

# SHYC PRESIDENT'S REPORT November 2019

Dear Members,

Here is the latest news from your club:

If this is your first winter as an owner at SHYC you are in for a wonderful season of boating and enjoying all our amenities. As season approaches, I would ask all members to review the document section of our website. It is packed full of information that will help keep you informed on rules and protocols that are vital to ensuring a productive environment for all to enjoy: <a href="http://www.shycfl.com">http://www.shycfl.com</a>. The facility is running on all cylinders and we are ready for a great season of boating.

Our new floating dock and boardwalk walkway projects are still waiting for the final of 11 permitting processes that we had to go through for project approval. We hope to receive the permits and start the project within the next few weeks. Members will experience no interruption of their service during the process.

#### Financial Report as of November 9, 2019

Cash on Hand \$ 134,582 Accounts Payable \$ 50,314 Accounts Receivable \$ 100,779 Reserves \$ 300,994

#### **Welcome Back Owner Christmas and Holiday Party**

Saturday December 14th save the date more details to come

#### **Holiday Food Drive for the Needy**

2017 marks the 4<sup>th</sup> anniversary of our Holiday Food Drive for needy families. Slowly but surely it has grown more successful. This year your generosity and caring are more important than ever. Hurricane Irma has left a devastating effect on southwest Florida. There are still families without permanent shelter and on food stamps in order to survive.

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Many are without not only homes but jobs as businesses they worked for were destroyed by the killer storm. I would ask that you please contribute what you can to this cause. There is a box in the breezeway next to the ship store for your contribution. The drive ends on December 15<sup>th</sup>.

### **Book Your Christmas and Holiday Parties**

Christmas and the holiday season are always fun at SHYC. Our beautifully decorated club and festive atmosphere is a great place for your private party. Our 4<sup>th</sup> floor can accommodate parties of up to 30 persons and offers amenities not found in local restaurants such as valet parking, beautiful water views and a no tipping policy to save you money. We are already booking some parties so please call our GM Chad to discuss the multiple options that are available in all price ranges and to reserve your special date.

# **Employee Holiday Gift Fund**

As you know, our club has a no tipping policy for all of employees. They work hard to maintain our high standards and deliver 5 Star service to our members and guests. Through our holiday gift fund, the members can show their appreciation. Our members have always been generous in showing this appreciation. Please remember our terrific staff with your holiday gift thru this fund. An email flyer has been sent to all members and your holiday gift will be accepted up to December 10<sup>th</sup>. I know that your gifts are a big help to our staff and will be most appreciated.

# October Employee of the Month

Our October Employee of the Month is Kyle Wrenn. Kyle is a long-term employee who is a great asset to our club. He is a dedicated staff member who has a wide range of abilities and talent. Kyle can perform almost every job in our marina division including forklift driver. Congratulations, Kyle!

#### **New Menu for 2020 Season**

The club's annual new menu made its debut on November 1<sup>st</sup>. The reviews from our members have been very positive. New entries include grouper and filet mignon as well as new lunch and snack items. The Board would like to know your comments on the new menu. Please drop me an email at <a href="mailto:pmazzagatti@comcast.net">pmazzagatti@comcast.net</a> with your comments.

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# **Thanksgiving Day**

For our employees to enjoy their families during this great American holiday, our facility will be closed on Thanksgiving. If you would like to have your boat launched for Thanksgiving Day please let us know in advance and we can launch it on the day before. Your vessel will be cleaned and stowed the day after Thanksgiving.

Our mission is to offer all our members and their guests a <u>5 Star Experience</u> each time you visit the club. If your experience in any facet of our club fails to meet your expectations, or is exceptional, please let me know about it. The Board and I are always available to help members in any way possible. Thank you for your continued support and encouragement.

Sincerely,

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