

SEPTEMBER 2018



SPRINGFIELD MOTORBOAT CLUB



UPCOMING EVENTS

Membership Meeting	Thursday	September 6th
Dave Lumsden Hues of Blues	Saturday	September 8th
Board Meeting	Wednesday	September 19th
Family Campout	Saturday-Sunday	September 22nd-23rd
Membership Meeting	Thursday	October 4th
Shrimp Boil	Saturday	October 13th

RESTAURANT:

The Following Hours Remain in Effect Until Further Notice:

Monday CLOSED

Tuesday CLOSED (except for special events)

Wednesday & Thursday, 11-2 (Lunch) & 5-8

Friday 11-2 (Lunch) & 5-9 Saturday 11-3 (Lunch/Grill Menu) & 5-9 Sunday 12-3 w/ Patio Grill Menu

Please remember to make dining reservations, especially during busy days & times.

RESERVATIONS: 217.529.1511

NOTICE: PLEASE DO NOT drive on the Grounds/lawn, under any circumstances, at this time. With the soft/wet ground even minimal driving can cause significant damage.

COMMODORE: STEVE TODD

The State Fair is behind us and activities are ramping up at the club! Several private parties are scheduled and the Queen pot keeps climbing. Our robust menu is sure to please and there is always a smiling face behind the bar. Be sure to schedule your holiday parties soon!

I would like everyone to think about submitting their name for a board position for next year. An active board is critical to the success of our club. Please consider a leadership position!!!

Busch beer has been added to the bar on a trial basis. Enjoy one soon.



VICE COMMODORE: FRED WALRAVEN

Summer seemed like it just flew by and here we are in September but there is still boating time left before it gets too chilly. The club has been busy and September will be even more busy with parties and events most every weekend. Please be sure to get your reservations in for the Dave Lumsden Band on Sept. 8th this will be a great night of blues at the club. The family campout will be September 22 & 23rd and is a good time for kids and parents to enjoy a campout and bonfire on the club grounds. Please make reservations for this event as well so we can plan for the food. The shrimp Boil will be October 13 the flyer will be coming out this weekend. If you are thinking about holiday parties now would be a good time to get your dates reserved it looks to be a busy fall in the restaurant so please book early.



FLEET CAPTAIN: SCOTT SHEETS

As the boating season comes to an end, I would like to remind all dock owners that heaters are not permitted inside boat houses. There are two proposals on the table for a change in the bylaws that affect the waiting lists for docks. Please read both proposals and be present to vote at the October 2018 meeting.

SMBC Fleet Captain
Scott Sheets
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GROUNDS DIRECTOR: SHANE HEDGE

The leaves are starting to fall so get out and enjoy the grounds while you can. We have the best looking grounds on the lake thanks to all the volunteers that come out and help. I would like to thank Pat Bumpus for his help removing a limb from a power wire and cleaning up the shoreline down by the docks. Also Jason Stiff came out and trimmed around the trailers, and Carlo Jianno mowed the grounds. We can always use a hand with the trailer area and mowing. Mike Hamende and Doug Smith planted some sod around the pavilion. Please limit the foot traffic on it. Brian Black, The Lawn Doctor stopped by to give the grounds a much needed treatment.



BUILDING DIRECTORS: BOB KRELL & BRUCE OBERREITER



The roof repairs have been completed, and the transition of the old walk-in freezer, to cooler, has been done as well.

SECRETARY: ANN MCCAUGHAN

As secretary, I am reliant on club members to provide me with information that needs dissemination to the greater membership, especially regarding **Good and Welfare**. Please be sure to contact me if you are aware of any members or family members who should receive the clubs condolences or blessings. I can be contacted via email at ann.mccaughan@comcast.net, or via telephone at 208-221-9795 with that information. Be sure to like/follow us on Facebook for regular club updates: <https://www.facebook.com/smbcweb/>



MEMBERSHIP: JIM RAPPS

SMBC is pleased to welcome one new member at the September 2018 Membership Meeting, Bill Sutter, sponsors Fred Walraven and Greg Watson.

As a signing sponsor on a membership application please ensure that it is filled out completely, includes the application fee and is legible. If I am not able to read it or it is missing information it can delay bringing a new member into the club. And all applications should be put in the envelope marked membership that is hanging on the bulletin board in the board room. Thank you **Membership inquiries can be directed to Jim Rapps: jmr1070@comcast.net. Paper applications are available at the club, or a PDF version can be Downloaded from the SMBC website.**



BEACH DIRECTOR: ADAM BLAIR

The beach continues to be open and water testing is going well. Remember – there is a Lilly Pad in the men’s side of the beach house for members to utilize. Adults – if your kids would like the use it, please make sure to roll it back up and place it back in the beach house for safe keeping.

Useful websites:

Current weather / water temp at the lake (**NOTE:** water temp is listed as “Soil temp”):

<https://www.cwlp.com/LakesParksHome/LakesParksInformation/LakeWaterLevels.aspx>



Lake water levels:

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See you all at the club!

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REMINDERS & NOTICES:

Please remember to keep an eye on your children on outside grounds and in the building. Driving on club grounds is prohibited due to saturated soil. Please respect the maintenance of the condition of the grounds.

Outside beverages are prohibited in the building and on the patio! You may continue to consume outside beverages on the rest of the grounds (unless prohibited for a specific event). Regular support of the bar is essential to our club’s success.

WORK HOURS LOG BOOKS. There are two logbooks in the bar; one is for recording hours worked and the other is to list your name if you need work hours. Please remember to record any work hours that you work and sign up to get your hours in.