

## COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

### AHOY BOATERS!

Staying positive as we figure out our C19 world, here is some **Advice from the Ocean**:

*Seas the Day  
Take time to relax and coast  
Avoid pier pressure  
Sea life's beauty  
Don't get tide down  
Catch a wave  
Reach for the stars*

And continue finding creative ways to  
**KEEP ON BOATING.**



*Joanne Heroy-Giller*

Commander

### Squadron News

#### >Causeway "UNpotluck"

Oct. 12<sup>th</sup> - NOW A SPREAD OUT!  
Bring your own chair, drink & snack.  
5 o'clock hosted by Francine Dale

#### >Stay Tuned!

As we work on appropriate monthly Pot Lucks, Cruise and Rendezvous' & Happy Hours.

#### >Budget Committee Appointees:

3 Years – Gregg Wickstra  
2 Years – Fraser Cameron  
1 Year – Marge Lieblein

#### >Merit Mark Chair: Ron Fields

>Ft. Myers Boat Show USPS Booth  
SanCap's day is Friday, Nov. 13<sup>th</sup>.

### District News

**D22 Fall Conference** Oct 9-10 and the **District C&R** for Oct 21–23 are still being planned. Details available [HERE](#).

#### 2020 Offshore Powerboat Race...

As Roar Offshore has NOT contacted the FMB Chamber of Commerce nor

any other organizations for legal permitting, it would seem the FMB boat races will **NOT** occur in 2020, at least for Fort Myers

### National News

The Sept. Fall Conference in Raleigh, NC has been **CANCELLED**.

### World News

The Environmental Protection Agency has designated August as **National Water Quality Month**. With the uninterrupted availability of clean drinking water in the U.S., we often fail to recognize how regular human activities impact our water quality.

**Victory in Japan Day** - on September 2, 1945, a formal surrender ceremony was held in Tokyo Bay aboard the USS Missouri. At the time, President Truman declared September 2 to be VJ Day in the USA.

## EDUCATION

SEMINARS	
Oct 24	Mastering the Rules of the Road
Nov 7	Emergencies on Board
Feb 6	Weather
Feb 6	AIS
Feb 13	Using GPS
Feb 13	Reading Charts
BASIC BOATING	
Dec 3 & Dec 12	ABC3
Jan 14 & Jan 23	ABC3
Jan 27	Educational Cruise
Feb 25 & Mar 6	ABC3
COURSES	
Oct 20	Boat Handling (Seamanship)
Oct 26	Junior Navigation
Jan 5	Piloting
Oct 29	Marine Electrical Systems
Feb 1	Instructor Development

## CAMARADERIE

**As a seasonal group**, every summer we experience a summer exodus, which this year has been exacerbated by the current rise in FL C-19 cases.

So, we say, "Adieu." See you in the fall, while staying in touch using lots of emailing, texting, phoning, Zooming, Facebooking, and Instagramming.

## COMMUNITY

### PFD Loaner Program

The Sanibel Fire Station is reopened with signage "Use at Your Own Risk."

### Sanibel School 6<sup>th</sup> Grade ABC Class

The books for fall classes have been delivered and planning is on-going.

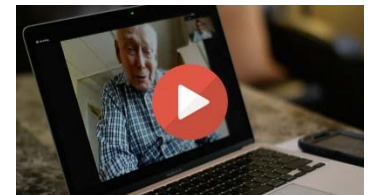
## SAFE AT SEA

Click [HERE](#) for helpful tips on becoming an "Instant Captain".

## BOAT TALK

Information about choosing a boat from one of our members on Page 3.

**FAIR SEAS**...Some Good News from P/C George Irwin, SN



## EVENTS CALENDAR

Next Excom is **Sept 3 at 9:00 a.m.**  
Call **1-425-436-6313** and follow the prompts. Access Code is **440047**.

See Page 2 for more events or visit our website at <http://sancapboating.club>

**Notable Future Events – be sure to “SAVE THE DATE”**

Sept. 9-13 <b>CANCELLED</b>	<b>America's Boating Club Fall Conference: Raleigh</b> Hilton North Hills, Raleigh NC
Oct. 9-10	<b>D22 Fall Conference</b> Charlotte Harbor Event & Conference Center Punta Gorda, FL
Oct. 12 5:00 p.m.	<b>“UNpotluck” now a SPREAD OUT</b> Causeway Islands near the Gazebo
Oct. 20 11:00 a.m.	<b>Sanibel Historical Village guided tour by Lynne Campean</b> (optional lunch afterwards)
Oct. 21	<b>Monthly Dinner Meeting</b> St. Charles Yacht Club
Oct. 21-23	<b>D22 Cruise &amp; Rendezvous</b> Twin Dolphin Marina Bradenton, FL
Nov. 17	<b>Monthly Dinner Meeting</b> Sanibel Community House
Dec. 6	<b>Annual Holiday/Charter Party</b> Kelly Greens Golf & Country Club (currently being revised.)
Jan. 19	<b>2021 Change of Watch</b> Sanibel Community House
Feb. 14-21	<b>2021 Annual Meeting</b> Sawgrass Marriott Golf Resort & Spa Ponte Vedra, FL
February	<b>COW Party</b> Lady Chadwick
March 16	<b>Monthly Dinner Meeting</b> Sanibel Community House
April 20	<b>Monthly Dinner Meeting</b> Sanibel Community House
May 18	<b>To Be Determined</b>

## BOAT TALK

Here's what John Fridlington chose and invites you to contact him about his choice.

BRAND	Grady White
YEAR - MODEL	2011 - Freedom 307
NEW OR USED	New
STYLE	Dual Console
LENGTH	30 ft
BEAM	10' 7"
HEIGHT	8' 6" (antenna down)
DRAFT	22" (hull)
ENGINE	Twin Yamaha 300hp outboards
ANY "SPECIAL OPTIONS"	Bow thruster, hardtop, grill, refrigerator, freshwater and saltwater wash down, electric head
ELECTRONICS	Garmin multifunction chart plotter, ICOM VHF
PURCHASED AT	Fish Tale, Fort Myers
HOW WE MAINLY USE IT	Day cruising, beach, lunch stops
OWNER'S NAME	John Fridlington
CONTACT INFO.	<a href="mailto:jwfrid@gmail.com">jwfrid@gmail.com</a>

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