## Fircrest Yacht Club Wavemaker OCTOBER









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#### A Message from our Commodore and Vice Commodore:



Hello FYC,

There isn't much new news for this newsletter. Despite cancellation of club activities, we know many members have been able to get in some great boating days over the summer (thanks for the photo albums on the Facebook page, Britney!). We did have a September Zoom Cocktails with the Commodores meeting and it was a nice visit with about a dozen members. Hopefully, we'll get to gather as a club before the end of the year and bid good riddance to 2020! For now we continue to plan for 2021 cruising, explore venues for monthly business meetings, and consider alternatives to an in-person FYC 2021 Board election process. Normally the first call for nominations for the board would take place at our October meeting, so now is a good time to think about nominees! The offices are Commodore, Vice-Commodore, Treasurer, and Secretary. If you currently hold a non-elected service position (listed further down in this newsletter) and wish to hand it off in 2021 please let us know by November 1. As always we invite you to call or email us with your thoughts about what you would like to see from your yacht club.

Gary & Kristi

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#### **ABOUTUS** Safety Tips for an End-of-Summer Ritual



- Do you know where your flares are, or did you bury them under the inner tube in the back lazarette?
- Are life jackets serviceable, or has the dog eaten one? Have you periodically inspected any inflatable life jackets?
- Is your throwable (Type IV) personal floatation device still at the helm within easy reach, or did a guest hide it in the back under the stern seat?
- Are all of your navigation lights still working?



Could you find your flares in here quickly?

- Have you checked your U.S. Coast Guard Local Notice for Mariners lately to see if anything has changed, such as recent storms affecting navigation or infrastructure work?
- Over the course of the summer, have your boat trailer's safety chains accidentally dragged on the pavement leaving them compromised? Are brake lights still operable?

Want to learn more about boating safety? Take a free online boating safety course from the Foundation at BoatUS.org/Free.



### PLEASE CHECK OUT OUR RECIPROCAL MOORAGE LINK:

#### www.yachtdestinations.org





#### October Birthdays

- 2 Paul Olsen
- 3 Lizbeth McNeil
- 3 Tom Tinker
- 5 Angela Ford
- 16 Theresa Polus
- 21 Deborah Martin
- 26 Pam Shelp
- 27 Tom Stow

#### November Birthdays

- 12 Jeff Ford
- 29 Carole Stow

#### FYC AUGUST CHECKBOOK BALANCE



#### Fircrest Yacht Club

Checkbook Balance as of 8/31/2020	\$ 10,643.61
Income	\$ -
Expenses	\$ (102.72)
Checkbook Balance as of 9/30/2020	\$ 10,540.89



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FYC Website Members Only Page

The Password is: daffodil

Date	Event	Hosts
Jan 29	2020 CRUISE SCHEDULE Meeting @ Johnny's at Fife 6:30 pm	N/A
	Valentines Day Cruise-Dock Street(15 slips	
Feb 14, 15, 16	confirmed)	Fleek/Milsap/Ford
Feb 18	Meeting @ Johnny's at Fife 6:30 pm	N/A
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Mar 17	Meeting @ Johnny's at Fife 6:30 pm	N/A
CANCELED	March Madness Cruise - Arabella's (15	14/71
Mar 20, 21, 22	reserved) Room Fee	Latimer
CANCELED	Daffodil Marine Festival @ Breakwater	Edelities
Apr 17, 18, 19	Marina	Ruel-Stewart/Stow
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Apr 21	Meeting @ Johnny's at Fife 6:30 pm	N/A
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May 19	Meeting @ Johnny's at Fife 6:30 pm	N/A
CANCELED	Memorial Day Cruise - Brownsville (20 slips	IV/A
May 22, 23, 24, 25		
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Jun 12, 13, 14	Longest Day Cruise@ Longbranch Marina	Enders/McVay
CANCELED	Fourth of July Cruise - Bell Harbor (20 slips	Eliacis, incluy
Jul 3, 4, 5	reserved) Fee - Must call & pay 1st night	
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Aug 7, 8, 9	Poulsbo Cruise (22 slips reserved) Fee	Haas / Wittmann
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Aug 28, 29,30	Kid's Cruise to Longbranch	Fairbanks
CANCELED		
Sep 4, 5, 6, 7	Labor Day Cruise - Kingston (15 slips) Fee	
CANCELED		
Sep 15	Meeting @ Johnny's at Fife 6:30 pm	N/A
CANCELED		
Oct 2, 3, 4	October Cruise-Dock Street (15 slips)	
CANCELED		
Oct 20	Meeting @ Johnny's at Fife 6:30 pm	N/A
CANCELED		
Oct 30, 31, Nov 1	Halloween Cruise - Des Moines - Fee	Martin/Co-Host welcome
Nov 17	Meeting @ Johnny's at Fife 6:30 pm	N/A
-	Leftovers Cruise to Arabella's Landing (15	- 47 - 7
Nov 27, 28, 29	slips available) Room Fee	
, -,	People with Disabilities Cruise - Volunteer	
Dec 5	Event Only	Kevin & Kathy Loyd
Dec 6	Holiday Party - Tacoma Yacht Club	FYC Board

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