



*The Newsletter of
The Long Island Chief
Petty Officer
Association
January 2008*

The Long Islander

ON, Jan 9th, the Long Island CPOA Chapter met. The following members were present:

BMC Mike Koch	President
BMC John Marschhauser	Treasurer
BMC John Sehn	Secretary
PSCM Ken Dolan (Ret)	MKC Brian Skinner
EMC Sean McSweeney	BMC Tony Certa
CWO2 Zach Cummings (BMC)	FSC Mike Rowan
CWO3 Paul Sordillo (BMC)	YNC Rich Maher
MKC Tom Maddex	MKC Bill Brown
CWO2 Paul Barroso (MKC)	MKC Oscar Perez
CWO3 Jon Adams (BMC)	BMC Mark Lewis
MKC John McDermott	

TREASURER'S REPORT

The Treasurer reported the following, as of Nov 7th, 2007

In the Bank	\$3900.00
Cash on Hand	
Dues Collected	
<u>Certificate of Deposit</u>	<u>\$1005.50</u>
Net	\$3900.00

NEW BUSINESS

The Homeless Veterans stand-down will be held in April. We'll need volunteers to assist in the various stages of the event. PSCM Ken Dolan (ret) is the POC and will have more details as information becomes available.

Our President Mike Koch would like to get a list of correct email addresses for the membership. If you know someone who might not be on the distribution list, please shoot Mike an email at boatdriver@optonline.net.

MKC Bill Brown will be heading a project to collect firewood for folks who are in need of an alternate fuel source.

Relay for Life which is held in Moriches is approaching. More to follow.

Bowling Night; 15 Feb 2008. Plans are in the works for either Wildwood Lanes, Westhampton or in Sayville. Plans should be finalized prior to the Feb meeting.

CWO Zach Cummings will be working with MKC Maddex to volunteer for Habitat for Humanity. Tom will arrange for a guest speaker. During CCTI, the PCPO's did a great job on a Habitat project.

Quogue Wildlife Refuge needs some fences installed. BMC Marschhauser will take the lead and will be looking for volunteers.

Bradstock; More proceeds or More fun? Over the next few months, we'll be having discussions on this Labor Day tradition.

The President and the new and outgoing Treasurers will be updating the bank account with the new officers.

Next meeting will be at the NCO Club, Westhampton ANG base at 1900 on 13 Feb 2008.

OLD BUSINESS

The Long Island Chiefs Mess hosted a CCTI on 16 November 2007 at Station Jones Beach with a formal dinner later that evening at Danfords Inn, Port Jefferson, NY. The days events were a huge

success and the LI COTM (Bob Milmo) would like to thanks everyone that participated and supported the CCTI. BZ to the new Chief Petty Officers.

MEMBERSHIP

Good and Welfare; Congratulations to BMC Lou Olmo on his advancement to Chief Boatswain's Mate on 1 Jan 08. Lou is a Reservist assigned to Sta Jones Beach.

Chapter dues in the amount of **\$20** are payable immediately. John Marschhauser will be collecting the dues.

ARRIVAL/DEPARTURE/RETIREMENT

Retirements; None
Departures (orders in hand)
Arrivals;

MEETINGS

The monthly Long Island CPOA meetings are held at the NY Air National Guard NCO Club in Westhampton Beach at 1900 on the second Wednesday of the month. If an alternate site is chosen, the membership will be informed. Please continue to pass to word.

LICPOA OFFICERS

LICPOA Officers:

Mike Koch - President
Ed Michaels - Vice President
John Sehn - Secretary
John Marschhauser - Treasurer

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MERCHANDISE/LINKS

Cast for Kids <http://www.castforkids.org/>

Habitat for Humanity <http://www.habitat.org/>

Island Harvest <http://www.islandharvest.org/>

Bradstock <http://www.bradstock.org/>

USCG CPOA <http://www.uscgcpoa.org/>

NOTES-REQUESTS

If you'd like to see something of interest included in the newsletter, please contact BMCS Bob Milmo milms4@comcast.net

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