



FROM THE HELM

Coming Events:

June 5-7 Opening of the Island

@Ford YC

June 13-14 Boating & Fishing Festival

June 19-21 Kelly's Island

@ Seaway Marina

June 26-28 GCBA Rendezvous

@ Huron Boat Basin

Hopefully most of you now have your boat in the water. All the hard work is behind us so let the fun begin!! The first cruise of the season, our Shakedown Cruise at Son Rise Marina, had 54 people in attendance. Thanks to all the Past Commodores and their First Mates for all their help. Our annual chili dinner was a success, thanks to Lil Ferguson, Barb Fish, Jill Heath and Bruce Sattler who made the chili. A big thank you to Debbie Fitzgerald and Son Rise Marina for the use of the facility. Also, a special thanks to the Son Rise Staff especially Jack McGinness and Debbie's daughter Ashley for their assistance.

If you plan to attend the I-LYA Regatta this year at Put-In-Bay July 29 – August 2, be sure to get your application sent in before the June 1, 2009 deadline. The application form can be obtained off the I-LYA web site.

Believe it or not, it is time to start thinking about the nominating committee. We need two members to volunteer to work with the three Trustees to come up with the 2010 slate of officers. If you would like to be on the committee, please inform our Secretary Doreen Badaczwski.

There is still room on many of our cruises, contact Fleet Captain Rich Boehm or the Cruise Lt. for the cruise you are interested in joining.

Remember, before you head out onto the lake, make sure your boat is in tiptop shape. Safety is SSCC's number one priority. Have all of your safety equipment on board, in good condition and have your boat inspected by the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary. Your boat must also pass the SSCC safety inspection, which may be done by any SSCC member. Inspection forms may be obtained from Vice Commodore Bruce Sattler.

Here is to warm weather and smooth seas.

Commodore Bob