



# The Newswheel

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July 2010

## Upcoming Calendar

No July Dinner Meeting  
LSPS Dinner Meeting

Sunday, July 11  
Real River Raft Up

Behind 12 Mile Island  
1:00pm-4:00pm

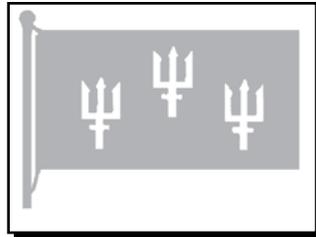
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Officer's Report  
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## Commander's Report

*Cdr Larry Samuels, SN*

Another outstanding Tartans Landing RENDEZVOUS is behind us, many thanks



to hosts David and Treasia Roberson, and all who helped to make the day successful.

We now turn our attention to Sunday July 11, "The Great Ohio River Raft Up" RENDEZVOUS, hosted by Carolyn and John Brenner, Terry Chambers and Rob Prince. Later July 23-25, comes the D/24 RENDEZVOUS & Summer Council at Smuggler's Cove, Warsaw Ky.

Many of you may not be familiar with the term D/24, shorthand for USPS District 24. D/24 includes Southwestern Ohio, Southern Indiana, and North Central Kentucky. Each summer the eight squadrons of D/24 meet at Smugglers Cove Marina for a weekend of fun and a short summer council meeting. The fun starts on Friday evening and runs thru Saturday night, the council meeting is held on Sunday morning. Smuggler's Cove, formerly known as Craigs Creek is located on a delightful bay off the Ohio River, upstream of Markland Dam.

Some folks come by water and rent a slip at Smugglers Cove. Others come by auto and stay in motels. Some attend only on Saturday while others stay the entire weekend. This rendezvous is a chance to meet folks from other squadrons and witness a D/24 council meeting. Details can be found on [Sail Angle.com](http://SailAngle.com) under District 24 groups, or you may use the following link. [www.sailangle.com/uploads/group/files/132/14ffe524d794\\_onthehorizonconferncedates2010.pdf](http://www.sailangle.com/uploads/group/files/132/14ffe524d794_onthehorizonconferncedates2010.pdf).

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## Executive Officer's Report

*Tom Binzer, AP*

The Vessel Safety Check program is officially under way with some of the Examiners going out on their own to get an early start.

Congratulations to Maureen Samuels and Ed Dunagan, they have been re-certified and are now part of the active VSC Examiner team. There are still ten members who need to have there certification reinstated.

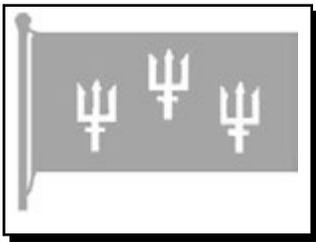
As of June 19th, we have had VSC at three marinas, Captains Quarters, Rose Island and Tartan's Landing.

NEXT VSC DATE JULY 17th AT LIMESTONE BAY YACHT CLUB.

LBYC had a VSC day scheduled in early May with another organization but that organization did not show up as promised, some of the members have asked that the date be rescheduled. LSPS will fill that request on Sat July 17th. From 9:00 am till 12:00 noon.

There are also twelve members of the Cruising Club of Louisville that have their boats moored at LBYC and have requested that LSPS conduct VSC for them. I have phone numbers and e-mail addresses of those requesting VSC's.

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## Commander's Report

*Cdr Larry Samuels, SN*

We will also be offering a two hour seminar "Boating on Rivers, Locks and Lakes" at the Smuggler's rendezvous.

I note that we still have several members who have not renewed their membership with USPS. I urge each of you to make a special effort to attend to this matter. Your friends at LSPS need your support and continued camaraderie. If anyone needs assistance determining their status, the amount due, or other information, I will be glad to help.

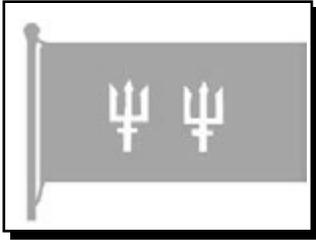
Till we meet again, have a fun summer and be careful.



*Good Conversation*



*Good Friends*



## Administrative Officer's Report

*P/C David W. Robertson, JN*

Hello Fellow Boater's,

The Great American Cookout at Tartans Landing Marina was hot again this year and a wonderful time despite the heat. My thanks to all that attended, and everyone that helped make this event a great success. Special thanks to Treasia for hosting and to Tony Tagliarino for battling the heat and cooking all those hamburgers, hot dogs and brats. We have two more events coming up in July see below for details.

### SAVE THE DATES

**Sunday, July 11,** - "The 2nd Annual Real River Raft Up" Rendezvous, hosted by Carolyn and John Brenner, Terry Chambers, and Rob Prince. 1pm - 4pm behind 12 Mile Island on the Ohio River Everyone should bring their own drinks and box lunch. This will be an old fashioned get together with everyone sharing food, fun and fellowship aboard LSPS boats. Keith and Ruth Leitner will be our anchor boat on Boat Dog and will be there over night in case some boaters want to come earlier than 1pm. There will be room for everyone who wants to go -- even if you don't have a boat or just want to attend and not bring your boat. A list of Captains will be sent out for you to contact for transportation. Each Captain will determine the time they leave port and if there is anything else needed for their cruise to the rendezvous spot.

**Friday – Sunday, July 23 – 25** D/24 Rendezvous & Summer Council at Smuggler's Cove Warsaw Ky.  
Event schedule from the D/24 Newsletter  
Schedule of Events for the 2010 Summer Rendezvous and Council

#### **Friday – 23 July 2010**

1800 - Social Hour

1900 - Dinner - Hosted by Bluegrass, Cincinnati and Hoosier

2030 - Games TBD

#### **Saturday – 24 July 2010**

1000 - Begin boarding boats for Ohio River Cruise

Lunch hosted by Anderson and Dayton

1400 - All boats have finished docking

1500 - Seminar (approximately 2 hours) "Boating on Rivers, Locks and Lakes"

1800 - Social Hour – Bring your favorite wine to share

1900 - Dinner - Hosted by Evansville Bend, Louisville and Wabash Valley

2030 - Games TBD

#### **Sunday – 25 July 2010**

0900 - D24 Summer Council

All meals will be catered by the Sunset Grill.

Hosting consists of serving if necessary and clean-up.

#### **Saturday 14 August 2010**

Noon -5 pm Admirals Anchor Marina, Pirate's Picnic. Hosted by Ruth & Keith Leitner

For more information on our events and to make your reservations go to the web site [www.louisvillepowersquadron.com](http://www.louisvillepowersquadron.com). If you are interested in hosting an event or have suggestions for an event please let me know at 502-995-0563 or by email at [robertson.david@insightbb.com](mailto:robertson.david@insightbb.com). Thanks again, David

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# Squadron Education News

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P/C Kim P. Fisher, AP

This summer you have an opportunity to learn more about boating on rivers, locks, and lakes while you are actually doing it.

First, I highly encourage you to attend the Special Seminar "Boating on Rivers, Locks, and Lakes" which will be held on Saturday July 24th at the District 24 Summer Rendezvous at Smuggler's Cove Marina in Warsaw KY. Registration for this Seminar is included in the Registration for the other events at the D-24 Summer Rendezvous at <http://www.usps.org/localusps/d24/> Come by land or sea, you are certain to have a great time. If you haven't attended this district event before, "try it, you'll like it." It is an opportunity to meet about 100 other boaters from the 9 Squadrons in Indiana, Kentucky and Ohio that make up D-24. But send in your Registration now.

Second, you can take your new classroom knowledge and get a hands-on taste of rafting up at the LSPS July 11th Raft-up on the Kentucky side of 12 Mile Island. Look elsewhere in the Newswheel for details. Finally, in September, LSPS will be having a Lock-through Rendezvous. We meet at the Tumbleweed docks, lock through McAlpine, raft-up for a couple hours, and then return. We held this event in 2008 and it was a real learning experience for all of us. We held it on Saturday of the weekend that Hurricane Ike swept through Louisville. The winds were beginning to build that Saturday so we all got a taste of rafting in much more than a gentle breeze. The time and date for this event has not yet been set as of press time this month, but will be by the next issue of the Newswheel.

In August, Jack Banister plans on starting another Junior Navigation class. Contact either Jack or me to register. Several members have already signed up. September brings the beginning of a Piloting class. David Robertson and I are going to teach it. This class teaches boaters how to navigate while in sight of land. It includes the basics of using charts and plotting courses. Piloting lays the foundation for all additional Piloting and Navigation classes. Let us know if you are interested.

The remainder of the Fall 2010 brings the new Weather course taught by Lee Harris, and we are hoping to teach the new Marine Electronics if we have enough interest. Stay tuned for more details.

## See You Around the Bend



*Good Times*



*Happy Guy*



## GETTING TO KNOW YOU . . .

*By Janice Weller S*

### *Missy and Mike Ronayne*

Missy and Mike have been members of LSPS for about one year. They joined after taking America's Boating Course. Since the ABC course, Mike has also taken Seamanship and Engine Maintenance. Missy and Mike own a 19 ft. Stingray runabout. They enjoy tailoring their boat to Taylorsville, Patoka, and the Kentucky River between locks. Mike and Missy also boat on the Ohio with fellow LSPS members Ed and Elaine Wnorowski.

Mike is originally from Louisville and Missy from Lexington. They met while attending Centre College and have been married for 34 years. They have two sons, John and Sam ages 24 and 19.

Missy is a Montessori teacher and has taught 1st, 2nd, and 3rd grades. Mike is a Geo Technical Engineer with his own company GEM Engineering. Besides boating, Missy also plays the dulcimer and Mike is a Boy Scout leader and wine maker. He grows his own grapes and has won 2nd place at the Kentucky State Fair. They are also members of the Louisville Wine Association.

Mike grew up boating on the Ohio. His family had a cabin on Belknap Beach and he learned to sail on his family's boat. Both Mike and Missy now have a bigger boating dream of doing the Great Loop. They are looking for just the right boat for the trip. All the LSPS education classes will be a big help in planning for the trip.

Mike and Missy look forward to meeting their fellow LSPS members and sharing boating stories. Welcome Mike and Missy to LSPS.

### **Help Wanted**

The River Cities Community Sailing Program needs a committee boat for the Captain's Quarters Regatta, which is September 25th and 26th. The ideal boat would be a houseboat about 35 feet long. Or, the committee could work off a trawler or sport fisher with a large foredeck.

The person or couple who volunteer to do this will be richly rewarded. They will be in the center of the action for watching the race. Each of them will receive one of our unique regatta T-shirts, a coupon worth \$6 in food at CQ that weekend and a ticket to Captain's Quarters brunch for Sunday the 26th. That isn't bad for sitting in the middle of the race course for two days.

Contact Roger Kennedy at River Cities Community Sailing [RKennedy@win.net](mailto:RKennedy@win.net)



*Tartans Rendezvous*

# HAPPY, HAPPY, BIRTHDAY!!!

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|----------------------------------|--------|
| Jeanne Hammond . . . . .         | 1-Jul  |
| David Owen Lynch . . . . .       | 1-Jul  |
| Jim W. Donohue . . . . .         | 4-Jul  |
| Carol J. Harris . . . . .        | 6-Jul  |
| Edwin P. Wnorowski . . . . .     | 7-Jul  |
| Maureen M. Samuels . . . . .     | 10-Jul |
| Tim Christensen . . . . .        | 15-Jul |
| William M. Molnar . . . . .      | 23-Jul |
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## Watermelon and Cantaloupe Salad with Mint Vinaigrette

Recipe courtesy Giada De Laurentiis

Prep Time: 25 min

Cook Time: 5 min

Level: Easy

Serves: 4 servings

### Ingredients

- 1 bunch fresh mint, chopped
- 1/4 cup lemon juice, from about 1 lemon
- 1/4 cup simple syrup, recipe follows
- 1/8 teaspoon amaretto
- 2 cups watermelon balls, from about half a watermelon
- 2 cups cantaloupe balls, from about 1 cantaloupe

### Directions

In a blender, combine mint, lemon juice, simple syrup, and amaretto. Blend until smooth.

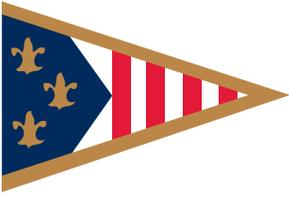
In a large bowl, combine the watermelon and the cantaloupe. Add the vinaigrette and toss. Transfer to a serving bowl and serve.

### Simple Syrup:

- 1/2 cup water
- 1 cup sugar

In a saucepan, combine water and sugar over medium heat. Bring to a boil, then reduce heat and simmer for 5 minutes, until the sugar has dissolved. Take pan off heat and cool the syrup. Any extra cooled syrup can be saved in an airtight container in the refrigerator.

Yield: 1 cup



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