



# Channel Log

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*"Words from the Commodore"*  
Commodore- Michael Piunno

The Commodores Ball was a great evening! Many thanks go to **Judy Paternite** for her all of her help. Taking the food orders, the hours spent on selecting pictures, scanning, and putting together the program to run the slide show. Thanks to **Sally Jakubs** for taking care of the flowers, **Chris Piunno** for all of her help with everything. A great deal of work goes into setting up a Ball. P/C **Ray Greiner** for the Hospitality Room set up. Joe Winch for all of his effort for the ball book. The "hostess with mostiss" **Denise Pschirer**, **Sally Greiner** for all of her invitation work, P/C /V/**CDon Connerton** for doing the mailings, **MR. MC, Sam Paternite**, and to everyone on the ball committee. Thank you! Thanks to Officer Allen of The Ohio Dept of Watercraft for taking time and joining us for our meeting. Now, it's time to get to work. After the flood, we have a mess. Between the docks and the grounds, and house, we **All** have our work cut out for us. It is time for all the members to pull together and take on this challenge. Not only for work hours but for the good of the club. As we market our club to perspective members, our club needs to have "curb appeal". All the features of the club needs to be looking the best that it can, the pool, club house, grounds, docks, and dock box areas. **The competition is!** When you join a yacht club, there are certain things you accept to do. Pitch in, promote, support, I

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-lend a hand, work with, help out, step up. All these words mean about the same. Attend as many functions as you can, and bring friends. A marina doesn't usually have social events-a yacht club does. HELLO!

New members, Scott and Tom were both out of town, and could not make it Thursday. We will vote on them in April. Thanks goes out to **Dan Killian** and his committee for all his work he put into reviewing the, Non Docker changes. Not an easy task...Thanks **Dan** for your help.. Ways to increase cash flow? Uncharted waters? No. Maybe different ideas. One idea is to open the bar for 6 months of the year. Maybe on Fridays, or Saturdays, or for Sunday football, with basic food! We have a bar, we have members, and they have friends, why not. I would love to get some feed back from our members, let's talk. **Please remember to get your ad in for the yearbook. A \$20.00 patron ad is also a big help.** Food to remember Blue Gavel, SPAGHETTI DINNER! April 16<sup>th</sup>. These guys do it right. If you are lucky, some home made sausage from the "Paternite Brothers Butcher Shop".

