

# Wide-Waters YACHT CLUB

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Home Port – STARVED ROCK MARINA

Member  
Yachting Club of America  
Illinois River Basin Boating Association (IRBBA)

## 2020-2021 Bridge and Board Members

Commodore – Tony Martinez  
Vice Commodore – Mike Grzybowski  
Treasurer – Wanda Gifford  
Secretary – Dom Pacenti

Bylaws Chairman – Dom Pacenti  
Fleet Captain – Tony Martinez

### Board of Directors

Lynn Jones  
Dave Puent  
Jeff Donovan  
Judie Jacobs  
Joe Pacenti  
Vince Ursetta

## August - September 2021 Newsletter



Morning sunrise over Starved Rock Marina  
photo courtesy of Lynn Jones

## WWYC 2021 Events Calendar

October 2<sup>nd</sup> – **Kid's Day**  
(See attached poster for event details)



November 13<sup>th</sup> – **Haul Out Party**

### Wide Waters Yacht Club – August Bridge and Board Meeting:

The past August meeting was again held aboard the Joshua. Thank you, Lynn Jones, for hosting the meeting.

Notes from the meeting:

- Treasurer's report was reviewed and approved. Lobster Boil and Steak dinner plans reviewed and finalized. New Club memberships were reviewed and approved. Club logo wear sourcing was again discussed. In view of upcoming wedding reception using the Pavilion, external use requirements for the Pavilion were reviewed. Club membership and renewal status was also reviewed.
- The annual WWYC Fishing Derby was concluded on Labor Day weekend. Winners of this year's event will be announced at the Annual Kid's Day event on October 2<sup>nd</sup>.
- The next WWYC Bridge and Board meeting will be held on September 18<sup>th</sup> again aboard the Joshua located at the head of E Dock at 10:00 AM. As always, all members are invited, welcomed and encouraged to attend.

### Welcome New Member!

WWYC welcomes new members Paul Muhlig and First Mate Dawn to the Club. Paul and Dawn, have a strong interest in boating and are from Plainfield, Illinois.

## Welcome New Members - Continued

WWYC is also happy to announce and welcome a long time centerpiece of Starved Rock Marina, Tony and Teresa Bush, from LaSalle, Illinois, to the Club. When not on their boat, the Maya Goose, both Tony and Teresa can be found around the marina on almost any day.

Please help us welcome our new members to the Yacht Club!

### Recent Events:

The annual Lobster Boil and Steak Fry was a big success. New Pavilion lighting and music allowed socializing, lobster races and dancing festivities to continue and be enjoyed well beyond the dinner serving timeline. Thank you, Commodore Tony!





## Starved Rock Yacht Club's Ron Robb Special Peoples Cruise

Wide Waters Yacht Club was pleased to once again be able to help support SRYC's Special People's Cruise with volunteers and a boat. It is a very rewarding event that we look forward to every year.



## Thank you!

Wide Waters Yacht Club would like to thank **Tim Jones** and **Ben and Alissa Bumpus** for their generous donations to our events this past summer. Their interest and support help make it the success that we all enjoy!



We would also like to thank **Captain's Cove, Dana Kartheiser**, for donating dozens of baked potatoes for our recent Lobster Boil and Steak Fry. Thank you, Dana!

## Around the marina:

The Bow Fishing Association of Illinois held their "2021 Innerloc Invasive Species Contest" at Starved Rock Marina this past August, for the Innerloc Northern Illinois Championship. While we're not sure who won the championship, the following are a few pictures capturing the event:





Good thing these guys aren't competing in our annual WWYC Fishing Derby!



## Starved Rock Marina

Contracts for haul out and winter storage options have been sent out. If you have not done so already, be sure to get yours in soon to make sure you get the haul out date of your choice and storage option.

Please call Alissa or Ben at (815)433-4218 for info and answers to any of your boating questions or needs.

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



## Captain's Cove Bar And Grill At Starved Rock Marina

Please check Facebook for Captain's Cove updates and daily specials featuring many new entrees and specialty drink menu. Dana says the slots are hot with unbelievable great payouts!

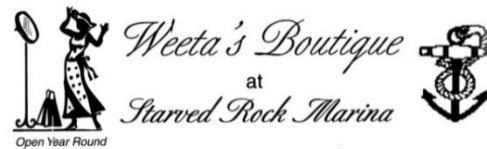
[www.captainscovebarandgrill.net](http://www.captainscovebarandgrill.net)



## STARVED ROCK RIVER ADVENTURES

The season is quickly coming to an end. Starved Rock River Adventures pontoon boat rental is still open and ready to provide your family and friends with a fun adventure on the water. Please call ahead for more information and make your reservation at the rental office (815)434-9200.

<https://starvedrockriveradventures.com>



Open Wednesday's thru Saturday 11:00 AM to 5:00 PM and on Sundays from noon to 4:00 PM. Please join them for one of the remaining fashion shows being held upstairs in Captain's Cove at noon on:

Friday – September 17<sup>th</sup>

Friday – October 15<sup>th</sup>


Friday – November 12<sup>th</sup>

They will be modeling from 12 to 1:00 PM. If you order from the menu, there is a 10% discount offer to all attendees on their full priced merchandise.

Please call (815) 434-1587 to make a reservation.

An awesome black Clara Sun Woo jumpsuit recently featured on Weeta's Facebook site, worn by a long time Starved Rock Marina boater!





WIDE WATERS YACHT CLUB  
ANNUAL  
FALL KIDS' DAY

3:00 p.m. Saturday October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2021

Starved Rock Marina  
Top of "E" Dock

PUMPKIN CARVING -TRICK OR TREAT

HAYRIDE ---TAFFY APPLES ---HOT DOGS

And

Fishing contest prizes will be presented to the winners

W.W.Y.C.—SRM—SRYC----H.H.  
CHILDREN, GRANDCHILDREN, NIECES, NEPHEWS AND  
FRIENDS ARE WELCOME

Judie Jacobs 708-460-6694—Lynn Jones 708-932-1677 Boat 815-434-2216

**PLEASE-- PLEASE** we need you to **RSVP**  
So that we can guarantee you will have a pumpkin  
Also Please don't forget to bring your own Pumpkin  
Carving Tools

