



## Commodore's Comments, Pete Stubler

Commodore's Challenge was held July 30 and WE WON!  
The coveted trophy is still ours. Commodore Pete raced on his Laser with PYC Commodore Dan Socci. It was a close race held on the Sunday Sailing Course and enjoyed by radio at the pavilion. Following the race, our friends from across the creek joined us in a celebration reception.



*Thank you to Darlene and all who helped with the wonderful reception*



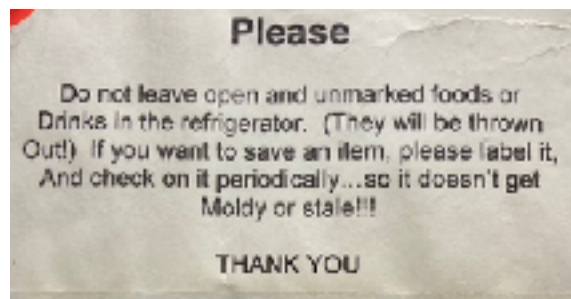
## Vice Commodore, Rich Seyfried

Update on the Yellow house - the Trust subdivide was passed by the Town of Williamson Board. Wayne County has the paperwork, are working on assigning new tax ID numbers and filing all the legal documents. Soon the house will be sold. Easements have been granted with the driveway on the PMI property. A walk through with the Town Code Enforcer settled the easement with the driveway. We will keep the sliding gate where it is now and reconfigure a fence on the North side of the driveway. We will need to find some volunteers to help move the PMI wooden sign from the North side of the driveway to the South side. This can be done ASAP. We also asked the Trust to include two easements on the Yellow house's property. One is a right of way for installing a new water line for PMI. Another is an easement to move the fence 18 to 24 inches onto the Yellow house's property line. This will give us some elbow room on the driveway's North side. The Trust will include the easements into the sale of the house. We are working with the Trust to assist in making this sale as smooth as possible and with as little as possible disruption to the PMI club.

Please keep sand out of the bathrooms and prep-area. Sand is plugging the traps and drain lines and will ruin the trash pumps. We are using enzymes and sanitizers to treat the dump tank in the bathrooms. This should help with smells (your nose knows if this works), so time will tell if this treatment is successful.

When dumping bulky items in the dumpster (AKA: Blue Frog) please break down the item. Blue Frog is emptied on a two week schedule and we need room for trash. Note: food left in the refrigerator will be disposed of on that same schedule. These refrigerators are for daily use, please bring your food home.

Car parking can be an issue at the club. Keep roadways open for moving boats and try not to block people in. Other than that, enjoy!



PMI hosted **Pultneyville Fire and Water Rescue**, water safety training this past Sunday. This is the second time we have hosted this worthwhile event and PMI will host again next year. Remember, these Firefighters come to our rescue when we call 911 for help. This training is vital for them to keep their NYS certification for water rescue. Multiple fire companies benefited from this training on site at PMI. **Thank you, for your time and service.**



## Dinghy Fleet Captain, Kelly Vore

Dinghy Racing continues on Sundays. Last Sunday's race was so exciting as the wind and waves were raging. Lasers took the win again with only Eric Baller braving the waters to represent the Sunfish.



Website [SailPMC.com](http://SailPMC.com)

“Members Only” page  
password is PMC

WiFi at PMI is up and running  
SSID (network name): PMI  
Password: pmi-beach



## Social Events, Darlene Grey

For more information about the PMI Social Calendar,  
contact the PMI Social Chair at [darlene\\_grey@yahoo.com](mailto:darlene_grey@yahoo.com)

Highlights from “Stake” and Corn, *Thank you Annie Fiorino and  
her team of volunteers*



## Coming Events:



Butter your corn better with  
Annie’s new roller method

## Coming Events

Sunday, August 13 Ice Cream Social from 2-4  
Hosted by Karen & Rich Seyfried

Sand Sculpture Competition from 3-5 !!  
Join us for the 3rd annual PMI Sand Sculpture  
Competition on Sunday August 13th 3pm-5pm.  
Categories: Animal, Traditional castle,  
Miscellaneous. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place prizes for  
each category. See you and your shovel on the beach!  
Hosted by the Shaver Family



Saturday, August 19  
Back by popular demand... Burgers and  
Hots  
Hosted by Scott Cirman



Game Night hosted by  
Michelle Fousse-Fontaine and Bill Stubler



Saturday, August 26 at dusk

### Movies on the Beach

Bring your snacks, comfy chairs,  
blankets, bug spray

And enjoy this Family Friendly Movie



## PMI Oktober Fest Saturday, September 16 4-7 PM

Menu:

Appetizers: Bavarian Pretzels

Meal:

\*smoked bratwurst -garlic polish-like smoked sausage

\*bratwurst - mild, fine ground white sausage

\*red cabbage

\*sauerkraut

\*German potato salad

Dessert:

Strudel

Apples

Beverages:

Wine, beer, cider, tea and coffee

Vegetarian fare available

\*catered by Swan Market

\$15 for most of us, \$5 for 6-10 year olds, FREE for 5 and younger

Reservations are accepted via e-mail by September 7th

Contact Darlene at [darlene\\_grey@yahoo.com](mailto:darlene_grey@yahoo.com).

Make checks payable to PMI



Name \_\_\_\_\_

Number attending: Adult \_\_\_\_\_ Children \_\_\_\_\_ young children \_\_\_\_\_

Total \$\_\_\_\_\_. Checks made to PMI

Mail to Darlene Grey 216 Ridgeview Dr. East Rochester. 14445



## Member at Large, Caroline Cooney

If anyone has any PMI questions or concerns, email me at [carolinecooney72@gmail.com](mailto:carolinecooney72@gmail.com) and I can help resolve them. Thank you.



## Quarter Master, Charlotte Buehler

Remember, if you notice any supply needs that I have missed, don't hesitate to contact me and I will take care of it right away.

Warm regards,  
Charlotte Buehler, Quartermaster  
Email: [ckbuehler@icloud.com](mailto:ckbuehler@icloud.com)  
Mobile: (585) 259-1729  
Home: (315) 589-2853



## Deb Arndt, Secretary

### Planting for the future

In the previous issue of the Mainsheet, we discussed berms of beach grass and other plants at our Club, and why they were installed to prevent erosion and protect against flooding.

As we look ahead, we are grateful to PMI members who help with planning and planting projects including beach grass; vinca, perennial flowers, and ornamental grasses on north side of the boat launch, hostas and flowers adjacent to the bathrooms, and tree saplings of willows, red maple, and river birch around the property.

We are protecting or installing plants native to the Ontario shoreline as part of a region-wide effort to restore and stabilize flood damaged Great Lakes shorelines.

Happily proliferating at PMI, for example, are native milkweeds, so important to stabilize areas prone to erosion and important for Monarch butterflies.

Last year, we planted from bare rootstock more than 15 young saplings including birch and willows obtained from the Wayne County Soil and Water Conservation District. Thankfully, some survived and are marked with ribbons.

Several members have contributed trees including more recently a red maple which is thriving and provides a beautiful addition.

The large locust tree which stands majestically in front of our pavilion with its wide umbrella-like branches providing shade for many at the Club is relatively short-lived. For that reason, several young locust saplings nearby are being tended with loving care in order that we have a replacement when the time comes.

Tree saplings are marked or tagged with ribbons. Your help is appreciated to ensure they are not harmed or removed.

We are grateful for expert help and guidance of many along the way, and for the following publications.

- Sea Grant's "Working with Nature, A Guide to Native Plants for New York's Great Lakes Shorelines" by Great lakes Coastal Processes and Hazards Specialist, Roy Widrig.
- Sea Grant's "Erosion Management for New York's Great Lakes Shoreline."
- Sea Grant's "Lake Ontario Shoreline Resident Information Folder."
- "The Cornell Guide for Planting and Maintaining Trees and Shrubs."
- Michigan State University Extension, "Implementing Shoreline Planting Requires Pre-planning."

With gratitude to fellow PMI Landscape Committee members: Jody Harkola, Mary Stubler, Karen Seyfried, Vinnie Watson, and Leah Matusek  
If you are interested in helping with our PMI landscape efforts, please contact Deborah at [ddoolittle53@gmail.com](mailto:ddoolittle53@gmail.com) or Gail at [gail.koudelka@gmail.com](mailto:gail.koudelka@gmail.com)



Photo by Dawn Stubler



## Interesting Find...

Chip Stevens, one of our PMI members has been mentioned twice in the footnotes of a fascinating book published this year. Vanishing Point written by Tom Wilber. It is the true story of a B-24 bomber crew lost in a snowstorm on a training mission in February 1944. The plane is believed to have crashed in Lake Ontario in the Oswego area. The book is about wreck seekers Tim Caza, Dennis Gerber and John McLaughlin using Homemade side scan sonar systems to map swaths of the lake bottom in the search for the B-24 Liberator nicknamed Getaway Gertie. Like Caza, Gerber and McLaughlin, Jim Kennard is the wreck seeker who found several sunken vessels in our

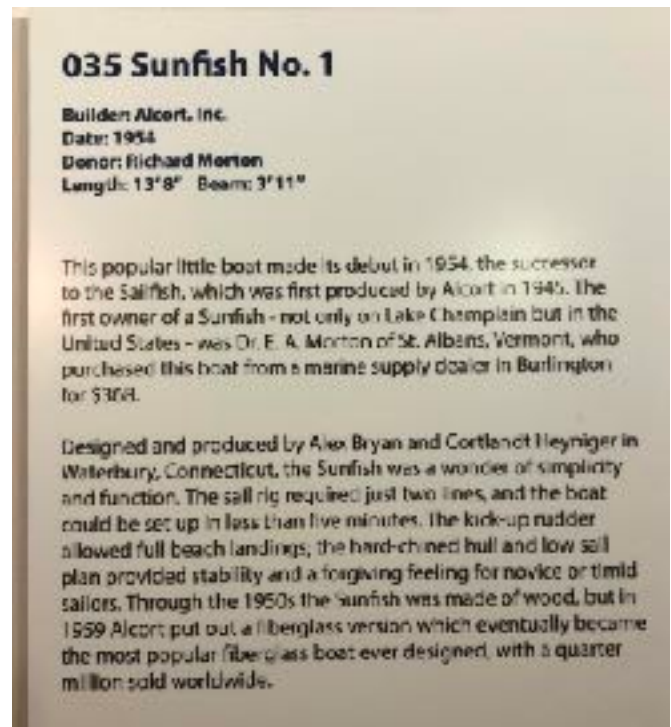
area. He partnered with Dan Scoville who developed an unmanned submersible with the help from R.I.T. students. Kennard found the British Revolutionary War ship HMS Ontario. It was claimed by a gale while underway from Fort Niagara to Oswego on October 31, 1780. It is the only one of its kind left known in the world. Our own Roland (Chip) Stevens was part of Kennard's team. I have spoken to Chip about his involvement with Kennard and he was kind enough to sign my book.

Tom Kuebel



Sunfish #1 - Lake Champlain Maritime Museum - shown here with Ellis May, our grandson

From Carol May, Sunfish Fleet Captain  
Sunfish parts - [herbaker@aol.com](mailto:herbaker@aol.com).  
His pricing is reasonable and his service and shipping is fast. He is located in Massachusetts.



Reminder:

**Lock your Shed before you leave**



## WebMaster, Jen Stubler

*Be Checking the Website for:*

- Party Permit process. Minor changes to procedure will be posted on web site and Laura Grey, Party Permit Chair, will post tracking log on Members Only page
- Final Duty Officer roster on Members Only page and update the Duty Officer and Sail Patrol Duties
- Social calendar on the web site Members Only page
- All PMI members are encouraged to read the By-Laws and Member Information

## Member Pictures –

Everyday more pictures are being added to our Kitchen doors. Thank you to all who have participated and a special thanks to Charlotte for adding the names so that we can all begin to get to know each other, putting names with faces.

If yours isn't up there, please send a jpeg to [ckbuehler@icloud.com](mailto:ckbuehler@icloud.com) and be sure to spell out your names.

## More Fun at the Beach



6 siblings, Wyble Family Reunion



*Thanks* to all of you who have been posting, commenting and liking/ sharing on <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Pultneyville-Mariners/187684157934775>) and Instagram, Nick Harkola, [nharkola@gmail.com](mailto:nharkola@gmail.com)

## Order hats, sweatshirts, polo shirts etc...

**with the Pultneyville Mariners logo on them.**

The use of the Pultneyville Mariners logo is cleared with Instant Monogramming, to let anyone who is a member of PMI use the logo on the items that they want. Just show your membership card

**Instant Monogramming, Inc.**

1150 University Avenue, Bldg 5, Suite 9  
Rochester, NY, 14607



## For Sale by Members



### Sunfish and Force 5

\$500 each  
Ready to sail



Contact  
Jessica Shaver

[jessica.l.shaver@gmail.com](mailto:jessica.l.shaver@gmail.com) 315-589-2101

## ...and a Note from the Mainsheet Editor



Any items for publication should be sent to me as you think of it - I will store and use in the next Mainsheet. Don't worry about deadlines, just send to me at [c4js17@yahoo.com](mailto:c4js17@yahoo.com) as you think of the wonderful ideas that you want to share with the membership. It is my hope that COMMUNICATION will help to grow the sense of community that PMI has always fostered. *Carol May*