report this month is going to be short and sweet since I missed more than half the month delivering, racing, and returning from the Race to Mackinac from Chicago. Congratulations to all the MYC sailors that finished the fast but seriously challenging Race to Mackinac. Big congratulations to Colin Booth and crew on Mas Tiempo as our top MYC finisher. Great race! I'll take my space to thank my crew of In The Blood for getting me to the finish line at my first Mac race as a boat owner.

The MYC kitchen is back, so come down and enjoy your club in August! This is often our busiest and nicest month. I can't wait to spend more time at the club this month and catch up with everyone. See you at the club.

Eric Bombery
Muskegon Yacht Club Commodore
ericbombermyc@gmail.com



2022 Capital Improvement Fund Update

2022 Collected:

\$ 34,412

+

12/31/21 Balance:

\$ 116,720



2022 Expenditures:

\$ 24,797

Available Balance =

\$ 126,335

2022 Dock Claim Insurance Settlement Summary

Date	Transaction	Amount	Balance
6/25/18	Ins. Settlement Chk #1 of 2	50,000.00	50,000.00
6/25/18	Tucker Marine Constr. #168	-25,700.00	24,300.00
8/6/18	Ins. Settlement Chk #2 of 2	401,733.43	426,033.43
12/12/18	Tucker Marine Constr. #190	-4,800.00	421,233.43
1/31/19	Edgewater Resources #1147	-6,180.00	415,053.43
2/28/19	Edgewater Resources #1242	-2,896.75	412,156.68
4/11/19	Edgewater Resources #1389	-1,105.00	411,051.68
7/19/19	Soils & Structures #68775	-9,400.00	401,651.68
7/31/19	Tucker Marine Constr. #219	-6,000.00	395,651.68
02/26/21	Tucker Marine Constr. #361	-25,000.00	370,651.68
06/10/21	Edgewater Res. (2019 corr.)	-1,757.60	368,894.08
06/10/21	Tucker Marine Constr. #369	-28,617.83	340,276.25
06/30/21	Home Depot	-277.92	339,998.33
07/27/21	Tucker Marine Constr. #392	-47,266.59	292,731.74
08/13/21	Tucker Marine Constr. #395	-36,835.74	255,896.00
09/08/21	SK & Associates LLC #1440	-6,386.51	249,509.49
09/24/21	Tucker Marine Constr. #400	-56,164.24	193,345.25
05/07/22	Tucker Marine Constr. #433	-22,500.00	170,845.25
05/31/22	Torresen Marine #9738	-1,500.00	169,345.25
05/31/22	Torresen Marine #9739	-320.00	169,025.25
06/03/22	Tucker Marine Constr. #438	-29,340.25	139,685.00
06/24/22	Tucker Marine Constr. #439	-28,230.00	111,455.00
07/15/22	Tucker Marine Constr. #445	-30,887.56	80,567.44

HOURS of OPERATION

Summer Hours

	Bar	Kitchen
Monday	Closed	Closed
Tuesday	12 pm – 10 pm	12 pm – 9 pm
Wednesday	12 pm – 11 pm	12 pm – 9 pm
Thursday	12 pm – 10 pm	12 pm – 9 pm
Friday	12 pm – 12 am	12 pm – 9 pm
Saturday	12 pm – 12 am	12 pm – 9 pm
Sunday	12 pm – 9 pm	12 pm – 8 pm

MYC Committee Monthly Meeting Reminders:



- Dock & Yard Committee – 2nd Saturday at 9:00 am**
- House Committee – 2nd Saturday at 10:00 am**
- Membership Committee – 2nd Saturday at 11:00am**
- Race & Regatta Committee – 3rd Wed. at 7:00pm**
- Social Committee – 2nd Thursday at 7:00 pm**
- Board Meeting – 3rd Thursday at 7:00pm**



Membership Committee:

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

On behalf of the Membership Committee, we are happy to announce the following additions to the MYC Family:

Scott & Wendy Bogner
Norton Shores, MI
Full Members

Rocky & Angela Frees
Muskegon, MI
Full Members

Linda & Chris Garzelloni
Spring Lake, MI
Full Members

Pat & Sally Leblanc
Muskegon, MI
Full Members

Shawn Mcfadden & Kay
Gautraud
Norton Shores, MI
Full Members

Bill & Erin O'Brien
Norton Shores, MI
Full Members

Kelly & Scott Boatman
Grand Rapids, MI
Full Members

Becky & James Woodruff
North Muskegon, MI
Returning Full Members





Race and Regatta Committee Report:

Happy August, MYC Racers!

Where has the Summer gone? It seems like just a couple of weeks ago that we were shaking out the cobwebs and just hitting the water!

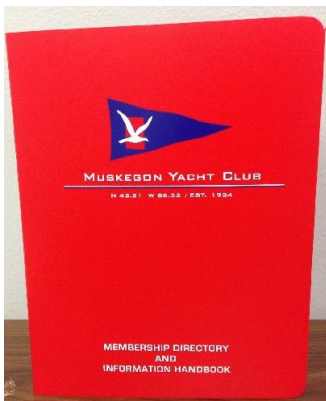
August sees us racing the Harbor Hospice Regatta on Wednesday, August 10. Be sure to make your \$50 donation and register with Harbor Hospice to be scored in both the Wednesday Night Series as well as the Harbor Hospice. You do not have to be a regular Wednesday Night competitor in order to race in the Harbor Hospice Regatta, however. You just need to register for the Harbor Hospice portion and we will score you.

Also coming up in August is the Clipper Cup Race on August 12. New to the race this year is YellowBrick Tracking for all the boats. Enter the race and your friends and family on shore can follow your progress. And as always, the party in Port Washington never disappoints!

Please remember that GRSC has cancelled their Commodore's Race from Grand Haven to Muskegon, so that will not be included in the Blacklock Cup this year. Therefore, our last Blacklock Cup event will be the Governor's Cup on Labor Day week. Planning is in process to make this a fun race again this year. Don't miss it!

We are now in our third sponsored Wednesday Night Series, thanks to Bluffton Bay Sails! We will close out the season under the sponsorship of Pigeon Hill Brewery. Thank you to all of our sponsors from this 2022 season. See you all out there.

- Your MYC Race & Regatta Committee



Printed copies of the 2022 Member Handbook (aka Red Book) are available at the bar for \$5 each.

The digital copy of the Handbook is available at [THIS LINK](#) for members to download and/or print.

Members can always access the digital Handbook on the MYC website, www.muskegonyachtclub.org in the "Members Only" section.

All new members will receive a printed copy of the Handbook at no charge via mail.

Crew of Souvenir who just won the overall trophy for the Round Mackinac Island Race.





Juniors Committee Report:



July 22 was the first WMYSA regatta in a few years at MYC. It was wonderful to see all of the activity, kids and boats again. Huge, HUGE thank you to everyone who volunteered their time to make this a great event and especially to Scott and Lisa Corder for running a top-notch program.

Typically, parents without a power boat will wait around for races to be over somewhere at the club they are visiting. Steve DeMello volunteered his Tierra to take visiting spectators out to watch their children race. This amazing gesture was very much appreciated by our visitors.





OUR JUNIOR RACE TEAM IS BACK OUT ON THE WEDNSDAY NIGHT RACE COURSE!!! Thanks to Kyle Vowels for the use of his J24. Our race team has the opportunity to once again race with the big boats on Wednesday evenings.

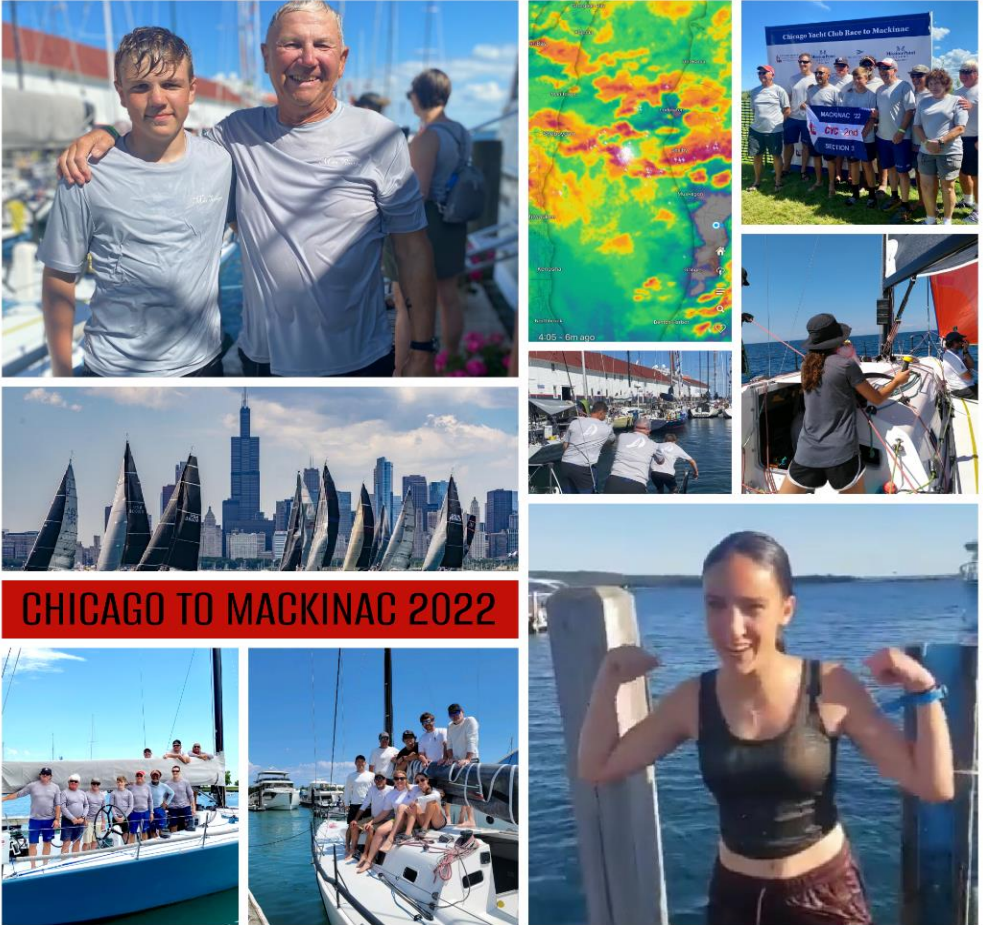
The J24 is also being used for adult lessons, taking our program to the next level with a keel boat, winches and spinnaker.



BUTTERFLY NATIONALS AT SPRING LAKE

Two of our Junior race team members, Lila Torresen and Cole Blum competed at

Butterfly Nationals, held at Spring Lake Yacht Club July 12 -14th.



Lila took home the ***Top Female Sailor*** award, 5th overall in Junior Championship as well as 11th place in the Open Championship. Cole placed 15th in both the Junior Championship and the Open Championship.

CHICAGO YACHT CLUB RACE TO MACKINAC

Our Junior race team members, Cole Blum and Lila Torresen also did their first Chicago Yacht Club Race to Mackinac! Lila in a J111, No Quarter and Cole on GP42 Mas Tiempo. This was not an easy race this year with multiple rounds of severe thunderstorms the first night on the lake followed by very windy conditions on the second day.

Lila's boat placed 4th in the J111 Chicago Mackinac Trophy with an elapsed time of

1:14:12:24

Cole's boat placed 2nd in Section 2 Chicago Mackinac Trophy with an elapsed time of 1:9:21:55

A tradition for first time Mac competitors is to be tossed into the lake in the harbor on the island. Lila, Cole and Glynn Stenstrom were blessed as first timers.

PLEASE SUPPORT MYC JUNIOR PROGRAMS BY GIVING TO THE MJSA

The MYC Sailing School and MYC Junior Programs are made possible through the generous support of the Muskegon Junior Sailing Association (MJSA) which is a 501c3 charitable organization.

Please consider making the Muskegon Junior Sailing Association part of your planned giving with a tax-deductible donation. Follow the link for online donations. [Give Today!](#)



For more info on the non profit program please click the link below:

<http://www.muskegonyachtclub.org/myc-juniors/mjsa/>

Respectfully, Kimberly Blum, Junior's Chairperson





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www.ycaol.com

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MYC AUGUST 2022 ~						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Sue Peters 25 th MYC Anniversary	2 Member Private Event	3 Race Night	4	5	6 Dock & Yard Committee Meeting 9 am
7	8	9	10 Harbor Hospice Race	11 Clipper Cup Party	12 Clipper Cup Race	13
14	15	16 Nicky Anderson 23 rd MYC Anniversary	17 Race Night	18 Board Meeting 7 pm	19	20
21	22	23	24 Race Night	25	26	27
28	29	30 Katie Schmidt 3- year MYC Anniversary	31 Race Night			

If you have events or meetings you'd like added to the Portwatch or website calendars, please contact Kim Nguyen - kim@muskegonyachtclub.org