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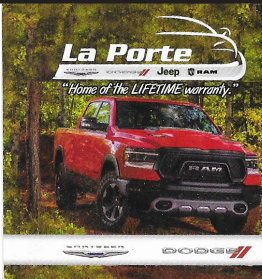
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# LAPORTE YACHT CLUB MINUTES

Date: September 11, 2023

**Meeting called to order at: 6:00 P.M.**

**Officers and Directors Present:** Jeff Matusik, Matt Collins, Lori Cooper, Jeff Neilson, Jed Runnells, Kevin Nelson, Helen Metcalf, Dave Ambers and Seth Spencer.

**Members Present:** Brandi Collins

**Reading of Minutes:** Minutes were approved in the August News Buoy. Motion to approve was made by Jeff Matuski, seconded by Matt Collins

All in favor-motion carried. Approved.

**Treasurer's Report, Lori Cooper:** Motion to approve Jeff Matusik, seconded by Jedd Runnells. Jedd Runnells moved to pay \$9,000 from dock income on dock loan principal. All in favor- motion carried. Approved.

**Building and Grounds, Jed Runnells:** Sewer line replaced. Volunteers needed for the siding project on Saturday, September 16, 2023, at 8:00 a.m.

**Programs Helen Metcalf:** Please email Helen to volunteer to help at events.  
hmetcalf@dwyermail.com

**New Members, Matt Collins: See List. WELCOME NEW MEMBERS, CAN'T WAIT TO SEE YOU AT THE CLUB!**

**New Members - Valerie Swan  
Steven Osborne  
John Cottor  
Jessica Wallen & Randall Berry  
Thomas Mender & Kari Mender  
Dana Nicola & Mark Nicolai  
Harold Barr & Susan Barr  
Nicholas Kawacin & Eileen Kawacin  
Matthew Piotrowski & Danika Piotrowski**

**Kitchen Committee, Matt Collins:**

**Pier Committee, Jeff Nelson:** Members, if you invite guests, please advise your guests that they cannot board your boat until you are present.

Boats to be out by October 8, 2023. Piers to be removed on October 14, 2023, at 8:00 a.m., rain or shine. Jeff needs volunteers to assist with pier removal.

**Contribution Committee:** Yacht Club Olympics.

Donation to Christina Rohl to run Chicago Marathon. Motion by Matt Collins, seconded by Jeff Nelson - Motion carried.

Guaranteed 2,000 walleye for stocking this year.

**New business:** Any suggestions for 2024 Board Members please see Jeff Matuski.

**Old business:** None

**Secretary's Report, Dave Ambers:** 300 members

**Motion to adjourn by:** Jedd Runnells, seconded by Lori Cooper. All in favor-motion carried.

**Meeting adjourned at:** 7:35 p.m.

**Next meeting:** Monday, October 9, 2023 at 6:00 PM. All members are welcome.

## Commodore Letter

Ahoy Members.

I truly hope all have been enjoying the club this summer, we have had a lot of fun and great things to do. With summer passing fall is here, and unfortunately the big deck will be closing sometime next month. We have some projects to finish and will be working on them before it gets cold, and will be taking out the docks on October 14<sup>th</sup>. If interested in helping out with any of these things, let me know. I also am working on a upgrade for behind the bar to benefit our hard working staff and all of you.

I thank everyone whom donates their time to help around the club and to everyone whom donates delicious food items to share when we have things going on. We still have plenty of things planned for this winter and are starting to work on next year. Please watch for my updates on events and the fliers hanging up around the club.

The Inside will be open on Sundays soon for Football, all are welcome to bring a group of friends with to watch the games, bring a dish to share if you want, you can bring non-members, they just need to sign in as guests. Let the bartenders know if you are coming with a group later, because if we have no one there enjoying the club, the bartenders will be closing early.

I enjoy all the new members, but because we have so many, we now have a cap on number of members and have started a waiting list. If you see a new face, say hello. We are a big family and here to have fun, it's a private club not a public bar is why so many join to be part of something special, personable, and a more relaxed atmosphere. Please always be respectful of those around you and patient to our staff.

The best place to Be!

Your Commodore

Jeff Matusik

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LPYC Upcoming Events

**October 6<sup>th</sup>**

**Steak Fry 4-8pm**

**October 7-8<sup>th</sup>**

**Boat Removal**

**October 9<sup>th</sup>**

**Board Meeting**

**October 14<sup>th</sup>**

**Remove Piers--> Live Music 2-5pm**

**Pat O'Brien**

**October 28<sup>th</sup>**

**Halloween Party--> Live Music**

**Jesse Lee Three 7-10pm**

Looking forward to seeing everyone  
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**Upcoming Meals  
LaPorte Yacht Club**



**MEAL OFFERING**

**All Friday's Dinner Menu includes  
Prime Rib (except during steak fry)**

**Tuesday, October 3rd – Chicken ala King + Menu**

**Friday, October 6th – Last Steak Fry + Fish & Chips**

**Tuesday, October 10th – Taco's & Mahi Fish Taco's +  
Appetizers**

**Friday, October 13th – Walleye**

**Tuesday, October 17th – Pasta or Lasagna**

**Friday, October 20th – Blackened Catfish**

**Tuesday, October 24th – Pizza**

**Friday, October 27th – Perch**

**Tuesday, October 31st – "October Fest" Pork  
Schnitzel + Menu**

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