

IASYC Shrine

FEB 2022



Yachtsman





ALWAYS IN OUR MEMORIES

December 6th, 2021 the Grand Architect of the Universe called on our Past International Commodore and friend Brother William (Bill) Davis to cross over the bar and sail his final voyage to the port of Heaven. He truly was a Captain among Sailors, "Bill, we will miss you"

Bill was born in Kokomo, Indiana on April 30, 1940. He graduated from Gosport High School and graduated from Indianapolis University. Bill worked in sales for 35 years for Herff Jones in the jewelry business and worked in Puerto Rico teaching others how to polish jewelry. He also worked in sales for Fuchs Auto Electric and Hardy Brake & Electric, retiring from Hardy Brake & Electric. Bill then kept himself busy driving for Auto Wheel and Rim for a number of years.

He was a longtime member of No-Ruz Grotto where he was a Past Monarch. Bill and his wife Jean were the first man and wife couple in the North America Grotto to be #1 "Tramp" Clowns.

Bill was a double Kentucky Colonel and a Kentucky Admiral; life member of the Jay Cee's and Jay Cee of the year; DeMolay Dad and past Senior Deacon of the Strangers Rest Masonic Lodge.

He was also a member and very active with the Hadi and Rizpah Shriners. Bill was a member of Hadi's Warrick County Klowns where he entertained children of all ages.

Bill served as Commodore of both Hadi and Rizpah Shrine Mariners clubs. He initiated the Rizpah Mariners.

Bill went on to hold the prestigious office of 'International Commodore' of the International Association of Shrine Yacht Clubs.

The family would like to extend their gratitude to his former wife Brenda Davis, who cared for him lovingly during his last battle and to St. Anthony's Hospice for their great support and assistance.

Bill is survived by his daughter, Darlisa Davis (Wayne) of Madison, IN; son, Steve Davis of Madison, IN; half-sister, Kathy Hundley (David) of Plainfield, IN; brother, Richard "Dick" Davis (Wilma) of Bloomington, IN; grandchildren, Nichole Scott (Paul), Michael Constant and LaStasha James (Jessie)

His great-grandchildren Dawson Scott, Blake Scott, Lydia Scott, Elizabeth James and Amelia James.

Bill was preceded in death by his wife, Cheryl Jean (Rumage) Davis; his mother, Lucille (Webber) Davis; his father, William Joseph Wire; his stepfather, Robert S. Davis and his brother Jack P Davis.

A celebration of Bill's life will be held later, at Browning Funeral Home, 738 Diamond Ave., Evansville, IN 47711.

Memorial contributions may be made to No-Ruz Grotto, 2901 N. First Ave., Evansville IN 47710 or the Hadi Shrine Temple, 6 Walnut St., Evansville, IN 47708 or St. Anthony's Hospice, 2410 S. Green St., Henderson, KY 42420.

Roger A. Fuchs

BEKTASH MARINERS SHRINE YACHT CLUB



IN MEMORY OF BROTHER RICHARD MELVIN

Our Brother Richard will be sadly missed by all who knew him. He had served as Treasurer of Bektash Mariners Shrine Yacht Club (BMSYC) since its inception in 2012. He was also a active Member and supporter o the International Association of Shrine Yacht Club (IASYC). He attended all events and was always up to date with financial reports for the Club despite being legally blind. He took part in all Masonic functions and with his smile he, was a stranger to none. Richard was a gentleman always kind and courteous and willing to help his fellow Brothers.

Respectively Yours,
Ray Desrochers PIC
BMSYC Secretary



SOUTHWESTERN YACHT CLUB SAN DIEGO





FROM THE COMMODORE

Wow! I cant believe it is the new year already. Covid hit the Ruby family over the holidays. Our grandson was the first to come down with Covid and it presented itself as a bad cold for him. Then my son Chris and his wife contracted Covid from the grandson. Colleen and I were unable to see them over Christmas and then for the New Year, Colleen and I were infected by the virus. We had been vaccinated and boosted and still contracted the Vid. I have been clear and fine since.

It is now February and we have been planning the Mid-Winter meeting in San Diego. The flyer for the event is in this edition of the Yachtsman. We have on the calendar of events a dinner cruise on Thursday night. We

were really looking forward to the cruise however the company running the tours wanted payment upfront with no refunds. Even if someone became ill and could not attend the cruise, they would not receive refund. I felt the risk would be high considering Covid and the price for the cruise was \$154.00 per person and with the no refund policy I decided to cancel the event. This will allow our attendees a free evening to do whatever they want.

Today we reviewed the weather for San Diego and this week looks fantastic. Hopefully the weather will be this nice when we attend the Mid-Winter.

The groundhog saw his shadow and we are to have 6 more weeks of winter. Spring is right around the corner. Warmer weather will be here and the start of the boating season for some of us. So as I close out, I want to thank you again for being your commodore. I look forward to Mid-Winter and seeing everyone. Take care and God bless you all.

Yours in the faith

Jim Ruby PP.

FROM THE VICE COMMODORE



Ahoy, Members:

The Bridge Officers of 2022 and I certainly hope that you are well and healthy. Please join in on the ZOOM meeting to listen and understand the future planning of upcoming events and contribute ideas. Every member is invite to the monthly event, please join in. .

I'm working on a new LIFE TIME Membership pin and will have two pictures present with two different designs and pricing for the February Midwinter meeting in San Diego for the Bridge Officers to review and complaint and vote on one. We must continue the conversation about a fundraiser and the Ladies Auxiliary.

Winter is here, and on the north-coast Cleveland, Ohio the boats are out of the water, and in dry storage or plastic wrapped because of the snow and ice. Everyone partakes in ice fishing and ice sailing on Lake Erie, LOL.

The next Imperial Session, July 2022 is in Minneapolis, Minnesota and plans are under way for us to attend, the hotel is Hampton Inn located near the convention center and 15 rooms are saved and the cut off date is, JUNE 15! Follow the link that will be emailed to you "IASYC" to sign up for a room! In Minneapolis there is a Skybridge to walk down to the convention center in air conditioning and camels milk is available on the walk. A flyer will be coming out with a schedule and activities after the Midwinter event.

Emails, please make sure we have your updated and current email address on record. Communication is the key to keeping all members informed with current plans going on in IASYC.

Join me and share the fellowship and friendship with the other 47 Shrine Yacht Clubs across the world, Commodores of local SHRINE CENTERS please ask a fellow member to join IASYC and spread the word. Each Mariner's Club please email articles and information to share about local activities to the Yachtsman's. We are also under way of bring a new month email article named, "SEABAG" with additional information to you.

Please share your ideas with me to improve the FUN and Laughter.

May God bless You

AHOY!

Ronn Murphy P.P., IVC

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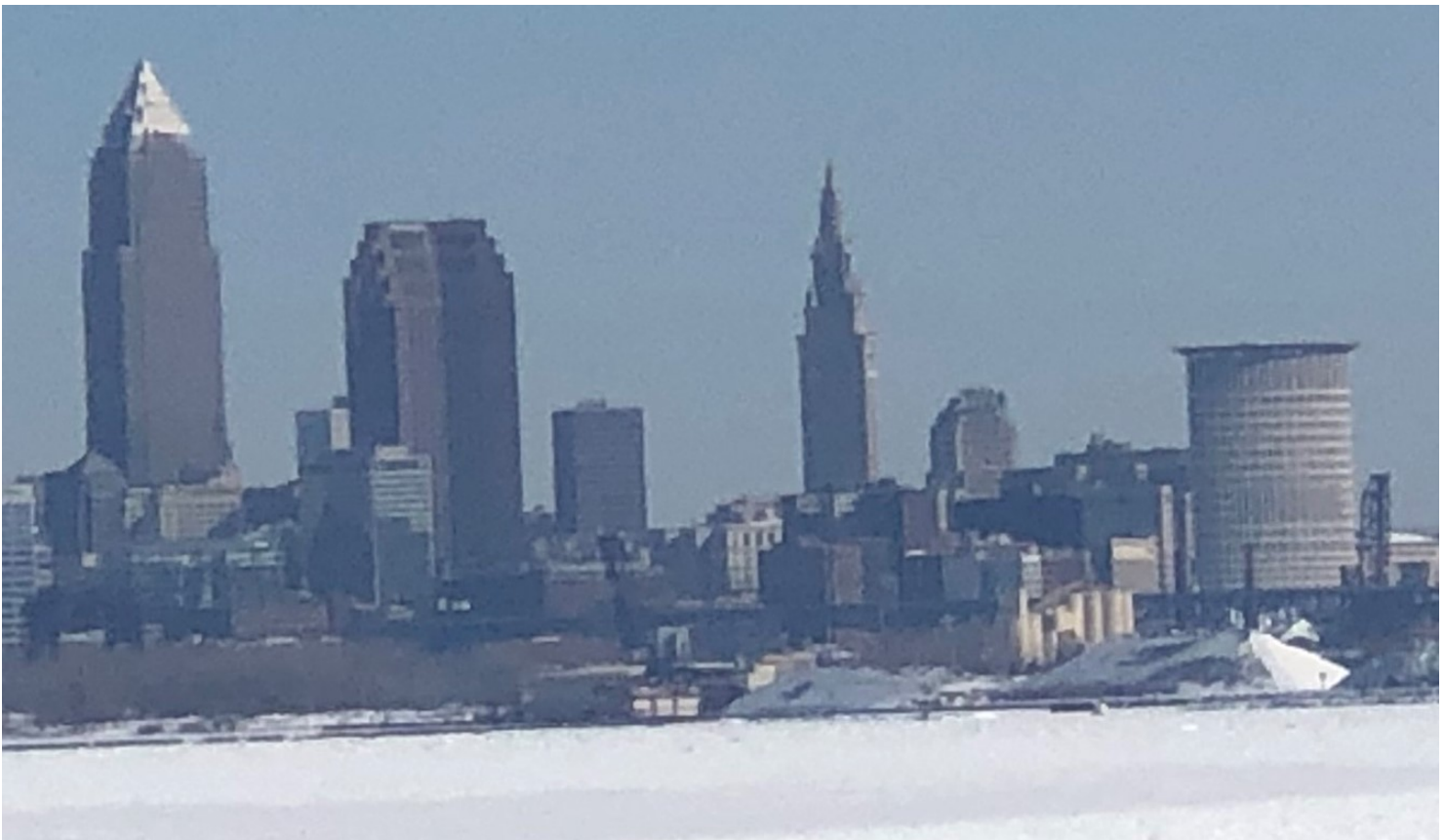
DIY Ice Fishing House



MorningChaos



And anything in between





FROM THE REAR COMMODORE

Ahoy, Mates. We are coming up to our Mid-Winter meeting in beautiful, warm San Diego at the Island Palms Resort and Marina from February 21 to 25. Remember, you may dock your yacht at their guest Marina docks right there at the hotel. A fun time will be had by all.

Thanks to PC Bob Lakosil of Al Bahr Yacht Club for offering his yacht for the Welcome Reception on Monday evening February 21 at 6-7PM at the Kona Kai Yacht Club docks and Marina. Those of us who remember the Kona Kai know that the America's Cup yacht is docked there. Captain Dennis Connor lives nearby.

Thanks also to Lady Cora Curry for arranging the dinner Wednesday night February 23 at the Southwest Yacht Club in Point Loma. Her twin screw is docked there. Her late husband, my good friend and ABYC Secretary, Noble Dave Curry was active at SWYC as well as at ABYC.

We will have a great time, and if there is anything you will wish to do or see in San Diego, let me know in advance, and we will look to make things available. Maybe, if he has the time, the Pote of Al Bahr, Al Bahr Yacht Club member Illustrious Sir Peter Krickhuhn, will even offer us a tour of the Al Bahr Temple, and I understand he has great camel's milk at the back of the Pote's office!! See you in San Diego!!

Gene Yee, 32°, PP, PEC, KOCR, AAGG
International Rear Commodore



INTERNATIONAL FLEET CAPTAIN

Hello, fellow Mariners! I look forward to seeing you all in San Diego at the Mid-Winter meeting of IASYC. I know we will have a great time there on the water of San Diego Bay, Mission Bay, and Shelter Island Marinas.

We are moving forward with the creation and chartering of the new Al Atfal Shrine Yacht Club. We have interested Mariners in Mazatlan, Culiacan, La Paz, and Cabo San Lucas to start. As we get more members in each location, the idea is for them to split off and become their own local yacht club when they reach the club level for membership. Our headquarters yacht is still docked in Mazatlan!

As we also move ahead with completion of the naming of Port Captains, I hope to present in concert with International Rear Commodore Gene Yee the list of updated worldwide Port Captains for appointment and approval, so you will each get a list of contacts as you visit those ports. We have asked all Port Captains to meet with you when you arrive to the Port, and they will buy your first camel's milk in their jurisdiction. After that, you are on your own!! As we determine additional Port Captains, we will update the list and get it to you. As you may have an interest in being a Port Captain, please let me know, so I can get a process started for appointment. We are always happy to have additional Port Captains!!

Ojala que seramos en juntos en San Diego! See you in San Diego!!

Alex Vazquez

International Fleet Captain



2022 MID WINTER MEETING
February 21 thru 25, 2022

ISLAND PALMS HOTEL MARINA—SAN DIEGO CA



2022 International Association of Shrine Yacht Clubs Mid—Winter Meeting February 21 thru 25, 2022

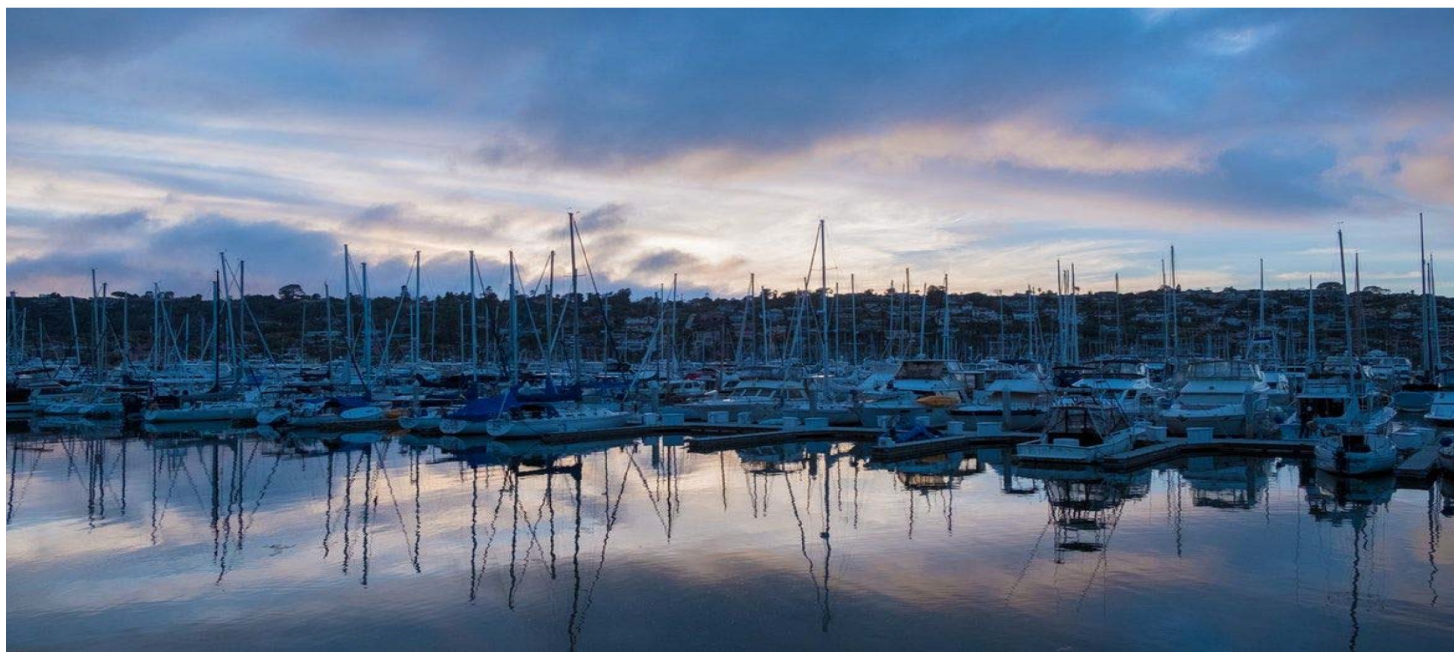
Please join Lady Colleen and I in San Diego Ca at the Island Palms Hotel & Marina. We are planning a dinner/Luau on Tuesday evening at the hotel. We are waiting for information on a few day trips as well as another group dinner. Details will follow soon.

Monday 2/21	Tuesday 2/22	Wednesday 2/23	Thursday 2/24	Friday 2/25
Arrival	9:00 Bridge Meeting Ladies Breakfast	11:00 Day Trip to USS Midway*	Day Trip to San Diego Zoo*	Members Depart
	10:00 General Meeting			
		Lunch on your Own	Lunch on your own	
	6:00 Dinner	5:00 Dinner Yacht Club *	Harbor Dinner Cruise *	
Cocktail Party				
			* Pay at event	

Island Palms Hotel & Marina

2051 Shelter Island Drive San Diego CA 92106

Please call hotel directly to make reservations. The cost is \$139.00 per night plus taxes. Taxes are about \$17.80 and are subject to change. Hotel reservations can be made by calling 800-551-5573 or 619-222-0561. You must ask for the IASYC discount rate of \$139.00.





2022 International Association of Shrine Yacht Clubs Mid—Winter Meeting February 21 thru 25, 2022

The cost of the Hospitality Room will be \$25. This charge is to help pay for the hospitality room and expenses.

Name: _____ Title: _____

Mate's Name: _____ Yacht Club: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ ST: _____ Zip Code: _____

Hospitality Room \$25.00 per room

Total for Hospitality room: \$ _____

Ladies Breakfast: _____ x \$25.00 \$ _____

Tuesday Night Dinner: \$65.00 per person

Number of guests: _____ x \$65.00 \$ _____

Total payable to IASYC: \$ _____

Please send payment to: James Wertley,
6108 Prince Frederick Ct.
Leesburg FL 34748

- Payment for other activities will be paid by individuals at the events.
- We will send updated information when available. * **updated 10182021**

MARINERS LOGS



Al Koran Shrine Yacht Club

Mariners Log

Bob Stanley M.S.A.

The Mariners would like to thank our Change of Watch. They included Jack Connor P.P., Bob Berteau 33 ,Mark Bollinger P.P. 33 ,and Scott Bratton 33.

In January, with the darkness of winter upon us, the brightest week is always of the Cleveland Boat Show. If you need to find a Mariner, this is the first place to look for him while boat show is open.

Sunshine Chairman P/C John Baker, has informed me at this writing (December 5) that sick bay is empty. Keep taking your vitamins and avoid all falls during the old man winter months of snow. To the lucky Florida snowbirds, don't forget your sunscreen and face masks.

We have learned that Wayne Angstrom P.P. was visited by the Black Camel on November 22. Wayne was out Potentate in 2015 and was currently Commander of the Great Lakes Legion of Honor. Our thoughts and prayers go out to his wife Sandra and children.

Don't forget to mark your calendars down for Saturday, January 15, 2022, which will be the installation of our Al Koran Shrine Officers for 2022.

The January business meeting of Al Koran Shrine will be held on Monday, January 17. The location will be in the official call of the Potentate in the January Al Koran Magazine on page 2.

For information regarding meetings, memberships, or activities of the Al Koran Mariners Yacht Club, please contact Commodore Ronn Murphy at 216-702-6785.

God's Speed

BMSYC



Ahoy Mates

The Bektash Mariners Yacht Club (BMSYC) officers want to thank you all for your continued support in 2021 and wish all Members a great 2022.

We have lost some friends and Brothers due to Covid during 2021, they will be greatly missed.

On a positive note, we want to welcome the following 5 new members:

Peter Raven and Lady Stacey

CDR Spencer Rochdale and Lady Priscilla

Greg Kalicine and Lady Debs

Nathanial Worrell

Dominic Gannett

We are hoping this year we will continue to have fun at our BMSYC outings and functions.

Due to our recent gift of a 1953 Larson Boat and Trailer from (Brother John Benham PWM), that we have refurbished to be our Parade Boat. We will be proud to show her in future Parades and Fairs to promote the Shriners Hospitals for Children. Our Parade Boat will be on display at our upcoming meeting.

Our next Meeting will be on Sunday April 19th 12:30 at the Bektash Temple, 169 Pembroke Rd., Concord, NH. We will be discussing upcoming events and election of Officers for the season. Please bring a Dish, Appetizers or Dessert to share.

Fellow Nobels interested in this adventurous Club should contact, Raymond Desrochers at 603-387-5791.

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The Commodore is waiting! The Treasurer is crying!

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Please remit \$20 in US Currency for 2022 dues to:

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2022 DUES

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Life Members, consider a donation!

Attention all members! If you have moved, plan on moving, changed your mailing address, phone numbers or email, please let us know so we can keep you up to date on happenings with your association. Please print legibly. Please detach the form below and return it with your check for \$20 to Raymond Desrocher.

Name: _____ Lady's Name: _____

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City: _____ State/Prov.: _____ Zip: _____ Temple: _____

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CELL HOME

MUST HAVE CURRENT DUES CARD TO ATTEND GENERAL MEETING !

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