

# Officer's Letters / Club News

## President's Letter

From the President's Corner.....

Summer has arrived and so have the major events at Anchor. Kudos to **John Finnell** and **Ken Teubner** (and the many others who contributed) for running a successful Spooner Softball Tournament. Final numbers are not in yet, but it appears that the event was very successful.

Special thanks to **Matt Greer**, for providing his DJ service on the Friday night of the Spooner Tournament. Also, thank you to **Brett Tackett**, **Tim Strutz**, and **SJ** for coordinating the first Bill Schreck Memorial bocce ball tournament.

Next up is the Chicken Fry on **Saturday, August 5th**. Plenty of work hours are available so please sign-up. In addition to the main act

## Chicken Fry 2017

Get ready, the best party on Lake Springfield is almost here. The Annual Anchor Boat Club Chicken Fry is **Saturday, August 5th**.

Chicken dinners will be available from 3pm-7pm (\$9 Adult \$5 Kids). We are lucky to get a solo performance from Mike Burnett from 4pm-6pm and After Sunset will be rocking the stage from 7pm-11pm.

Food will be served all day and of course plenty of ice cold drinks to keep you cool.

After Sunset. **Matt Greer** will be DJing from noon-4 and **Mike Burnett** (solo) will be playing from 4-6 pm.

There remains concern over items being stolen around the club. This includes items from the campground and most recently several garbage cans have been removed from the property.

Finally, "the Billy Goat Bridge" is under repair thanks to **SJ, TJ**, and **Mix**. Thanks for coordinating the repairs.

I look forward to seeing everyone at the Chicken Fry!

Thanks,  
Randy M.



**Chicken Fry**  
ANCHOR BOAT CLUB

**Saturday,  
August 5th**

**Price: \$9.00 | \$5.00**  
Adults Kids

**Food: 3pm to 7pm** while supplies last

**Live Music - After Sunset (7-11pm)**

[www.anchorboatclub.net](http://www.anchorboatclub.net)

# Club News

## Goodbye Bud!

"Some of the older members may not know their friend Bud has passed away (April 18, 1920 - March 2, 2017).

Bud was an active member since he joined in 1957 and later granted honorary member status. He loved the Anchor. The older members wish to express their deepest sympathies to Bud's daughters Bonnie (+ Mike & family) and Sharon (+ Bob & family).

We miss you Bud."

Sincerely,  
Ursula & Paul Bahlow and Lorraine Coet



Trueman "Bud" F. Herter, 96, of Springfield, passed away at 12:03 p.m. on Thursday, March 2, 2017 at Regency Care.

Bud was born on April 18, 1920 in Kenney, IL, the son of Trueman F. and Cora Slocum Herter. He married Velma Mae Skipton on October 5, 1947; she preceded him in death on February 26, 2008.

Bud was a graduate of Feitshans High School. He proudly served his country in the United States Army during WWII. Bud was employed with R.E.A. Express Co. for 39 years and Schnepf and Barnes for 5 years. He was actively involved with the Shriners and St. John's Breadline, and was the oldest and longest serving member of the Anchor Boat Club.

## Sports Galore

It wouldn't be summer at the Anchor Boat Club without teams competing from one end of the property to the other.

**The 23rd Annual Spooner Softball Tournament** and the **1st Annual William Schreck Bocce Tournament** both appear to have been successful! Details to come in the next issue. The Bocce Ball and Volleyball Leagues have done very well also!

The officers and the membership would like to thank all those who helped organize and participate in this year's events.

## Share your Photos



The Anchor Boat Club would love to see photos of members & guests enjoying the Club. If you have a photo/video you would like to share, you can either "Like" our Facebook page and post it there OR contact **Gary Bach** at [gbach@mindseyeinteractive.net](mailto:gbach@mindseyeinteractive.net) for assistance.

## Special Events Reminder

We are encouraging members who participate in helping during Special Events at the Anchor Boat Club to make sure they touch base with the event coordinator or chairperson when you begin and finish. This will immensely assist chairpersons and the Membership chair in the documentation of club service and membership work hours. Thanks in advance!

## Birthdays

8/5	Scott Wooden	8/20	Laura Kuchar
8/7	Donna Maxwell	8/22	Lisa Conley
8/8	Bambi Redpath	8/24	Tyler Martin
8/9	Suzy DeVore	8/25	Frank Conder
	Amy Staley		Nancy Cooper
8/10	Judy Cordier		Melanie Dhabalt
8/11	John McCoy	8/26	Michael Egan
8/12	Danielle Farris		Duane Millard
8/13	Jayne Angeli	8/27	Jim Havens
8/14	Betty Jo Teer	8/28	Robin Kochman
8/15	Michael Burmeister		Monica McClelland
	Max Wollet	8/29	Don Halberg
8/16	Joe Teer Jr.		Bri Redpath
8/19	Nicole Copp	8/30	Lisa Dyer
	Thomas (Tom) Gatlin Sr.	8/31	Dave Barker

## Anniversaries

8/1	Eric & Amy Staley
8/4	Abigail & Kevin Cline
8/6	Thomas (Tom) & Janie Gatlin
8/10	Joe Crowe & Cindy McFarland
	Zachary & Stacia Spraezt
8/12	Chuck & Bambi Redpath
	Jim & Judy Cordier
8/24	Ray & Beth Larson
8/26	Larry & Madonna Schoen
	Jay & Laurie Fitzsimmons
	Harvey & Barb Lomelino
8/28	Keith & Christine McVay
8/30	Bill & Marilyn Hawes
8/31	Tom & Susan Oseland
	Randy & Julie Milligan



## Members



Please remember to enter all work hours as soon as possible to ensure accurate reporting. All members who donate their valuable time should be recognized for their efforts whether you are active, probationary, or honorary. These efforts help keep our club running for all of our members to enjoy.

~Jim C., Membership Chair

## OFFICERS / COMMITTEE CHAIRS

President	Randy Milligan
Vice-President	Tim Strutz
Financial Secretary	John Hawkins
Treasurer	Jim Copp
Recording Secretary	Abby Cline
Sargeant At Arms	Zach Spraezt
Board of Governors	Dave Moore
	Jeff Jones
	Jeremy Maggiore
	William Suiter Jr.
Bar	Jeff Ross
Building	Mike Broglin
Campground	SJ Martin
Chicken Fry	Joe Teer Jr.
Dock	Steve (Mix) Altmix
Entertainment	Norman Reeves Jr.
Fish Fry	Devin Phillips
Grounds	Ray Larson
Kitchen	Logan Clayton / Brett Isenburg
Lake Council	John Finnell / Chuck Finnell
Membership	Jim Cannamela
Newsletter	Gary Bach
Purchaser	Grant Bradley
BBQ Ribfest	Rich Marsaglia
Spoooner Tournament	Ken Tuebner / John Finnell

# Calendars

## August 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		01 Membership Meeting	02	03	04	05 Chicken Fry
06	07	08	09	10	11 Queen of Hearts Drawing	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25 Queen of Hearts Drawing	26
27	28	29 Officers Meeting	30			

## 2017 Lake Springfield Events Calendar

May 6	Motor Boat Club - <b>Lake Clean Up</b>	June 17	Firefighters/Postal Club - <b>Chicken Fry</b>	August 25-27	Firefighters/Postal Club - <b>Softball Tournament</b>
May 6	Press Club - <b>Bags Tournament</b>	June 18	TRN Club - <b>Father's Day Brunch</b>	August 26	DAV Club - <b>Summerfest Cookout</b>
May 14	TRN Club - <b>Mother's Day Brunch</b>	June 23	Lake Marina - <b>Fireworks</b>	August 27	Ski & Boat Club - <b>Bloody Mary Challenge</b>
May 20	Ski & Boat Club - <b>Season Opener Party/Ball Tournament</b>	June 23-25	Blue Ridge Club - <b>Mid-Season Ball Tournament</b>	September 2	Elks Club - <b>End of Summer Party</b>
May 20	Sangamo Surf Club - <b>ABC Cancer Benefit</b>	June 24	TRN Club - <b>Chicken Fry</b>	September 3	Firefighters/Postal Club - <b>Labor Day Party</b>
May 26	Lake Homeowners & CLUNS - <b>Golf @ Lincoln Greens</b>	July 1	Sangamo Surf Club - <b>Independence Party</b>	September 9	Press Club - <b>Shrimp Boil</b>
May 27	TRN Club - <b>TRN Memorial Weekend Celebration</b>	July 4	North End Lake Clubs <b>Fireworks - Fireworks (Rain Date on 8th)</b>	September 10	Aqua Club - <b>Lake Council 60th Anniversary Party (12-6pm)</b>
May 28	Prop Club - <b>Burger Bash</b>	July 8	Prop Club - <b>Mid Summer Blasst</b>	September 16	Anchor Boat Club - <b>Ribfest</b>
May 29	DAV Club - <b>Memorial Day Ceremonies</b>	July 14-16	Lake Press Club - <b>Spooner Softball Tournament</b>	September 23	DAV Club - <b>Fall Festival</b>
June 2-3	KC Lake Club - <b>Hog Roast Party (Pre-Party Fri Eve)</b>	July 15	Lake Press Club - <b>Summerfest</b>	September 30	Sangamo Surf Club - <b>"Chip In for Charity" Golf</b>
June 3	LLPS' Free Boat Checks - <b>Lindsay Bridge (9-4pm)</b>	July 22	Ski & Boat Club - <b>Summerbash</b>	October 7	Ski & Boat Club - <b>Kickball Tournament</b>
June 4	Elks Club - <b>Sunday Funday (4-7pm every Sunday thru 9/3)</b>	July 29	Sangamo Surf Club - <b>Jared Grimbble Concert</b>	October 14	Lake Press Club - <b>Oktoberfest</b>
June 10	Aqua Sports Club - <b>Aquafest</b>	August 4	DAV Club - <b>Hog Roast/Duck Derby</b>		
		August 5	Anchor Boat Club - <b>Chicken Fry</b>		
		August 12	Sangamo Surf Club - <b>Annual Fish Fry</b>		
		August 19	Blue Ridge Club - <b>Party on our Patio</b>		



## **Anchor Boat Club**

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