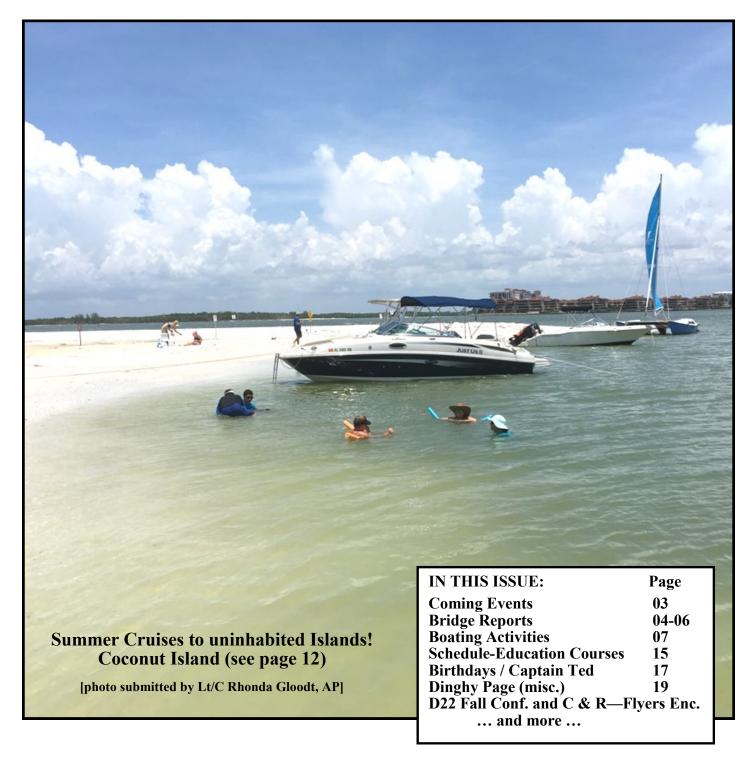


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# Coming Events 2016

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06 Sept	MISPS sponsored Beach Clean-Up at South Beach (Tue)	1730	p. 11
09 Sept	Cruise & Breakfast, Marker 8.5 Restaurant (Friday)	0900	p. 07
13 & 27 Sept	Cards at the Condo (Hand & Foot) (2nd & 4th Wednesday)	1300	p. 17
14 Sept	<b>Executive Board Meeting at MISPS Condo</b>	0900	
14 Sept	Captain's Meeting at CJ's Gazebo Bar at Esplanade	1700	p. 04
15 Sept	Cruise & Lunch, Rod and Gun Club at Everglades City	1200	p. 18
27 Sept	Ladies Lunch, Petit Soleil (Old Marco)	1130	p. 17
28 Sept	Captain's Meeting at CJ's Gazebo Bar at Esplanade	1700	p. 04
30 Sept	District 22 Commanders Meeting & D22 Council Meeting		
01 Oct	D22 Fall 'One Day' Conference, Charlotte Co. Event Center	(Flyers Eı	nclosed)
4 & 18 Oct	Cards at the Condo (Hand & Foot) (1st & 3rd Tuesdays)	1300	p. 17
11 Oct	<b>Executive Board Meeting at MISPS Condo</b>	0900	
11 Oct	General Membership Dinner-Meeting at M.I. Yacht Club (Tue) Speaker: Jim Kalvin, President, Standing Watch	1700	p. 21
13 Oct	Cruise & Lunch, Snook Inn	1200	p. 18
18-19 Oct	Birthday Cruise, Legacy Harbor, Ft. Myers		p. 18
26 Oct	Captain's Meeting at CJ's Gazebo Bar at Esplanade	1700	p. 04
01 Nov	Cards at the Condo (Hand & Foot)	1300	p. 17
3-5 Nov	D22 Cruise & Rendezvous, Palm Island Resort, Cape Haze	(Flyer En	closed)
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08 Nov	General Membership Dinner-Meeting at M.I. Yacht Club (Tue)	1700	
15 Nov	Cruise & Lunch, Marco Island Yacht Club (ladies go to this lunch!)	1200	p. 07
26 Nov	Cruise & Lunch aboard the Naples Princess 🔀	TBA	
30 Nov	Captain's Meeting at CJ's Gazebo Bar at Esplanade	1700	<b>p. 04</b>
A CONTRACTOR	Save the Date! Sunday, 11 December 2016 Squadron Christmas Party at Kretch's		



#### *THE EAGLE'S EYE* EDITOR D/1/Lt Andrea K. Battaglia, SN

Again, I appreciate those who took photos for me while I was away. I went to northern MN to visit family and a family reunion in Wisconsin ... always fun to see family.



I want you to look at this issue of *The Eagle's Eye* and tell me if you notice some things different. (Answers next month!)

The summer issue of the *Beacon* is available on our website and has flyers/forms for both the D22 Fall Conference and the C & R. Please print out and plan to attend. Forms also in this EE.



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We extend our sincere condolences to the family of Ledlie Crutchfield, who passed
wavay on 28 June 2016. Her husband, the late
Jack Crutchfield, was Commander of MISPS
1993-1994. Ledlie and Jack were active in the
squadron for many years and both will be
fondly remembered. \*

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Captain's Meeting "Meet & Greet" CJ's Gazebo Bar at the Esplanade at 1700 <u>2nd & 4th</u> Wednesdays of the Month



**Reserve your chair!!** Call Lt Ann Derwin at 239-384-3959 Or Email: apdo@comcast.net

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#### COMMANDER Bill Hughes, JN

Even though almost half of our members have gone north for the summer and it is hot outside, over 25 people have been showing up for our bi-monthly Captain's meetings at CJ's Gazebo in the Esplanade. This is really a social get together with happy hour prices. Anyway, I'd like to encourage you to invite friends and neighbors that may



have some interest in boating to join us. We meet at 1700 on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays through September.

On 1 October, we have the District 22 meeting in Punta Gorda. This is billed as a one day meeting and it is located nearby so it is an easy opportunity to join with 16 other squadrons in our district to meet other boaters and exchange ideas. See the interesting roundtables and further details in enclosed flyers.

On 11 October (Tuesday) we have our first MISPS dinner meeting of the season at the Marco Island Yacht Club. Lt Dorothy Harkness, S needs to submit the headcount and your dinner selections to the Club by the prior Friday. So get your dinner selections and money to Dorothy by 6 Oct. See page 21 for the menu selections.

Lt Juanita Henning, S and Past Commander Owen Henning, AP have moved to Bentley Village, North of Naples, around 1 August. Owen was Commander 1998-1999 and continued to be very active in our squadron, especially with the Vessel Safety program. He was a top performer doing VSC's for many years and enthusiastically taught the course for becoming a VSC examiner. Juanita has been our Sunshine person for many years, sending cards with a personal note to ill or hospitalized members. On behalf of our squadron, I thank them both for their devotion to squadron activities and we will miss their presence at our meetings.

Mary Carleen has graciously accepted the position as Sunshine Chair; I thank her for volunteering, I know she will do a great job. If anyone knows of a need, please contact Lt Mary Carleen Ferry, S. (See p. 11)

Announcement: Starting in October our Dinner-Meetings will be held at the Marco Island Yacht Club and the day will be changed to <u>Tuesday</u>! (p. 21)

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#### EXECUTIVE OFFICER Lt/C Rhonda Gloodt, AP

As of August 2016 NOAA has increased its prediction for hurricanes for this year. Hurricane season is 1 June through 30 November. As Floridians we are interested in the Atlantic storms. The 2016 season is expected to be the strongest since 2012. The August 2016 prediction by NOAA is higher than the May 2016 prediction. The new prediction is



for 12-17 named storms of which 5–8 will become hurricanes. Peak months are August through October. The factors that are conducive to a more active hurricane season are 1. The disappearance of El Nino 2. Weaker wind shear 3. Weaker trade winds 4. Stronger West African monsoons. Now is the time to prepare for a storm. Check your hurricane list of things to do and have a plan. What will you do with your boat? Strap it to the lift or remove it to a safe place. If evacuation of your area is recommended, be prepared so you are the first to leave not the last. You do not want to be stuck in traffic and bad weather on the road which is also very dangerous! Be proactive when it comes to weather and join the weather class!

Dredging has finally been completed around Coconut Island and the Island is beautiful and ready for us to enjoy it! Thanks again to all the members who help to document the conditions of our channel markers around Marco Island, Naples and Goodland. If MISPS had not followed through with City Council meetings we would not have the new channel markers that have been installed creating a safer boating environment. Great job members!

Lily, our MISPS mascot, has been busy this summer with grandchildren. She thinks she is helping by giving them rides from the deep end of the pool to the shallow end. Lily loves all the activity the grandchildren bring and she lets Baby Lonnie crawl all over her. Almost daily someone asks about Lily on her morning walk and she waits as I get the chance to inform someone new about our wonderful MISPS.

CJ's continues to be a great place to get together with everyone and I am looking forward to returning to the Yacht Club for our dinner meetings this season! Remember guests are welcomed.

Planning for the Wine and Hors d'Oeuvres Party has begun. Contact Lt Gene Burson, AP and Lt Wanda Burson, S to volunteer to help out on our once a year fund raiser!

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ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER Lt/C Tom Morr, P

Back to school! With Labor Day, soon your squadron will be back at work teaching boat owners the skills to operate their vessels safely and with maximum enjoyment. But like most students, we want to hold onto the last days of summer for as long as possible.



Stretch your summer by joining MISPS for a Cruise and Breakfast

at Goodland's Marker 8.5 on 9 September and for a Cruise and Lunch to the Rod & Gun Club at Everglades City on the 15th. (see p. 18) Don't forget our twice a month Captains' Meetings extend into September on the 14th and 28th and the 'card sharks' play at the condo on the 13th and 27th.

For those who took their summer break in Marco, there was a lot of fun to share. In July, Lt/C Rhonda Gloodt, AP led two boating activities to the Dolphin Tiki and Coconut Island. Fred Schoen, S guided us to Naples Three60 Market. August took us across the Marco River to the Capri Fish House and to Keewaydin Island for a Cruise and Picnic. Thanks to Rhonda, Fred, 1st/Lt Kathleen Reynolds, AP and P/C Tippy Cavanagh, SN respectively for their efforts. As you will see elsewhere in The Eagle's Eve, lots of fun was shared at Captains' Meetings and the other events in July and August. Oh, we hate to let go of summer ... but we must. Soon our northern friends will return to Paradise and your squadron's monthly meetings will resume. As a reminder, beginning 11 October the MISPS dinner meetings return to the Marco Island Yacht Club. The meetings at the Yacht Club will be held on the second TUESDAY of the month this year. Mark your calendars for 11 October and 8 November in 2016, and 10 January, 14 March and 11April 2017. The Christmas Party will be held at Kretch's and the Change of Watch will again be held on the Marco Island Princess.

Like any new school year, we want to make sure that all eligible students are enrolled. That means we are looking for boaters to participate in our classes and to share in our community of mariners to safely enjoy the waters around Marco. Help grow MISPS by inviting your boater friends to join. Thank you.



MISPS mascot "Lily" with baby Lonnie

# IIIIIIEDUCATION OFFICERTTP/C Edward Reiss, SN-IN

Education schedule for the Fall of 2016 and Winter of 2017 is completed with some topics deleted and some new ones added. As the season progresses there may be some changes so keep looking for updates. The schedule is now on the MISPS web site and page 15 of this issue of *The Eagle's Eye*.



Registration for any or all of the courses or seminars can begin. Please let the instructor, the Assistant Squadron Educational Officer 1st/Lt John Maciolek, AP, or myself know your interest. To overcome some concerns from the past we are asking that you register no later than a week before the start date of the class or seminar. If you do not see a subject of interest or have a question let me know.

The Vessel Trainer is up and running. You can use it almost any time by letting John or myself know. Later in the year we will set up specific days and times, about 45 minutes per session per person for you to practice docking, running a slalom course, cruising to a given location, starting up, stopping, coasting, vessel avoidance and more while watching your heading, depth, speed and tachometer. Unlike in the previous trainer if you damage the boat you will sink. For the fun of it you can even drive the Titanic.

Our plan is to conduct an Instructor Certification class in January. This short course prepares a member to construct lesson plans, to make presentations and to use training aids. While we focus on boating topics the skills are applicable to all types of audiences and subject material. MISPS needs more instructors.

With that let's go boating and be safe.



#### SAFETY OFFICER Lt Jay Fernandes

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Who says you can't teach an Old Salt new tricks. Recently, my son taught me a concept which I found very interesting. He was introduced to the idea at FLETC, the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center. The model can be applied to many situations including small boat handling.



O-O-D-A loop, observe, orient, decide, act. This acronym was coined by Air Force Colonel John Boyd. He was a Korean War fighter pilot and a student of combative engagements. Col. Boyd's understanding of the time-sensitive nature of decision-making, based on his experience, led him to develop the OODA loop. Once understood, it laid out a winning tactic that helped explain successful fighter pilots and their seemingly enhanced abilities. But it's not just for fighter pilots. OODA loop can be applied to many activities including driving around Marco Island in boats and cars.

In law enforcement an officer needs to understand the OODA loop because it explains how people act and react in a demanding, evolving, and highly charged situation. This decision-making model can be used to deconstruct verbal and physical confrontations. It also provides a structure for understanding how the mind processes information and takes action in any situation dependent on reaction time.

Boyd studied the aerial combat outcomes during the Korean War and found that even though U.S. pilots flew inferior jets they still beat their adversaries 10-1. Through further research, he was able to decode the process and learn some critical characteristics about decision-making and reaction time. Boyd concluded that there were only two ways to beat someone in aerial combat: speed up your decision-making (and thus reaction time) or slow down theirs.

When handling a vessel in congested areas OODA loop is useful. In most situations slowing your vessel will cause the other vessel to change their OODA loop as well. This model has been applied to any situation where reaction time is crucial to outcome. Now I have a new name for the decision making process skippers undertake every time we take the helm of a vessel.

Smooth Sailing!



### **Marco Island Sail & Power Squadron Boating Activities**

Boating Chair: Lt Dave Dumas—239-389-2677



\*\* Call the Lunch Chair for reservations at the restaurants: \*\* \*\*Lunch Chair: Lt Ann Derwin—239-384-3959 Or Email: apdo@comcast.net

Dates 201	6 Destination		Cruise Captain	Phone (239)
09 Sep	**Cruise & <u>Breakfast</u> , Marker 8.5, Goodland	0900	Lt/C Tom Morr, P	259-8962
15 Sep	**Cruise & Lunch, Rod and Gun Club, Everglades City	1200	P/C Ted Reiss, SN-IN	213-8722
13 Oct	**Cruise & Lunch, Snook Inn	1200	Cdr Bill Hughes, JN	394-3484
18-19 Oct	Birthday Cruise, Legacy Harbor Marina		P/C Lee Harkness, AP	642-3575
3-5 Nov	D22 C & R, Palm Island Resort, Cape H See details on enclosed Flyer	aze	Cdr Bill Hughes, JN	394-3484
15 Nov	**Cruise & Lunch, Marco Is. Yacht Club	1200	P/C Carl Thieme, SN	970-2177
26 Nov	**Cruise & Lunch Aboard Naples Princess See details on page 10—send in check and			384-3959
10 Dec	Raft-up, Christmas Boat Parade, Smokehouse Bay	TBA	1/Lt Kathleen Reynolds, AP	394-0459
15 Dec	**Cruise & Lunch, Little Bar, Goodland	1200	P/C Andy Battaglia, SN	642-5721
<u>2017</u> 14 Jan	**Cruise & Lunch, Old Marco Lodge Goodland	1100	P/C Carl Thieme, SN	970-2177
19 Feb	**Cruise & Lunch, Esplanade, Smokehouse Bay	1200	Edward Bauer	(540) 817-5745



# Breakfast at Marker 8.5 Goodland 9 September at 0900 Breakfast Reservation: Call: Lt Ann Derwin at 384-3959 Cruise Captain: Lt/C Tom Morr, P (boating info) 259-8962



MISPS' two boats at dock- (center) Cruise Captain Fred Schoen with crew of Mike & Tim



P/C Peggy Reiss, JN-IN and P/C Ted Reiss, SN-IN ... they came by boat



Our monthly squadron lunch was in Naples on 8 July at the Three60 Market, a unique dining experience. A varied menu from sandwiches to pasta like lobster ravioli, all homemade. Many thanks to Fred Schoen as Cruise Captain who led the way as Just Us II followed.

It was a perfect day weatherwise with sunshine and light wind. Two boats and thirteen people participated. Some took advantage of the "best prices in Naples" for premium wine, which was only \$3.60 above "cost". Also, anyone interested could buy a variety of homemade pasta, soups and other menu items. Another good time!

# **Cruise & Lunch**



Guest Mike O'Leary, Cruise Captain Fred Schoen, S and Tim Clune, S.



Lt/C Rhonda Gloodt, AP and Bob Gloodt



Peggy Harsch, Cdr Bill Hughes, JN and Lt/C Teri O'Connell, JN



Lt Jim O'Connell, P. D/1st/Lt Andrea Battaglia, SN & Bryan Mordecai, AP

Bryan, Bill & Peggy at entrance





Beverly Noffze and P/C John Noffze, S



Heavy rain, thunder and lightning brought us inside at CJ's, occupying a cozy corner of the restaurant for camaraderie. Eighteen members braved the inclement weather to gather and socialize. Bryan started a cutting from his Monstera deliciosa (a species of flowering plant native to tropical rainforests of southern Mexico, south to Panama) to give to Rhonda. This plant can have an edible fruit, anyway, hope it grows for Rhonda. Good to see a few more members back from health problems and a few more were planning upcoming trips. Even though Marco is a bit steamy (hot & humid), it's nice in the summer with low traffic, parking at Publix or Winn Dixie, etc. My relatives in Minnesota complain of humidity when it gets up to 30% there ... I said they don't even know what humidity is! Before we know it, "season" will be here and activities will be humming.



Lt/C Tom Morr, P, Bryan Mordecai, AP and Phyllis Mueller



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



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Monstera deliciosa growing on palm tree



Lt Dorothy Harkness, S and Peggy Harsch



Cdr Bill Hughes, JN, Lt Ann Derwin and P/C Lee Harkness, AP



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



Lt Wanda Burson, S, Lt Gene Burson, AP and looking good ... Bob Mueller, S



Lt/C Rhonda Gloodt, AP with started plant of Monstera deliciosa started by Bryan & Bob Gloodt

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### **SUNSHINE NEWS** Lt Mary Carleen Ferry, S

Lt Mary Carleen Ferry, S 239 394-4884



Lt Juanita Henning, S has been the Sunshine Lady for years sending Get Well and Sympathy cards to those members that she knew about. I will now try to fill her shoes.

#### Please remember: Sheila Thieme - heart surgery, Bob Mueller - skin cancer of his head, Wanda Burson - heart issues, Pat Jansen - 2 fractured hips

I'm sure there are more. Please let me know of anyone who is sick, injured or deceased.

### Community News: Profiles in Leadership: Marco Class of '16

[Photo and Article by Lance Shearer, Marconews.com, 16 Aug 2016]



Our Ways & Means Chair Lt Gene Burson, AP participated in "Leadership Marco". This class will meet every 2 weeks for additional programs, covering Marco – related topics inc. history, media, hospitality & tourism, education, law enforcement, real estate & Government. (Jan 2017 Graduation)

**Gene Burson:** With just 2 years living on Marco Island, Gene Burson has jumped in with both feet, becoming heavily involved in civic activities. He is chairman of the city's Beach Advisory Committee, and also active with the Marco Island Sail & Power Squadron—a member of the Executive Board and Co-Chair with Wanda of the Ways and Means Committee, the Fire-Rescue Foundation, the Police Foundation, the Sunrise Rotary Club, Christmas Island Style, and the Marco Island Academy athletic boosters. A retired MBA, Gene worked for Toledo Edison in his hometown of Toledo, Ohio as Director of Information Technology, and as Manager of Program Development for Owens Community College. Along with his wife Wanda, he has two sons, and two granddaughters.



Our Administrative Officer Lt/C Tom Morr, P participated in "Leadership Marco", a program of Marco Island Area Chamber of Commerce to identify dynamic individuals and bring them together and give them grounding in various facets of island life.

**Tom Morr:** Originally from Wooster, Ohio, Tom has been coming to Marco Island since 1981, bought a home in 2010, and made the fulltime move in 2014. He is president and CEO of Smokehouse Creek, LLC, a marketing and economic development consulting firm. He previously developed economic development for Washington, D.C. and Philadelphia, marketed four office research parks, and "in my younger days" served as a subcommittee counsel and directed the staffs of 2 members of Congress. He earned his law degree from American University. "I have worked with regional chambers of commerce, and I have high regard for them", he said. "This is a great way to learn the community and how to make a positive impact." Morr and his wife Karen have two daughters and two grandchildren.







### **Coconut Island Cruise & Picnic**

On 29 July, with beautiful weather, a group of seven members and three boats met at Coconut Island for camaraderie and a picnic. Included were: P/C Peggy Reiss, JN-IN and P/C Ted Reiss, SN-IN aboard the *Just Us II, Lucky Dog* with Lt/C Rhonda Gloodt at the helm and 1/Lt Kathleen Reynolds, AP; and the Puell family with Jose, Rebecca and Joey on a rental boat. The gentle waves of the Gulf of Mexico were refreshing as most of the group cooled off clinging to "noodles" for flotation. It was a fun day; those squadron members who were up north missed a great day on Marco!  $\checkmark$  (*Thanks you to Rhonda for the photos*)





#### CJ's Captain's Meeting 10 August 2016





Cdr Bill Hughes, JN, Lt Jim O'Connell, P, and Lt/C Teri O'Connell, JN



Peggy Harsch, P/C Ted Reiss, SN-IN And Lt/C Rhonda Gloodt, AP



Lt Dorothy Harkness, S, D/1st/Lt Andrea Battaglia, SN and P/C Tippy Cavanagh, SN



New members Marcy and Dan Marinelli, and John Cavanagh

Great participation for the August Captain's Mtg. get-together at CJ's with 26 members. A few people are back more from trips and some will do more traveling. We were lucky to avoid the usual late afternoon rain on this occasion. One member is leaving shortly to go to Ireland, another couple is going north for a family reunion and visit other northern friends. Lee talked about making the arrangements for the annual Birthday Cruise to Legacy (see p. 18); problem with no rooms available on the weekend, so necessary to change the date to a Tue. and Wed. This is really a fun event so ... plan to attend!



P/C Lee Harkness, AP, Jim Ferry, P and Bryan Mordecai, AP



Beverly Noffze & P/C John Noffze, S



Phyllis Mueller, P/C Peggy Reiss, JN-IN and Bob Mueller, S



P/C Steve Moore, S and Ann Moore



Lt/C Tom Morr, P and P/C Ted Reiss, SN-IN



Lt Mary Carleen Ferry, S, 1/Lt Kathleen Reynolds, AP and Lt Wanda Burson, S



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Piloting	Y	τυ	0930	17- Jan	9	P/C Ted Reiss, SN-IN 239-213-8722
Junior Navigation	Y	w	1300	20- Jan	12	P/C Tippy Cavanagh, SN 239-393- 9158
Seamanship	Y	M & TH	1800	6-Feb	8	Lt Nick Rago AP 860-798-4141 Lt Rick Kelso AP 239-970-0396
Elective						
Weather	Y	тн	1000	12- Jan	10	Lt Rhonda McAuliffe-Gloodt, AP 239-450-7089
Public Boating						
America's Boating Course	Y	M & TH	1800	3-Oct	5,6	P/C Ted Reiss, SN-IN 239-213-8722
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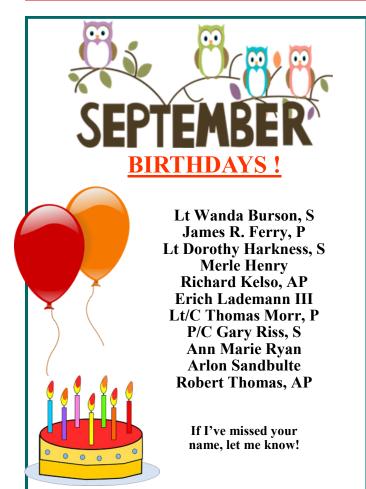
### "Hand & Foot" Card Game

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Easy to learn this fun game ... nice to play while on cruises. Socialize with members of the squadron, give Dorothy a call!

Cards dates for Sept will be on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at 1300.





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

1. BOTH INTERNATIONAL & INLAND To be considered "engaged in fishing" according to the Rules of the Road, a vessel must be \_\_\_\_\_.



a. using fishing apparatus

- which restricts maneuverability.
  - b. using trolling lines
  - c. power-driven
  - d. showing lights or shapes for a vessel restricted in her ability to maneuver
- 2. Whipping the bitter end of a fiber rope \_
  - a. increases the circumference of the rope
  - b. makes for easier handling
  - c. prevents fraying of the bitter end
  - d. prevents moisture from entering the bitter end
- 3. Relative humidity is defined as
  - a. the maximum vapor content the air is capable of holding
  - b. the minimum vapor content the air is capable of holding

c. the ratio of the actual vapor content at the current temperature to the air's vapor holding capability

d. the relation of the moisture content of the air to barometric pressure

4. You are attempting to recover a mooring buoy. If you approach the object on the port tack, how would you slow the vessel as you draw near?

- a. quickly change to a starboard tack as you reach the object.
- b. shift the rudder from port to starboard several times as you reach the object.

c. bring the wind so that it comes over the stern and ease all the sheets.

d. bring the wind directly over the bow and allow the sails to luff.

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

## Cruise & Lunch 15 September at 1200 Rod & Gun Club Everglades City

Lunch Reservations Call: Lt Ann Derwin at 239-384-3959 Or Email: apdo@comcast.net

Cruise Captain: P/C Ted Reiss, SN-IN 239-213-8722 (by boat)





### Cruise & Lunch 13 October at 1200 Snook Inn, Marco

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LADIES LUNCH 28 June 2016 at the Sunset Grille: Beverly Noffze, P/C Peggy Reiss, JN-IN, Mary Carleen Ferry, D/1st/Lt Andrea Battaglia, SN & Ladies Lunch Chair Lt Dorothy Harkness, S.



Lt Dorothy Harkness, S, Vini Just, Lt Mary Carleen Ferry, S and P/C Peggy Reiss, JN-IN





Photo, VSC Chair Tom Ryan, P sent from NJ: "our grandkids wearing MISPS logo shirts: Patrick, Thomas, Giovanni and Eddie at Bethany Beach, DE". These shirts made by Snikwah have the new branding logo with USPS & MISPS; they have excellent sun protection, are breathable and very comfortable. Miscellaneous



Happy 50th Anniversary, 3 Sept ! Ann Marie & Lt Tom Ryan, P



Cards at the Condo 12 July: Bryan Mordecai, AP, Joyce Martindell, Lt Pam Sander, JN, Barbara Taylor, S, D/1st/Lt Andrea Battaglia, SN, and Beverly Noffze



Beach Advisory Committee Chair & MISPS PR Chair, Lt Gene Burson, AP promoting monthly beach clean-ups. Clean beaches are important for their recreational value, also as a clean nesting place for sea turtles and migratory shorebirds. Trash on our beaches is not good for our Marco beach economy. Let's make sure our Gulf waters are healthy for future generations. (Copied from *Coastal Breeze*, Aug. 5-18, 2016)

MISPS Sponsored Beach Clean-Up 6 Sept. (p. 11)





Cdr Bill Hughes, JN, Peggy Harsch, and Lt/C Rhonda Gloodt, AP



New "Sunshine" chair Lt Mary Carleen Ferry, S, Jim Ferry, P and Lt/C Tom Morr, P



P/C Tippy Cavanagh, SN and John Cavanagh



Rob and Vic with her sister Mary Sackett (interested in membership)





Another fabulous day in paradise, as over 20 members met for lunch on 16 August at the Capri Fish House in Isles of Capri just off Marco. Fresh Grouper (dinner, salad, or sandwich), Greek salad, burgers, shrimp, and many other choices were offered. Drinks were prompt, good service and all our food came out about the same time; good job by restaurant! Lt Ann Derwin and her husband Peter brought their neighbors who are interested in becoming MISPS members. The ambiance of overlooking the water with boats passing by was quite entertaining. As we were

finishing lunch, we noticed dark clouds building to the south and west. Lt/C Rhonda Gloodt, AP mentioned that it would most likely rain with-in the next hour. Lt Gene Burson, AP said he disagreed and said that it probably wouldn't rain until around 1600 ... then the bet was on! First the duel of cell phones weather apps. Gene's phone gave info of no storms near. Rhonda went to her app, "Storm" (I-Phone)\* which showed storms around the area of Marco. A cool breeze blew in under the Chickee where we had lunch. "See, feel that ... that means the rain is coming" Rhonda commented. Gene replied that his phone said that weather cell just dissipated. We departed from lunch about 15 minutes later ... heavy rain on Marco. Rhonda is our weather instructor!!



Lt Gene Burson, AP and Lt Wanda Burson, S



Lt Ann Derwin, Neil Sackett and Peter Derwin (Sacketts & Derwins are neighbors)



Bryan Mordecai, AP and D/1st/Lt Andy Battaglia, SN (LM)



Ann with her good friend Maggie \*App for Android is "Storm Shield Severe Weather"

NEW LOCATION & NEW DAY!!!

# **COMING IN OCTOBER** MONTHLY DINNER MEETING

# **MARCO ISLAND SAIL & POWER SQUADRON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2016**

**MARCO ISLAND YACHT CLUB** 

1400 N. 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:** Jim Kalvin, President, Standing Watch

### **MENU:**

\$30 per person \*Choose One Dinner per Person:

House Salad or Classic Caesar

Herb Crusted Chicken with Sundried Tomato, Roasted Garlic Cream and Crispy Goat Cheese Medallion, Saffron Rice





Or

Scaloppini of Lemon Sole Angel Hair Pasta, Capers and Garlic **Chardonnay Sauce** 

Pineapple Upside Down Cake with Whipped Cream and Carmel

\*Vegetarian Meal Available

Adult Beverages Available for Purchase



PLEASE RESPOND BY 6 OCTOBER 2016

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Name	Tel#

Chicken

Menu choice:

Fish Vegetarian

No. attending @ \$30 Amount Enclosed

### Captain's Meeting—Meet & Greet 24 August 2016



New members Dan and Marcy Marinelli; they are in the process of looking for a boat, since they are now on Marco full-time



Peggy Harsch & Cdr Bill Hughes, JN talked about their upcoming cruise to Cuba in September!

It rained before and after our meeting at CJ's, where 23 members met for camaraderie. We stayed nice and dry under the overhang of the gazebo bar as we enjoyed visiting and catching up on the latest goings-on with one another. We did hear a few big claps of thunder after the lightning. Later, on the news, we found out that there was a fatality of a worker on the Marriott construction project and 2 injured all near the 7-11 by Winterberry; so sad. Our location felt sheltered.



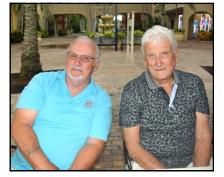
The always smiling Beverly Noffze and P/C John Noffze ... his wonderful laugh could be heard by everyone!



Lt Gene Burson, AP and Lt Wanda Burson, S talked about the recent W & M meeting on 17 Aug; the kick-off for the Jan. W & H party!



The happy birthday couple (both birthdays on Aug. 24th) everyone sang Happy BD when they arrived.



Lt Jim O'Connell, P and P/C Lee Harkness, AP ... no we're not getting that close for a photo, no hugs!



P/C Peggy Reiss, JN-IN telling Lt/C Tom Morr, P about her reunion and trip to NJ & MD



Big smiles from Bob Mueller, S and Phyllis Mueller ... Bob is feeling better all the time, but Phyllis is still driving.



Lt Dorothy Harkness, S, D/1st/Lt Andrea Battaglia, SN and Bryan Mordecai, AP conversing about a good card game



Our Treasurer Lt/C Teri O'Connell, JN and our SEO Lt/C Ted Reiss, SN-IN having a great conversation



Jim Ferry, P and the new Sunshine Chair Lt Mary Carleen Ferry, S who just had a dermatology procedure [All of us should be careful of the sun]



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Captain's Meeting—Meet & Greet 27 July at CJ's Gazebo (Photos By Lt/C Rhonda Gloodt, AP)

