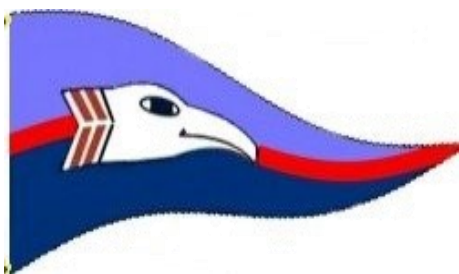


## Change of Watch 2018-2019



Commander Gene Burson, AP (center) and his bridge for 2018-19. From left: Lt/C Meg Smith, P; 1/Lt Kathleen Reynolds, AP; Lt/C Tom Ryan, AP; 1/Lt John Maciolek, AP; Lt/C Tom Morr, P; Burson, Lt/C Bob Smith, P; 1/Lt Earl Haldemann, S; Lt/C Teri O'Connell, JN; and 1/Lt Deborah Rago,



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## Coming Events 2018


06 Mar	Cards at the Condo	1300	p. 16
09 Mar	Cruise & Lunch, Dolphin Tiki Bar	1200	p. 07
10 Mar	Marco Beach Clean-Up (Saturday)	0800	
10 Mar	Annual Squadron Officer Training, Palmetto (hosted by D22)	0930	
13 Mar	Executive Board Meeting at MISPS Condo	0900	
13 Mar	Membership Dinner Meeting at M. I. Yacht Club	1700	p. 08
14 Mar	Silver Tridents Breakfast Meeting (Past Commanders)	0830	
18 Mar	Twins / Phillies Baseball, Hammond Stadium, Ft. Myers	1300	
20 Mar	Ladies Lunch, Brewery	1130	p. 18
20 Mar	Cards at the Condo	1300	p. 16
24 Mar	Cruise & Picnic, Cape Romano	1100	p. 07
<u>27 Mar</u>	Captain's Meeting at CJ's at the Esplanade (4th Tue)	1700	p. 04
03 Apr	Cards at the Condo	1300	p. 16
07 Apr	Cruise & Picnic, Turtle Key Raft-Up	1100	p. 07
10 Apr	Executive Board Meeting at MISPS Condo	0900	
10 Apr	Membership Dinner Meeting at M. I. Yacht Club	1700	
11 Apr	Silver Tridents Breakfast Meeting (Past Commanders)	0830	
13-14 Apr	District 22 Spring Conference, Punta Gorda		
16 Apr	Rookery Bay Kayak Event, Shell Island Road Boat Launch	0900	
17 Apr	Ladies Lunch, Kretch's Restaurant	1130	p. 18
17 Apr	Cards at the Condo	1300	p. 16
20 Apr	Cruise & Breakfast, Mango's at the Esplanade	0900	p. 07
<u>24 Apr</u>	Captain's Meeting at CJ's at the Esplanade (4th Tue)	1700	p. 04
1 May	Cards at the Condo	1300	
8 May	Executive Board, Condo	0900	
8 May	Captain's Meeting, CJs at the Esplanade (2nd Tue)	1700	p. 04
9 May	Silver Tridents Breakfast Meeting (Past Commanders)	0830	
12 May	Cruise & Lunch, Panther Key	1200	
15 May	Ladies Lunch, Hoots	1130	
15 May	Cards at the Condo	1300	
19-25 May	Safe Boating Week		
22 May	Captain's Meeting at CJ's at the Esplanade (4th Tue)	1700	
25-26 May	Cruise and Picnic, Port of the Islands	1100	



**THE EAGLE'S EYE EDITOR**  
**Marcy Marinelli, S**


I'm honored to be working as the editor of The Eagle's Eye and want to thank Andrea Battaglia for all her help in transitioning into this new position with the squadron. I know that I have big shoes to fill as Andy has done a fantastic job as editor for the past ten years.

Don't look for any major changes in The Eagles Eye. We have a great newsletter and I hope to continue that tradition. If there is anything that you'd like to see included in The Eagles Eye, please let me know. I won't be able to get to all our squadron events so if you have pictures from an event, please send them to me by the 15th of each month.



**SUNSHINE NEWS**

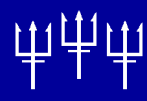
Jim Ferry is home under hospice care. Cards can be sent to 840 S. Collier Blvd. #1704



Pam Sander would enjoy getting cards from her friends on Marco. Her address is 1136 Villaview Drive, Manchester, MO 63021

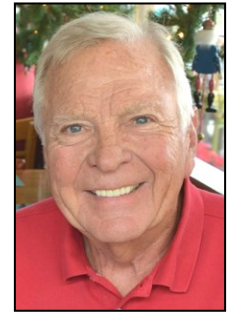
**The caregivers are to be remembered also. Please let me know of anyone who is sick, injured or deceased. I will send them a card in the name of the squadron.**

**AnnMarie Ryan**  
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**COMMANDER**  
**Gene Burson, AP**

Our mission is Safe Boating through education, participation in civic events to support the community and social gatherings to bolster the camaraderie amongst the members. We are a boating club of boaters, for boaters.



The Executive Committee has been working on a Strategic Plan to address the most important needs of the organization:

- Membership and membership involvement,
- Succession Planning with early Training,
- Education classes to attract more students,
- Leadership Role in Civic Events,
- Fun Social events that do not necessarily deal with boating.

Membership and membership involvement will start with actively recruiting new members and then showing them the many opportunities where they can volunteer within the organization.

Succession Planning with early Training will help to insure there will be willing volunteers to fill all critical positions of the organization.

Nearly half of our new members are a result of people taking the ABC class. We need to attract more students to all classes to increase their boating knowledge. Boating education classes are our life blood.

At the urging of others, I have started a Marco Commanders Group. The group is made up of commanders from many of the boating organizations on Marco Island. We hope to have a united voice for Marco Island boating community when corresponding with the County or the City.

Fun Social events are the responsibility of all members. Tom Morr and Bob Smith have been working months to create a list of activities that will interest everyone. They have expanded the boating events to focus on boating skills development and local knowledge. Beyond boating they have added a miniature golf tournament and a road trip to a baseball game.

If you have other ideas on how we can increase membership, involve more members, attract more students, be more active in civic events, or you have a new idea for a fun activity, contact myself or a member of the Executive Committee.




**Captain's Meeting**  
**"Meet & Greet"**  
*everyone welcome!*  
**CJ's Gazebo Bar**  
**at the Esplanade at 1700**  
**on the 4th Tuesday**  
**of the Month**



**For March RSVP to**  
**Sonya Benson at**  
**414-617-5718 Or Email:**  
**sbensonwi@gmail.com**



**EXECUTIVE OFFICER**  
**Lt/C Tom Morr, P**

Now is a good time to have your vessel inspected. In 2017, the Marco Island Sail and Power Squadron conducted free vessel safety inspections on more than 300 boats. Wow! What a contribution to safe boating in our community. Time to do it again.



With the beautiful weather Marco Islanders enjoy in the middle of ‘Season’ more of us will be on the water with family and friends. That means this is the right time to make sure your lights, sound devices and radio are working properly, your flares and fire extinguishers are within their expiration dates, your personal flotation devices, lines, anchor(s) are in good condition and that your vessel is outfitted with the required equipment and notices. It is also useful to remind yourself to make sure your vessel registration and insurance is up to date. These and other parts of the safety check will give you the peace of mind of knowing you are a prepared and responsible boater.

In 2017, the MISPS Bridge made it an objective to seek to inspect the boat(s) of every member. Please do your part and contact Lt. John Salotto (703/864-5528, johnj.salotto@gmail.com) or Lt. Dan Marinelli, S (239/900-0299, gopackers1113@msn.com), our VSC Co-Chairs, to schedule your inspection. They will arrange for one of our 13 trained examiners to provide this free service.

Remember that local law enforcement officers can stop and inspect your vessel at any time you are on the water. Reduce the risk of a sanction if you are properly equipped and all is in good working order.

Now for a word of thanks. First of all, kudos to past Commander (and new Silver Trident) Rhonda Gloodt, for a job well done. With Irma, 2017 was a tough year and Rhonda provided the steady hand and good humor to help the MISPS get through the storm and its aftermath. Also, as the past Administrative Officer, I want to thank the many people who made the squadron’s meetings, events and boating activities informative, safe and fun. In particular, Lt. Sonja Benson, Lt. Ann Derwin, Lt. Dorothy Harkness, S, Lt. Jim O’Connell, P , Lt. Nick Rago, AP, and P/Cdr. Peggy Reiss, JN-IN, provided great leadership in their responsibilities. Thanks also to the many members who served as Cruise Captains and otherwise pitched in to make things work.



**ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER**  
**Lt/C Bob Smith, P**

March is a beautiful month on Marco Island , a perfect time to enjoy the Ten Thousand Islands and to participate in Power Squadron activities with friends old and new.



So please join us for Ladies Lunch, Cards at the Condo, for a Cruise (optional) and Lunch at the Dolphin Tiki Bar, and a Cruise and Picnic at Cape Romano. Everyone is always welcome. If you don’t have a boat but want to participate in a cruise, just call the Cruise Captain and ask to be paired with a boat captain who has room to share with you (see page 7 for Cruise Captains).

Remember to reserve a place for the March 13 Membership Dinner at the Yacht Club and to join us for happy hour at the March 27 Captain’s Meeting at CJ’s at the Esplanade. Please feel free to invite friends who will enjoy the camaraderie and who might decide to become our next new members.

For the many new members who have joined the Power Squadron this season, I would like to introduce you to two of our members who coordinate most of our activities throughout the year. Lt Dorothy Harkness organizes our monthly Membership dinners and the Ladies Lunch held on the third Tuesday of each month. Dorothy also coordinates Cards at the Condo on the first and third Tuesday each month. Please see page 16 of this Newsletter for Dorothy’s contact information. Lt Sonya Benson organizes all of our monthly Cruise Lunches and Captains Meetings. Sonya also manages the sign up for all of the Power Squadron’s special activities throughout the year. Please see page 7 of this Newsletter for Sonya’s contact information. Please contact Dorothy and Sonya to take advantage of the Squadron’s many social opportunities.

Whether you have joined our Squadron in the past month or have been a member for many years, we welcome your ideas for new activities. During the past year we have added a Mini Golf Tournament, preseason Major League Baseball, and a musical concert to our activities schedule. Do you have ideas for additional events that our members might enjoy in the coming months? If so, please share them with me and I will work to integrate them into our future schedule. Let’s work together to help the Marco Island Sail and Power Squadron be an organization that creates a wide variety of enjoyable experiences for all of its members.



**EDUCATIONAL OFFICER**  
**Lt/C Thomas Ryan, AP**

The Educational Department is certainly going to miss Ted Reiss. The good news is that Ted will continue to be a key player in our Squadron. So, we can all breathe a sigh of relief. But the Educational Department is more than one person. Without the students and instructors there would be no Educational Department. In addition to Ted's help I am going to need your help, support and participation over the next months to continue to provide an outstanding program. I also want to thank all of our current instructors: Tippy Cavanagh, Nick Rago, Rick Kelso, Rhonda Gloodt, John Maciolek, Jim Olmes, Carl Thieme, Lee Harkness, Cliff Winings, Kathleen Reynolds, Peggy Reiss, Bryan Mordecai, Andy Battaglia and Ted Reiss. They dedicate a lot of time and effort to provide a worthwhile service both to our members and to our community. Thank you.



We have one course and three seminars scheduled for March. Our ABC course begins on March 5. If you haven't taken this course yet, consider signing up. It provides a good boating foundation as well as a Florida Boating Certification.

Hurricane Preparedness is something we should all be familiar with. For our "snowbird" members who own boats, this course is a must. Should I leave the plug in or take it out? Should I secure the lift to the pilings? What knots should I use? Sign up for the March 15 Seminar and get the answers to these questions and many others.

Partner In Command, as the name suggests, is intended for the person on-board who does not normally operate the boat. In case of an emergency, what should they do? This course provides a practical guide for taking command in such an emergency.

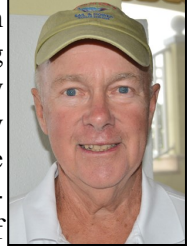
Charting/GPS is a hands-on guide to using a GPS. Learn how to set up your GPS, learn about waypoints and routes, drift settings and many other features. Even experienced GPS users will benefit from this seminar.

I look forward to working with the instructors to continue to offer a great educational program, but it's up to you, the membership, to participate in the program. So, give me a call (908-432-8767) and sign up for one of our courses/seminars today!



**SAFETY OFFICER**  
**Lt Ed Bauer**

A friend recently returned from a visit on the east coast and recounted an interesting accident involving a boater and his new large pontoon boat. When docking, they entered their lift and remotely raised the lift to its proper elevation. As one passenger started moving about, the center of gravity changed, and the boat levered backwards at a steep angle with the stern into the water and spilling some of the passengers and gear over the deck. The owner had previously marked on the dock where he thought he should position the boat based on the hull being centered on the lift. Unfortunately, he had not fully considered the significant weight of the engine and the cantilever effect of the bracket supporting the engine. Fortunately, passengers suffered only minor cuts and bruises.



Another friend recounted a situation last summer when he was repositioning his boat a short distance to his home from a nearby marina. He lost his steering control and had to anchor to avoid being blown onto the rocky coast. When he called Boat US for assistance they asked for his location; he responded with local landmarks but, as the operator was in some remote location not familiar with the locality she needed coordinates. Since the friend was travelling only a short distance, his GPS was not available. Fortunately, he remembered that the longitude / latitude coordinates were on his phone and the operator was able to dispatch a response boat. My coordinates can be found on both my SeaTow app as well as on the compass app. Can you find yours?

Have you had a PS member perform a Vessel Safety Check on your boat? Do you have boating friends or other condo owners who would appreciate this safety enhancement service?

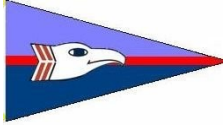
Have you taken a CPR / First Aid Certification course recently?

Do you routinely assign someone as lookout or assistant skipper on your boat?

Have you taken a MISPS course this year that can enhance your boating skills? I recently attended a seminar on anchoring and one of the greatest benefits was to exchange ideas and experiences with the other boaters attending (including the best way to beach your boat- bow or stern first.).

# Marco Island Sail & Power Squadron Boating Activities

## Boating Activities



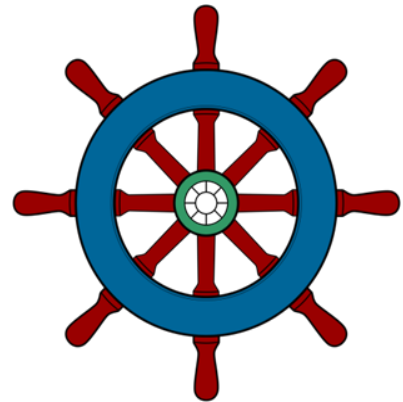
Boating Chair: Lt Nick Rago, AP at (860) 798-4141  
 Boating Assist. Chair: Dan Marinelli (240) 606-1119



**\*\* Call the Lunch Chair for reservations at the restaurants  
 Sonya Benson at 414-617-5718 Or Email: [sbensoawi@gmail.com](mailto:sbensoawi@gmail.com)**

**Before cruising, make sure you have your vessel safety check!**

Dates	Destination	Time	Cruise Captain	Phone (239)
09 Mar	** Dolphin Tiki Bar	1200	Lt/C Tom Morr, P	259-8962
24 Mar	Cruise & Picnic, Cape Romano	1100	Lt Rick L. Kelso, AP	970-0396
07 Mar	Turtle Key Cruise and Picnic	1100	TBA	
16 Apr	Rookery Bay Kayaking Shell Island Road Boat Launch	0900	TBA	
20 Apr	**Cruise & Breakfast, Mango's	0900	TBA	
12 May	Cruise & Picnic, Panther Key	1200	TBA	
25-26 May	**Cruise & Lunch, Port of the Islands & optional Overnight	1100	TBA	
09 Jun	**Cruise & Lunch, Snook Inn	1200	TBA	
29 Jun	Cruise & Picnic, Coconut Island	1100	TBA	
13 July	**Cruise & Lunch, Island Gypsy	1200	TBA	
27 July	Cruise and Picnic, Keewaydin Island	1100	TBA	





**Friday, 09 March  
 Cruise & Lunch,  
 Dolphin Tiki  
 Bar**

1021 Anglers Cove, Marco Island  
 Going by boat?  
 Call Cruise Captain: Tom Morr  
 239-259-8962

**For Lunch reservation Contact Sonya at  
 414-617-5718 or [sbensoawi@gmail.com](mailto:sbensoawi@gmail.com)**



**Saturday, 24 March  
 Cruise & Picnic  
 Cape Romano**

Cruise Captain: Rick Kelso 239-970-0396

**COMING IN MARCH**  
**MONTHLY DINNER MEETING**

**MARCO ISLAND SAIL & POWER SQUADRON**  
**TUESDAY, MARCH 13, 2018**



***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



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**Rhonda Watkins, Principal Environmental Specialist  
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Or

Chef's Vegetarian Selection

Dessert: Bailey's Irish Crème Cake

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**PLEASE RESPOND BY THURSDAY, 8 MARCH 2018**

Because the Yacht Club is closed on Mondays, reservations **must be received by the Thursday before the meeting** so that the proper amount of food may be ordered.

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Menu choice: Chicken \_\_\_\_\_ Beef \_\_\_\_\_ Vegetarian \_\_\_\_\_

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# Cruise and Lunch, Capri Fish House

It was a beautiful day on February 10th for our cruise and lunch at Capri Fish House. Twenty-eight people attended the lunch. One group arrived by boat Captained by Joey Puell, S. His crew included Jose Puell, S, Rebecca Puell, S, Cdr Rhonda Gloodt, JN, and Lt Bob Gloodt. The following were also at the lunch: 1Lt Kathleen Reynolds, AP, Denise Gagnon visiting from Massachusetts, P/C Peggy Reiss, JN-IN, D/Lt/C Ted Reiss, SN-CN, Lt Sonya Benson, Don Cates, Lt/Cdr Gene Burson, AP, Carol Engstrom, George Engstrom, AP, Alan Epstein, S, Joyce Epstein, Lt/C Tom Morr, P, 1/Lt Deb Rago, Lt Nick Rago, AP, Julie Riley, Lt Steve Riley, Lt/C Meg Smith, P, Lt/C Bob Smith, P, Henry Stanley, P/C Carl Thieme, SN, Lt Sheila Thieme, P, Lt/C Mary Alice Wilson, JN, and P/Lt/C Chuck Wilson, JN.



Captain Joey Puell at the helm



Squadron members enjoying lunch.



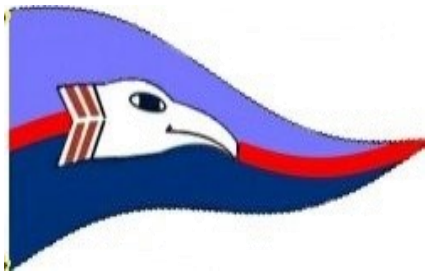
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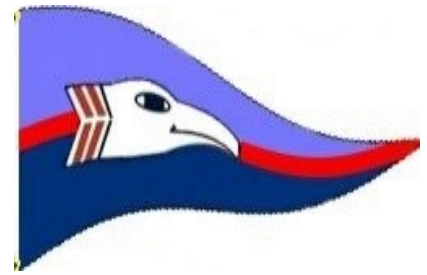
Rebecca Puell, Peggy Reiss, Ted Reiss, Gene Burson, Carol Engstrom, Joey Puell and Jose Puell



Rhonda Gloodt, George Engstrom, Julie Riley, Steve Riley, and Bob Gloodt



# Change of Watch



The Marco Island Sail and Power Squadron celebrated its 40th Change of Watch on Tuesday, February 13, 2018 at the Marco Island Yacht Club. Over 80 guests attended the event at which Lt/C Gene Burson, AP became Commander Gene Burson.

Special guests from District 22 included District 22 Commander Susan Lomastro, AP and Lt Bud Lomastro, S from Sarasota Power and Sail Squadron; D/Lt/C Don Cook SN, D22 Executive Officer (Manatee Sail and Power Squadron) and Marlene Bray; D/Lt/C Jack Nason, SN, D22 Educational Officer and P/C Nancy Nason, AP (Naples Sail and Power Squadron); and P/D/C Jan Lane, SN-CAN (Naples Sail and Power Squadron). Additional D22 officers included our own D/Lt/C Ted Reiss, SN-CN, D22 Administrative Officer and P/C Peggy Reiss, JN-IN; and D/1st/L Andrea Battaglia, SN, D-22 Assistant Treasurer. Honored Guests included Commander John Montvale and Marylou Montvale from the USCG Auxiliary, Commodore Bob Winterhalter and Diana Winterhalter from the Marco Island Yacht Club, and V/Commodore Don Orth and Sally Orth from Marco Bay Yacht Club.

Commander Rhonda Gloodt gave her final remarks to the Squadron and she and her bridge were relieved of their command by Commander Lomastro. Commander elect Burson was then sworn in as Commander and received the Commander's flag from Lomastro. Following this, Commander Burson's bridge was sworn in and received their bridge flags. Working with Commander Burson this year are: Tom Morr, Executive Officer, Tom Ryan, Educational Officer, John Maciolek, Assistant Educational Officer, Bob Smith, Administrative Officer, Earl Halde- man, Assistant Administrative Officer, Meg Smith, Secretary, Kathleen Reynolds, Assistant Secretary, Teri O'Connell, Treasurer and Deborah Rago, Assistant Treasurer.



Outgoing Commander Rhonda Gloodt and D22 Commander Susan Lomastro



Incoming Commander Gene Burson and wife Wanda

# Change of Watch



Commander Burson taking the oath of office.



Bridge officers with their flags.



Commander Burson receives his flag.



Ted Reiss receiving D22 Education Award



P/Lt/C Charles Wilson, JN and P/Lt/C Mary Alice Wilson, JN



D22 Cdr Susan Lomastro, AP and P/D/C Jan Lane, SN-ACN

# Change of Watch



Charley Gentry, JN and Marji Gentry with Barbara and Mike Murphy



Bob Thomas, AP and Cathy Thomas



P/C Dick Rogers, P, Judy Crook and her son, Larry



Lt Edward Bauer and Susan Bauer



Howard Clement and Terri Stanton-Clement



Lt John Salotto and Katie Hart

# White Horse Key Cruise and Picnic

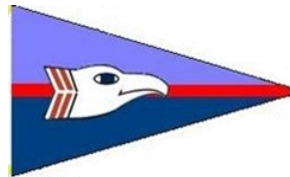
After a miserable January when many of us were not able to boat, the squadron cruise and picnic at White Horse Key on February 15 was a welcome opportunity to get out on the water. Cruise Captain 1/Lt Kathleen Reynolds, AP, organized the trip which was attended by 21 members. The seven boats met at Coon Key Light and travelled together to White Horse Key, where they anchored their boats and set up tents. The group enjoyed beautiful weather, smooth seas, good food and camaraderie! It was only the incoming low tide that encouraged the island's visitors to head home!



Bill Hughes and Brian Mordecai



Cruise Captain Kathleen Reynolds and her crew



Five of the seven boats that made the trip to Whitehorse Key



Sonya Benson, Rhonda Gloodt and Joan Jennings



Tom Ryan, Cathy Enstrom, Don Cates and Sonya Benson



Mona and Rick Kelso, Carl Thieme and Susan Bauer



Kathy Enstrom, Don Cates, Sonya Benson and Mike Jennings



Rick Kelso, Carl Thieme Ed Bauer and Steve Riley help solve some mechanical issues.



Enjoying a picnic lunch



Ann Marie Ryan



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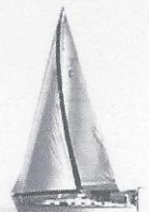
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Cards dates will be at MISPS Condo on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays at 1300.

# March

## BIRTHDAYS !

Kenneth Burnham  
Charles Gentry  
Bill Hughes  
John Jamison  
Steven Moore  
Barbara Murphy  
Debbie Rago  
Steven Riley  
Daniele Siegel  
Karen Simmons  
Starr Whiting  
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If I've missed your name, let me know!



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



1. BOTH INTERNATIONAL & INLAND You can indicate that your vessel is in distress by \_\_\_\_\_.

- a. displaying a large red flag
- b. displaying three black balls in a vertical line
- c. sounding four or more short rapid blasts on the whistle
- d. continuously sounding the fog whistle

2. A look-out should report objects sighted using \_\_\_\_\_.

- a. true bearings
- b. magnetic bearings
- c. gyro bearings
- d. relative bearings

3. An electronic depth finder operates on the principle that \_\_\_\_\_.

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- b. sound waves travel at a constant speed through water
- c. radar signals travel at a constant speed through water
- d. pressure increases with depth

4. Your vessel is leaving New York harbor in dense fog. As the vessel slowly proceeds toward sea, you sight a green can buoy on the starboard bow. Which action should you take?

- a. Turn hard right to get back into the channel.
- b. Pass the buoy close to, leaving it to your port.
- c. Stop and fix your position.
- d. Stand on, leaving the buoy to your starboard.

ANSWERS 1 d, 2 d, 3 b, 4 d



## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

We welcome Tom and Terri Mann who have been visiting SW Florida and Key West since the early 1990's. Originally from Bergen County, NJ where they lived most of their lives the Mann's both owned their own businesses. Tom owned a Chevrolet dealership for 20 years retiring after 40 years in the automotive retail business. Terri owned a window treatment and interior design business for over 25 years. In 2010 the couple bought a place in Key West and started 'KW Bone Island Fishing Charters & Watersports'. After retiring in February 2017 and selling their NJ home they now split their time between Key West and a home they purchased in Naples in 2016. Their boat 'Bow Tie' is berthed at the Windstar Marina in Naples. They are both avid boaters having travelled from Nantucket, RI to Key West and places in between and all around! Terri (the admiral) has 13 years of boating while Tom has been on the water almost his whole life. Their enjoyment is in the adventure they experience on the water and meeting new folks and visiting new places. Every trip for them is a new adventure.

They have a combined total of 5 children and 4 grandchildren located in Kansas City, MO, Seattle, WA and NJ. They are proud owners of Siamese cats, Liffy and Finnegan who keep the Manns on their toes. Please welcome Terri and Tom to our squadron.



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## First Aid Course at MIFD


On February 9th, squadron members Gene Burson, George Engstrom, Marcy Marinelli, Tom Morr, and Meg and Bob Smith attended CPR and First Aid training offered by the Marco Island Fire Department. Brian Asbel, Firefighter/Paramedic for MIFD, led the class. We learned adult, child and infant CPR, how to use an AED and basic first aid techniques which should help us be safer on land and water. MIFD offers these classes throughout the year. If you haven't taken one, consider signing up for a class and updating your skills.



Gene Burson having a sling put on by instructor Brian Asbel.



George Engstrom doing infant CPR.



**Ladies Lunch at  
The Brewery**  
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**3rd Tuesday,  
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**Ladies Lunch at Kretch's**  
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**3rd Tuesday, 17 April  
at 1130**

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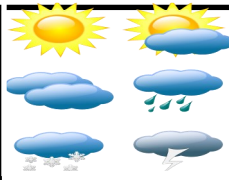
## Course Schedule Fall 2017—Winter 2018

We are coming to the end of our course schedule for the 2017-18 season. The following courses and seminars will be offered in the month of March:

Course/Seminar	Public	Day of Week	Time	Start Date	Days	Instructor(s)
America's Boating Course	Yes	M/TH	1800	5-Mar	5	1/Lt John Maciolek 732-496-4595
Hurricane Preparedness	Yes	TH	930	15-Mar	1	P/C Ted Reiss, SN-CN 239-213-8722 P/C Rhonda Gloodt, AP 239-459-7089
Partner in Command	Yes	SAT	930	17-Mar	1	P/C Peggy Reiss, JN-IN 239-213-8686 P/C Ted Reiss, SN-CN 239-213-8722
Charting/GPS	Yes	TU/W	1800	20-Mar	2	P/C Jim Olmes, SN 239-394-5414 P/C Carl Thieme, SN

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For more information call Tom Ryan, 908-432-8767



### Weather Course

We would like to offer a weather course in the April-May time frame. We need at least six students to sign up. If you are interested and would like to learn more, contact Tom Ryan at 908-

### Squadron Facebook Page



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### Kidde Fire Extinguisher Recall

Many Kidde fire extinguishers have been recalled due to defects. It's a good idea to check your boat's fire extinguishers to see if they are affected by the recall. Go to the Kidde website: [www.kidde.com](http://www.kidde.com) to see if your extinguisher is on the list of recalled products. Kidde will replace any extinguisher that has been recalled. It's a simple thing to enter your fire extinguisher's model and serial number on the website. Kidde will send you the new extinguisher(s) and you simply return the defective ones in the package that the new ones came in, no cost to you.



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