From the Helm--June 2021

The summer solstice and daylight savings time has provided us all with longer days to enjoy our summer boating fun. Seaford Yacht Club members are poised and ready as we begin the Junior Sailing Program and prepare for the upcoming holidays. The 420's, Lasers, and Opti's were cleaned, refurbished and positioned at the floating dock ready for action. The club's new facility has provided ample exceptional room for educational activities that will accommodate the instructional portion of the Junior Sailing Program without impacting the Barnacle or Main Meeting Room.

Many of you may have noticed a few changes around the docks as well. We have a new lighting system for the Bathhouse and a few dock modifications to accommodate larger boats at our marina. Happy hours are in full swing and the summer cruises are well under way.

The board of trustees has worked diligently to prepare and approve modifications to the Seaford Yacht Club ByLaws that will be voted on at the 17 August SYC dinner/annual meeting. Please make an effort to review these changes highlighted in yellow that may be found on our web site. These are located in the member's only section under what's hot. You will need to provide your email and a password, but not to worry if you cannot remember your password a new one can be provided. Also, don't forget to sign up on the website for the dinner meetings and events you would like to attend.

Socially, June opened up with a happy hour hosted by Penny and Pete Showalter. The club's June dinner meeting hosted by the Willshires was a great time with delicious food and great company. We welcomed in new members John and Susan Kehoe at the dinner meeting. The Reviea's hosted a private event at the club on the 26<sup>th</sup> of June.

In conclusion I hope everyone will stay safe, come to the club as often as you can, and enjoy everything the summer has to offer.

John Leist Commodore, SYC