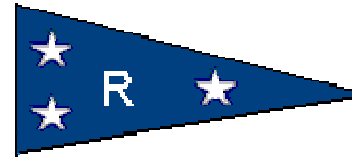


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**Stern Talk**

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The Riverside Yacht Club

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Open 11AM  
Daily



**Almost Time to Launch!**

**March 2005 Edition**

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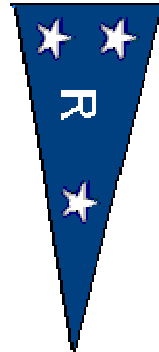
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**Board of Directors Meeting:**

Tuesday March 8, 2005

**General Membership Meeting:**

Tuesday March 22, 2005

**Fleet Officers**

**Commodore**

John McCann  
610-461-6140

**Vice Commodore**

Ron Hammer  
610-521-2626

**Rear Commodore**

Tom Cranford  
610-521-5434

**Fleet Chaplain**

Steve Gunn  
610-389-0835

**Fleet Surgeon**

Dr. John Weber

**Harbor Master**

Ed Kalesnik  
610-329-8501

**Fleet Captain**

Don Warrington

**Board of Directors**

Don Warrington  
610-291-4788

George Recevuer  
610-521-0204

Tony Capuano  
302-588-0195

Bill MacGregor

Mike Ewing  
610-522-9121

Frank Hughes  
610-529-1957

**House Committee**

Mark Galone (Chairman)

Al Jones Sr.

Don Warrington

Bill Schoepe Jr.

George Recevuer

Tide Table March 2005 Marcus Hook PA (Riverside Tides approx 1 hour later)

<http://tbone.biol.sc.edu/tide/tideshow.cgi>

		High	Low	High	Low	High
Date	Day	Time/Height	Time/Height	Time/Height	Time/Height	Time/Height
1-Mar	Tue	03:16 / 5.43 ft	11:09 / 0.28 ft	15:43 / 4.81 ft	23:13 / 0.23 ft	
2-Mar	Wed	04:04 / 5.39 ft	12:03 / 0.32 ft	16:38 / 4.56 ft		
3-Mar	Thu		00:03 / 0.21 ft	05:04 / 5.32 ft	13:01 / 0.39 ft	17:45 / 4.38 ft
4-Mar	Fri		01:01 / 0.24 ft	06:14 / 5.29 ft	14:03 / 0.43 ft	18:56 / 4.36 ft
5-Mar	Sat		02:06 / 0.29 ft	07:24 / 5.39 ft	15:06 / 0.43 ft	20:03 / 4.54 ft
6-Mar	Sun		03:12 / 0.29 ft	08:30 / 5.61 ft	16:07 / 0.37 ft	21:06 / 4.86 ft
7-Mar	Mon		04:15 / 0.25 ft	09:31 / 5.90 ft	17:04 / 0.29 ft	22:04 / 5.28 ft
8-Mar	Tue		05:15 / 0.19 ft	10:27 / 6.19 ft	17:58 / 0.20 ft	22:59 / 5.70 ft
9-Mar	Wed		06:12 / 0.13 ft	11:21 / 6.40 ft	18:49 / 0.14 ft	23:50 / 6.05 ft
10-Mar	Thu		07:05 / 0.10 ft	12:11 / 6.48 ft	19:36 / 0.13 ft	
11-Mar	Fri	00:39 / 6.28 ft	07:56 / 0.10 ft	12:59 / 6.42 ft	20:22 / 0.15 ft	
12-Mar	Sat	01:26 / 6.36 ft	08:45 / 0.12 ft	13:46 / 6.21 ft	21:06 / 0.20 ft	
13-Mar	Sun	02:13 / 6.30 ft	09:33 / 0.17 ft	14:34 / 5.90 ft	21:49 / 0.26 ft	
14-Mar	Mon	02:59 / 6.12 ft	10:20 / 0.23 ft	15:22 / 5.54 ft	22:32 / 0.32 ft	
15-Mar	Tue	03:46 / 5.86 ft	11:07 / 0.29 ft	16:13 / 5.17 ft	23:15 / 0.37 ft	
16-Mar	Wed	04:37 / 5.58 ft	11:56 / 0.36 ft	17:07 / 4.85 ft		
17-Mar	Thu		00:00 / 0.42 ft	05:30 / 5.34 ft	12:47 / 0.44 ft	18:04 / 4.64 ft
18-Mar	Fri		00:49 / 0.47 ft	06:27 / 5.20 ft	13:40 / 0.51 ft	19:02 / 4.56 ft
19-Mar	Sat		01:43 / 0.52 ft	07:25 / 5.18 ft	14:35 / 0.57 ft	19:59 / 4.63 ft
20-Mar	Sun		02:39 / 0.56 ft	08:22 / 5.29 ft	15:30 / 0.61 ft	20:54 / 4.80 ft
21-Mar	Mon		03:35 / 0.57 ft	09:16 / 5.48 ft	16:22 / 0.63 ft	21:46 / 5.05 ft
22-Mar	Tue		04:30 / 0.57 ft	10:06 / 5.68 ft	17:12 / 0.65 ft	22:34 / 5.30 ft
23-Mar	Wed		05:22 / 0.55 ft	10:52 / 5.83 ft	17:58 / 0.67 ft	23:17 / 5.52 ft
24-Mar	Thu		06:12 / 0.52 ft	11:34 / 5.89 ft	18:42 / 0.68 ft	23:57 / 5.70 ft
25-Mar	Fri		06:59 / 0.48 ft	12:14 / 5.85 ft	19:24 / 0.68 ft	
26-Mar	Sat	00:33 / 5.82 ft	07:46 / 0.43 ft	12:51 / 5.72 ft	20:04 / 0.65 ft	
27-Mar	Sun	01:06 / 5.90 ft	08:32 / 0.38 ft	13:26 / 5.53 ft	20:44 / 0.60 ft	
28-Mar	Mon	01:38 / 5.95 ft	09:18 / 0.33 ft	14:02 / 5.31 ft	21:24 / 0.52 ft	
29-Mar	Tue	02:13 / 5.95 ft	10:05 / 0.32 ft	14:42 / 5.08 ft	22:07 / 0.45 ft	
30-Mar	Wed	02:54 / 5.89 ft	10:54 / 0.34 ft	15:29 / 4.86 ft	22:54 / 0.42 ft	
31-Mar	Thu	03:45 / 5.77 ft	11:48 / 0.40 ft	16:28 / 4.68 ft	23:48 / 0.45 ft	

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**NAUTICAL LINGO**

An ensign on sea duty for the first time overheard a recruit say he was going 'downstairs'.

"Listen, sailor," he snarled. "Downstairs is below. That side is starboard. That's aft and that's port-side. And if I hear you say one more civilian word like that I'll throw you through that little round hole window over there!"

**Executive Officers**

**President**

Mark Galone  
610-328-4435

**Treasurer**

Joe Gatto

**Financial Secretary**

Bill MacGregor

**Recording Secretary**

Jim McElwee

Princess Page

Princess Stephanie,

You look great! Wishing you the best in your new adventure. Life only gets better from here on.

Your Friends at RYC.\

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#### HOW CAN YOU LIVE ON WITHOUT KNOWING THESE THINGS?

Many years ago, in Scotland, a new game was invented. It was ruled "Gentlemen Only...Ladies Forbidden"...and thus the word GOLF entered into the English language.

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The first couple to be shown in bed together on prime time TV were Fred and Wilma Flintstone.

~~~~~  
Every day more money is printed for Monopoly than the US Treasury.

~~~~~  
Men can read smaller print than women can; women can hear better.

~~~~~  
Coca-Cola was originally green.

~~~~~  
It is impossible to lick your elbow.

~~~~~  
The State with the highest percentage of people who walk to work: Alaska

~~~~~  
The percentage of Africa that is wilderness: 28% (now get this...)  
The percentage of North America that is wilderness: 38%

~~~~~  
The cost of raising a medium-size dog to the age of eleven: \$6,400

~~~~~  
The average number of people airborne over the US any given hour: 61,000

~~~~~  
Intelligent people have more zinc and copper in their hair.

~~~~~  
The first novel ever written on a typewriter: Tom Sawyer.

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### **Commodore: John McCann**

Opening day is around the corner, If any of your family is in the military and are on leave at that time, they are welcome to attend our opening day festivities at no cost to them.

President: Mark Galone

### **Vice Commodore: Ron Hammer**

The annual cruise sign up sheet has been posted in the Club.

### **Rear Commodore: Tom Cranford**

Valentines party was cancelled due to lack of interest by RYC membership. We are still looking for a princess. Relatives of RYC members between the ages of 16 and 21 are eligible. They must be able to devote time.

**Fleet Chaplain: Steve Gunn**

### **Dock Master: Ed Kalesnik**

**Slip payment balance is due by the executive board meeting MARCH 8th!** The docks are going back in March 19th. Tide is estimated to be high around 0830 hrs. That is the same day as our St. Patrick's Day party, so come out and work up a thirst and appetite.

Fleet Surgeon: Dr. John Weber

**House Committee: Al Jones Sr.**

Thanks to Dennis and Jason McDade for the fine job installing the smoke eater.

**Board of Directors update: George Receveur**

Results of the 2005 Chili Contest:

1st Prize: Mike Matz

2nd Prize: Lori Perloff

3rd Prize: Sue Jones

Honorable Mention: Don Warrington

17 people attended during the biggest snow storm to date this year. Thanks to all who attended and helped out.

**Entertainment: Donnie Warrington**

Please Remember all the events we have scheduled, don't forget to sign up! **St Patty Day Party** in March and , and **Italian Night** in April!

Fleet Captain: Don Warrington

**Welcome Aboard**

Theodore Archer and Thomas McCann were voted in by the general membership at our Feb 22nd meeting.

Congratulations!

**Sponsors**

John McCann Auto Repairs  
610-237-9555



New Years Eve at Riverside: Marie Gosland and Anita Roselli

To leave a request for items to be published to our web page, ([www.rycpa.org](http://www.rycpa.org)) or included in future publications of **Stern Talk**, please place your requests in the locked mail box at the club, or email them to

[Albert.jones@gmail.com](mailto:Albert.jones@gmail.com)

We are especially interested in hearing from our members who have family serving in the Armed Forces, and look forward to hearing from you! We will make sure a copy of the Stern Talk is sent to them.

### March Birthday Bouys

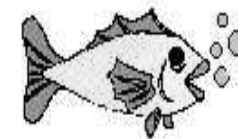
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| SCHEIB        | Louis    | 03/01 |
|               | Ralph    | 03/04 |
| McELWEE       | James    | 03/06 |
| DEMARCANTONIO | Andrew   | 03/08 |
| HAMMER        | Ronald   | 03/13 |
| BROLLEY       | John     | 03/13 |
| LOFFT         | Richard  | 03/15 |
| BENDITT       | Robert   | 03/16 |
| NIGHTWINE     | William  | 03/16 |
| HUGHES        | Frank    | 03/17 |
| CHRISTENSEN   | Dane     | 03/18 |
| Cerceo        | Domenick | 03/24 |
| O'Keefe       | Michael  | 3/25  |
| PARKER        | Gregg    | 03/28 |

Mates with Jan—Feb—March Birthdays!

|             |             |       |
|-------------|-------------|-------|
| ZIMMERMAN   | Dorcas      | 01/05 |
| SMITH       | Nancy       | 01/19 |
| HARDY       | Regina      | 01/19 |
|             | Mary Ann    | 01/31 |
| LYNCH       | Linda Kowal | 02/01 |
| KRESS       | Brenda      | 02/06 |
| NATRIN      | Deborah     | 02/07 |
| TANTAROS    | Marsha      | 02/10 |
| WARRINGTON  | Babs        | 02/18 |
| ARMSTRONG . | Linda       | 02/18 |
| BYRNE       | Wilma       | 02/22 |
| CRISTINZIO  | Margaret    | 02/26 |
| HELM Sr.    | Eileen      | 02/27 |
| PARKER      | Mrs.        | 03/01 |
|             | Laura       | 03/01 |
| CAVANAGH    | Joanne      | 03/02 |
| ALTIERI     | Cheryl      | 03/02 |
| RIEGEL      | Mary        | 03/03 |
| NISTERUK    | Barbara     | 03/04 |
| LAAKEN      | Peggy       | 03/08 |
| SCHMIDT     | Joan        | 03/11 |
| LaGAMBA     | Rhonda      | 03/12 |
| PERLOFF     | Lori        | 03/16 |

### On the Horizon 2005 Schedule of Events

| Month     | Date | Event                   | Details                 |
|-----------|------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| January   | 22   | Chili Contest           | 1:00 - 3:00 \$5.00 @    |
| February  | 12   | Valentines Day Party    | Pick Princess           |
| February  | 26   | Cannstatters (DRYL)     | 7:00 P - \$40.00 @      |
| March     | 19   | St Patty's Day          | 7:00P - 12 MN           |
| April     | 16   | Italian Night           |                         |
| April     | 30   | OPENING DAY!            |                         |
| May       |      | TBA                     |                         |
| June      |      | TBA                     |                         |
| July      | 16   | Luau                    | Time for Adults         |
| August    | 1-5  | 83rd Annual Cruise      |                         |
| September | 10   | Von Nieda Picnic (DRYL) | \$15 adult \$5 Children |
| September | 17   | Crab Feast              |                         |
| October   | 1    | Closing Day             |                         |
| November  | 12   | Installation Dinner     |                         |
| December  | 11   | Christmas Party         | for Children            |
| December  | 16   | Christmas Party         | Time for Adults         |
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## U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla # 48

CLEAR UP THE BOATING REGULATIONS PUZZLE. Let a FREE boat inspection by the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary clarify the confusing boat regulations puzzle! If you don't understand the new local, state and federal recreational boating regulations, please call the U.S. COAST GUARD AUX. FLOTILLA #48, and request a free auxiliary courtesy examination of your vessel. The auxiliary courtesy inspector will gladly answer all your questions and check out all of your safety equipment at the same time.

**FOR INFORMATION AND A COURTESY VESSEL EXAMINATION  
CALL: Jim Brennan at 610-534-0123**

**Waterway Conservation Officer Matt Visosky** attended our Feb 22nd meeting. He reported the license fee change was passed through support of boaters and gamesman, and Harrisburg thanks you for the remarkable support.

The agenda for this year includes a plan to change boating regulations to mirror auto regulations, for example, the legal level for intoxication will be lowered to 0.08.

There is not much change in the works related to fishing regulations.

### Nautical Humor

#### Beer Drinking Etiquette

A recreational boater, a tugboat crewman, and an old salt sailor went into a bar and each ordered a beer. Each found a fly in their beer. (It must have been the special of the day).

The recreational boater looked in his beer and said, "hey bartender I have a fly in my beer. Give me another beer."

The tugboat crewman looked in his beer, found the fly, reached in and picked it out and continued drinking.

The old salt sailor looked in his beer, saw the fly, grabbed it by the wings, shook it over the glass and yelled, "Spit it out, Spit it out!"

## Riverside Ship Store



| Item                            | Price   | Item              | Price   |
|---------------------------------|---------|-------------------|---------|
| Fleece Full Zipper M-XL         | \$45.00 | Base Ball Hat     | \$8.00  |
| Fleece Full Zipper XXL          | \$50.00 | Belt Buckles      | \$20.00 |
| Fleece Pullover                 | \$30.00 | Burgees           | \$22.00 |
| Golf Shirt solid white          | \$25.00 | Cap               | \$10.00 |
| Golf Shirt white/blue trim M-XL | \$25.00 | Charms            | \$8.00  |
| Golf Shirt white/blue trim XXL  | \$26.00 | Collar Pins       | \$8.00  |
| Golf Shirt white/burgundy M-XL  | \$25.00 | Fleece Vest       | \$20.00 |
| Golf Shirt white/burgundy XXL   | \$26.00 | Gray Sweatshirt   | \$20.00 |
| Long Sleeve Denim               | \$23.00 | License Plates    | \$8.00  |
| Long Sleeve Tee Shirts          | \$15.00 | Patches           | \$1.00  |
| Short Sleeve Denim              | \$20.00 | Shorts (On Sale!) | \$10.00 |
| Sport pull over Shirt           | \$26.00 | Sleeveless Tee    | \$15.00 |
| Sweatshirt M - XL               | \$20.00 | Sweatshirt XXL    | \$22.00 |
| Tee Shirts with Pocket          | \$12.00 |                   |         |
| Wind Breaker Jacket             | \$50.00 |                   |         |
| Winner Mate Dress White L-XL    | \$22.00 |                   |         |

**Check the display in the clubhouse for Sale Items, and Specials that we are running!**

