

# LAGOON LINES

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF THE GRAND LAGOON YACHT CLUB

| OCTOBER 2024 |

## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

Melissa & Michael Kerosine

## CURRENT MEMBERSHIPS

**327**

## FROM THE COMMODORE



Terry Smith

Happy October to you all. Cooler weather is coming in!! Thank goodness, we are in the last part of the hurricane season. Even though we have to be prepared when one threatens, we have been fortunate to have been spared from the storms that have occurred this year. Let's hope it continues throughout the rest of the season. We need to be in prayer for all those who were in the storms paths and the families who lost loved ones.

We are entering our holiday season. Kathy Renfrow says her calendar is filling up fast with special events and parties. Please review your weekly emails to stay informed of all the events scheduled.

We have finalized and approved the reroofing project for the club. We will be signing contracts and hoping to begin the project by the third week of this month. We are hoping to keep the operation of the club with minimum disruption during the construction. Each week you will be notified of any operations adjustments that might need to be made during this process. We are expecting this to be completed in a 2 to 3 week time frame.

The Board voted to participate and be a sponsor in The Annual Sea No Limits Special Needs Citizens Fishing Clinic. This is held on the second Saturday of October each year for our special needs citizens with physical or intellectual impairments who require adult supervision. This is held at Vince J. Whibbs, Sr. Community Maritime Park. Please see Mike Guy if you would like to volunteer to help with this event.

We continue to enjoy a thriving club with enthusiastic participation by our members. Thanks, to you all.

Terry Smith, Commodore

## The Vice's Voice



KELLY WALTERS

There is a Hargreave's Rodeo meeting on October 13 at 3 pm for those interested in volunteering. Also, please note that we have Private Parties booked at the Club on October 23rd and October 26th. The Club is still open to members. Kelly Walters

## REPORT FROM THE FLEET CAPTAIN

Tom Wagner



Wow, September just flew by for the fleet. Thanks to Kevin for his leadership and the participation of many volunteers who gave their time and use of their boats to facilitate our 2nd annual Gulf Coast Sunfish Regional Championship! Please see all the great pictures from the regatta posted in FaceBook. Thanks to all the volunteers who helped with 2 marina evacuations. Congratulations to Debbie and Pete Buckley who won the Melges 15 Class at the Wadewitze Regatta in Fairhope. Next week skippers Heinold and Wagner will compete in the Lost Bay Regatta in Perdido Bay. See you on the water! Tom Wagner

### WANT TO GET MORE INVOLVED IN THE GLYC? BECOME A GLYC FLAG OFFICER OR BOARD MEMBER

Want to get more involved in ensuring the continued success of the GLYC? Consider becoming a Board member. All Regular members in good standing are eligible to run and hold office. Positions up for re-election are:

- Commodore
- Vice Commodore
- Rear Commodore
- Treasurer
- Secretary
- Fleet Captain
- 3 Board Member Positions (2 year commitment)

You can find more information about the roles and responsibilities of club officers under Article II, Section 1 of the GLYC Bylaws. Nominations will be accepted at the next All Hands Meeting (Nov. 13)

## TRIVIA

Which of these is a "sternutation", a sneeze, hiccup, or a burp?

Last Month's Trivia Question:



Who was the only Top Gun actor who did not vomit in the jets, Anthony Edwards, Tom Cruise, or Val Kilmer: ANSWER: ANTHONY EDWARDS





**BOAT SLIP  
AVAILABILITY**

**Dry Storage & Wet Slip  
Availability**

**DRY SLIPS**

Trailer/Boat Storage: 0/34 \*FULL

Catamaran Storage: 0/4 \*FULL

Jet Ski Storage: 0/1 \*FULL

**WET SLIPS**

West Wet Slip: 0/15 \*FULL

East Wet Slip: 2/17

**CURRENT MONTHLY RATES\***

**DRY SLIP: \$55**

**WET SLIPS**

**WEST: \$7/SQ FT or \$150**  
(whatever is greater)

**EAST: \$9/SQ FT or \$300**  
(whatever is greater)

\*rates do not include tax

All boats/trailers stored on site must maintain a current registration and be kept in working order to allow for movement upon request.

All vessel trailers in Dry Slips must also maintain a current GLYC sticker.

**MESSAGE FROM THE  
REAR COMMODORE**



CAPTAIN SCOTT WALLEY

Hello All. Thank goodness we dodged another bullet. Two in one month. Thanks to all of the volunteers that came and helped prepare the property for the storms. Thanks to the boat owners for acting so quickly to empty the marina. Hopefully we do not have any more practice runs this year.

It is unfortunate that we have to be so careful and evacuate the marina. But it's worth in the long run. We were very fortunate to have our resident tractor operator, David Pierce, to come and clean the beach up after the first tropical storm. He did this with the help of two others, Bruce Angner, and Mike (the fireman). HaHa that's all the info that David gave me. So thank you Mike. The tractor was loaned to us by a friend of Davids, Randy Tronu. Many thanks to him for the generosity. We had a great turn out and a very productive day on the recent work day. Just a heads up, there will be times from now on that we may close the boat ramp access for a small period of time during the hours of 8-12 on a work day. We will try to pinpoint these times when the email for a future work day goes out. We still are in need of a few lease contracts. I will review the records and get out a followup email on who we are waiting on.

We were able to clear two members from the dry slip waiting list this month. Now we are down to four people on the list. As for the wet slips, we are full on the west side with one waiting. We currently have four slips available on the east side. I plan to put the laminated list of people in the wet slips and their contact info in the wood box located in the Down Under area of the club. I will have this up by Monday 9/30. This will be a list of folks in the wet slips.

Well that's about it for me. Thanks to the awesome staff that keeps us smiling. As always, feel free to reach out to me if I can be of any assistance.

Kind Regards,

Captain Scott A. Walley, Rear Commodore GLYC

# FLAG OFFICERS AND BOARD

Commodore	Terry Smith	850-554-0750	Commodore@GrandLagoonYachtClub.com
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Secretary	Tracey Angelopoulos	619-665-3547	Secretary@GrandLagoonYachtClub.com

## Board Members

Debbie Buckley (23/24)	970-376-5229	Bob Munson (24/25)	706-988-9068
Marilyn Donelan (23/24)	850-455-8001	Patty Sweitzer (24/25)	608-516-0976
Red Rodgers (23/24)	850-492-8357		

## COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Communications:	Debbie Buckley	970-376-5229	Finance:	Bob Matson	314-450-6926
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Entertainment:	Kathy Haskins	850-221-7657	Regatta Chair:	Kevin Marshall	251-776-3914
			Rodeo Chair:	Roberta Norris	850-393-4143



**Help ensure our Club continues to run smoothly**

### PAY YOUR MEMBER INVOICE PROMPTLY

**Member invoices** are emailed on the 25th of each month. An invoice is considered delinquent if not paid by the 10th of the following month and can result in the member losing credit &/or member privileges or having their membership terminated.

\*Failure to receive an invoice or billing error is not justification for not paying on time. It is the member's responsibility to notify when they have not received their invoice or have a billing dispute/error to ensure timely payment.

**PAY YOUR MONTHLY INVOICE ON TIME  
AVOID \$25 LATE FEE & 1.5% MONTHLY  
FINANCE CHARGE**

## Grand Lagoon Club Hours

	GALLEY	BAR
MON/TUE	CLOSED	CLOSED
WED/THU	4 - 8 PM	4 - 9 PM
FRIDAY	4 - 9 PM	4 - 11 PM
SATURDAY	NOON - 9 PM	NOON - 10 PM
SUNDAY	9 AM - 8 PM	9 AM - 9 PM

### OPERATIONS MANAGER

KATHY RENFROW  
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Office@GrandLagoonYachtClub.com

# YACHT'S UP?

To view a complete list of activities.....  
for August, please see the Calendar  
located at the end of this newsletter.

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## September

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### September 12

Bling Day (Crappy Crafters)

### September 21 - 22

GLYC Regatta

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## October

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### October 11

Pensacola Beach Ferry (Crappy Crafters)

### October 25

GLYC Adult Halloween Party

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## November

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### November 13

GLYC All Hands Meeting 6 - 7pm

### November 14

Sock Animals (Crappy Crafters)

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## December

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### December 12

GLYC Elections 5 - 7:30pm

### December

Xmas Party/Gift Exchange (Crappy Crafters)

\*Note future events are subject to change

# GLYC Social Scene

Kathy Haskins

September turned out to be a very busy month. Not only did it fly by, but we had a lot of stuff going on, starting with our Biloxi bus trip on the 3rd. The bus was almost full and thanks to our bartenders, Georgia and Mike, and our barback/server, Marti, everybody had plenty to eat and drink. Thanks, too, to Marilyn and Shari for their treats. Bunco is getting busier, again, thanks to Countess.

RCR, on the 6th, brought in a big crowd, as did Platinum Premier on the 13th. We didn't have any entertainment on the 20th, but still had a big crowd. On the 27th, we had Ken Baker and his guitar. This was his first time at the club, but definitely will not be his last. He played the crowd very well.

October starts out with Bunco on the 3rd, our own Rusty on the 4th, a night off on the 11th, Stephanie Stout on the 18th, then rounding out the month with our Halloween Party with Wing Beat on the 25th. If it's anything like last year, it's gonna be spectacular. Everybody was very creative.

See ya, Kathy

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# GLYC ACTIVITIES

## AUGUST SCOREBOARD

### **BUNCO**

**# OF PLAYERS:** 22

**1ST BUNCO:** Helena Joyner

**LAST BUNCO:** Shari Sbarby

**MOST BUNCOS:** Jenny Borders, Joe West

**MOST LOSSES:** Jeanette Prince

**½ & ½ WINS:** Jenny Borders, Red Rodgers, Jason Hale, Kathy Haskin

**MOST WINS:** Christine Guy



Shari Sbarby, Last Bunco

### **TRIVIA NIGHT**

**TEAMS/PLAYERS:** 6/47

**1ST PLACE:** WEST SIDERS

**2ND PLACE:** 'NATTIS

**3RD PLACE:** SKIPPERS

**4TH PLACE:** CHANDELLIERS & TIME BANDITS

**6TH PLACE:** BABS



### **BUNCO**

\*First Thursday of the Month @ 6:30pm

Twenty-two players came out for September's Bunco Night, a slight uptick from the last two months. In honor of Labor Day, Manuel Labor and Labor Pains rounded out the field. Jeanette Prince carded Most Losses, Helena Joyner took First Bunco, and Shari Sparby won the Last Bunco. Half and Half winners were Jenny Borders, Red Rodgers, Jason Hale, and Kathy Haskins. Second was split between Countess Guiles and Jan Walker, Most Buncos was shared by Jenny Borders and Joe West, and Most Wins was earned by Christine Guy.

October's Bunco is scheduled for the **first Thursday, October 3**. Mark your calendars for the next evening of fast, fun, easy to learn, Bunco. Cost is only \$10 per person for the evening's entertainment and the chance to meet even more of your friendly fellow GLYC members. Registration starts at 6:00, the games at 6:30. Come early for one of Chef Gregory's delicious specials or menu items. And bring a friend!

### **NEXT BUNCO NIGHT THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3**



### **TRIVIA NIGHT**

Third Thursday of the Month @ 6:30pm

Which of these is a "sternutation", a sneeze, hiccup, or a burp? Your editor has hidden the answer somewhere in this newsletter. Look hard. She is really clever at hiding things in plain sight. This feature question and nineteen others were presented to September's teams. Six teams and 47 players rose to the occasion to take fight it out for the win. Bringing up the tail was the BABS who started out hot but faltered on the final question. The Chandelliers and the Time Bandits tied for fourth. Third went to Skippers who was only one point behind second place, 'Nattis. West Side won First by barely edging out the 'Nattis. Great job to everyone!

Mark your calendars now for October's Trivia Night on **October 17**. Get your smarty-pants friends and form your own team or join one of the friendly groups to match wits with the witty, sometimes witless, groups for an evening of fun and informative questions. Format is simple: twenty questions made up of nine multiple choice, nine short answer, and two multiple points value, catch-up questions. That gives every team a chance all the way to the end. Cost is only \$10 a team, no limit on team size. Come early and have dinner and some liquid refreshment to help you think. The fun starts when you arrive, but the questions start at 6:30.

### **NEXT TRIVIA NIGHT THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17TH**

# GLYC ACTIVITIES (CONT'D)

## Crappy Crafter's Corner Second Thursday of the Month @ 10am



*Cheri Honeycutt*

On September 12, we met at the club at 10:00 and enjoyed "Bling Day" by decorating vases, photo frames, bottles, flip flops, and hats. It was fun getting our creative juices flowing! When we finished decorating we went to the O Club on base for lunch.

On FRIDAY October 11 we're going to take a ferry ride from Pensacola to Pensacola Beach. We'll have lunch and then catch the ferry back to Pensacola. We're going to be taking a head count soon . . . don't "miss the boat" . . . if you would like to go please send an email to [CrappyCraftersGLYC@gmail.com](mailto:CrappyCraftersGLYC@gmail.com) and let us know. Spouses, significant others, family members or friends are welcome. More information will be coming soon.

Here's the list of "Birthday Girls" for October: Vikki Burand 10-04, Deb Schreider 10-08, Rose Cook 10-11, Carolyn Pulford 10-13, Dean Hoffman 10-14, and Kathy McCaffrey 10-22. If you see them around the club wish them a happy birthday!!!



If you're new to the club or haven't checked out our group please feel free to come to one of our monthly meetings. We always enjoy seeing new faces and getting to know more of our fellow members. I'm looking forward to seeing you all around the club!



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## Reduce Stress and Find Your Balance with Tai Chi Under the Club!

Tuesdays and Thursdays @ 8:30am

Tai Chi is a gently but effective method of exercise for both mental and physical well-being. According to Harvard Health, a growing body of research supports tai chi as an adjunct to standard medical treatment for the prevention and rehabilitation of many conditions associated with aging. Further, with tai chi the goal is to make the slow, gentle movements flow together using your whole body as a single unit. This increases strength and balance without undue stress on muscles and joints. - *Countess Guiles*



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**Lagoon Lines Ad Deadline**

The Lagoon Lines deadline is the 20th of the month. Would you like to place an ad with the GLYC Lagoon Lines? Contact the GLYC Secretary to get the rate sheet and directions on how to submit an ad  
[secretary@grandlagoonyachtclub.com](mailto:secretary@grandlagoonyachtclub.com)



## GLYC Member Businesses

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# OCTOBER 2024

SUN BRUNCH 9am -2pm GALLEY 1-9pm BAR TILL 9pm	MON CLUB CLOSED	TUE CLUB CLOSED	WEB CHEF SPECIAL 4pm - 9PM	THU APP SPECIAL 4pm - 9pm	FRI MEMBER DRAWING CHEF SPECIAL 4pm - 11pm	SAT 12pm - 10pm
		1	2	3 TAI CHI 8:30am  <b>BUNCO</b>	4 <b>RUSTY</b> 7-10pm	5
6	7 <b>CLUB CLOSED</b>	8 <b>CLUB CLOSED</b> TAI CHI 8:30am	9 GLYC SAILING 3:30pm 	10 TAI CHI 8:30am	11 <b>FERRY RIDE</b> (CRAPPY CRAFTERS) 10 am	12
13 <b>HARGREAVE'S MEETING</b> 3 pm	14 <b>CLUB CLOSED</b>	15 <b>CLUB CLOSED</b> TAI CHI 8:30am	16 GLYC SAILING 3:30pm 	17 TAI CHI 8:30am MAHJONG 2pm  <b>6:30pm</b>	18 <b>STEPHANIE STOUT</b> 7-10pm	19
20	21 <b>CLUB CLOSED</b> <b>GLYC BOARD MEETING</b> 5:30pm	22 <b>CLUB CLOSED</b> TAI CHI 8:30am	23 GLYC SAILING 3:30pm Private Party 5-8 pm Club Open	24 TAI CHI 8:30am MAHJONG 2pm	25 <b>HALLOWEEN PARTY WITH WING BEAT</b> 7-10pm	26 Private Party 5-8 pm Club Open
27	28 <b>CLUB CLOSED</b>	29 <b>CLUB CLOSED</b> TAI CHI 8:30am	30			

# House Rules for Grand Lagoon Yacht Club

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The Grand Lagoon Yacht Club (The GLYC) and all the facilities of The GLYC are primarily for the use, entertainment, and enjoyment of the members and their families and guests. The House Rules of The GLYC are designed to facilitate and promote this purpose. The House Rules and any additions thereto are established and may be revised by the Board of Governors subject to the direction and approval of the Board of Governors. Members should be aware that:

- These rules are enforceable by any Board Member, Manager or Flag Officer present.
- Delinquency in financial obligations will result in denial of club privileges and possible expulsion from The GLYC.
- Any complaints, requests, or suggestions must be directed to the Board of Governors in writing.
- Violations of any of the rules will result in action by the Board of Governors concerning the member(s) will be allowed a hearing and the Board of Governors' action may be appealed. However, if the member(s) in Question is on the Board, he/she will not be allowed to vote in the appeal.
- Rules will be posted at all times.

## **HOUSE RULES** (revised 2/25/2024)

1. Members are responsible for signing in their non-member guests. The GLYC member shall be responsible for the guest's conduct, and the guest shall leave when the member leaves The GLYC.
2. Non-members that are not the immediate family of a member and live within 50 mile radius of the Club will be allowed in the Club no more than ten (10) times per year. Members of other reciprocal yacht clubs, providing proof of membership, are not considered guests. Transients temporarily renting a slip are allowed access to the club during the rental period. Frequent guests will be encouraged to join the club. When a violation is brought to the attention of the Board, the guest book will be reviewed by two Board members and action will be taken.
3. Prior members who have resigned from The GLYC and were not in good standing cannot be a guest of another member.
4. A person whom a member is dating is considered a guest, but the date may use the facilities of The GLYC as often as the date is accompanied by the member, provided that the date abides by all the rules and regulations of The GLYC.
5. Be appropriately dressed while in the Club. No bathing suits, tank tops, or bare feet in the Club. Be at least casually dressed in good taste during the dining room hours.
6. Observe current opening and closing hours.
7. Refrain from offensive language, conduct, or intoxication. If offensive, a member may be asked to leave the premises by The GLYC management or Flag Officer and is expected to do so at once.
8. Refrain from going behind the bar, entering the galley during operation, or otherwise interfering with bar/galley functions.
9. Purchase all alcoholic beverages to be consumed on premises from the bar.
10. Be accountable for the conduct of your children. Children are not allowed at the bar other than the service station and must leave the area immediately after purchase.
11. Refrain from littering on the premises.
12. Members are accountable for their pets and their conduct; they must be on a short leash and in designated areas: downstairs, parking lot, east-side of upper deck.
13. Do not take club property (eg. Glassware, china, silverware, etc) beyond the dock.
14. Refrain from smoking, including e-tobacco products, "vaping," or use of all other tobacco products inside the club house.

**15. Sneezing is strictly prohibited.**