



ANCHOR BOAT CLUB
August 2024 Edition

Officer's Letters / Club News

President's Random Thoughts



Wow, what a busy month of July and first weekend in August.

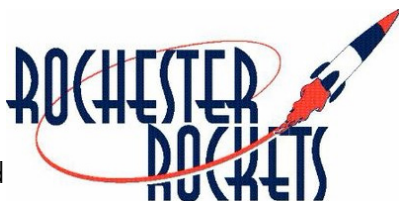
We had 2 Queen of Hearts Drawings that had no winners. We had another good band (JackAsh) who played on the patio for one of the

drawings, that everyone enjoyed. With no winner, the pot is nearing \$30,000. Please come out August 9th to try your luck. (There will not be a drawing on August 23rd due to a parking lot party that was previously scheduled).

The Reagan's put on a fun Luau event, that everyone enjoyed. It was neat to see so many members dressed up in their Hawaiian shirts and dresses. The food was excellent. Special thanks goes out to the Reagans for hosting the party and for Larry, Norm and Damon for cooking the meat.

Next, we had a great Chicken Fry. Joe Teer and his team put on a great event. The chicken dinner was delicious, and the band X-Krush really entertained the crowd. I was so proud to see all the members (new and old), spouses and children help make this a successful event.

As mentioned earlier, there will be a parking lot party, open to the public, on August 23rd featuring the local band Unchained. The party takes place after the Rochester Football scrimmage game. There will be a food truck and drinks for all to partake in. Hope to see you there.



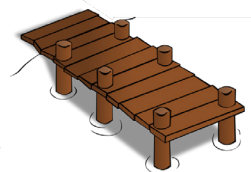
We continue to work on the club, with siding going on the back of the club. Gutters and Facia will be installed

on the back deck. The keyless entry has been installed. If you have not picked up your key fob, please come out to the club and pick up your key fob. The club door locks will be rekeyed in the near future so any old keys will not work. You will need a key fob to get access.

As always, let's keep on improving and growing our club to make it the best club on the lake. Remember it is your club, please come out and enjoy it.

Boat Dock for Sale

Boat owners, we have docks up for sale! Dock #29. Asking \$7500. Contact Jim McGrath for details or questions. 217-971-3668. We have a couple of other docks up for sale as well. For more information, contact Dock Chair Josh Hamlin (217) 691-0772.



Keep It Clean

This is a reminder to all members & guests who use the kitchen to clean all utensils, appliances, and surfaces after use. If you use the pizza cutter, dishes, pots, etc., be sure to thoroughly clean each item and store them after drying.



Feet Check

We have noticed there are a few chairs that may be missing rubber feet. In an effort to keep our nice new banquet room floor clean and undamaged, please make sure if you are placing chairs in the banquet room check to make sure all table legs have rubber feet. If you manage to find a chair with missing feet, please place it aside in the storage area and notify the Entertainment chair at your earliest convenience.

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2024 Lake Springfield Events

August

3 Sat	Anchor Boat Club - Chicken Fry
10 Sat	Sangamo Surf - Dawg Days
17 Sat	Blue Ridge Club - Patio Party
24 Sat	KC Lake Club - Chicken Fry
31 Sat	Elks Lodge - End of Summer Party

September

1 Sun	Elks Lodge - Sunday Funday 4-7pm (last of year)
1 Sun	Firefighters / Postal Club - Labor Day Party
7 Sat	Anchor Boat Club - Redneck Olympix
14 Sat	Lake Press Club - Shrimp Boil
21 Sat	TRN Club - Fishing Has No Boundaries
21 Sat	Ski & Boat Club - Bags Tournament
28 Sat	Sangamo Surf - "Chipping For Charity" Golf

October

5 Sat	Lake Press Club - Bags Tournament / Oktoberfest
27 Sun	Various Clubs - Trunk or Treat

November

3 Sun	Firefighters / Postal Club - Craft Fair and Burgoo
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Queen of Hearts Drawings



Still no winner yet!!! Our pot is nearing \$30,000 this month.

Queen of Hearts drawings are typically held on the 2nd and 4th Fridays at the Anchor Boat Club (holding weekly drawings during Lent). **THIS MONTH, we will only be holding the drawing on Friday, August**

9th. If there is no winner on the 9th, we will resume our normal schedule in September (*which our first drawing would be on Friday the 13th*).

Tickets go on sale around 6:30pm, Drawing at 8:00pm. Looking forward to see you all there!

BASSET Training

Thanks to all the members who attended the BASSET (*Beverage Alcohol Sellers and Servers Education and Training*) certification training last month. The State of Illinois recommends that all servers and sellers, regardless of location or requirements, get certified in order to provide a safe environment for employees and customers.



The club is highly encouraged all members to participate so if you were unable to attend or would like more information, contact Jeff Ross at your earliest convenience.

A Word from Joe Teer Jr.



Thanks to everyone who worked the Anchor Boat Club Chicken Fry, in spite of the long hot day. We should all be proud that it was a great success!

A special thanks to Jeff Ross and Mike Covey; fry chefs - Ken Teubner, Dave Barker, and crew; kitchen chefs - Chris Wilson and crew; concessions - Henry and Laura Marbold, their sons and crew; margarita stand - Jason and Teri Smith; my set-up crew - Sam, Rick, Brion, Max, Anthony, Josh, and the Mikes; and the Sunday cleanup crew (my apologies if I missed anyone).

Remember, it takes all of this great club's members to put on the greatest chicken fry on the lake!
~ Joe Teer Jr.

Birthdays

08/02	Megan Amerson	08/23	Bill Sweetland
08/04	Jodi Patton	08/24	TJ Martin
08/05	Scott Wooden	08/25	Nancy Cooper Kristin Weed
08/07	Ryan Doolin Donna Maxwell Sarah Rockwood	08/26	Michael Egan Duane Millard
08/08	Bambi Redpath	08/27	Jim Havens Sandy Ramsay
08/09	Lonny Gain Amy Staley	08/28	Robin Kochman Brett Troemper
08/10	Judy Cordier	08/29	Silas Chandra Don Halberg Sheila Washburn
08/11	John McCoy	08/30	Lisa Dyer
08/13	Jayne Angeli Kelly Streeval	08/31	Dave Barker
08/15	Max Wollet		
08/16	Joe Teer Jr.		
08/17	Gina Hamlin		
08/19	Tom Gatlin Sr.		
08/20	Laura Kuchar		
08/22	Lisa Conley		



Anniversaries

08/01	Eric & Amy Staley Todd & Amy Eddington
08/06	Craig & Jodi Patton Thomas (Tom) & Janie Gatlin
08/08	Craig & Jamie Berberet
08/10	Zachary & Stacia Spraez
08/12	Chuck & Bambi Redpath Jim & Judy Cordier
08/24	Sam & Nancy Cooper
08/26	Larry & Madonna Schoen Harvey & Barb Lomelino
08/27	Nick & Shannon Griffiths
08/29	Paul & Tina Mason
08/30	Bill & Marilyn Hawes
08/31	Tom & Susan Oseland

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 Cannamela, Membership Chair

OFFICERS / COMMITTEE CHAIRS

President	Mike Covey
Vice-President	Rick Eubanks
Financial Secretary	John Hawkins
Treasurer	Eric Staley
Recording Secretary	Leza Long
Sargeant At Arms	Julie Lloyd
Board of Governors	Damon Cozadd Mike Broglin Terri Smith Bob Esposito
Bar	Jeff Ross
Building	Sam Cooper
Campground	SJ Martin
Chicken Fry	Joe Teer Jr.
Dock	Josh Hamlin
Entertainment	Norman Reeves Jr.
Fish Fry	Joe Bruso
Grounds	TJ Martin
Kitchen	Larry Larson
Lake Council	John Finnell / Chuck Finnell
Membership	Jim Cannamela
Newsletter/Social Media	Gary Bach
Purchaser	Grant Bradley
Redneck Olympix	SJ Martin

Calendars

August

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				01 	02	03 Chicken Fry
04	05	06 Membership Meeting	07	08	09 Queen of Hearts Drawing	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23 Orange & Blue Party	24
25	26	27 Officers Meeting	28	29	30	31



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