



# The Wake Astern

March 2022

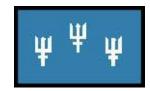
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# COMMANDER





Cdr Stan Wolfe, SN-CN

Greetings from your Commander!

Deb and I hosted the first rendezvous of the year at Arabellas with very thin attendance by boat; in fact, more folks drove over and met in the lounge. See the write-up later in this edition.

We just completed our second in-person meeting of the year, the Annual General Meeting, in which we elected the slate of officers for the next year. The Change of Watch will occur April 26. Planning has already started so mark your calendars. Before we get to that date, there are a couple of events in which I hope many of you participate. For example, District 16 will conduct their Spring Conference March 12 starting at 8:30 AM. TPS has six delegates to represent you during the meeting.

More happenings:

Tacoma Power Squadron Dock Street rendezvous occurs March 18-20. Call the marina (253-272-4352) to make your reservations. We don't have a host, yet, but I'm optimistic that someone will step forward.

The week after Dock Street is the fourth Tuesday (March 22) and time for another general meeting. We are going back to our potluck format so bring an entree or a side, but no desserts. Our galley crew under the leadership of Lorraine Stargel, AP will handle that part.

The marine portion of Daffodil will be hosted by Tacoma Yacht Club in their marina basin starting with early boat arrivals on Thursday, April 21. TYC is planning to revert to the pre-covid format and activities. We hope to decorate a boat on Saturday the 23rd starting around 10 AM then enter it the non-judged category of the marine parade just as we did last year. Assuming scheduled maintenance is completed, Brian and Barb Prudente have graciously offered Sjøen to be draped with flowers and banners advertising America's Boating Club of Tacoma and South Puget Sound as your first choice in safe boating education and training.

So, why all the writing about rendezvous, general meetings, conferences, and slates you ask?

Attendance and participation are down. We've had some illness and injuries and some folks have sold their boats. Despite

all that, we have hard-core attendees that show up and have a good time. We need more of you to do the same. We have 160 members as of just a few days ago and I'd like to see more of you attend a rendezvous, come to a meeting, and/or volunteer to help with running our club and doing the many tasks we undertake to educate the public. Deb and I have had a lot of fun, earned the friendship of our members, and have done some good for the community. If you have been hesitant, take the plunge!

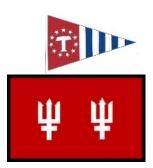
That's it for this month. I'm looking forward to seeing a lot of folks at our next in-person event and or the March rendezvous at Dock Street in Tacoma.

Executive Board Meeting March 8th, 2022 (7:00-9:00PM) via Zoom

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# EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT



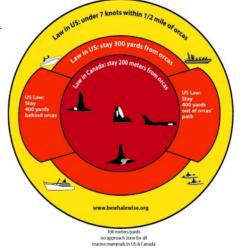
Remembering our friends under the water.

As we prepare for our boating season each of us needs to remember we share our beautiful Puget Lt/C James Harden, JN-CN Sound waters with others. We need to remember our friends sharing the Puget Sound waters with us while we are boating. There are Federal and State regulatory distances boaters need to observe when they spot whales near you. Below is a picture depicting the different distances boaters need to allow depending on where the whales are in relation to your boat.

Orca whales are called killer whales but that is only a nickname given to them, because after all they are not whales. They are part of sea mammal family, dolphins and whales, but they are the largest member of the dolphin family. And so, they are not whales. "killer" because they are apex predators of the ocean and they are real killers!!

Dolphins are Whales in the same way Birds are Dinosaurs and Humans are Apes, so the name is not necessarily inappropriate. It was also coined before humans really knew what the relationships between Orca and other dolphins. And the original source of the name was probably "Whale Killer", with the two terms eventually getting shifted around by an accident of history.

See you around the docks





Cdr Stan Wolfe swearing in new member Henry Reisch at the January 2022 General Meeting

(Picture provided by Lt Cindy Warren, AP)



# ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENT



Lt/C Sam Hill, AP

It's that time of year again. Time to get the boat dusted off and get her ready for the summer. With that being said, I believe our Vessel Safety Check (VSC) Inspectors are looking for you. That's right, they are looking for you so they can VSC your boat. There is no better way to start off a new season of boating. A fresh new VSC sticker is calling your name. All the cool

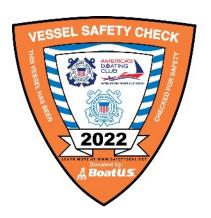
kids have the new and improved 2022 sticker.

All joking aside members, this is a great way to start the year of boating. A second set of eyes on your boat is a good thing. It's always a great idea to have someone else check to make sure you have everything you need for a safe year of boating. A VSC will do it for you, and it's free (who doesn't like free). The inspectors will make themselves available for you. Inspections took place last weekend at the Gig Harbor/Arabella Landing Marina Rendezvous. Plus, it will give you the opportunity to fellowship with the inspector and maybe learn something new.

Come one come all, get your VSC done sooner than later. From what I understand, the new stickers are looking pretty cool and it makes your boat faster (just joking on the faster part). I will get my VSC done as soon as I pull my boat out for the season. It's that time of the year folks. We need to make sure the inspectors do not get bored, and assist you, so you can have a safe boating year in 2022.

**Need a Vessel Safety Check?** 

It's Fast, It's Easy, and best of all, IT"S FREE !!!



All you have to do is contact

Lt Sue Walker, S

Email: sue98402@gmail.com Phone: (253-213-2850)

Susan Walker is our VSC Chairperson, phone number: 253-213-2850. Please note new email address above.

Address where the VSC inspectors should send a copy of inspection reports to Sue Walker, P.O. Box 519 Tacoma, WA 98401. She will also be taking requests for VSC supplies etc. as well as helping organize VSC team events that we may do.

Closing date for articles is the fourth Wedneday of each month. Please direct all articles to the Editor. E-mail to: ricque0602@comcast.net, Mail to: 5105 Grand Loop, Apt # 811, Tacoma, WA 98407. Telephone: (253) 581-1732. Please submit member address and other data changes to the Tacoma Power Squadron Secretary.





Lt/C Bentley Rickmers, S Sq Education Officer

# EDUCATIONA DEPARTMENT





Lt/C Sandi Carroll, SN Asst. Education Officer

**Electrical** 

#### MARINE ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS

America's Boating Club of Tacoma and South Puget Sound in conjunction with The Beaverton Sail and Power Squadron is offering a course on MARINE ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS. Virtual meeting will start Thursday March 24th, 2022, 07:00-09:00 PM. MARINE ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS is taught in up to 8 two-hour weekly sessions including time for review and the multiple choice closed book exam.

The MARINE ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS course is presented in seven chapters that start with an explanation of what electricity is, followed by discussions on boat electrical wiring, DC and AC electrical systems, galvanic and stray current corrosion, lightning protection, and ends with troubleshooting of boat electrical problems.

The course includes detailed instructions on how to use a multimeter, how to solder and crimp electrical wiring circuits, and how to read electrical wiring diagrams. This course can be used as a reference guide for anyone interested in properly maintaining their boat electrical system. Marine

- Day 1 Introduction, Chapter 1: Properties of Electricity
- Day 2 Chapter 2: Boat Electrical Wiring Practices
- Day 3 Chapter 3: Direct Current Power
- Day 4 Chapter 4: Alternating Current Power
- Day 5 Chapter 5: Galvanic and Stray Current Corrosion
- Day 6 Chapter 6: Lightning Protection
- Day 7 Chapter 7: Troubleshooting Part 1; on-the-boat optional
- **Day 8 Chapter 7:** Troubleshooting Part 2
- Day 9 Review and Examination

Price of \$120 for non-members of America's Boating Club includes book, exam and shipping. \$70 for members of America's Boating Club.

Additional questions can be sent to the Beaverton Squadron Education Officer at SEO.BSPS@gmail.com or Tacoma Education Officer Bentley Rickmers benric7@gmail.com

The freeconference call.com meeting code will be sent prior to the start of course.

#### **ENGINE MAINTENANCE course**

Starting April 28 for 6-7 weeks at Tacoma Yacht Club, 7 - 9 pm. Presented by America's Boating Clubs of Poverty Bay and of Tacoma. \$70 for members of America's Boating Club, \$110 for non-members. To pre-register for either course click on the link below: https://americasboatingclub.org/find-a-course-near-you?zip=98467&range=20

District 16 will be offering an Instructor Certification via Zoom on March 26. Any instructors that need to be recertified please contact Jim West phnx789@msn.com

**CLASSES IN PROCESS:** 

Advanced Piloting will be testing next week.

The Weather course continues on Thursdays at Tacoma Yacht Club with Cdr. Stan Wolfe.

Happy boating!!





## Tacoma Power Squadron General Meeting January 25, 2022

**ROLL CALL**: Meeting called to Order at 1900 hours at Day Island Yacht Club. Commander lead Pledge of Allegiance, and Meal prayer then reminded all to please abide by COVID rules as posted at each table. XO called each table to be served at galley. Commander also requested members consider signing Galley volunteer sheet posted at table in lobby.

After dinner, determination of quorum (10% membership) completed.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES** - minutes available on Commander's phone so will have executive board approve for posting to Wake Astern.

#### **OFFICER REPORTS**

#### Executive Officer - Lt/C Jim Harden, JN-CN

- VSC Sue Walker indicated schedule not firmed up but expect to work various VSC venues such as Bass Pro, Cabelas and Swantown during the year and she plans to be more active in arranging them. She is still looking for an assistant to help with inputting completed inspections. Decals are available and were distributed to VSEs present.
- **Coop-charting:** Members can report on prior non-USPS recoveries one year apart; if prior recovery was by USPS, must be two years apart.

#### Admin Officer - Lt/C Sam Hill, AP

- Recognition of new members:
  - Cdr Stan Wolfe, SN-CN swore in Henry Reisch.
- Membership Retention (Lt/C Jackie Mattox, AP) Jackie indicated we've had 30 new members in the last year or so.
- Plan for next general meeting is to have business portion start at 7:00 PM, but DIYC will be open at 6:00 PM so
  members can stop at favorite take-out and bring their own bag of food. We are trying this as a means to limit
  spreading COVID from potluck-style meal and avoid spending funds on food which is expensive.
- Boating Activities (LT Cindy Warren, AP) 2022 Rendezvous schedule was presented (following):

#### **Dates Place / Information**

18<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> February Arabella's (Presidents Day), Gig Harbor

**Stan & Deb Wolfe hosting**; Net Shed on Saturday Call Marina to make reservation: 253-851-1793

10 Boats Reserved

18<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> March Dock Street, Tacoma

**Need Hosts** 

Call Marina to make reservation: 253-272-4352

8 Boats Reserved 18<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> March Dock Street, Tacoma

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#### March 2022

# **Tacoma & South Puget Sound**



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22<sup>nd</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> April

Parade on 24<sup>th</sup> Daffodil Festival, TYC -> Foss Harbor Waterway

Registration on TYC Website

\$25.00 registration fee

The Prudente's have volunteered their boat.

Theme: Hope Rises

21<sup>st</sup> May Drive in Rendezvous:

Gary & Barb Dildine's Home 13107 Faircourt Lane SE, Rainier, WA 98576

23<sup>rd</sup>-26<sup>th</sup> June Poulsbo District 16 Rendezvous

Port of Poulsbo Marina, 18809 Front Street NE,

Poulsbo, WA 98370

Registration Form in Wake Astern

22<sup>nd</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> July Kingston

**Need Hosts** 

Call/text Cindy to confirm: 206-571-3096

\$10 Reservation Fee

10 boats

12<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> August Swantown Marina

**Need Hosts** 

Swantown's no: 360-528-8049

\$5 Reservation Fee

2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Sept Port Orchard (Labor Day)

**Need Hosts** 

360-876-5535 Can call in & prepay 10 Boats (8 slips & 100' Long Dock)

\$5 Reservation Fee

30<sup>th</sup>-2<sup>nd</sup> Sept/Oct Arabella's Landing Marina

**Need Hosts** 

"Book on line" at Arabella's Web site

10 Boats

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#### Education Officer - Lt/C Bentley Rickmers, S

- Advanced Piloting is on-going via Zoom with Gary Ball instructing.
- Weather Class starts 3 February at TYC; max of 10 students and filling up fast.
- Instructor development class in progress with Jim Harden instructing.
- Getting a lot of requests for ABC. Planning one for May after Daffodil; if folks need one earlier, Zoom sessions by other clubs may be available.
- Still looking to have an engine maintenance course, just need to pin down a date with the instructor.

#### Treasurer - Lt/C Jackie Mattox, AP

- Financial status provided.
- Have started working on the budget.

#### Secretary - Lt/C Beth Stone, S

No report

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

- Audit Committee Cdr would like the Audit committee to meet before COW and complete an audit in anticipation of change of treasurer.
- **Nominating Committee** (P/C Gary Dildine, AP-IN; P/C Richard Mattox, AP; P/C Mark Hafterson, AP). Gary Dildine reports slow progress in filling vacancies. Especially need an admin officer. He will continue calling folks.

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

- Awards: P/C Richard Mattox, AP presented awards for his command tour 2019 2020:
  - Outstanding Volunteer of the Year P/C Tim Craig, P.
  - Committed Couple Jim & Karen Jackson
  - Robert Haun P/C Larry Warren, AP
  - Stiff Line LT Gary Dildine, AP-IN
  - Captain Crunch Bob & Pam Gunter
- P/C Gary Dildine, AP-IN presented awards for his command tour 2020 2021:
  - Outstanding Volunteer: Lt/C Bentley Rickmers (S);
  - o Committed Couple: LT Brenda (P) and P/C Lance (P) Williamson;
  - Robert Haun Award: P/C Jackie (AP) and P/C Richard Mattox (AP);
  - o First time awarded, the Otto L. Rasmussen Memorial: P/C Larry Warren (AP).
  - o Cdr Stan Wolfe, SN-CN then presented P/C Gary Dildine, AP-IN, with the Past Commanders Plaque.
- Milk Box Derby originally scheduled at Green Lake this summer has been cancelled due to safety and sanitation concerns.
- Stan then presented Salmon Bake ribbons to the hosts, P/C Chuck (AP) and P/C Viki Sharp (S), and attendees Lt/C Sam (AP) and Kim Hill, P/C Jackie (AP) and P/C Richard Mattox (AP), P/C David (JN-IN) and Paulette Sitzenstock, Cdr Stan (SN-CN) and Debbie Wolfe, P/C Lance (AP) and LT Brenda Williamson (S), and P/C Tim Craig (S). Next he presented ribbons to the participants of the TPS 2021 Summer Cruise:

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- 1 star: Geoff (P) and P/Lt/C Nancy Ringstad (P) (not present);
- 2 star: Dan Rasmussen (AP); Lt/C Beth (S) and Richard Stone (P) (neither parties present ribbon to be mailed);
- 3 star: P/C Jackie (AP) and P/C Richard (AP) Mattox; Brian and Barb Prudente, with Mason Dixon;
- 4 star: LT Barb (AP-IN) and P/C Gary (AP-IN) Dildine;
- 5 star: P/Lt/C Jon Everett (AP) and Sharon Cryan
- 6 star: Jim and LT Karen Jackson; LT Cindy (AP) and P/C Larry (AP) Warren; LT Debbie and Cdr Stan (SN-CN)
   Wolfe;
- Land Yacht: P/D/C Jim Harden (JN-CN), Linda (S) and P/C Tim (P) Craig, Lt/C Sam (AP) and Kim Hill.
- Stan thanked Jenna Ashbrook, P for her efforts in making the ribbons for all these events.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

- USPS 2022 Annual Meeting, Ponte Vedra (Jacksonville) Florida, February 19-27, 2022. Stan has already assigned proxy to DCO Ken Smith, AP.
- District 16 Spring Conference (virtual), March 12, 2022. Invitations are forthcoming.
- For the Good of the Order: Kathy Reed presented a discussion of a person overboard incident that occurred on New Year's Eve.

Adjourned at 8:40 pm

#### Attendees signed in:

Jackie and Richard Mattox Stan and Debbie Wolfe

Larry and Cindy Warren Lorraine Stargel

Gary and Barb Dildine Jim and Karen Jackson

Chuck and Viki Sharp Brian and Barbara Prudente

Mason Dixon Pat Lemagie
Tim Craig Jim Harden

Sam Hill Mike and Jenna Ashbrook

Mike and Becky Arrington Jon Everett

Susan Walker Andy and Betty Temple

Paulette and David Sitzenstock Lance and Brenda Williamson

Bob Gunter Bill Larsen
Henry Reisch Mike Gage

Cathy Reed Cliff and Bentley Rickmers



#### **AWARDS FOR 2019 - 2020**



P/C Larry Warren, AP **Robert Haun Award** 



P/C Tim Craig, P Volunteer of the Year



Jim & Lt Karen Jackson **Committed Couple** of the Year



P/C Gary Dildine, AP, IN Stiff Line Award

(Note: Not pictured, Bob & Pam Gunter - Captain Crunch Award)

#### **AWARDS FOR 2020 - 2021**



P/C Larry Warren, AP Otto Rasmussen Award



P/C Richard (AP) & P/C Jackie (AP) Mattox **Robert Haun Award** 



P/C Lance ((P) & Brenda (P) Lt/C Bentley Rickmers, S Williamson **Committed Couple** of the Year



Volunteer of the Year



P/C Gary Dildine, AP, IN Past Commander Award

(Pictures provided by Lt Cindy Warren, AP)

All of the above awards were presented at the January 25th, 2022 General Membership meeting



18th-20th March **Dock Street Need Hosts** 253-272-4352 Call Marina to make reservation (8) Boats Reserved 22nd-24th April **Daffodil Registration on TYC Website** \$25.00 registration fee **Need Parade Boat Theme: Hope Rises** 21st May **Drive in Rendezvous** Gary & Barb Dildine's Home 23rd-26th June **Poulsbo District 16** Registration Form/Wake Astern 22<sup>nd</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> July **Need Hosts** Kingston **Call/text Cindy to confirm** 10) boats 206-571-3096 \$10 Reservation Fee 12th-14th August Swantown **Need Hosts** 360-528-8049 \$5 Reservation Fee 2nd-5th Sept Port Orchard (Labor Day) **Need Hosts** 360-876-5535 Can call in & prepay (10) Boats (8 slips & 100' Long Dock) \$5 Reservation Fee 30th-2nd Sept/Oct Arabella's Landing Marina **Need Hosts** "Book on line" 10) Boats

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Cindy Warren 360-897-8692 <u>c.m.warren-7@hotmail.com</u> Text: 206-571-3096



# Arabellas Rendezvous February 18 - 21, 2022

(Hosts Cdr Stan & Debbie Wolfe)

#### First Rendezvous of 2022

Tacoma Power Squadron conducted its first rendezvous of the new year February 18 - 21 at Arabellas Marina in Gig Harbor. I hope it's only a sign of the times: five boats signed up but only three attended. Folks cancelled due to sickness and injury; we hope everyone heals and feels better soon. In the true spirit of our club, many folks did attend via car. A big thanks to Jenna Ashbrook for making beautiful Arabellas Rendezvous 2022 ribbons which were awarded to the 23 attendees. Many of the folks attending arrived early enough to partake of a sumptuous Saturday breakfast of eggs, sausage, and waffles. The hosts, Stan and Debbie Wolfe arranged for and prepared the lounge instead of the net shed for use during the day. After breakfast, several parties toured the boats in attendance and reconvened in the lounge until late afternoon. Thanks also to our Squadron XO, Lt/C Jim Harden, JN-CN for conducting vessel safety checks per request. Let's look forward to our next rendezvous at Dock Street March 18-20. Here's the list of attendees.

By Boat:

Escapade - Mike & Jenna Ashbrook GreyWolfes' - Stan & Deb Wolfe The Plan - Rick and Linda Wescott

Drive-in:
Tim Craig
Gary and Barbara Dildine
Mason Dixon
Jim Harden
Sam & Kim Hill
Henry Reisch & Cassandra Livengood
Jackie & Richard Mattox
Brian & Barb Prudente
Larry & Cindy Warren
Rick & Linda Wescott





#### TACOMA POWER SQUADRON 2021 - 2022

Commander Cdr Stan Wolfe, SN-CN **Executive Officer** Lt/C James Harden, JN-CN

Administrative Officer Lt/C Sam Hill, AP

**Educational Officer** Lt/C Bentley Rickmers, S

Secretary Lt/C Beth Stone, S Lt/C Jackie Mattox, AP Treasurer

#### **COMMANDER'S DEPT**

#### **EXECUTIVE BOARD**

1 Yr Term P/C Gary Dildine, AP, IN Flag Lt P/C Larry Warren, AP Sunshine Lt Leslie Burton, S 1 Yr Term Lt Barbara Dildine, AP, IN Merit Mark P/D/C Christine Rasmussen, SN 1 Yr Term Lt Anselm Chong

Galley Manager Lt Lorraine Stargel, AP P/C Larry Warren, AP 2 Yr Term

**EXECUTIVE DEPT** Lt Aaron Strasser, S 2 Yr Term 3 Yr Term Lt Debbie Wolf **Executive Off** Lt/C James Harden, JN-CN

Safety Off Vacant 3 Yr Term Lt Karen Jackson

Coop Charting R/P/C James Harden, JN-CN VSC Chair Lt Sue Walker, P **AUDIT COMMITTEE** 

Lt Leah Hafterson, AP Radio Tech P/C Andy Temple, AP 1 Yr Term

**Boat Show** Vacant 2 Yr Term Vacant

Lt Tom Ferree, AP Legislative Vacant 3 Yr Term

#### **ADMINISTRATIVE DEPT**

#### RULES COMMITTEE

Admin Off Lt/C Sam Hill, AP 1 Yr Term Lt/C Bentley Rickmers, S Lt Cindy Warren, AP **Boating Activities** 2 Yr Term P/C Mitch Carroll, SN Membership P/C Jackie Mattox, AP 3 Yr Term Lt Lorraine Stargel, AP Mbrship Involvement P/C Jackie Mattox. AP

**Operations Training** Cdr Stan Wolfe, SN, CN

**Programs** 

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Newsletter P/C Richard Mattox, AP Historian Vacant

Lt Barbara Prudente

Commencement Bay P/C Jackie Mattox, AP

#### TREASURER DEPT

P/C Jackie Mattox, AP Treasurer

Property Off Vacant

Ship's Store P/C Tim(P) & Linda(S) Craig

#### NOMINATING COMMITTEE

1 Yr Term P/C Mark Hafterson, AP P/C Richard Mattox, AP P/C Gary Dildine, AP, IN

SEO Lt/C Bentley Rickmers, S ASEO Lt/C Sandi Carroll, SN

#### ABC CHAIR

P/C Lance(P) & Brenda(P) Williamson

#### **ELECTIVE COURSES**

Vacant

#### ADVANCED GRADES CHAIR

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Lt/C Jackie Mattox, AP

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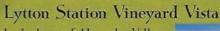
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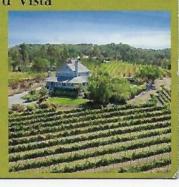
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# March 2022

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13	14	15	16	17 St. Patrick's Day Weather Cls at TYC	18	Dock Street Rendezvous
20 Dock Street Rendv	21	22 Gen Mtg 6:30-8:30 PM @ DIYC	23 Deadline for April edition The Wake Astern	24 Weather Cls at TYC Marine Elect Sys via Zoom	25	26 Instructor Cert via Zoom
27	28	29	30	31 Weather Cls at TYC Marine Elect Sys via Zoom		



# April 2022

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