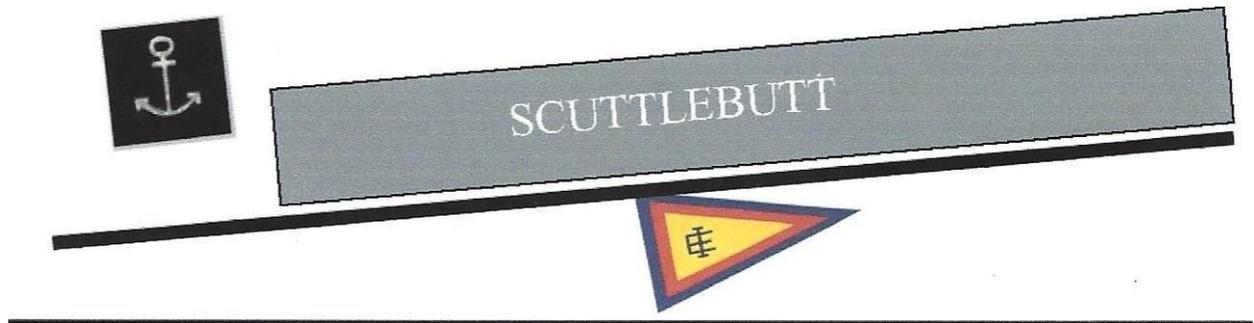


ISLAND ESTATES YACHT CLUB



August 2017

Commodore's Comments

Eddie and I are moving to Ocala this month to be closer to family. It is with sadness that I must tell you that I am resigning from the Island Estates Yacht Club. I have enjoyed many years with the wonderful people in this group. The genuine concern for each other is sometimes hard to find elsewhere. It has been a special time for me, and I was glad to be part of it.

I would like to thank the Board of Directors for all their help this year as I was not able to do too much. I shall miss the IEYC and all the happy events. My new address will be: 7122 S.E. 12th Circle, Ocala, FL 34480.

Hopefully I will be able to stop by an event or two in the year to come. Have fun and enjoy the Island Estates Yacht Club.

Submitted by Mary O'Connor, Past Commodore

August Event

On Saturday night, August 5th, thirteen members of the Island Estates Yacht Club gathered for dinner at Crabby's Dockside at the Clearwater Marina. We enjoyed food, drinks and each others company in the midst of the cool air conditioning on the second floor with panoramic views of the beach and marina. Original plans to go out on the Pirate Ship were nixed by the hot, humid days of August, however, there were several that said they would like to try again in one of the cooler months.

Our next event will be a White Elephant Blind Auction with dinner at the Clearwater Yacht Club on September 9th.

IEYC is currently having a Special Membership Drive and Initiation Fees are waived for new members. Please contact Jean Sanders, emmajean.sanders@gmail.com or (727)461-3949 for more information. Also mark your calendars for the IEYC Memorial Holiday Boat Parade on December 9th...we are looking for volunteers to assist with the Boat Parade. Please contact Fleet Captain Paul Lightfoot at liteft@msn.com or (727)744-1728.

Submitted by Hostess, Vivian Smith

September Event—White Elephant Auction

Our next event will be on Saturday, September 9th at the Clearwater Yacht Club in the Main Dining Room. Mingling and the cash bar will begin at 6:00 p.m. with dinner following at 7:00 p.m.

What do you have in your pocket or pocketbook? "Funny Money" will be paid for the "stuff" we are looking for. So, put as much as you can in your purse and join in the fun.

Bring a wrapped gag gift worth \$10 or less. The cost is \$21.00 for members and \$28.00 for guests. Reservations should be sent to: **Karen Crews, 471 Palm Island SE, Clearwater, FL 33767**. If you have any questions, call her at 727-641-8525 or email karenbravo.crews@gmail.com

Mark your calendar with these important dates

September 9th—White Elephant Blind Gift
Exchange, Clearwater Yacht Club
October 7th—IEYC Progressive Dinner,
member homes on Island Estates
November 4th—IEYC Annual Meeting
December 1st—Change of Watch,
Belleair Country Club
December 9th—IEYC Memorial Holiday Boat
Parade
January 1st—New Year’s Day Brunch,
Belleair Country Club



Birthdays

Carolyn Bookout 9/3
June Rickard 9/3
Arnie Shal 9/10
Wayne Millington 9/14

Richard West 9/20
Elaine Horn 9/23
Barbara Gipson 9/25
Nick Nicholson 9/25
Jean Sanders 9/29

Island Girls—July Luncheon

Because of everyone’s busy summer and travel schedules, it has been decided to forego the July & August Ladies luncheons. See you all in September.

The deadline for articles or information for the August Scuttlebutt will be on September 15th. Please have your information to Joan Landreth at joanitiredone@aol.com by that date. It is necessary to have all information and the flyer for the next event by the deadline date to get the newsletter to you in a timely fashion. Thank you in advance for your compliance to this deadline.