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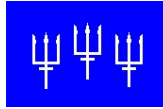
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## COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

*Cdr Danny Woody, AP*



My term as commander has started, like always I need you **help**, I haven't heard from you about what you want to do this year, we as a Squadron need to get out more often and have some fun together, what do think about the bowling or maybe a Euchre Tournament, I think we can get my club house for it. Start with a five dollar donation and pay three or four positions, if you don't know how to play I will walk around and help all that needs it, or maybe a ladies night, you know, set around and put a puzzle together and gossip, what could be more FUN.

Together we can make this Squadron what it once was, but to do this we need new members and take care of our current members needs and wants, **I and your bridge are here to serve you, use us.**

Don't forget about the Commanders Ball March 28<sup>th</sup>, I know its cold out there, together we will make it nice and warm inside and have a lot of fun.

*Cdr Woody*



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## Calendar

### Feb 2009

18	1830	E-board/Membership Meeting (page 4)
28	1000	D9 Council Meeting, Port Huron

### Mar 2009

13-15		D9 Spring Conference, South Bend (page 6)
28	1800	ABPS Commander's Ball, Salt River

For all of our general membership meetings, please call Tom Browne or Ron Chitwood to let us know if you are going to attend.

**Have fun by Participating in your Squadron.**

# EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S REPORT

Lt/C Thomas Browne



# EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT

by Lt/C Mike Rachuk, SN



Greetings, ABPS Membership!

Plans are being made to schedule our activities for 2009. An outline will be available by March 1, 2009.

We are facing many opportunities in the coming year that are going to require your help and support.



Areas that require action:

1. Reactivate membership
2. Develop meetings and activities that the membership is interested in.
3. Recruit new members
4. To be more inclusive to appeal to the maximum number of the membership.
5. Get more feedback from membership of activities they will participate in.

Your suggestions, assistance and participation are appreciated! Let's start with the Commanders Ball on March 28. This is our first chance to start 2009 off with an exciting event.

We will be contacting all of you for your help and assistance to make 2009 our "come back year."

**Celebrate winter!**

Best Regards, *Tom*

The public boating class started Monday 2 February 2009. It is at the Chesterfield Firehouse on the corner of Baker & 23 mile road.

I will bring copies of most of the available short seminars to the next meeting. Most of these short courses can be completed in 2 hours. They cover a wide range of topic: Weather, Anchoring, Boat handling, and many others.

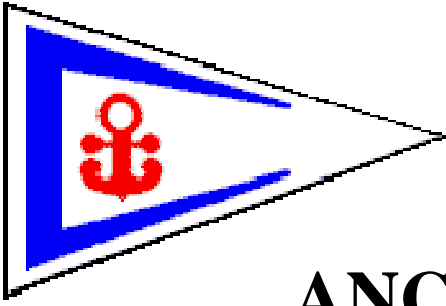
I want you to think about some of the possibilities. At a future meeting, we could present part of one of these seminars. At a summer rendezvous, we could conduct a whole seminar. What do you think? Take a look at the courses at the next meeting and let me know what you think

This is your squadron. Let us make it the best that it can be.

*Mike Rachuk*



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# ANCHOR BAY POWER SQUADRON COMMANDERS BALL

MARCH 28TH 2009  
Salt River Golf Course  
33633 23 Mile Rd.  
Chesterfield Mi. 48047

Starting at 6:00 P. M.

## Menu

Roast Beef/Pork Loin/Tossed Salad  
Potato Salad/Vegetable Mix/Pasta Primavera  
Boiled Red Skins

## Dessert

Jell-O/Cheesecake with Toppings  
Coffee/Tea/Fountain Drinks and Water

## Complimentary

Beer on tap, White and Red Wine





*Anchor Bay Power Squadron Meeting Notice*

Wednesday, February 18, 2009

PLACE: McRae's Big River Grille  
ADDRESS: 9715 St. Clair River Road - Algonac  
AGENDA: Executive Board Meeting 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm  
Fellowship and Cocktails 6:30 pm  
Dinner 7:00 pm  
General Membership Meeting to follow dinner

**CHOICE OF ENTREE**

**Cesare Salad with Grilled Chicken, includes Soup**  
**Breaded Cod w/French Fries, choice of Soup or Salad**  
**Baked Lemon Pepper Tilapia w/ Baked Potatoe, choice of Soup or Salad**  
**Broccoli Fettuccini Alfredo, choice of Soup or Salad**  
**Coconut Chicken w/Rice, choice of Soup or Salad (golden brown coconut breaded chicken breast served with pineapple rum sauce)**  
**Pesto Pork Chop w/soup or salad (boneless pork chop marinated in pesto w/Pomodoro tomatoes and cheese)**  
**\$14.00 Price Includes Bread or Rolls, coffee, tea or soft drink, tax and gratuity**

Please call Rita Browne with RSVP and Choice of Entrée

By February 15<sup>th</sup>. Thank you!

810.794.2497 or [RitaFBrowne@aol.com](mailto:RitaFBrowne@aol.com)

SHED THE WINTER BLAHS AND JOIN IN FOR AN EVENING OF GOOD TIMES,  
GOOD FRIENDS, AND GOOD FOOD.

**WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU !!**



## Kate's Karmel Korn

- 1 Cup Butter
- 1 Cup Brown Sugar (packed)
- 1/2 Cup Corn Syrup
- 1 tsp Salt
- 1 tsp Vanilla
- 1 Tsp Soda
- 6 Cups popped Corn
- 1 Cup Toasted Pecan (more if desired)

Mix butter, brown sugar, corn syrup & salt; over medium heat, boil 5 minutes.

Remove from heat.

Add 1 tsp vanilla & 1 tsp soda, stir, will be foamy, pour over the 6 cups popped corn.

Add toasted pecans if desired.

Bake 1 hour on cookie sheet (250 deg).

## Wanted

Interesting articles, pictures, recipes, stories, and other items to print in the Anchorage. Send them to the address or e-mail in the front of this publication.



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