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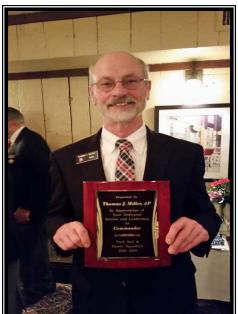
YORK SAIL & POWER SQUADRON CHANGE-OF-WATCH

The swearing in of our present Commander Thomas W. Wise SN and present 2018-19 Bridge. by District 5 Executive Officer, Brad Humphrey, now Commander of the District 5 USPS.









P/C Thomas Miller with his award in appreciation for his Educational Services and Leadership to York Sail & Power Squadron.

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THOMAS W. WISE, SN

COMMANDER YORK SAIL & POWER SQUADRON

COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

CONTINUING EDUCATION

We tend to concentrate our education activities on the basic boating course offered to the public, but there are also opportunities for continuing education of our existing members. At our September 2017 meeting, our speaker was Charles Hoffman from OLLI at Penn State York and the topic was "Curiosity Never Retires". The message is that we should continue to learn regardless of our age.

A review of our roster shows that there are many opportunities for continuing education in our Squadron. There are very few people with SN behind their name. If you do not know, SN stands for "Senior Navigator" and it indicates that the person has taken all advanced and elective courses. If your grade is not SN, then there are courses that you could be taking.

This message is a challenge for our members to take advantage of our advanced and elective courses. After all, education of fellow boaters is the cornerstone of the Power Squadron.

Look through advanced and elective courses and contact SEO Bud Menchey with courses you would like to take. He can set up a class with an instructor if enough people are interested. You can also take a class on your own or with a small group. In this case, Bud would assign a qualified instructor as an advisor.

Here is a listing of the courses to consider.

- Advanced Courses Seamanship (S), Piloting (P), Advanced Piloting (AP), Junior Navigation (JN), and Navigation (N).
- Elective Courses

 Engine Maintenance, Marine Electronics, Sail, Weather, Officer Training and Cruise Planning.

Respectfully, Tom

YORK SAIL & POWER SQUADRON BRIDGE OFFICERS



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ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER'S REPORT

As the returning Administrative Officer for 2018, it has been a pleasure to work with such a great group of York Sail & Power Squadron members. Over the years you could always be counted on to listen, offer suggestions, and help out with events.

Ed & Dolly Furst, along with Fred Wise and yours truly have just returned from attending the District 5 Spring Conference in Ocean City, Maryland. We hope to return with ideas for programming, membership growth, and catch up with the latest United States Power Squadron news. We are always proud to represent YSPS.

As you can see by the attached schedule, we have venues and locations scheduled for the whole year. We are pleased that Tom & Deb Wise will open their home for Cinco de Mayo in May, and Ed & Dolly Furst will host our October dinner meeting. And don't forget our Family & Friends picnic in June and the Shrimp & Crab Feast in September at the Wise Woods. Our November dinner meeting will be at Shank's Mare with Officer Darrin Kephart from the PA Waterways Commission. And finally, Chris Nagle has agreed to arrange the holiday party, and details will be made available later.

Since we are an all-volunteer organization, your time and talents are needed. As busy as you may be, please put our scheduled events on your calendar and join us. And if you see an unfamiliar person at any of the functions, extend a welcome and introduce yourself. We want everyone to feel they have a place in YSPS. Enjoy 2018!

Respectfully submitted,

Joyce

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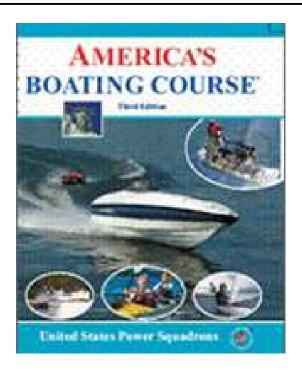


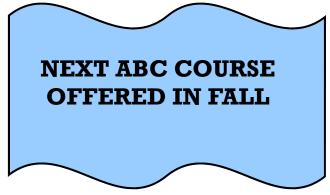
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BOATING SAFETY

A Piloting class was conducted at Bud Menchey's home in recent weeks. Five participants are anxiously awaiting the results of the final exam. National Committee members grade the exams and results may not be known for several weeks.

The next ABC Course will be held in the Fall and YSPS members are encouraged to advertise this to friends who may not be aware of our education program. Have them contact me at 717-495-1553.







YORK SAIL & POWER SQUADRON CHANGE-OF-WATCH



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Thursday, 1 Feb 2018





D/5 Commander, Brad Humphrey and wife Megan









Our loyal YSPS members and wives at recent YORK SAIL & POWER Change-Of-Watch











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2018 YOUTH POSTER CONTEST

Download Poster Contest Rules attached with this newsletter.

CONTEST DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS NO LATER THAN JULY 15, 2018

Artwork should illustrate how safe boating through education, on-the-water skills, and proper use of equipment save lives





FUNDRAISER - YSPS YARD SALE FREYSVILLE PARK WINDSOR, PA



MAY 12, 2018 8 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

We have two spaces rented **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** FOR 1 OR 2 HOURS Proceeds to benefit the squadron treasury.

If you have items you would like to donate to this worthy cause, please drop off during the meeting night of May 3 at Deb & Tom Wise's house or call **Ed Furst at 717-244-8218 for further direction**.

PLEASE NO TV's, electronic equipment, or large items.



THE POWER OF ONE (from USPS National)



If everyone recruited just **ONE person** each year we would double in size in about a year.

Sounds so simple but, it is difficult because many of us don't like to ASK someone to join us (it is selling). The worst they can do is say no. ASK a friend. ASK the person whose VSC you did. ASK the person who wonders about the insignia on your shirt or cap. ASK the person who took a class or seminar. Just ASK someone!



DISTRICT 5 CHANGE-OF-WATCH & SPRING CONFERENCE, OCEAN CITY, MARYLAND



Fred and Joyce



The Bridge Procession



Dolly and Ed Furst

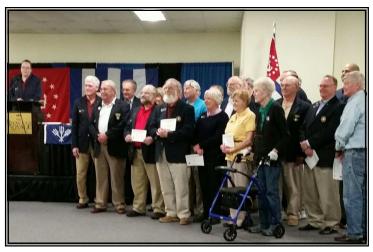


P/C Edward P. Furst, S accepting award for most Vessel Safety Checks in District 5. He had a total of 269 VSC for the year 2017.









P/C Fred W. Wise, Sr., SN accepting the Webmaster award for York Sail and Power Squadron for the year 2017.

CINCO de MAYO CARRY-IN DINNER MEETING



Thursday, May 3, 2018

At Tom and Deb Wise 760 Ridgelyn Drive Dallastown, PA 17313



Carry in a festive dish of your choice. If you don't like Mexican food, bring what you like. Casseroles, appetizers, desserts.

All are welcome

MARGARITAS ON THE HOUSE













UPCOMING EVENTS

FLYERS AND DETAILS TO BE EMAILED AT A LATER DATE







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Thursday, October 4, 2018 Ed and Dolly's House 2106 Hope Drive Red Lion

Menu & price provided at a later date

SPEAKER - TBA









HOSPITALITY SUITES FRI EVE.







Games for fun!



Plenty of food!







VESSEL SAFETY EXAMS at Isquehanna River "Long Level"

Susquehanna River "Long Level"
Launch #1 & #2
MAY 5, 2018

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If anyone knows of boat owners wanting an early inspection, please mention the date above. We will jump-start our inspection season by getting your vessel inspected EARLY! Bring your vessel and join in with the friendship and fun. We will inspect until all who show up are completed.

9:00 A.M. - Until?



YORK SAIL & POWER SQUADRON will perform Kayak Vessel Safety INSPECTIONS for the KAYAKS ANGLERS ASSOC., OF CENTRAL PA ON APRIL 28, 2018

1 - 5 PM at the Jet Ski Boat Launch area at Goldsboro, PA



VSC Inspectors: (L to R) Dale Fanale, Terry Witmer, Ed Furst, Chairman and Don McKonly (not pictured)

2018-2019 YSPS SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

28 APRIL KAYAKS ANGLERS ASSOC., of Central PA

Goldboro Launch area, PA 1:00 - 5:00 PM

*3 MAY

DINNER MEETING - Deb & Tom Wise's home

5 MAY

VESSEL SAFETY EXAMS - Susquehanna River

(Long Level - Launch #1 & #2)

12 MAY YARD SALE - Freysville Park, Windsor, PA

1 JUNE (Friday) FAMILY & FRIENDS PICNIC - The Wise Woods

JUNE (TBA) NAVIGATION CONTEST - (TBA)

8 SEPTEMBER (Saturday)
*4 OCTOBER

SHRIMP & CRAB FEAST - The Wise Woods
DINNER MEETING (Ed & Dolly's home -

SPEAKER - TBA)

OCTOBER (TBA) FROSTBITE CRUISE

**8 NOVEMBER DINNER MEETING at Shank's Mare on the

Susquehanna River - with Officer Darrin Kepart

from the PA Waterways Commission

8 DECEMBER (Saturday) HOLIDAY PARTY - (TBA)

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2019 DATES

3 JAN —ADMINISTRATIVE MEETING

7 FEBRUARY—MEETING/NOMINATION/ELECTION//CHANGE-OF-WATCH

ANCHORLINE SPRING 2018



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To All Members of York Sail & Power Squadron

^{*} Dinner Meetings are always held on Thursday evenings unless otherwise noted **date change