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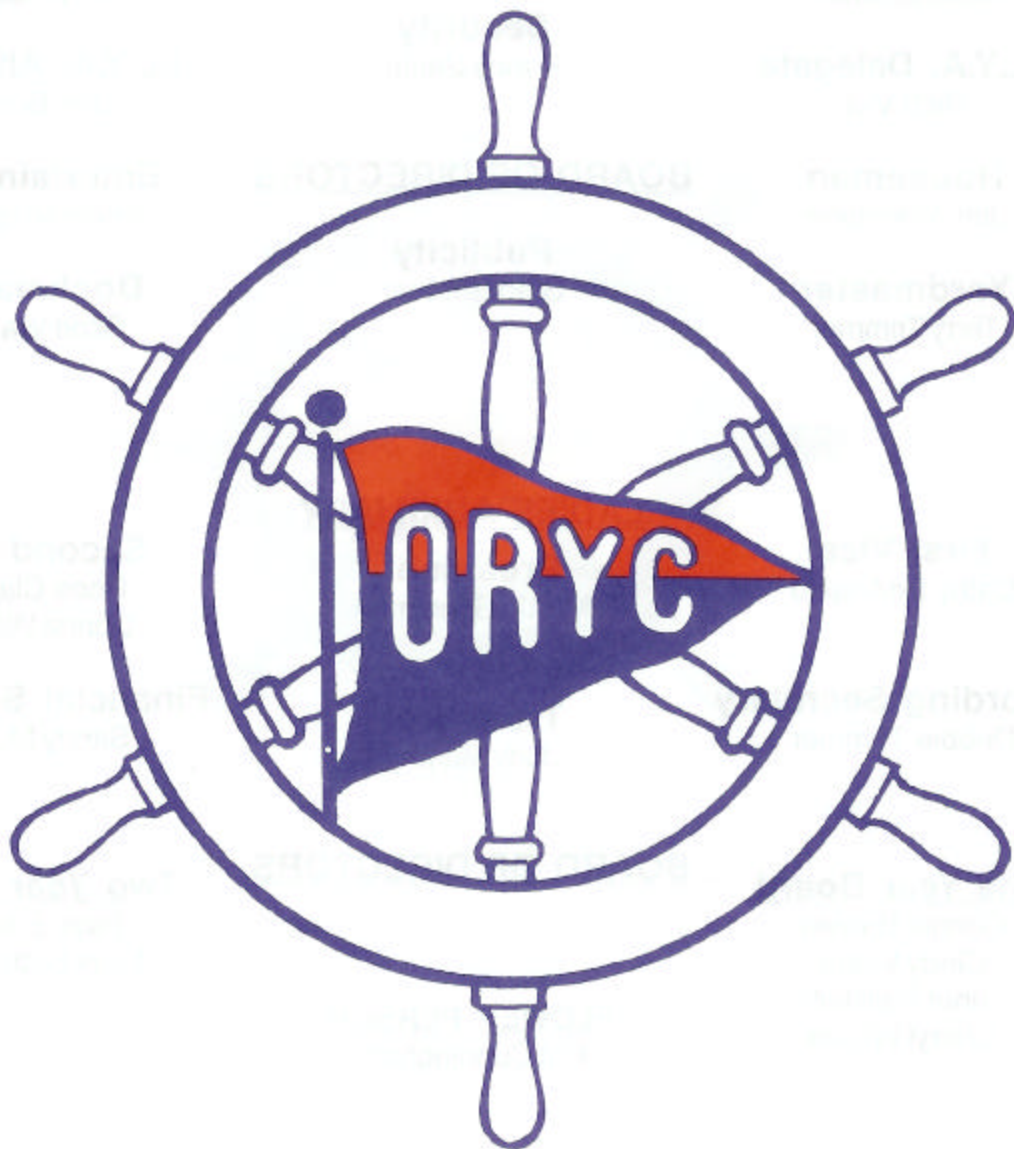
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# Commodore

*It's so hard to believe that the end of summer is right around the corner. It's really sad to think the next article I write for the Mud-Hump, all the boats will be out of the water setting high and dry for the winter.*

*Debbie and I have had a great summer to say the least. We've been able to make most of the regattas and had a blast at all of them.*

*Congratulations to the five boats that had perfect attendance for the poker runs this year.*

*I'd like to thank all of you for a great regatta this year. Our Commodore's reception was once again, second to none. Thanks Ladies for such a great job. There are a lot of upcoming events, which different members are hosting at the club in the next few months. Stop by and check out the bulletin board. I'm sure you'll find something that interest you. Debbie and I are hoping within the next few weeks to finally get a little use out of the perch poles. Enjoy the rest of the summer and we'll see you around the club.*

## Commode Terry Trimmer

### Vice Commodore

*Hello again everyone so far this year it has been one good time after another, and the near future appears to be holding more fun.*

*Regatta was a great this year and I want to thank the board and all members who participated in making it such a great time and the success that it turned out to be. We had excellent food and entertainment and the weather was in our favor. Quite a few visitor's also. The auxiliary also did a great job on their booths and the Commodore's Reception as always was very nice. Thanks to all for making it such a great success.*

*I had a really good time at Kelly's, Fleet Captain Jim Kessler and his crew did a wonderful job.*

*In case some of you are wondering where that big trophy came from, O.R.Y.C was awarded the trophy for 1 year by Toledo Yacht Club at their Pirate Party. We had the most members in costume attend and took home the trophy. This is an annual event so at the end of this year it goes back to Toledo Yacht Club and the club with the most participation will take it the following year and keep it at their club. I also would like to say what a warm welcome we received by their members and everyone that attended. We had a great time and I can't wait to venture out again. If any of you would like to go with us on the next event please contact Missy Wallace or Linda Moy for the details.*

*Keep in mind although fall is approaching, we still have many events planned for all seasons.*

*Congratulations to all our new member's this year.*

*Have a great day,*

## Vice Commodore Brett D. Warnka

### Rear Commodore

*Fall is here and the sad part of boating, putting it away for the winter. Hope all had a super summer. But fall is good because we have a lot going on at the club so check the back of this mud hump and the club bulletin board for details. The regatta went very well and we thank all of you who worked so very hard and made this the great party it was. Sure helped to pay the taxes! Again thanks! Dues are due don't forget to send them in on time. Hope to see you at the club for some great fun.*

## Rear Commodore Dennis Murphy old

## ***From The Yard Master***

*Thanks for all the help in the yard during the Spring and Summer months. With Fall fast approaching the boats will be coming out of the water soon and we will need all the help we can get. So come out and pitch in. It's a great way get some fresh air and get in your hours in and meet with old and new friends. Your help is always welcome.*

***Thomas Wolfe, Yard Master***

## ***From the Auxiliary President***

*I'm sorry to say summer is quickly ending and the fall is rapidly approaching. But in the meantime, we still have plenty of activities planned so keep your eye on the Mud Hump for upcoming events. Also, if anyone is interested in Setting Sail in 2009 on a Western Caribbean Cruise there is still space available. We set sail on Feb. 22<sup>nd</sup> and return on March 1<sup>st</sup>. You can contact JoAnn at Met Tours for all the details: 419-537-9106. We currently have 52 people signed up to go on the cruise.*

*Kelly's was a great time. Fleet Captain Jim Kessler, Patty and everyone else that helped did a wonderful job in planning the Poker Run. We also have the Dunker's party on Sept. 6<sup>th</sup> on the main patio and that is always a great time, hope to see everyone there.*

*Special thanks for everyone's help this year at Regatta. The auxiliary board and members did an excellent job with their booths and working as a team. We had a lot of help and it was greatly appreciated. We also had a wonderful reception for our Commodore thanks to Sharon Disher and Patty Booth and all their workers.*

*I have also seen a few interviews going on for new membership, so ladies please contact Faye Edinger, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice for an interview to become a member of the auxiliary. We are always welcoming new auxiliary members. You can obtain an application behind the bar and once that is turned in you will receive your interview shortly after.*

*I do want to remind all auxiliary members that the meetings are on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every month at 8:00 p.m. Your support at the meeting is greatly appreciated.*

***Sincerely, President Donna Warnka***

## ***From the First Vice President***

*This summer has certainly been a busy one with many events! I'm sure the planners have made a great effort to bring you new and fun things to do with your friends and to support our club. Please plan to join us in the future—the more the merrier!*

*There are no new auxiliary members to be announced at this time, however, I'm sure there are new members whose spouses might like to join us. Feel free to call me for more information: 419-882-7926.*

*Thanks to all who helped with our Regatta. It's great to see some old friends and help the club at the same time. Work can be fun!*

*The latest work hours will be posted soon-just check the bulletin board at the club. If you have any hours that need to be turned in, please get them to me as soon as possible as the year is nearing an end and it's important to get everyone's hours posted. Thanks!*

***Sincerely, First VP Faye Edinger***

