



Molokai Yacht Club



FIRST QUARTER NEWSLETTER 2019

Aloha fellow MYC Members and a belated welcome to 2019!

The New Year was greeted in early January with the Annual Membership Meeting. Much mahalo to Directors Darlene Johns and Anthony Fukuoka, who both chose not to run for re-election, but nevertheless, we truly appreciate all their hard work. Congratulations to the 2019 MYC Board of Directors Commodore Luigi Manera, Vice Commodore Carl Puhi, Treasurer Karen Garcia, Director Richard Felkins, Director Tim Brunnert, and to newly elected Board Members Rear Commodore Bob Schwartz and Secretary Timothy Paul.

Approved at the Annual Meeting was a change of the MYC By-laws. Currently, the Annual Membership Meeting is held in the first quarter of the year. In the future, the meeting will be held in the second quarter of the year, to better align with the Fiscal Year. Watch for a notice of our next MYC Annual Membership Meeting scheduled for June of 2020.

The Amended By-laws can be viewed on our website at www.molokaiyachtclub.com. Also, an improved and updated Membership Application form is on the site for those who wish to encourage friends and family to join our Ohana.



Commodore Luigi appreciated the fine turnout on February 9th, which made possible a very successful MYC Work Day. All of the lanai lighting was replaced with energy efficient LED fixtures, and repairs were made to the front door, and a sink in the women's bathroom. Quick work was also made of painting the men's bathroom and hallway, with not a drop of paint dripped! Heartfelt thanks to participants;

In April, the MYC facility was used to host 300 canoe paddlers of the Maui Paddling Hui, who just finished racing 26 miles across the Pailolo Channel. A great location to relax and refuel for any private event.

Luigi Manera, Richard Felkins, Tim Brunnert, Mel & Pam James, Elvie & Dem Cari, Steve Peterson, Carl & Momi Puhi, Kawelo Puhi, Jon & Carol Slater, Sonny Friel, Tim Paul & Torrey Goodman, Gerry & Karen Garcia. Pizza and drinks were enjoyed by all the hard workers, as was a surprise chocolate birthday cake for Tim Paul (ME!) thank you one and all.... the surprise was lovely and the cake delicious.

A notice for the next MYC Work Day for Saturday May 11 has been sent out. We would love to see everyone there supporting our club. Lunch will be provided.

Also, a big mahalo to Connie Fox, Mer'a Notman, and Krista Siler for all the work and effort hosting a marvelous Valentine's Dinner event on the evening of February 16. Romance was in the air for all attendees, dancing to the music of Lono, and enjoying a wonderful prime rib dinner provided by Tina Silva and her Cookhouse Restaurant staff. Sorry to have misplaced the information on who the big money winners were on the raffle, but maybe that's a good thing so the Internal Revenue Service doesn't find out... congrats to all the winners. Hope for as much fun next year too!

If you are interested in organizing or assisting with a future MYC event, please contact your Special Event Chair, Karen Garcia, at the club email address molokaiyc@gmail.com

Save the date June 22nd! The 6th Annual Father's Day Corn-Hole Tournament will happen on that day, hosted once again by Darleen and Karen. Stay tuned for more details. Always a blast! Plenty of fun for the entire family.

Welcome and Aloha to our newest members Marcia Allison, Duane Hart, Ray Skrocke, Nathan Tancayo, Robert VanGemert, Cecelia Gallagher, Steve Peterson, Michael Prewitt, Lynn Donaldson and Robert Norling. Welcome aboard to all.

Until next time, see everyone out on the water!

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