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Chicago Parrot Head News

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From the Captain's Chair

Captains Logbook

One hundred sixty-second entry:

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The waters be running warm and the summer sun be hot on me face. The seabreeze offers some relief as we plan our summer routes. Whether it be for plunder or for merriment, the schedule be full! Alas, tis also my duty to remind ye all about the time honored tradition of pirates, elections to the Crew. As some troubadour once sang, it's time for a change! Me days of steering this fleet be short, and me crew needs yer help. Who will step up and make yer mark? Who will join our ranks as leaders of this scurvy lot? Tis a challenge for sure, but worth every second. Fear not, I'll not be walking away and here to help... but I will be lounging on the poop deck with some "Ron y Algo" for sure. Speaking of... time for a drink!

Billy Brehm, the Pirate King



Billy Brehm
Our Pirate King



PHIP President

Boats to Build ~ Jimmy Buffett

It's time for a change, I'm tired of that same ol same
The same ol words the same ol lines, The same ol tricks and the same ol rhymes
Days precious days, Roll in and out like waves
I got boards to bend I got planks to nail, I got charts to make I got seas to sail
I'm gonna build me a boat, With these two hands
It'll be a fair curve, From a noble plan
Let the chips fall where they will, Cause I've got boats to build
Sails are just like wings, The wind can make em sing
Songs of life songs of hope, Songs to keep your dreams afloat
I'm gonna build me a boat, With these two hands
It'll be a fair curve, From a noble plan
Let the chips fall where they will, Cause I've got boats to build
Shores distant shores, There's where I'm headed for
I Got the stars to guide my way
Sail into the light of day

Chicago Parrothead Club Elections 2022

2022 will be an interesting year! Lots of moving parts and time for members to step in and make a difference in our amazing club! As a reminder, we have roles and positions, but we work as a TEAM! No one works on only their portion, we share and delegate, and make group decisions. Family comes first and the Crew cannot possibly attend everything we plan. Knowing this, consider yourself to be a leader and join the phun. It is worth every second, and I can say I have enjoyed every step of the way!

Here are the rules!

Any member of CPHC shall have the opportunity to submit to the Election officer a nomination for consideration of office. Applicants must comply with the following requirements:

- I. Applicant must be a member in good standing.
- II. Applicant must have been a member of CPHC for six (6) full months prior to nomination for his/her position.
- III. Applicant must submit their nomination for consideration to the Election Officer by mail, email, or in person to the club address of record or to the elections Officer no later than the third Wednesday of September or in person at the General Business meeting.

Nominations by the candidates must be turned in to our Elections Officer, Mike Hardesty, either in person or by email to elections@chicagoparroheads.com

Positions for election for a 2 year term 2022 - 2024!

- President
- Secretary
- Charity Director
- Communications Director

Positions to be filled by Appointment for the remainder of the term until 2023!

- Treasurer
- Social Director

Any unfilled position can be filled by appointment for the remainder of the term until the next election for said position!

Social Navigator

Party with a Purpose

The crew is brainstorming to get some fun events on our calendar.

If you have any ideas, we'd love to hear them...just shoot an email to

crew@chicagoparrotheads.com



Upcoming Club Events:

Join the **Margaritaville Run!** Visit the Margaritaville Website for details:

- <https://margaritavillerun.com/virtual-run/>
- <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2022-margaritaville-virtual-run-registration-256437851517?aff=homepage>

June 18: Buffett Nite at the Dogs! 6:00pm at Impact Field in Rosemont. We will be wearing our parrot head best and promoting our club and activities while enjoying the park and a great game! Tickets are just \$12 in section 104, Outfield Reserve! Enter the code BUFFETT in the coupon code. See the clubs website or Facebook page for [ticket link](#).

June 25: Todd Donelley plays Buffett Night at the Windy City Thunderbolts: Ozinga Field in Crestwood IL: 4:15 PM. Jimmy Buffett night is back with post game fireworks! Cheeseburger and Margarita specials! First 500 fans will receive Hawaiian leis. Buffett music played throughout the game. Todd Donnelly performs before the game from 4:15-5:30 We don't have group tickets for this one, so use our facebook/email to coordinate if you want to get a crew together!

June 28: Canabarama @ Gallagher Way: Maiden voyage of the SS Cabanarama! Exactly one week after posting their very first video, they are very pleased to announce their very first show! Cabanarama will be playing a 90 minute set of breezy Trop Rock favs. You MUST have a Cubs ticket to enter Gallagher Way. We are just going to grab bleacher tickets, as it is general admission, and we can sit together. STUBHUB has CHEAP tickets! ;)

July 3rd @ Noon: Scott Kirby is returning to Chicago for a house concert at the house of Billy and Kristin (2707 Elder Lane, Franklin Park)! Doors will open at noon for an afternoon pool party! BYO drinks, a snack or food to share, and your chair of choice! Suggested donation of \$20 for the performer! The website has a link button for additional details and [ticket purchase](#).

July 10th @ 1:30pm: Eric Erdman & Brendon Mayer will be performing a house concert at the house of Cheryl & Don (5715 Elinor Ave. Downers Grove, IL)! Doors will open at 1:30pm for an afternoon pool party! BYO drinks, a snack or food to share, and your chair of choice! Suggested donation of \$20 for the performer! The website has a link button for additional details and [ticket purchase](#).

NEW EVENT - Labor Day Weekend (more info to come—stay tuned)

Save the date Labor Day weekend Friday night 9/2 and Saturday 9/3. More information regarding hotels and tickets will be available soon. Ticket prices while not final will be somewhere between \$35-\$50 and a VIP option will also be available. Happening only in the heart of Paristown's Art & Entertainment District, located at 720 Brent Street, Louisville, KY 40220.

The Derby Parrotheads present, Parrotheads in Paristown is a 2-day festival in Louisville, Kentucky

Greetings from your Membership Director.



Many thanks to our long-time member (and former crew member), Jean Motal, for making our new club nametags! Jean lives in sunny Arizona and she'll be back to visit us for Summer Chill, make sure to say hi when you see her!



You can either pick up your nametag at the upcoming meeting or I will mail it to you. It's fun to wear the nametag to represent the club at phlockings and to help get to know one another.



Happy Birthday to the following members:

June

- Cheryl Wegner* 6/22
- Boomer Blake* 6/25
- Claudia Kell* 6/26
- Jim McGing* 6/29

July

- Jeff Siegman* 7/2
- Billy Brehm* 7/6
- Jenny Marren* 7/8
- Ty Needham* 7/9
- Jenilyn Willocks* 7/9
- April DiGenova* 7/13
- Kevin Pearson* 7/19
- John Szydelko* 7/20
- Kristin McFadden* 7/20

- Don't forget to order your new club shirt at [Group Order Form Club Tees](#) If you're a new member, or you never, ever, ever got a free shirt from the club, contact me for a shirt voucher. Cherylwegner9@gmail.com **NOTE: Shirt sales end June 24th**
- Our One Particular Wednesday phlockings have been really fun...it's just a low key get together for a bite to eat, a visit with phriends, and to enjoy an old Buffett concert on the big screen. It's always the first Wednesday of the month at [Another Round in Downers Grove](#). Hope to see you in July.
- It's been way too long since we've had a good tailgate, I can't wait for Alpine!

Cheryl Wegner
Membership Director
membership@chicagoparrotheads.com

The Pirate Hood - Charity Page CheryLock Holmes...



Chicago Alzheimer's Walk 2022!!!!!!

(See Mayor of MOTM Corner article for details)

Virtual Candy Day - More information to come (or donate on-line now)

<https://www.misericordia.com/giving/candy-days/>

Family Fest—September 11, 2022

Misericordia's largest fundraising event of the year brings families, friends and neighbors together for a day of celebration that has something for everyone — you don't want to miss it!

NOTE: Please stay tuned for updates on Misericordia Family Fest, as it is a fluid situation.

Thanks for your understanding!

Cherylock-Holmes

Appointed Charity Director



Doug MacArtney, Broker

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**COLDWELL BANKER
REALTY**

Summer Chi-ill 2022

July 28th—31st

Registration is now open

www.summerchi-ill.com

Mayor of MOTM Corner
 Bob Noonan (AKA - Mr. Give Until It Hurts)



Chicago Alzheimer's Walk 2022.

Our walk will be held on **Sunday October 2, 2022**. Yes, I will be in town and looking forward to my flight to MOTM later that month.

The Walk location again will be at Busse Woods in Elk Grove Village. Our team is doing well at 18% of our goal. We have 19 members on our team, but listed below are some members who are really making a difference.

- Cheryl Kuropas \$540.00
- David Kibitlewski \$185.00
- Pete Maffia \$185.00

This link brings Parrot Heads directly to our page. Here you go: https://act.alz.org/site/TR?fr_id=15551&pg=team&team_id=728143

Here are the National standing of our Parrot Head teams around the country

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| 1. Des Moines Parrot Head Club | \$6,500.00 |
| 2. Shoreline Parrot Head Club | \$4,185.00 |
| 3. Chicago Parrot Head Club | \$1,790.00 |
| 4. Space Coast Parrot Head Club | \$ 800.00 |
| 5. Tulsa Parrot Head Club | \$ 650.00 |

You can go to alz.org/parrotheads to find the ranking of your own club and club members, to register, and to get helpful hints on raising awareness and fund for your team.

If anyone needs help finding our page or registration, you can contact me at Rnooner@aol.com. I am happy to do what I can to support our walk.

Registration for MOTM 2022 is up and running. To register for MOTM go to PHIP web site for details. Any questions about MOTM can be directed to me as I will be coordinating some of the Chicago Clubs actives in Key West.

Bob Noonan
 Alzheimer's Walk Captain-Chicago
 Board Member – Alzheimer's Association – Greater Illinois Chapter
 Mayor Of MOTM



Julie Hardesty -Secretary



Mike LaGioia -Treasurer



Joe Klen-Communications Director

The Chicago Parrot Head club is a Not For-Profit organization whose purpose is to assist in community outreach programs and to provide for its members a means of social interaction for people interested in Jimmy Buffett's music and tropical spirit. Any general questions regarding our club, contact

billy@chicagoparrotheads.com -or- write us at
CPHC, PO Box 624, Franklin Park, IL. 60131

The Chicago Parrot Head Club newsletter is a monthly publication. If you have any information on an upcoming event you would like published, or a review of a current event, please contact Joe Klen - No later than the second Friday of the month.

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Chicago Parrot Head Club 2021 Golden Coconut Award

Winning Essay By: Andrew Flagler

