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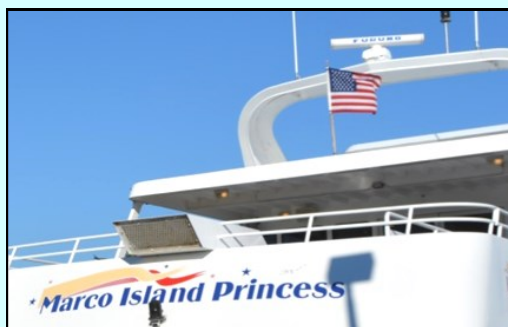
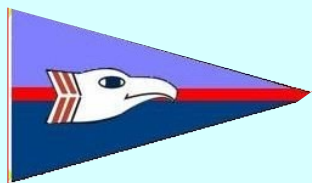
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Coming Events 2016

12 Jan	Silver Tridents—breakfast (Past Commanders)	0830	---
12 Jan	Ladies Lunch at Su's Garden	1130	p. 06
12 Jan	Cards at the Condo (Hand & Foot)	1300	p. 17
13 Jan	Executive Committee Meeting @ MISPS condo	0900	---
13 Jan	General Membership Dinner Meeting at Shippo's Landing	1700	p. 21
15 Jan	Cruise & Lunch at Old Marco Lodge, Goodland	1200	p. 07
26 Jan	Cards at the Condo (Hand & Foot)	1300	p. 17
27 Jan	Captain's Meeting at CJ's Gazebo Bar at the Esplanade	1700	p. 04
29 Jan	WINE & HORS D'OEUVRES PARTY! (according to time schedule)		p. 15
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02 Feb	Flare Demonstration at Marco Island Yacht Club	0945	p. 09
09 Feb	Silver Tridents—breakfast (Past Commanders)	0830	---
09 Feb	Ladies Lunch TBA	1130	p. 17
09 Feb	Cards at the Condo (Hand & Foot)	1300	p. 17
10 Feb	Executive Board Meeting at MISPS condo	0900	----
10 Feb	CHANGE OF WATCH—aboard the Marco Princess	1630	p. 22
11-14 Feb	USPS National Meeting in Orlando (see website for <i>Beacon</i> and information)		
19 Feb	Cruise & Lunch to CJ's Esplanade, Smokehouse Bay	1200	p. 07
24 Feb	Captain's Meeting at CJ's Gazebo Bar at the Esplanade	1700	p. 04



**Change of Watch
... aboard the *Princess*
See page 22
for reservation form**



COMMANDER
Peggy Reiss, JN-IN

Happy New Year! 2015 has entered the history books and we are embarking on new adventures for 2016. Your new Bridge will take the helm at the Change of Watch February 10 with all of our support. A good New Year's Resolution is to make MISPS even better than last year.



It was quite a year for us. It began in January with the best Wine and Hors d'Oeuvres fund raiser ever to keep MISPS afloat for maintaining the condo classroom and teaching safe boating to our members and the public.

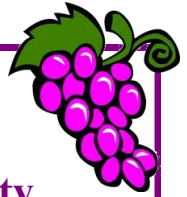
Twenty new members joined the squadron. Day cruises, overnight cruises, scavenger hunt, breakfasts, lunches, cards, dinner meetings with speakers, and CJ's rounded out our fraternal activities during the year. We attended District 22's Spring and Fall Conferences, and C & R.

Educational classes started in January, continued through the summer months ending in December. Courses: ABC, Seamanship, Piloting, Junior Navigation, Sail, Engine Maintenance, and Electrical Systems. Seminars: Anchoring, Charting/GPS, VHS Radio, Rules of the Road, and Mariner's Compass. The Virtual Trainer loaned by National had members try out their skills.

The third leg of the USPS triangle is Civic and we also excelled there. During the year we spoke at Sunrise Rotary, Noontime Rotary and Waterways Advisory Committee. The Vessel Safety examiners checked 266 boats and instructed owners about safe boating. Our Cooperative Charting efforts regarding missing/damaged ATONS in the waters around Marco have been brought to the attention of the City fathers. As members of the Chamber of Commerce we had a booth in the MI Business Expo. Members took CPR/AED from Marco Island Fire Rescue and twelve took additional AED training using a replica trainer of our condo's AED. During National Safe Boating Week we received a Proclamation from the city and held the Ready-Set-Wear It! campaign with 95 participants donning life jackets—the largest number in Florida. (continued)

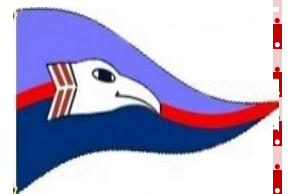
Mark your calendar,

**Friday, 29 January 2016:
 Wine & Hors d'Oeuvres Party**



See page 15 !

Captain's Meeting
"Meet & Greet"
CJ's Gazebo Bar
at the Esplanade
at 1700



Starting January
2016

... will be held
the 2nd and 4th
Wednesdays
of the Month



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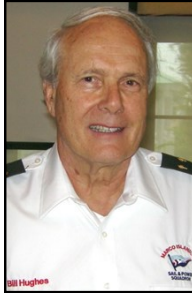
MISPS sponsored the first evening beach cleanup. Christmas Island Style Golf Tournament had a hole sponsored by MISPS and four members playing. MISPS members volunteered for Meals of Hope, packaging meals for the needy. At the Art League Christmas Tree Decorating event our beautiful tree sold for \$1000 with half donated to the Art League. At the Christmas Street Parade our decorated boat won the prize for the best lights. At our Annual Christmas Party attendees donated many toys for the Kiwanis Kids.

All I can say is WOW! Thanks to all of you. 🐾



EXECUTIVE OFFICER
LT/C William J. Hughes, JN

I hope you were able to watch the Christmas Street parade on 12 Dec. If so, you could have seen MISPS members marching along side of a 32 foot Chris Craft decorated by us that morning. We strung many lights with temporary blue tape. Jimmy Walker allowed us to use his boat, trailer and a driver for the parade. We won first place for best lighting.



Lt Tom Ryan, P plans to continue as chairman of the Vessel Safety Committee and is making plans for 2016. Right now, he needs more volunteers as vessel examiners. If this interesting work appeals to you, please give him a call at 908-432-8767. A short training course will be given to you by Tom and someone from the Education Dept. The VSC team is ready to check your boat in the new year!

Donations for the Wine and Hors D'Oeuvres Party, to be held 29 Jan 2016, are flowing in from local businesses. Our donations committee is doing a fine job. Please see the article on page 15 for more info on the event. Note - the fire pit mentioned could be used by the winner of this silent auction item to keep warm on cool nights and to roast marshmallows. Be sure to let Pat Mogan know what food you will bring to the event. The next W & H meeting will be on 6 January at 1000 at the MISPS condo.

The plan for 2 Feb 2016 Flare Training exercise is moving forward. The event will be held at the Marco Island Yacht Club. MISPS will go first, starting at 0945 when you will have the opportunity to set off a hand held flare as well as an aerial flare. You will have to bring your own hand held flare as well an aerial flare and gun to fire it. This is a change from three years ago when we collected flares ahead of time and then doled them out at the scheduled time. You need to sign up ahead of time, by 15 Jan. The event is closed to the public but there will be four other boating organizations participating right after us as well as the Coast Guard Auxiliary, which have been helping with the event planning. In addition, the Marco Island Fire Department will be present and will provide participants the opportunity to use a fire extinguisher to put out a fire. 🚒



ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER
LT/C Rhonda McAuliffe-Gloodt, AP

The New Year is here and we already have many great events planned! I am especially looking forward to taking the kayak safety class Cdr Peggy Reiss, JN-IN will be teaching called "Paddle Smart" and then we have a kayak trip through Rookery Bay planned. It will be great fun and I hope many of you join us!



Lt/C Tom Morr, P who will be our new Administrative Officer after the Change of Watch, already has many of the locations for our cruise and lunches picked out plus some great ideas for our dinner speakers. We are fortunate to have Tom as a new officer! Lt Pam Sanders, JN is our new Membership Chair, I know the quality of work Pam does she will be fantastic as Membership chair! P/C Ted Reiss, SN-IN will be the Chair of Operations Training. Ted is an excellent instructor and will make this course interesting! Lt Wanda Day Burson will be our new Meetings & Program Chair. We are now looking for someone to be the new Chair of Luncheon/Captain's Meetings please give me a call if you can help out. We also need someone to be Chair of Boating Activities.

The Christmas tree that was decorated and donated to the Art League was a big success. Thanks to everyone who donated ornaments, we had the Calusa Cat and Calusa masks, boats, many humorous ornaments, the Marco Mermaid, a lady swimming. Jan Kenyon found our beautiful tree and many of the ornaments on the tree. I made the Marco Island Compass Rose for the top of the tree and ornaments from the Marco Island puzzle. Jan Kenyon, Peggy Reiss, Barbara Taylor and I decorated the tree and before we were done the tree was sold! Glen and Lavonne Johnson of Marco Island purchased the tree for \$1,000 (see page 10).



**WE
NEED
YOU!**

Needed:
Boating Activities Chair
and
Lunch & CJ's Chair



EDUCATION OFFICER
P/C Edward Reiss, SN-IN

Closing out 2015 we had five who passed the ABC course in November and three who attended the Charting/GPS seminar thanks to our great instructors.

It's a New Year. Winter educational program starts on 4 January with the third of three electronics courses, Electronic Navigation (EN). Courses also starting in January are: Weather, Piloting, Advanced Piloting, Junior Navigation (JN) and Navigation (N). Seminars with no tests are Partner in Command and Charting/GPS. Full list of all courses and seminars is on the MISPS website and on page 20.

So much for titles. How good are you with all the electronic navigation devices? EN will show you how to use, coordinate and optimize the recent electronic technology and devices for your own benefit. Weather is for everyone, not just boaters. It teaches you why we have weather and how to predict what will happen in the near future. In Piloting and Advanced Piloting you learn how to use your compass, paper and electronic charts, a time piece, depth finder, GPS, radar, and other devices to know where you are, how to plan to get someplace else, how to avoid hazardous areas and predict tides and currents. These go much deeper than the charting/GPS seminar and give you much practice in developing charting skills. JN deals with using the sun, N deals with using the sun, moon, stars and planets. Another name for these courses is celestial navigation.

Partner in Command is basically for couples. One charge per couple. Can your 1st mate use the VHF radio to call for help? Can your mate deal with the situation and bring you back to safety? Seminar ends with a checklist of actions for each couple to practice.

Several people have asked if they can take a course without taking the final test. YES, YES, YES. The purpose of the courses is for you to learn - not to get a credential. Test taking is optional and does not need to be determined before you take the course, you might just fool yourself and learn something valuable. So let's keep learning, go boating and be safe. 🚤



SAFETY OFFICER
1/LT Jack Walsh, N

Most boating accidents happen at the dock, the marina or in familiar waters we travel regularly. This familiarity can cause complacency. When leaving for a day's cruise or returning from a long journey, we often consider ourselves safe when we're inside the harbor entrance. In reality, the areas near the docks are some of the most dangerous. The increased boat traffic; the density of piers and docked vessels; the wind and current can lead to collisions; and the potential for harm while docking or refueling.

It's a good idea to spend some time observing your marina for changes. The removal of a pier or the reconfiguration of a jetty doesn't mean those areas are free of underwater hazards. Find landmarks to help you determine the direction of the winds passing through your marina. Be aware of potential problem areas in the approach to your marina.

If you recognize a hazard, let marina manager know so it can be corrected. If you spot that once-a-month boater jump into his runabout and turn the ignition without having checked the bilge for gas fume buildup, say something. Perhaps he or she doesn't know the danger, and your mentioning it might save a life. Also make a habit of having a thorough safety review with your passengers before you leave so that everyone aboard knows the placement of PFDs, flares etc. and know what is expected of them in the case of an emergency while underway. 🚤



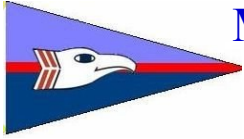
~ ~ ~ **Ladies Lunch** ~ ~ ~
12 January 2016 at 1130

at Su's Garden
537 Bald Eagle Drive, Marco

Call Lt Dorothy Harkness, S
at 642-3575

RSVP by Friday, 8 January





Marco Island Sail & Power Squadron Boating Activities



If you would like to participate in any of these trips, but don't have a boat, let the Cruise Captain know and the captain will try to work out a ride sharing agreement with another member. or call Boating Chair: 1/Lt Kathleen Reynolds, AP at (239) 394-0459 Email: kreydol@aol.com** Call the Lunch Chair for reservations at the restaurants:

**Lunch Chair: Lt Wanda Day Burson at 239-777-1484 or Email: daysdelight@comcast.net

Dates 2016	Destination	Cruise Captain	Phone
15 Jan	**Cruise & Lunch to Old Marco Lodge, Goodland, 1200	1/Lt K. Reynolds, AP	394-0459
19 Feb	**Cruise & Lunch at CJ's, Esplanade, 1200	Lt Nick Rago, AP	860-798-4141

Look for the new schedule next month!

Cruise & Lunch 19 February 2016 at 1200

CJ's on the Bay
740 North Collier Blvd

Lunch Reservations Call:
Lt Wanda Burson at
239-777-1484

or Email: daysdelight@comcast.net

By Boat Call Cruise Captain:
Lt Nick Rago, AP
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Cruise & Lunch 15 January 2016 at 1200

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District 22 Western Caribbean Cruise



The fantastic District 22 Western Caribbean cruise to Princess Cay, Grand Turk, Grand Cayman & Cozumel was arranged by Dawn Eckert from the St. Petersburg Squadron. About 30 members shared the experience of the luxurious *Regal Princess* for the “Love Boat’s” 50th Anniversary, dinners together, tropical beaches, Mayan ruins and other island excursions. Dawn hosted a very nice cocktail party get-together for squadron members on a private deck area of the *Princess*, so we could mingle with other squadron members. Great time by all! 🚢



Cdr Peggy Reiss, JN-IN, D/1/Lt Andrea Battaglia, SN, P/C Ted Reiss, SN-IN and Andrea’s daughter Nancy



Cdr Jeane Anderson, AP (Peace River), D/Lt/C Harold Anderson, AP (D/22 Treas.), D/1/Lt Andrea Battaglia, SN (Assist. Treas.), Nan Tedesco, P/D/C George Musco, & Carol



“Pirates” greeted us upon arrival at Grand Turk!

Nancy & Andrea visited the Mayan Ruins at Tulum, Cozumel, Mexico



Our Ship—Andrea

Nancy Tedesco was a “winner” at the ship’s casino ... any time you are a few dollars ahead, you’re a winner.

(right) Ted and Peggy relaxing on the deck of the ship near one of the pools ... tired after all their exercise in the gym.





**Marco Island Sail &
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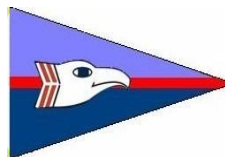
Location: Marco Island Yacht Club

Time: 0945 for MISPS Members

Pre-registration required—sign up by 10 January. Bring your own hand-held flares and aerial flares and gun. (new or outdated)

Contact: Lt/C Bill Hughes, JN (239) 394-3484

Participants:



Community Service—Festival of Trees

Marco Island Center for the Arts has presented a “special holiday call to leadership” for local organizations, clubs and individuals for community involvement for their 2nd annual “Festival of Trees”. MISPS again voted to participate in this endeavor, which benefits the Art Center with 50% of the silent auction amount and 50% to participant. Lt Rhonda McAuliffe-Gloodt, AP and Jann Kenyon worked very hard on this project, by purchasing the tree, lights and ornaments as well as making some of the beautiful tree ornaments. Lt Barbara Taylor, S assisted in the decorating along with Cdr Peggy Reiss, JN-IN and P/C Ted Reiss, SN brought the ladder and helped. The “tree topper” was especially unique with painted sand dollars denoting a compass rose with locations N, S, E & W. The 8-foot tree with a Marco Island Christmas theme was purchased by Lavonne Johnson for \$1000.00; event coordinator Dave Rice and Rhonda delivered and set up the tree at the Johnson’s home. MISPS received a front page newspaper photo and article for this event. Once again, we’re getting our name out there! 🌲



Lavonne and Glen Johnson with the MISPS tree at their home



Photo by Rhonda Gloodt

Community Service

Marco Island Sail & Power Squadron member Kathleen Reynolds was honored as the “Kiwanian of the Year” for 2015 by the Kiwanis Club of Marco Island at their Installation Dinner on 13 November at Hideaway Beach. Kathleen was chosen for this honor by fellow members for her advocacy for children, including chairing the Scholarship Committee, Terrific Kids Committee and the Priority One Committee. The Scholarship Committee offers funding to outstanding local students; Terrific Kids honors groups of students monthly from Tommie Barfield or Manatee Elementary schools, who along with their families, attend a celebration breakfast. The Priority One Committee provides funding for the child care and early learning facilities that offer services to Marco Island’s children and families. Kathleen was also inducted as Kiwanis President Elect, for the president’s term to begin in 2017.



Kathleen enjoys Kiwanis Installation Dinner with sister Jacqueline

(above photo and article submitted by K. Reynolds)



13 December 2015 MISPS Christmas Party: Toys collected for Kiwanis with Cdr Peggy Reiss, JN-IN, Lt/C Rhonda McAuliffe-Gloodt, AP and 1/Lt Kathleen Reynolds, AP

At the MISPS Christmas Party on 13 December, members were asked that instead of exchanging gifts for the ladies, that members donate unwrapped gifts for kids ages 3—12 years for the children of Manatee School to be distributed by Kiwanis.



AED Training



On 3 December, a class was held by Cdr Peggy Reiss, JN-IN (a retired registered nurse) to refresh the training for our new Automated External Defibrillator purchased for our condo. The attendees were: Marty Wilhelm, AP, Rhonda, McAuliffe-Gloodt, AP, Sam Taylor, S, Barb Taylor, S, P/C Carl Thieme, SN, Sheila Thieme, Mary Cramer, AP, Lt/C Bill Hughes, JN, Tom Morr, P, Lt/C Lori Williams, S, Lt Cliff Winings, SN and P/C Ted Reiss, SN-IN. Most of the students had recently completed the CPR/AED/First Aid course given by the Marco Island Fire Department. It is reassuring to know that the AED is on the wall of our condo main room and that now we have members available with knowledge in it’s use. Thanks Peggy and Ted for teaching this class.



(at top) the class; Barbara, Lori, Sheila and Tom practicing on mannequins; Sam, Bill, Marty and Carl; (bottom) Marty Wilhelm with his mannequin.

Squadron Christmas Party



Linette Noffsinger, Cdr Peggy Reiss, JN-IN and P/C Ted Reiss, SN-IN

What a lovely Christmas party! Although a number of our squadron members have gone north to visit family, fifty-eight enjoyed the holiday camaraderie, social hour and the delicious dinner arranged by Lt Sheila Thieme at Kretch's. Lt Dorothy Harkness, S did a superb job of arranging the seating. It was rewarding to see the growing table of unwrapped toys for the Kiwanis kids as our members arrived ... a giving time of year. Thank you for being so generous. Commander Reiss made a few announcements: our Christmas tree was the first to be sold and for a thousand dollars also that the MISPS parade float (decorated boat) won first for lighting! The evening was most pleasurable and everyone had the holiday spirit. 🌟



Tom Morr, P, Karen Morr, Pat Mogan and Jim Mogan



Lt/C Rhonda McAuliffe-Gloodt, AP, 1/Lt Kathleen Reynolds, AP & Pat Mogan



Troy Miles, S and his mom—Sheila Miles



P/C Owen Henning, AP, Lt Juanita Henning, S and Joyce Martindell



Lt Dorothy Harkness, S and P/C Lee Harkness, AP



Beverly Noffze and P/C John Noffze, S



Anne Moore, S, P/C Steve Moore, S and "mom" Anna Moore



P/C Bob Richardson, P and Betty Richardson



Judy Crook and P/C Dick Rogers, P



Jerry Martin, S, Jo Martin, S and Bob Noffsinger, S



Joyce Winings and Lt Cliff Winings, SN



Bryan Mordecai, AP and D/1/Lt Andrea Battaglia, SN

13 December 2015 . . .



Christmas Party Host—Lt Sheila Thieme and P/C Carl Thieme, SN



Lt Wanda Day Burson and Lt Gene Burson, P



Mary Carleen Ferry and Jim Ferry, P



Julie Riley and Steven Riley



Jann Kenyon, Lt/C Bill Hughes, JN and Peggy Harsch



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P/C Tippy Cavanagh, SN and John Cavanagh



Lt Bill Kayhart, P, Lt/C Teri O'Connell, JN and Lt/C Lori Williams, S



Mary Kayhart, John Maciolek, S and Erma Maciolek



(left) Cocktails and conversations in the bar room;
(above) Look at all the toys for the Kiwanis Kids!
I think those kids at Manatee Elementary will be very happy that "Santa" didn't forget them.



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WAYS & MEANS CHAIRS Lts Gene & Wanda Burson

This year's Wine & Hors d'oeuvres Party is going to have some wonderful Silent Auction items. Shell Lighting has been kind enough to donate lamps, tall candle sticks, a small and a large ceiling fan, and a 5-foot square fire pit valued at \$5,000. We have hockey tickets, gym memberships, free massage, round trip limousine trip from Marco Island to RSW, boat rental, boat baby-sitting, and gift certificates from nearly every restaurant on Marco Island. You will not want to pass up these items.



Raffle winning numbers will be projected on a large screen. We will not be waiting for someone to claim the prize. If the prize is not claimed by 7:00 pm then the raffle prize will have a new winning number drawn until there is a winner.

We still need to have members let Pat Mogan know what hors d'oeuvres you can bring to serve 30 or more people. There may be over 400 people at this year's event. Every little bit (bite) helps.

Barb Taylor has been talking about having a ticket tearing party. One night volunteers will meet at Barb's home to tear the tickets into proper amounts and have them ready for sale. Barb's tickets will be **BLUE**.

Mary and Bill Kayhart will be selling 50/50 tickets. This year there will be two 50/50 drawings which means they will need to use **RED** tickets for one drawing and another color, other than blue, for the second drawing. Any other color besides Blue.

The next meeting for the Chairs, Sub-Chairs, and Co-Chairs will be 6 January 2016 at 1000 at the condo. I hope we will be putting the final touches on supplies required, decoration theme, wine needed, beer to buy and have everyone signed up for making their favorite hors d'oeuvres.

Tickets have been available and were passed out to the members attending the December Christmas Party. If you did not attend, then your four tickets should be in your mail box. Remember that we are charging **\$20 per ticket prior to the event and \$25 the day of the event.**

Buy your tickets and share them with your family and friends. Additional tickets are available from Lt Gene Burson, P (239) 945-1775 or Lt Wanda Day Burson (239) 777-1484. Mark your calendar,

Friday, 29 January 2016: Wine & Hors d'Oeuvres Party



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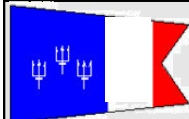
**Easy to learn this fun game ... nice
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BIRTHDAYS

- Peter Arcidiacono, S**
- Dennis Bartolucci, P**
- D/1st/Lt Andrea Battaglia, SN**
- Lt Gene Burson, P**
- Laura Carney**
- Ledlie Crutchfield**
- Ann Derwin**
- P/C Lee Harkness, AP**
- Peggy Harsch**
- Don Henderson, SN**
- Lt Juanita Henning, S**
- Jann Kenyon**
- P/C Erin Olmes, JN**
- Frank Partridge, JN**
- Lt Sheila Thieme**
- Dennis Trego, N**

If I've missed your name, let me know!



**"CAPTAIN TED'S CORNER"
P/C Edward Reiss, SN-IN**



1. BOTH INTERNATIONAL & INLAND Which vessel is the stand-on vessel when two vessels crossing in fog are NOT in sight of one another?
 - a. The vessel which has the other on her own starboard side
 - b. The vessel which has the other on her own port side
 - c. The one which hears the other's fog signal first
 - d. Neither vessel is the stand-on vessel.

2. BOTH INTERNATIONAL & INLAND What is the minimum sound signaling equipment required aboard a vessel 10 meters in length?
 - a. Any means of making an efficient sound signal
 - b. A bell only
 - c. A whistle only
 - d. A bell and a whistle

3. If you shorten the scope of anchor cable, your anchor's holding power _____.
 - a. decreases
 - b. increases
 - c. remains the same
 - d. has no relation to the scope

4. When relieving the helm, the new helmsman should know the _____.
 - a. gyro error
 - b. course per magnetic steering compass
 - c. variation
 - d. maximum rudder angle previously used

ANSWERS: 1. d, 2. a, 3. a, 4. b

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT—STREET PARADE

The Christmas Island Style Annual Street Parade was another way of getting recognition for our Marco Island Sail & Power Squadron as well as promoting boat safety with the continuation of the “Wear-It” campaign. Our decorated boat took **1st Place** in lighting in the parade! MISPS uniformed marchers passed out candy to the kids along the parade route. Thanks to all who participated in decorating, marching in parade and un-decorating the beautiful 32-foot Chris Craft donated & driven by Walker’s Marine. 🚤



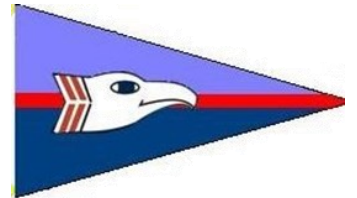
Clockwise top right: Lt/C Rhonda Gloodt, AP, Rick Kelso on top of boat, P/C Ted Reiss, SN-IN, Cdr Peggy Reiss, JN-IN, P/C Carl Thieme, SN, Sam Taylor, S, Barbara Taylor, S, and Lt/C Bill Hughes, JN; “Frosty” with life jacket, Rich & Rhonda; winning lighted boat in parade (photo by Lt Cliff Winings, SN); red convertible with Cdr Peggy Reiss, JN-IN driven by P/C Reiss (photo by Reiss); P/C Carl Thieme, SN, Cdr Peggy Reiss, JN-IN, Sam Taylor, S, Lt Sheila Thieme, D/1/Lt Andrea Battaglia, SN (LM), Lt/C Rhonda Gloodt, AP with Newfoundland “Lilli” and P/C Ted Reiss, SN-IN; Sam putting lights around MISPS sign (Photo by Reiss).



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The Charting /GPS 2-day Seminar starting on 1 Dec. with instructors P/C Jim Olmes, SN (pictured) and P/C Carl Thieme, SN.



16 December "Captain's Meeting" at CJ's on the Bay gazebo bar: L-R back row) New member Gunars Zikmanis, Jay Fernandes, Jann Kenyon, Linda Fernandes, Mona Kelso, Richard Kelso, AP, Lt/C Bill Hughes, JN, Peggy Harsch, Lt/C Teri O'Connell, JN, Cdr Peggy Reiss, JN-IN, P/C Ted Reis, SN-IN, P/C Steve Moore, S, Anne Moore, S, Lt Gene Burson, P, Lt Wanda Burson, Pat Mogan, Bryan Mordecai, AP, Bob Mueller, S, P/C Carl Thieme, SN, Lt Sheila Thieme, Lt/C Rhonda McAuliffe-Gloodt, AP, Phyllis Mueller, 1/Lt Kathleen Reynolds, AP, D/1/Lt Andrea Battaglia, SN; (front seated) Kristine Zikmanis (daughter), Nancy Zikmanis, and Jessica Zikmanis (daughter), Linette Noffsinger and Bob Noffsinger, S.

Education Schedule 2016



COURSE	DAY OF WEEK	TIME	START DATE	DAYS	INSTRUCTOR
ADVANCED, S - Member \$58, Non-Member \$158: P - Member \$68, Non-Member \$168					
SEAMANSHIP	M & TH	1800	FEB 1	8	P/C TED REISS, SN-IN 239-213-8722, \$58
PILOTING	TU	0930	JAN 19	9	P/C TED REISS, SN-IN 239-213-8722, \$68
ADVANCED PILOTING	TU	1230	JAN 19	10	P/C TED REISS, SN-IN 239-213-8722, \$52 - \$72
JUNIOR NAVIGATION?	WED	1300	JAN 20	12	P/C TIPPY CAVANAGH, SN 239-393-9158, \$86
NAVIGATION?	WED	1300	JAN 20	12	P/C TIPPY CAVANAGH, SN 239-393-9158, \$145

ELECTIVE, W – Member \$ 68, Non-Member \$168: EN –Member \$60, Non-Member \$160					
WEATHER	TH	1000	JAN 14	10	Lt/C RHONDA GLOODT, AP 402-216-3326
ELECTRONIC NAVIGATION	M & TH	1300	JAN 4	8	LT RAY BOLLER, AP 847-691-5110

SEMINAR, Members \$30, Non-members \$40					
PARTNER IN COMMAND	SAT	1200	JAN 23	1	CDR PEGGY REISS, JN-IN 239-213-8686 & P/C TED REISS, SN-IN 239-213-8722
CHARTING/GPS	TU & WED	1800	JAN 26	2	P/C JIM OLMES, SN 239-394-5415 & P/C CARL THIEME, SN
ANCHORING	TH	1800	FEB 4	1	LT JIM FAHRBACH, AP 937-776-4359
VHF & VHF/DSC RADIO	WED	1800	FEB 17	1	P/C JIM OLMES, SN 239-394-5415
PRACTICAL ON THE WATER TRAINING,					\$150
	SAT	0930	MAR 5	1	P/C TED REISS, SN-IN 239-213-8722 & SEVERAL OTHERS, \$150
PADDLE SMART	TH	1800	MAR 10	1	P/C PEGGY REISS, JN-IN 239-213-8686
RULES OF THE ROAD	WED	1800	MAR 16	1	P/C TED REISS, SN-IN 239-213-8722
MARINER'S COMPASS	MON	1800	MAR 21	1	P/C JIM OLMES, SN 239-394-5415
CHARTING/GPS	WED & TH	1800	MAR 23	2	P/C JIM OLMES, SN 239-394-5415 & P/C CARL THIEME, SN

AMERICA'S BOATING COURSE \$30

M & TH	1800	JAN 11	5	P/C TED REISS, SN-IN 239-213-8722
M & TH	1800	MAR 7	5	P/C TED REISS, SN-IN 239-213-8722

Call Instructor or Ted Reiss to register or for additional information



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WEDNESDAY, 13 JANUARY 2016

SHIPPS LANDING CONDOMINIUM
1100 S. Collier Blvd., Marco Island

1700 (5:00 PM) – SOCIALIZING
17:45 (5:45 PM) – SQUADRON MONTHLY MEETING
18:15 (6:15 PM) DINNER FOLLOWED BY SPEAKER

SPEAKER: Donna Fiala, Collier County Commissioner
Accomplishments, Future Growth and Upcoming County Projects

MENU:



Tossed Salad Vinaigrette
Chicken Picatta
Broiled Salmon, Dill Sauce Side
Rice, Green Beans,
Rolls and Butter
Apple Pie and Ice Cream
Coffee/Iced Tea



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Wednesday, 10 February 2016

4:30pm - 5:30 Boarding, Cocktails (credit card/cash bar)

5:30 pm - 7:30 Private Sunset Dinner Cruise

7:30 pm - 8:00 Dockside- Change of Watch

Buffet Dinner Menu:

Caesar Salad, Rolls

Carved Prime Rib

Lemon Pepper Mahi Mahi

Garlic Mashed Potatoes

Green Beans Almondine

Key Lime Pie

Coffee

(Salad, dessert and coffee served tableside)

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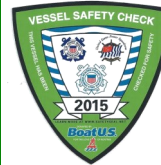


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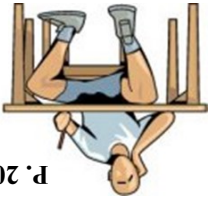
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