



# HOMEPORT



**TELLICO LAKE**  
**LOUDON, TN**  
**Founded 1997**

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**FRIENDSHIP**  
**a beacon in the storm of life**



## CLUB EVENTS

## 2016 OFFICERS

## CLUB EVENTS CONT.

Hey! We're getting closer!  
It's "March", which means springtime  
and April are just ahead!! But first,  
there are plenty of TCC activities  
in March, starting with the Dollywood's  
DreamMore Resort Getaway and  
continuing with the St Patties Day  
Luncheon & then on to other  
activities shown here in your newsletter.  
So! "Read On"

### March

**Wed. 9th** TCC Meeting 6:00  
Social 5:00  
**Thur. 10-11** Dollywood Dreamworks Hotel  
"Mid-Winter Break" in Pigeon Forge  
Book for the 10th and/or 11th w/ TCC Special Rate  
Optional activity on the 10th -- Dixie Stampede Dinner Show  
Captains: Doc & Lona Doolittle 865-337-0073  
**Thur. 17th** St Pats Day Luncheon - County Kinfolk  
Captains: Jerry & Nancy Campbell 865-458-0861  
See flyer attached - Sign-up continues at the March Mtg

### April

**Wed.13th** TCC Meeting 6:00  
Social 5:00  
Sponsor: Harbortowne Marine  
**Sat. 30th** Blessing of the Fleet  
Capt: Sharon Nolan - Looking for Co-Captain  
Sign-up at the Mar & Apr Meetings  
Details to follow in the April Newsletter

### May

**Wed.11th** TCC Meeting 6:00  
Social 5:00  
Sponsor: Alcoa Good Times  
**Sat. 21st** Photo Scavenger Hunt on the Water  
Capt's: P/C's Bob & Janet Bray 865-408-9229

**Sat. 28th** Raft Off - TBD

### June

**Sat. 4th** New Member Raft Off  
**Wed.8th** TCC Meeting 6:00  
Social 5:00  
**Sat. 11th** Raft Off - TBD  
**Sat. 18 th** Tailgate Party  
Capt's: Dennis & Julie Ricchio 262-719-8244

Commander:  
Bob Mazzola 657-9306  
First Officer:  
Tom Morgan 657-9380  
Second Officer:  
Casey Kelly 458-1928  
Bursar:  
Jim Kavanagh 571-277-5091  
Scribe:  
Karen Sue Keith 458-4277  
Communications Officer:  
Jerry Campbell 458-0861  
EC Officer/Immediate Past Commander:  
P/C Errol Keith 458-4277  
EC Officer/Member At Large:  
Pat Miller 408-0948

## TCC WEBSITE

[WWW.TELLICOCRUIISINGCLUB.COM](http://WWW.TELLICOCRUIISINGCLUB.COM)

WEB MASTER: Interim, Bob Mazzola

## Welcome New Members

David and Barbara Flanagan

**ROMEOS**  
\*Every Wed.  
(Rain or Shine)  
\*11:15 am/H  
Dock  
\*Lunch by boat  
or car  
\*Capt. Ken Kofink  
458-3225

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**JULIETS**  
\* Every 3rd Wed.  
(Rain or Shine)  
\*11:00 am  
H Dock  
\*Lunch by boat  
or car  
\* Capt. Pat  
Miller  
405-2525

## OVERHEARD AT THE DOCKS

Ahoy Matey! Aye Skipper, it's sure  
great to see someone is still here  
with TCC in TV, or even in TN  
Aye Matey, I never knew we had this  
many "snow Birds". But! Matey,  
there's one thing for sure.  
Well, what's that Skipper?  
Aye, if they ain't here, they must be  
some place else. Right?  
Aye Skipper, you're right again.  
Now you're "steam boatin'."  
See ya 'round the bend

Wanderers

## June - cont'd

**Wed. 22-26** Watts Barr Rendezvous  
Captains: Glen & Jodi Seymour 426-884-6978  
**Sat. 25th** Raft Off - TBD

## July

**Sat. 2nd** Raft Off - TBD  
**Sat. 9th** Raft Off - TBD  
**Wed. 13th** TCC Meeting 6:00  
Social 5:00  
**Sat. 16th** Raft Off - TBD  
**Wed. 20th** P/C's Hot Dog & Corn Roast  
**Sat. 23rd** Raft Off - TBD  
**Sat. 30th** Raft Off - TBD

## August

**Sat. 6th** Raft Off - TBD  
**Wed. 10th** TCC Meeting 6:00  
Social 5:00  
**Sat. 13th** Raft Off - TBD  
**Sat. 20th** Raft Off - TBD  
**Sat. 27th** Raft Off - TBD

## September

**Sat. 3rd** Raft Off - TBD  
**Sat. 10th** Raft Off - TBD  
**Wed. 14th** TCC Meeting 6:00  
Social 5:00  
**Sat. 17th** Raft Off - TBD  
**Sat. 24th** Raft Off - TBD

## October

**Wed. 12th** TCC Meeting 6:00  
Social 5:00  
**Sat. 15th** Fall Color Cruise - Little TN  
Captains Needed for this event - contact Casey Kelly to volunteer

## November

**Wed. 9th** TCC Meeting 6:00  
Social 5:00  
No Event planned at this time

## December

**Wed. 14th** TCC Meeting 5:30  
Christmas Dinner Dance 6:00

**REMEMBER: THE YACHT CLUB WILL RESERVE SEATS FOR TCC MEMBERS AFTER THE MEETING  
THEY WOULD APPRECIATE A CALL FOR RESERVATIONS**

## Some Great Times from Last Year (see the fun we have to look forward to)



Remember to check out April's Newsletter to see our February new members and our Bursar & 1st Officer receiving their burgees

Be sure to check our website for more photos and info:

[www.tellococruisingclub.com](http://www.tellococruisingclub.com)



# **TCC Boaters Luncheon**

**St. Patrick's Day**

**Thursday March 17**

**11 AM Country Kinfolk Café**

**270 Hickman Street, Lenoir City**





## KNOXVILLE POWER SQUADRON 2016 Education Calendar

### Starts with America's Boating Course (ABC) offering:

- Intro to boating and boating laws
- Boat safety, equipment
- Navigation and boating problems
- Trailering and storing your boat
- Fishing, skiing, river boating

### Three schedules to choose from

**April 12, 14, 19, 21** Tuesdays and Thursdays 6-8 p.m.  
Farragut Public Library, 417 N. Campbell Station Rd.,  
Knoxville  
\$37 for one person, \$47 for two sharing book  
Contact Otto Schwarz 865 927-3962

**May 3, 5, 10, 12** Tuesdays and Thursdays 6-8 p.m.  
Caney Creek Marina, 3615 Roane St. HW, Harriman  
\$37 for one person, \$47 for two sharing book  
Contact Otto Schwarz 865 927-3962

**July 12, 14, 19, 21** Tuesdays and Thursdays 6-8 p.m.  
Gander Mountain (archery classroom) 11501 Parkside Dr.,  
Knoxville  
\$37 for one person, \$47 for two sharing book  
Contact Otto Schwarz 865 927-3962

*Visit us at: [www.kps-site.org](http://www.kps-site.org)*

*See reverse for advanced course schedules. . . .*

**Cruise Planning**, Begins **Mar. 22** Tuesdays (8 weeks) 6-8 p.m.

*Planning a cruise for 6 days or 6 months? Preparation for boat and equipment, navigation, communication, weather, emergencies and more; it's all here.*

Begin at Tellico Harbor Clubhouse 2000 Cherokee Dr., Maryville

Remaining weeks at Gander Mountain (archery classroom) 11501 Parkside Dr., Knoxville 37934

\$60 for one KPS member, \$83 for 2 members sharing book

\$120 for non-KPS member

Contacts Tom or Marbeth Dietrich, 865 657-9190

**Engine Maintenance**, Begins **May 24** Tuesdays (7 weeks) 6-8p.m.

*A DIY boat mechanical repair and maintenance course. Diagnose and repair drive systems, hydraulic and mechanical steering systems, and engine controls. A must for every boat owner.*

Gander Mountain (archery classroom) 11501 Parkside Dr., Knoxville \$54 for one KPS member, \$74 for 2 members sharing book

\$108 for non-KPS member

Contact Ken Bloomfield 865 233-3845

**Seamanship**, begins **June 7** Tuesdays (7 weeks) 6-8 p.m.

*This takes ABC to a new level. Rules of the Road, navigation, chart plotting, emergencies at sea and a good deal more. A solid first step in advanced boating.*

Fort Loudon Yacht Club, 2325 Lakefront Drive, Knoxville \$63 for one KPS member, \$87 for 2 members sharing book

\$126 for non-KPS member

Contact Delila Callahan 931-456-0505

## Ship's Store

*Your One Stop Shopping for the Best in Cruise Wear!*

Lake Charts .....	\$5	White or Blue Caps .....	TBD
Burgee .....	\$20	T-shirts unisex .....	\$10
Jackets Men .....	\$33	Jackets Women .....	\$33
Sweatshirts unisex .....	\$30	Premium Jackets .....	\$83
Polo Shirts Men .....	\$40	Polo Shirts Women .....	\$40
<b>Embroidery Charge on Polo Shirt:</b>			
Name on chest .....	\$5	Boat Name on Sleeve .....	\$10

Captains: Cathy & Mike McCoy [cmccoy1950@charter.net](mailto:cmccoy1950@charter.net) 865-657-9907

Alternate: Carolyn Rosen [crosen313@charter.net](mailto:crosen313@charter.net) 865-408-1125

## THE OTHER VOLUNTEERS WHO KEEP THE "TCC" AFLOAT

### Your TCC Newsletter Team:

Editor: P/C Chuck Zimmerman  
Phone all comments,  
suggestions, ideas, etc. 458-8598

Photography: Cathy DeBoer  
Send event photos to  
[tccfunpix@charter.net](mailto:tccfunpix@charter.net)

Publishing: Bob Mazzola at present, but  
you may contact any Club Officer should  
you be willing to volunteer to help your  
club in this capacity.  
Some experience with Excel is needed.

### Greeters & Mentors:

Paulette Jennings  
**Meeting Attendance:**  
Judy Genge  
**Service Officer:**  
Pam Schell 423-462-1094  
[schellady@yahoo.com](mailto:schellady@yahoo.com)

### TCC Memorial Rock:

Past Commander's Club  
  
Al Sponholtz &  
P/C Chuck Zimmerman

### TCC Internal Communications

**Jerry Campbell:**  
  
Club Directory, address  
changes, boat names,  
phone numbers, e-mails &  
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### Membership Chairman:

P/C Errol Keith 458-4277  
[ewkeith@aim.com](mailto:ewkeith@aim.com)

### ANCHOR BOATS

The following Captains have volunteered, if available, to be anchor boats for Raft-Offs when needed:

P/C Chuck Zimmerman, Bob Mazzola, P/C Stu McFadden, P/C Errol Keith, Duane Ylvisaker, P/C Bob Bray

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### Boating Classes and Vessel Safety Inspections:

Boating Classes: Knoxville Power Squadron - Tom Dietrich 865-657-9190

Boating Classes: CGAuxiliary - Mike Colacone 352-804-8257

Vessel Safety Inspections - CG Auxiliary: Maureen Corry 865-657-9799 KPS: Bob Bray 865-408-9229