November 2021 From the Helm

I hope this writing finds you and yours, happy, healthy, and ready for an outstanding conclusion to 2021. The Holiday season is definitely in full swing and Seaford Yacht Club is no exception as we all prepare to enjoy this special time. This season is a great time of year to take a break from our busy schedules visiting family, friends, coworkers, and of course our yacht club compatriots in order to share in the holiday cheer. The club's happy hours give us a chance to talk about how we spent our Thanksgiving. Our first ever Holiday Craft Fairs is shaping up to be a super event to not only present our beautiful clubhouse to the public but also to pick up a few presents for those on our gift list. Our membership has also been afforded the opportunity to give the gift of life with our first ever SYC blood drive. The lighted boat parade is a spectacle that is always a seasonal favorite, and to top it all off the club is offering a bonus December cruise to Cape Charles. It is quite clear that there is no lack of things to see and do around the club this holiday season.

As we enter into this special time, I would like for everyone to consider those who have lost members of their families and also those members of our club who have lived their best life and moved on to more heavenly ports. The holidays are for us all to enjoy, but also a time to reflect on those who are less fortunate, in times of need, or missing a loved one. Our nation's military members and their families are a great example of those who sacrifice much to make our lives more secure. Please take a moment to honor them as well.

I would like to extend a special thanks to those of you who have worked exceptionally hard to make our club a shining star in the eyes of our community. You know who you are. Your efforts are absolutely appreciated. Finally, God bless you all and my hope is that you will truly find peace, joy, and happiness amidst this time of celebration.

Happy Holidays,

John Leist Commodore, SYC