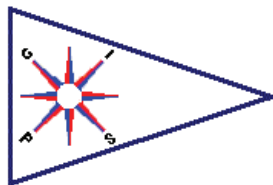


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The Fall Governing Board is upon us. It's a great time to see just how our organization operates. The G/B is being held at the Detroit Marriott RenCen. The Annual Meeting is Saturday 06 September. There is no charge for attending the meeting. All are welcome. People from all over the USA will be there (about 1000 strong). It is truly an impressive sight to behold. Also, it's an opportunity to earn a merit mark by working a shift or two at registration, as greeters, etc., and enjoy the camaraderie there as well.

Speaking of merit marks, it's time to start submitting your recommendations to Sally Rulon (Squadron MM Chairperson).

Check our Calendar of events for the upcoming months. We hope to see you for the fun filled and educational festivities.

Commander Ed

Education Department Mick Mastal, SN

Registration for The Boating Class at Trenton High will be 16 September at 1830 Class will begin 23 September at 1900. We are currently seeking instructors and proctors for this class. Give me a call if interested 734-379-5610.

Interested in becoming a Certified Boat Operator? BOC is a program set up by USPS to do just that. Call for more info and to set up a time for your certification.

Schedule of Events

02-07 SEPTEMBER – USPS Governing Board Meeting at the Ren/Cen in Detroit

11 SEPTEMBER – Executive Meeting, 1930 at St. Thomas Lutheran Church. (This is a change from the first Thursday of the month in conflict with the Governing Board Meeting.)

MICK MASTAL IS IN NEED OF TEACHERS AND PROTORS FOR THE BOATING CLASS. IF YOU CAN HELP, PLEASE COME A HALF HOUR EARLY, 1900, TO SET UP A SCHEDULE.

18 SEPTEMBER – General Meeting and Dinner at Ford Yacht Club, 1800 social, 1830 Build Your Own Pasta Dinner, \$11.00 per person. Guest speaker.

02 OCTOBER – Executive Meeting, 1930 at St. Thomas Lutheran Church.

16 OCTOBER – General Meeting and guest speaker TBD.

31 OCTOBER thru **02 NOVEMBER** – D/9 Fall Conference, McCamly Plaza, Battle Creek

06 NOVEMBER – Executive Meeting, 1930 at St. Thomas Lutheran Church

20 NOVEMBER – General Meeting and guest speaker TBD

04 DECEMBER – Executive Meeting, 1930 at St. Thomas Lutheran Church

05 DECEMBER – Tri-Squadron Christmas Party, Red Faun in Allen Park. Hosted by Dearborn Power Squadron.



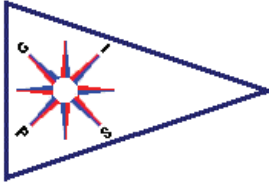
June 2008 General Meeting, By P/C Bob Figi

The squadron held its meeting at the Ground Round on Allen Rd in Woodhaven. The food was delicious, and you can purchase a good margarita for only \$3.50. Cdr. Schwenk conducted a brief meeting, also giving a listing of the number of merit marks each member had. We then had the pleasure of listening to P/C Bill Morreau, AP give a talk on his life on the Great Lakes along with being the son of a Great Lakes Skipper and his experiences with his Dad on an ore boat. He was a lucky boy. His talk was enjoyed by all.

As you can deduce by the photos, the meeting was well attended, but we missed U.

Y'all come hear.





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