

SOUTHERN WAKES UNITED

Greetings from your 2023 WI State champions!
Only five short years (well four if you don't count 2020) after the merger of the Lauderdale Lakes
Aqua Skiers (LAS) and Whitewater Lake Sports Club
(Minneiska Water Ski Show Team), Southern Wakes
United took home first place! In fact, this is the first win either team has had since LAS took home first place in 1990. It was an absolutely amazing year last year, but the pressure is on as we will be moving up to Division II this year. So, we are working hard on our new show, and we are excited to perform for you! We hope to see you at the Landing this summer!

2024 LAUDERDALE LAKES SCHEDULE

Fridays in front of the Lauderdale Landing from 6-7pm

- June 7
- June 21
- July 5
- August 9
- August 23

*Follow us on Facebook and Instagram, or visit our website (www.SouthernWakesUnited.com) for up-to-date show information.

Join our growing team!

If you are interested in joining SWU, contact us at membership@southernwakesunited.com. You do not need to have your own equipment or any experience at all! Members on our team range from 6-75, so grab the family and join us for some fun in the sun.



LAUDERDALE LAKES SAILING CLUB



The LLSC begins its 2024 (57th) season www.lauderdalesailingclub.com MC Scow Fleet 55

The LLSC begins its 2024 (57th) season with our first race on June 2 – RO JO Trophy! The LLSC is set for another ACTION-PACKED season and we invite all to come watch and cheer from boat or shore. We welcome all who are interested in joining and/or learning to sail. Please contact us if you are interested. We can arrange ride-a-longs or lessons for any prospective sailors even if its your first time or you are just curious – Don't hesitate to reach out. WE WANT YOU! CLEAR & CALM – As always, THANK YOU! To all our fellow boaters for respecting clear and calm waters during our race events!

2024 SAILING CLUB OFFICERS

Commodore: Ben Johnson

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Treasurer: Bill Ingle

Social Committee Chairs: Katy Ingle / Peggy Sorenson

Race Committee Chairs: Jodi and Tom Engel Web Site Chairman: John Hamilton

2024 LLSC EVENTS CALENDAR

Races are scheduled for every Sunday beginning at 10:00am in Green Lake unless otherwise noted and weather pending. Periodically races are held in Middle and/or Mill, or 2 races in a day for make-up.

Sunday, May 26	Kick Off Brunch
Sunday, June 2	Ro Jo Trophy
Sunday, June 9	Club Race
Sunday, June 16	Walsh Trophy
Sunday, June 23	LLYC Regatta (1st race)
Sunday, June 30	Des Johnson Trophy
Sunday, July 7	Founder's Trophy
Sunday, July 14	LLIA Trophy (new)
Sunday, July 21	LLYC Regatta (2nd race)
Sunday, July 28	Cartland Trophy
Sunday, August 4	Ingleside Cup
Sunday, August 11	LLYC Regatta (3rd race)
Sunday, August 18	Melges Cup
Sunday, August 25	Ladies Appreciation Trophy
Sunday, September 1	Beisswanger Trophy
Sunday, September 8	Harry S. Truman (all 3 lakes)

Awards Picnic



A NOTE FROM THE COMMODORE

Greetings fellow boaters, sailors, and those of you who simply love to enjoy time on our beautiful lakes. Our club celebrated its 70th anniversary in 2023 and all of us hope for many successful years to come. Here's a little bit about our Club.

The Lauderdale Lakes Yacht Club is a social club that provides the opportunity to gather socially while boating, sailing, fishing or just being on or around the water. Owning a boat is not a requirement, it's optional. And let's face it, who doesn't want to be a part of a group of people who can navigate and drink simultaneously?

We put on the biggest event of the summer, the Fourth of July Fireworks show! Through your contributions and support, we'll continue to provide the best show in the area, right here on our own Lauderdale Lakes. We put on many fun events for you to meet socially with other lake friends. Gather with old friends and make new friends along the way. That's what our club is all about.

We support many local charities including Seeds of Hope, the LaGrange Fire Department and our own lakes fish committee.

I'm excited for the upcoming year and all the opportunities it holds for our members. I encourage everyone to get involved in the club and take advantage of all the programs and events we have to offer. Consider becoming a volunteer for one of our events this summer. Just reach out to me or the person in charge of the event – we'd love to have you get involved! Let's have a great season!

Linda Johnson, Commodore

JOIN LLYC - TODAY!

- Support the club that brings you the biggest event of the summer – the 4h of July fireworks show on July 6. We need your contributions and support to continue to bring this popular evening to Lauderdale Lakes!
- Meet new people and make new friends. We currently have over 225 families in the club.
- Participate in many events, BBQ Fest, Venetian Night, Poker Run and a cardboard regatta.
- LLYC supports many local charities including the LaGrange Fire Department, our own lake's Fish Committee, our Local Food Shelter and Seeds of Hope.
- When you join our club, you are automatically a member of our yacht club which allows for reciprocal privileges/access/discounts at many participating yacht clubs across the country.



2024 EVENT SEASON

June 1 Cocktails with the Commodore

LLYC Golf Tournament

June 29 Cardboard Regatta

July 6 Fireworks

July 20 BBQ Fest

August 24

August 3 Venetian Night

September 14 Poker Run

www.LLYClub.com www.LLYClub.com

FLAG HOIST 2024

2024 CREW

Commodore – Linda Johnson Vice Commodore – Anthony Cecola Rear Commodore – Vacant Secretary – Cindy Klima Treasurer – Anne LaBarge Social Media – Julie Lawrence Fireworks Commanders – Jeff Angst & Andy Brown Safety & Education Committee – Deb Loeding, Nancy Coleman, John Summers

LLYC MEMBERSHIP

Admiral \$100

Membership, Membership Card and 3 Towels

Captain \$80

Membership, Membership Card and 2 Towels

Lieutenant \$65

Membership, Membership Card and 1 Towel

Family Membership \$40 Membership only



PAYMENT OPTIONS

The LLYC and Sailing Club are now able to accept payments for dues, donations, events, and merchandise in a variety of different ways:

- Credit Card payments at www.LLYClub.com
- Check
- Cash



Send Membership checks/cash to:

Lauderdale Lakes Yacht Club c/o Cindv Klima N7872 West Shore Dr. Elkhorn WI 53121

Send Event and Donation checks and cash to:

Lauderdale Lakes Yacht Club c/o Anne LaBarge 1103 North Path, Wheaton IL 60187

Check us out on Facebook @Lauderdale Lakes

Commanders

Tracey & Dean Bostrom Laura & Bill Harris John & Janet Sommers Tom Short Renee Saban Karen & Brad McKenzie Corky & Eileen Corcoran Kim & Nancy Coleman Patty & Dale Hargrave

Board of Directors

Lorretta Auchinleck Tom Short Deb Loeding Julie Lawrence John (JJ) Jilek* Peggy Eggert* Laura Allen* Barry Lutz* Pete Spaulding* *Past Commodore

2024 EVENTS

COCKTAILS WITH THE COMMODORE Saturday, June 1, from 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Mark your calendars for June 1st as the Lauderdale Lakes Country Club plays host to the esteemed "Cocktails with the Commodore" event from 6 PM to 9 PM. Anchored in the heart of Lauderdale Lakes, this evening promises a fusion of live music, lively dancing, delectable dining, and of course cocktails. Embrace the spirit of community as you mingle with Commodore Linda Johnson, as she takes the helm. To ensure your spot, RSVPs must be made by May 25th, with pre-purchased tickets priced at \$35 per person.

CARDBOARD REGATTA Saturday, June 29, 1:00 p.m.

Hello LLYC friends, Corky here to share with you information regarding the first ever LLYC "Cardboard Boat Regatta" scheduled for Jun 29th! We plan to have 2 divisions, kids under 16 and an adult division. Teams will consist of up to 4 people and teammates must be from the same age group.

The only materials allowed in the construction of your boat are cardboard, I duct tape, adhesive and water-based



paint. Corrugated cardboard may be used, but it cannot have any wax, resin or vinyl coating. Decorations can be made of any material, but should not help the boat stay afloat or keep its structure together.

There will be an entry fee donation of \$25 per boat, and there will be a "betting" donation opportunity for spectators, as well as raffles. Awards will be given for the top three boats in each division! Proceeds from the event will benefit Seeds of Hope.

Come out to the Lauderdale Landing June 29th at 1:00 PM and have a blast supporting the Cardboard Captains! Contact Corky at fishboycorky@sbcglobal.net with any guestions and to register a boat.

FIREWORKS 2024

Saturday, July 6, sunset

The 2024 Fireworks show will be held on July 6, 2024, using the same pyrotechnics company as last year. The show is 100% funded by your donations and is sponsored by your Lauderdale Lakes Yacht Club. Please give generously!!

The show will, again this year, be coordinated to a specific selection of music. As in past years, the show will be simulcast by the local Lake Geneva radio station WLKG 96.1.

Did you know that the Lauderdale Lakes Golf Course is where many people go to view the fireworks show? It is a fantastic viewing spot.

This year we will be trying something different. We will have WLKG 96.1 come to the golf course a few hours before the show. They will live broadcast their show from the golf course!

New fireworks shells will be used this year to keep the program fresh and updated. This year will be spectacular! The annual fireworks show requires a lot of work and community involvement. Please thank the "LLYC Pyro Team" for all their time and commitment!



BBQ FEST

Saturday, July 20

We are bringing back the very popular Rib Fest, with a new twist. This year, like last year, the docks can decide on the meat of their choice. This will bring some variety to this great event. Some of the past winners are taking a break this year. We are looking for new cooks this year. If interested, contact JJ at jjileksr@gmail.com

Corky & Deetz's fish Jamboree for the children will be in the morning and we'll have the BBQ fest in the afternoon. Cruise the lake, stop at the docks and enjoy some of the finest BBQ on the lake. We'll "Bring-the-Lake-Together" with an after party at The Landing to award the winners and enjoy the evening. A fun day for all. All are welcome!

VENETIAN NIGHT

Saturday, August 3

The Third Annual Venetian Night Event will be held Saturday, August 3rd, 2024. Mark your calendars, plan your boat, pier and lake home lighting for this Lauderdale Lake historical event. Venetian Night highlights a parade of boats, numerous pier and home lighted decorations. Celebrations on and off the water are enjoyed by gatherings of families and friends. Let's LIGHT UP THE LAKE, brighter than ever. We would like your participation and creativity.

Contact: John Summers @ 262-903-1134 or Bill Harris a 224-355-9060.



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HOIST

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LLYC GOLF TOURNAMENT

Saturday, August 24

Back by popular demand!

Join us at Lauderdale Lakes Country Club for our Golf Outing and Fish Boil. The 9-hole shotgun scramble will start at 2PM followed by a fish (and chicken) boil at the Lauderdale Lakes Country Club. This event will sell-out quickly so watch for registration details via email and start thinking about your foursomes! There will be a dinner only option, so if you don't golf, you can still join in the fun! Raffles, prizes, music, and more. If you are interested in joining the planning committee

for this great event, please contact Julie Lawrence at i-lawrence@att.net.

POKER RUN ON THE LAKES

Saturday, September 14th

Save the date and join us for a hand of Poker at the Lauderdale Lakes Poker Run. Hop on your boat and grab some friends where you'll travel to 7 stops around the lake to collect your poker hand (and some treats) and compete with others for the best hand. Prizes awarded for the best hand. Make sure to sign up as soon as you receive the email!

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More information about all our events visit www.LLYClub.com or follow us on Facebook. Members will receive an email invitation with additional event and registration information.