

Pamlico Sail & Power Squadron, DBA America's Boating Club of the Pamlico Press Release

The Pamlico Sail & Power Squadron, publically known as America's Boating Club of the Pamlico, held its Annual Meeting and Change of Watch on Saturday, February 19, 2022 at the Washington Yacht & Country Club. The Change of Watch is an annual event including election of officers to begin the new 2022 Watch Year. We were joined by our District Representative, D/Lt/C Mark Fairman, JN who traveled from Goldsboro to preside over the Installation of the new Bridge Officers.

The new Bridge Officers elected are:

Commander – Walt Morrissey	Asst Education Officer – Mike Karlovich, AP
Executive Officer – Rio DeGennaro, S	Asst Admin Officer-Social – Lorne Hope, AP
Education Officer – Cathy Karlovich, JN	Asst Admin Officer-Boating – Tadd Herron, S and Karen Tucci-Herron, S
Treasurer – Tom Graham, SN	Asst Treasurer – Bob Young, AP
Secretary – Marissa Morrissey	Asst Secretary – Edith Hope

The approved 2022 Budget was reviewed with membership. Retiring Commander Kay Graham referred to the Squadron's Accomplishment Report for 2021. Last year was outstandingly successful with the return of in-person boating education classes and civic safety efforts following the pandemic period.

In addition to the Annual Meeting and the installation of Officers for 2022, a highlight was the recognition of outstanding efforts and awards for achievement given to various members for their contribution to America's Boating Club of the Pamlico's mission. Those awards included: The Bob Hatala Education Award to Tom Graham; the Past Commanders Recognition Award to Cathy Karlovich; the Colwell Perseverance Award to Steve Neckyfarow; the Community Award to Fred Schroder and the Commander's Award to Walt Morrissey.



The newly elected Bridge Officers from left to right are: Tom Graham, Marisa Morrissey, Liz Wheeler, Cathy Karlovich, Rio DeGennaro and Commander Walt Morrissey.

America's Boating Club of the Pamlico is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing superior boating safety and skill building, civic service and fellowship. They are a unit of the national United States Power Squadron® publically known as America's Boating Club™.