COMMODORE'S CORNER (December 4, 2015)

Well here we are almost to the close of 2015. I hope that everyone that has signed up for the Christmas Party on Wednesday December 09 at Palmetto Pines is looking forward to a good time. The food is usually very good and the band 60/40 is excellent. The doors open at 5:30. I would like to ask for 2 volunteers to sit by the entrance and register everyone.

We will be presenting our plans for the 2016 Cardboard Boat Regatta and I am very excited about the choice for 2016. It will present an opportunity for everyone in the club to play a role in the decorating, costuming and building of a fun project. Everyone will be asked to participate in some way in the preparation and/or execution of the Merry Mariners most important project of the year. There is no excuse for not volunteering and participating. For the good of the club we need everyone to participate. The Merry Mariners is more than boat rides, lunch cruises and pot luck dinner. Working together as a team will help make our club stronger and more rewarding to everyone. Team assignments will be made at the Christmas party. But if you want to get a jump on getting on the best team you can volunteer right now by e-mail.

The Teams will be Bulding and decorating props Team - If you like to paint, decorate and be creative this is the team for you



Costumes Team:



Buy them, Make them, and wear them Be a member of the costume team Homemade costumes work.

Spirits Team: Maybe it's time to reconstitute the Merry Mariner's Chorale

OOMPA LOOMPA SONG

OOMPA LOOMPA DOOMPADEE DOO

I'VE GOT A PERFECT PUZZLE FOR YOU

OOMPA LOOMPA, DOOMPADAH DEE

IF YOU ARE WISE YOU'LL LISTEN ME

WHAT DO YOU GET WHEN YOU GUZZLE DOWN SWEETS

EATING AS MUCH AS AN ELEPHANT EATS

WHAT ARE YOU AT GETTING TERRIBLY FAT

WHAT DO YOU THINK WILL COME OF THAT

I DON'T LIKE THE LOOK OF IT

OOMPA LOOMPA DOOMPADEE DAH

IF YOU'RE NOT GREEDY YOU WILL GO FAR

YOU WILL LIVE IN HAPPINESS TOO

LIKE THE OOMPA LOOMPA DOOMPADEE DO

DOOMPADEE DOO

CANDYMAN CAN SONG

Who can take a sunrise

Sprinkle it with dew

Cover it in chocolate

and a miracle or two?

The candyman

The candyman can

The candyman can cause he mixes it with love and makes the world taste good

Who can take a rainbow

Wrap it is a sigh

Soak it in the sun

and make a strawberry lemon pie?

Children: The candyman?

Bill: The candyman

The candyman can

The candyman can cause he mixes it with love and makes the world taste good

Willy Wonka makes

Everything he bakes

Satisfying and delicious

Talk about your childhood wishes

You can even eat the dishes

Who can take tomorrow

Dip it in a dream

Separate the sorrow

And collect up all the cream?

The candyman

Children: Willy Wonka can

Bill: The candyman can cause he mixes it with love

And makes the world taste good

And the world tastes good cause the candyman thinks it should

IF YOU HAVEN'T GUESSED IT, THE 2016 MERRY MARINERS CARDBOARD BOAT IS FROM WILLY WONKA AND THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY. THINK WHIMSICAL, THINK FUN.

Paul Jones