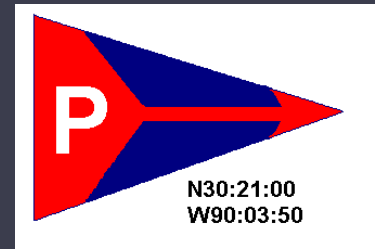


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I'd like to start by recognizing our talented sailors! As a club we're doing really well. Just come look at the trophy section in the bar. In October, at LPRC Jalapeño brought home the Tootie Barnett Spinnaker Overall trophy and Max, Andrew, Matthew & Eddie won the Mallory Cup in Kemah, TX. Congratulations! You're making us proud.

As we work through storm repairs you'll see things starting to return to ship shape. The mast (flagpole) was successfully lowered, repaired and raised last month. Many thanks to all who helped. David Barr supplied the boom truck and driver, Hew Hamilton replaced the broken weather station, Cleve Fair helped with halyards, David Bolyard with shrouds and ground tackle, Bob Doolittle with painting and few others helped lower and raise her. Kaia got the electricity (spotlight and electrical outlet) repaired and John Williams did a great job standing up a new cleat board. We still have some small tasks to complete but our goal was to have everything ready for our Veterans Regatta on November 6th and Veterans Day on November 11th. Good job everyone!

Hew Hamilton and Scott Discon are now working on standing up the sign and prettying up the grounds in that corner. Again, thanks for the hard work.

The pool is finished and I've seen a few people using it. It came out great! Too cold for me though. Unless I fall in by accident I won't get to enjoy it until late spring.

Fences are still being sorted out. Prices are high and fence companies are pretty busy. The prices we've seen so far seem to be way out of line so we will continue to work on that. Thanks Kaia! Speaking of fences. Albert Bacque's Scout Troop volunteered to help with the demolition of the hoist yard fence. That should save us some money when we replace it. Thank you all for your hard work.

Mark your calendars.... Our annual meeting is scheduled for Sunday November 21st @ 1600 hours. It's an important meeting as we will be discussing financial decisions, please plan to attend.



Remember, our new merchandise store is up and running. Here's the QR code which will bring you there:



Or, go to <https://companycasuals.com/pycstore/start.jsp>.

Our club calendar can be found here: <http://www.pontyc.org/calendar/>.

Thanks to everyone for supporting our restaurant license by purchasing food. It's important that we keep the restaurant status so families can enjoy the bar area together.

Thank you all for your support and I'll see you on the water!  
Court Richardson - Commodore  
Cell: 985.237.4261

## Vice Commodore

During the October board meeting a motion was made to change Past Commodore Joe Huffman's membership from Resident Member to Life Member. All board members were in favor and the motion was approved. I met with Joe the following day to let him know of his new membership status. Joe was totally surprised and very grateful to be honored with Life Membership status.

The Annual meeting will be held Sunday, November 21 at 4pm with a dinner to follow. This is an important meeting that includes the election of two members to serve on the 2022 Board of Directors and other important business. Please plan on attending

Dick Jones



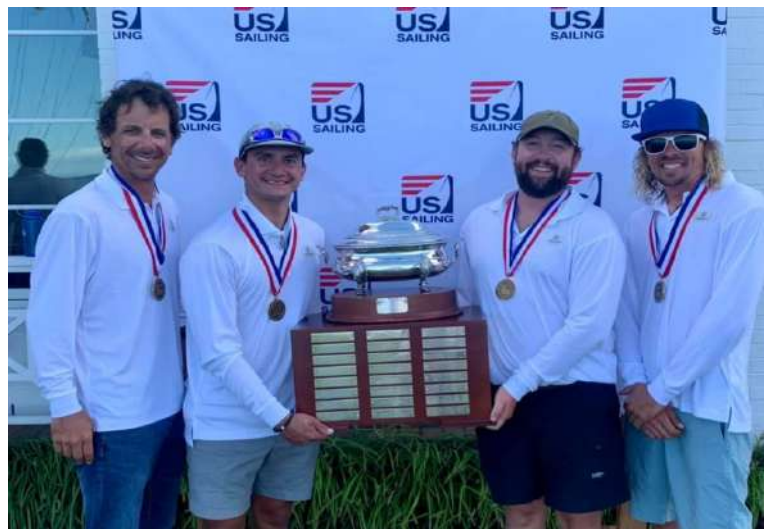
# Rear Commodore

We have been working hard to get everything back after Hurricane Ida. It has been a challenge to get estimates and work done at a reasonable price. Demand has driven up the prices.

As you can imagine, our deductible for Hurricane Ida is very high. Also things on the ground like our fence are not covered by our insurance and will have to be replaced by the club. We are going to have to look to our members to help cover these costs.

The board will be looking at these expenses and at options and we will be presenting our ideas at the annual meeting in November. We look forward to seeing everyone there.

Mary McKeogh



Congratulations to the 2021  
Mallory Cup Champions!  
Max Albert, Matthew Dupuy,  
Eddie Adams and Andrew Brennan.  
GYA team wins represented by PONTYC!

# Membership

Please welcome our new members!

Richard and Stacy MacKenzie. Richard learned to sail in Lagos, Nigeria while working there with Exxon. He and his family are new to this area. He recently was in Florida at the launch of the SpaceX.

Patrick Shrimpton is also new to the area. Paddy learned to sail in Singapore. He is very interested in working with the club.

Philip Watson and his fiancée, Alix, love the outdoors and is ready to learn to sail. He is good friends with another new member, Stephen Hebrock.

James and Joyce Gaudet. James learned to sail in the Navy. He has two boats and loves to race. He also teaches scuba!!

Welcome to the club!!

Elizabeth Callais

# Social

Happy Fall!

Lots of happenings coming through the end of the year!

Mark your calendars

Nov. 13- 14- Fishing Rodeo! Wonderful party Sunday afternoon to celebrate the wranglers

November 16- 2022 book selection book club

Nov 21- Annual Meeting

Nov 25- Friendsgiving at PYC. Use the link below to sign up.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0C4FAEAE2FA7F94-friendsgiving3/75471557>

December 4- Santa Parade and Nighttime Boat parade. All kids are invited to be riders in the Santa Parade. PYC will provide boats for decorating and kiddos can ride and throw!

December 5- Ladies Luncheon

December 10-12- Laser Championship. Live music both Friday and Saturday nights

December 17- Dirty Santa

December 19- Brunch with Santa

Hope to see you all around the club!

Thanks, Clancey



# Juniors

October has been a bit quite as the season winds down for the Juniors.

However, early this month one of our juniors Noah Jones traveled to Connecticut with a Pontchartrain team to compete in the Viper North Americans. They did very well coming in 5th place.

The 420 championships at Southern were cut short by a day due to extreme wind. Juniors Harrison Dodge, Noah Diaz, Karl Duplantis and Noah Jones competed.

Sir Lipton's was this past weekend. A few juniors came out to watch and learn from some amazing sailing. Liam Eddy and Karl Duplantis raced on the first day!

Otherwise it's been a month of identifying our needs going forward after Ida. Moving forward. Readying boats for next season as our junior team grows with two possibly three new members coming in the 2022 season.

See y'all around the club!

Beatriz Dupuy  
504-421-1248



# House and Grounds

Hurricane Ida Update:

- Gathering bids on fencing
- We know the shingle roof needs replacement but waiting for prices to go down for rebid
- Continue to clean and repair miscellaneous
- Greg is in the process of repainting all of the pool furniture we were able to salvage
- All electrical repairs have been completed including the hoist yard box and outlets
- The tamper switch on fire suppression system that went under water has been replaced, alarm has been reactivated and working well
- Ceiling fans have been repaired and replaced where needed
- The cleat board at the flagpole has been replaced and installed
- The sign will go up soon
- The flagpole and weather station are both up and running
- Scout troop that meets here on Sundays gave us a service day and removed all of the damaged chain link fencing in hoist yard
- The replacement a.c. for the regatta room has been ordered. We are doing one at a time.....the next will be the office system and finally, the bar

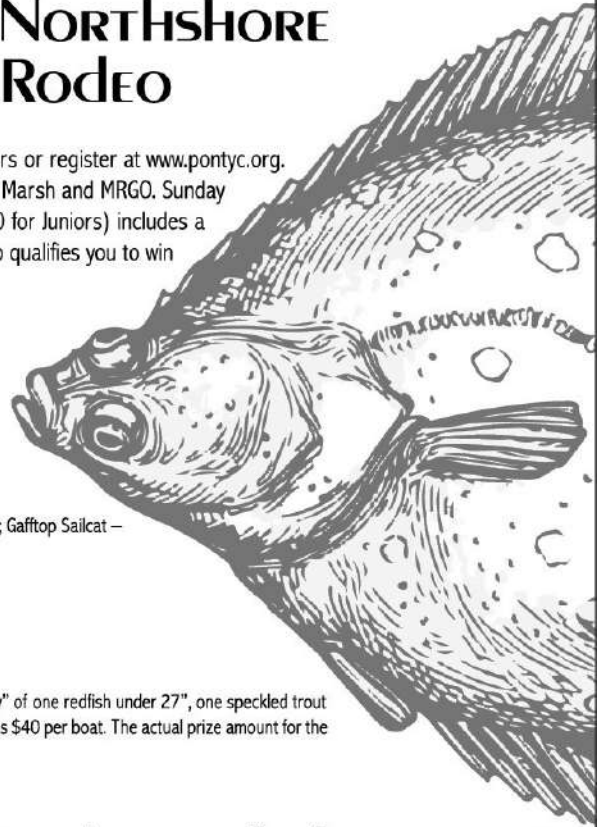


SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
31 Liptons	Nov 1 Club Closed	2	3	4 ● 8am Event rental	5 ● 6pm Guest Chef F	6 event rental Veterans Regatta
7 event rental	8 Club Closed	9	10	11 Veterans Day Celeb	12 ● 6pm Guest Chef F	13 Fishing Rodeo event rental Fall #3
14 Fishing Rodeo	15 Club Closed	16 ● 6:30pm Book Club	17 ● 6:30pm Board Met	18 ● 8am Event Rental	19 ● 6pm Guest Chef F	20 event rental
21 Annual Meeting	22 Club Closed	23	24	25 Thanksgiving	26 event rental ● 6pm Guest Chef F	27 Event Rental Turkey Day Race
28	29 Club Closed	30	Dec 1	2 ● 8am Event rental	3 ● 6pm Guest Chef F	4 Santa Parade Winter on the Water



# LAKE PONTCHARTRAIN NORTHSHORE OPEN FISHING RODEO

Rodeo is open to everyone! All interested participants can register at PYC during business hours or register at [www.pontyc.org](http://www.pontyc.org). All participants must fish in the boundaries of Lake Pontchartrain and its tributaries to the Biloxi Marsh and MRGO. Sunday Weigh-in at PYC and you must be in line by 4pm Sunday Nov. 14, 2021. Your \$40 Entry fee (\$20 for Juniors) includes a rodeo t-shirt, the post tournament awards banquet with the Saints game, beer and food. It also qualifies you to win prizes in the following categories by weight:



## NOV. 13-14, 2021

REGISTER AT PYC DURING BUSINESS HOURS OR AT [WWW.PONTYC.ORG](http://WWW.PONTYC.ORG)

**SALTWATER:** Speckled Trout – 1-3; Redfish – Under 27" – 1-3; Over 27" – 1-3; Flounder – 1-3; Sheepshead – 1-3; Gafftop Sailcat – 1-3; Black Drum – Under 27" – 1-3; Over 27" – 1-3; Croaker – 1-3; White Trout – 1-3

**FRESHWATER:** Largemouth Bass – 1-3; Bream / Bluegill / Sac-a-lait / Perch – 1-3; Freshwater Catfish – 1-3

**LADIES:** Big Fish – 1-3 (includes all eligible species listed above)

**JUNIOR:** Juniors Big Fish (15 and Under) – 1-3 (includes all eligible species listed above)

**GROSS WEIGHT:** Gross Weight of eligible fish by Boat: Only eligible species listed above caught during tournament.

One FULLY stocked ice chest for the winning vessel.

**"THE CALCUTTA"** is a separate "side bet" category for bragging rights and a CASH PRIZE! The heaviest "holy trinity" of one redfish under 27", one speckled trout and one flounder per boat over the weekend wins half of the total amount collected! Cost to enter this years "Calcutta" is \$40 per boat. The actual prize amount for the winning boat is to be established by the number of participating boats.

**MISCELLANEOUS:** (Weigh Master's Decision) WHO KNOWS!



*Annual Ladies Christmas  
Boutique And Luncheon*  
Sunday, December 5th  
Shopping from 10-2

*Menu:*  
*Salad*  
*Smoked chicken salad croissant*  
*soup*  
*Assorted desserts*

\$25.00 per person  
Includes shopping, champagne, mimosas,  
tea, coffee station and lunch  
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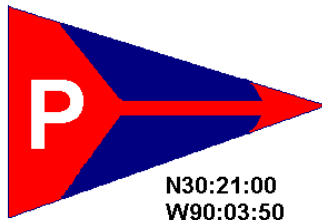
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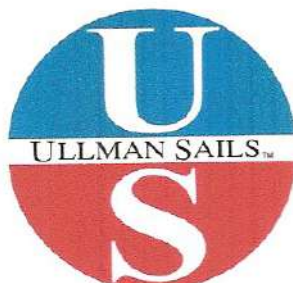


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