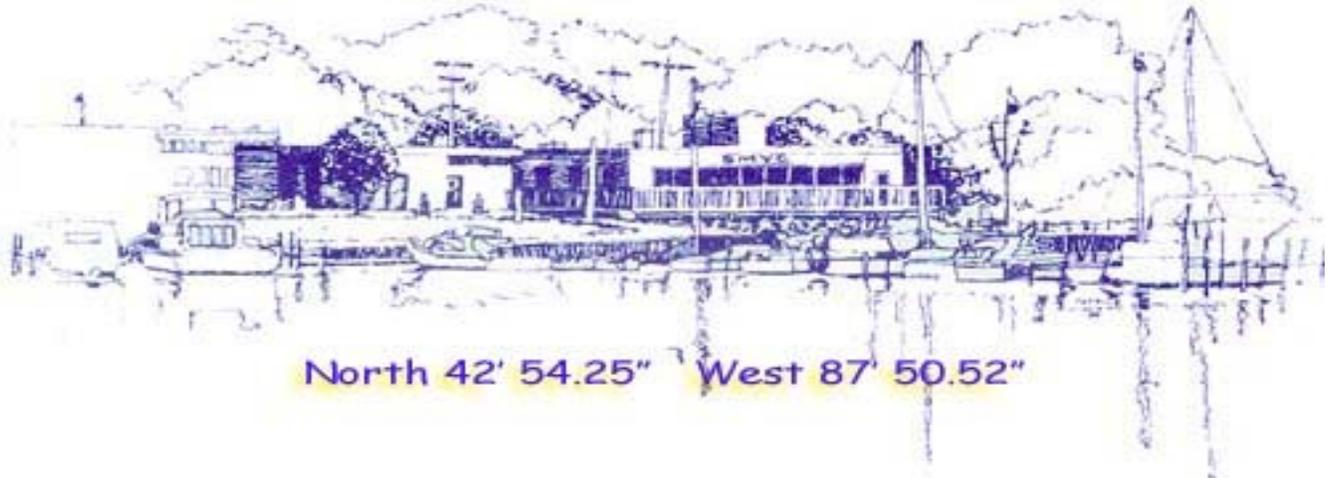




# South Milwaukee Yacht Club



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## *High Tide*

**October 2010**

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### **Photo of the Month**



Revelers enjoy the SMYC 60th anniversary party

## 2010 OFFICERS



**COMMODORE**  
Tom Schulz



**VICE COMMODORE**  
Paula Modlinski



**REAR COMMODORE**  
Stan Crawford



**CORRESPONDING SECRETARY**  
John Groth



**TREASURER**  
Kyle Brunk

**FINANCIAL SECRETARY**  
Karen "Kiki" Kilman



**FLEET CAPTAIN**  
Rick Klamrowski

### BOARD MEMBERS

Barb Nowak  
Michael Cieczka  
Rick Klamrowski  
Bob Sandretto  
Tony Karwacki  
Randy Kempowski

### 2009 COMMITTEE CHAIRS

#### BAR

Joel Stojsavljevic

#### CRUISE

Betsy Reifschneider

#### ENTERTAINMENT

Mary Jo Haag

#### FINANCE

Mike Gengler, Jr.

#### FLEET CAPTAIN

Rick Klamrowski

#### GAS

Ben Chadwick

#### GROUND

Tony Karwacki

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Randy Kempowski

#### HEALTH & WELFARE

Pat Murray

#### HOUSE/HALL

Mary Jo Haag

#### HOUSE MAINTENANCE

Bob Sandretto

#### JUNIOR ADVISOR

Barb Nowak

#### L.M.Y.A.

Linda Daly

#### MANPOWER

Mike Cieczka

#### MARKETING

Jim Buss

#### MEMBERSHIP

Paula Modlinski

#### PLANNING

Kyle Brunk

#### PUBLIC RELATIONS

Barb Mueller



## Commodore's Comments

September gets its name from the Latin, septem, which means "seven" and septimus means "Seventh". They say that seven is a lucky number but I'm not feeling it, because in my world, September wasn't exactly filled with luck. If it could go wrong it did but in the end perseverance pays.

This month we relocated the electrical service and water utility in the southeast corner of the harbor to provide clearance for the travel lift pier heads. Special thanks to Chauncey Martin, Carrol Hunt and Mike Trock for seeing this project through to the end. This was a lot of work for a couple of semi-retired members and I can't thank them enough.

Local contractor E&K Construction did an exceptional job, at an exceptional price, removing the concrete walkway in this corner so inside pile driving could commence.

We contracted with local contractor Perry Brumm LLC to drive the 26 pilings and this task was complete on October 5<sup>th</sup>. Special thanks to Bennett Andrew for the use of his loader backhoe to clear some of the obstructions. Additional thanks to Butch Webb for keeping everything moving forward.

Bighorn Erecting is cutting pilings to length, welding haunches to the pilings and installing top rails and decking. This project started October 6<sup>th</sup> and we're anticipating completion of this phase October 12<sup>th</sup>. Special thanks to member Adam Miller who runs Big Horn Erecting for doing an exceptional job containing costs and moving this project forward. Additional thanks to John Gremore and John Nowicki who are assisting Adam.

We have a crew put together to start repairing the seawall and backfilling around the new pier heads on October 9<sup>th</sup> and we plan to be complete October 11<sup>th</sup>.

A scale drawing of the club grounds was generated by Mike Cieczka. Mike Trock and Moe Landry measured every boat in the harbor to help with winter the lay-up assessment. Mike Trock and Rick Klamrowski have been strategizing layouts for the boats and have a final plan for the layout and a tentative schedule for haul-out which will be posted October 9<sup>th</sup>.

We secured our new hydraulic yard trailer. Erik Slamka has allowed us exclusive use of his spectacular Ford tractor. With some custom parts from Bennett Andrew and some Butch Webb ingenuity this piece of equipment has been customized to maneuver the trailer around the yard.

I cannot thank Marc Rybka enough for his assistance with just about every facet of this project. Without his efforts we certainly would not be where we are today.

All the committees, the board, and strong support from the membership have made this project possible. Our objective to become self sufficient when it comes to launching and hauling out vessels is about to be realized. We will be hauling out starting Saturday October 16<sup>th</sup>. You can contact Fleet Captain or me for additional details.

Most importantly I need to thank my wife, honey I'll be home soon.....

**Tom**



Commodore SMYC

# SMYC Events Upcoming

(Cut and save for reference...don't forget to update from High Tide as events and times may change)

## October

1	SMYC 60 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Bash	6:00pm	Club
3	Halibut Feast for Packer Game	12:00pm	Ciurlik/Smith/Ciombor
4	Board Meeting	6:30pm	Club
18	General Membership Mtg.	7:00pm	Club
28	SMYC Poker Night	6:00PM	Crawford's

## November

1	Board Meeting	6:30pm	Club
5	Hors d'oeuvre/History Night	6:00pm	Club
	Junior Awards	6:00pm	Club
15	General Membership Mtg.	7:00pm	Club
25	SMYC Poker Night		

**Entertainment Chairperson Mary Jo Haag.**  
If you'd like to sponsor an event or have an idea,  
Please contact Mary Jo at  
(H) 414-762-6751 (C) 414-861-0471 or email: [mojo6751@gmail.com](mailto:mojo6751@gmail.com)

## Halibut Cook-Off Photos



## Visit the SMYC Website

For all of the latest SMYC updates, visit our club website—[www.smyc.net](http://www.smyc.net).



# Ciurlik's Kitchen—Creamy Fall Slaw

By popular demand—here is the recipe for Ciurlik's Creamy Fall Slaw:

## CREAMY FALL SLAW

6 Cups shredded cabbage (half a large head or all of a small one)  
1/2 Cup finely chopped onion (1 med onion)  
1/2 Cup finely chopped bell pepper any color (1/2 large pepper)  
1 large red apple, diced  
1/4 Cup raisins or craisins  
3 TB lemon juice (juice of one lemon)  
1/2 Cup mayo (regular or light)  
1/4 Cup sour cream  
1 TB honey  
1 tsp prepared mustard  
1 tsp salt  
1 tsp celery seed  
1/2 to 1 tsp Penzey's freshly ground pepper (or to taste)



In a large bowl, combine the cabbage, onion and bell pepper. Mix well. In a small bowl, toss the apple and craisins with the lemon juice. Stir into the cabbage mix. Combine the mayo, sour cream, honey, mustard, salt, celery seed and pepper in a bowl and whisk well. Pour the dressing over the slaw, mix well and chill until ready to serve

Enjoy  
**Meg**

## SMYC History Night and Juniors Awards Banquet

Come on down to SMYC November 5th at 6:00 p.m. to enjoy Hors d'oeuvre night along with a historical perspective of SMYC. The Juniors will also be presenting their annual sailing awards

## Nominating Committee Reminder

The Nominating Committee Chairman is currently soliciting nominations for all officer positions: Commodore, Vice Commodore, Rear Commodore, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer and Financial Secretary, as well as both 1-year board positions.

In anticipation of the October 19 election of officers, please contact **Chuck Cottrill** via email at [chuck@alphadie.com](mailto:chuck@alphadie.com) or call **414.425.5144**, if you are interested in being nominated or have questions.

## November Board Meeting Update

Due to scheduling conflicts the regularly scheduled board meeting for November 1st, has been moved to November 8th. If you have any questions, please see Commodore Tom.

Thanks—SMYC Board of Directors

## House Committee Update

### House Committee Chair Change

Due to some personnel commitments **Barb Nowak** has resigned as the House Committee Chair. Barb has done an exceptional job over the last four years and her contributions will certainly be missed.

**Mary Jo Haag** has been appointed the new House Committee chair. Please extend your support to both **Barb** and **Mary Jo** during this transitional period.

Regards  
Tom

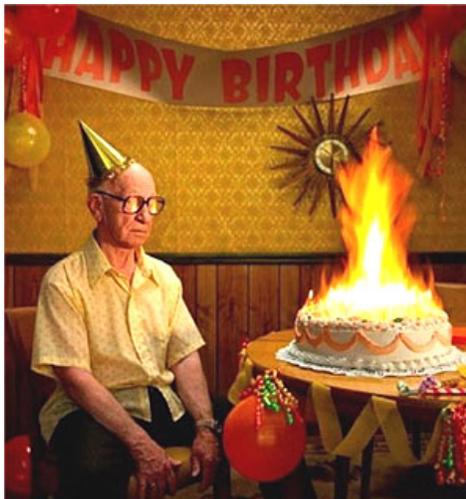
## House Committee Reminder

With the holiday season right around the corner, remember that the SMYC hall is available to host your holiday party. Please see House Committee Chair **Mary Jo Haag** (H) 414-762-6751 (C) 414-861-0471 or email: [mojo6751@gmail.com](mailto:mojo6751@gmail.com) to see if the hall is available for the date you desire.

## Celebrators

### Happy Birthday!

Dona Cieczka 11/1  
Pat Slominski 11/2  
John Gremore 11/8  
John Hanson 11/10  
Mara Roberts 11/10  
Kathy Zepecki 11/16  
George Gilmore 11/17  
Chuck Cottrill 11/18  
Joanne Hass 11/21  
Dave Taubman 11/21  
Jason Zalewski 11/25



Rick Klamrowski 11/25

### Happy Anniversary!

Neal & Paula Modlinski 11/7  
Dean & Pat Schultz 11/10  
Marc & Cheryl Rybka 11/19



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