

The Oconomowoc Lake Club's

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Happy Spring, OLC!

Hello OLC members, it is hard to believe spring is upon us. We have focused this winter on cleaning the club and improving your experience. We will be launching the newest version of our software that has some significant upgrades. This latest version will allow you to see your statement, make dining and tennis reservations. Consolidating all of these actions into one application will allow us to provide you a better experience. We have expanded our tennis offering this year to a seven-month season! All this tennis will let our tennis players be ready for the US Open or their high school or state tennis league season.

We are also focused on our dining experience. Specifically, Nancy and Jared are teaming up for some fantastic dining and wine events. James has been very busy planning out the social calendar for the year. Look for some significant events, as well as those traditional events will all look forward to attending. Finally, if you are interested in a private party, please connect with the OLC team quickly. We have a full calendar this year with only a couple of dates open.

Yours in the OLC,

Bill Sturm Commodore

4668 Lake Club Circle Oconomowoc, WI 53066 262.567.4934 olc@clubolc.com Can't make it to the Club to dine?

WATCH YOUR EMAILS FOR OUR
WEEKLY CURBSIDE PICKUP MENU!

# A LETTER FROM OUR **GENERAL MANAGER**



Hello to everyone from the OLC!! We are just a few days short of the first day of spring and are anxiously looking forward to our 2021 Season!!

I wanted to give a BIG thank you to all of those members that were local this winter that took the opportunity to use the club during our slower part of the year. Membership usage is up from previous years for January and February, with not only members dining at the club, but with the use of our Curbside To-Go offerings. We are excited to have the dining room reopen Thursday, March 25<sup>th</sup>, and look forward to serving you when you are able to make it to the club.

The Spring Shutdown thus far has afforded the staff and I time to get necessary building repairs and maintenance done for the start of the year. It looks as if we might truly have an early spring, so we want to be ready to "Go" just as quickly as we can.

By now, you should have received the calendar of events James mailed out to the membership. We hope to add to that as time allows, and ask that you continue to watch your emails for reminders and any additional offerings we have for you to participate in.

We are moving through the process of getting our point of sale and back-office systems upgraded, and once this is complete we will send out written tutorials to you on how to access the member's only portion of the website, which will allow you to make reservations, pay your statements online, and allow you to sign up for members only events. We will start the season off by also offering a Grab and Go portion on our app. We will start out with a few menu offerings and will eventually expand that once we get the new systems in place and know that we can serve you efficiently.

Easter and Mother's Day are just around the corner, and I hope that you will think of OLC when you are considering dining options for these holidays. Initially, we were only looking to offer our Easter menu to-go, but have had enough inquiries that we are going to offer an a la carte menu that day. There will be limited seating and table sizes limited to 10 people per table. Please watch your emails early next week for more information. At this time, we will be looking at doing a Mother's Day Buffet. This will be a self-serve option for our members, and we will supply gloves and sanitizer for those that would like to use it. We will get that menu off to you in the next few weeks.

I know many of you will be looking at summer activities for the kids. We will be offering 3 weeks of the Kidsventure Camps again this year, as well as the Annual Kids Camp. We are currently interviewing for candidates to run this program for us along with the Friday Fun Days. Once we have the right person in place we will send out additional information.

If you have not had a chance to take advantage of booking a reservation for Chef Nancy's table I highly recommend that you do. Those members that have participated have been so impressed, not only with Nancy's dishes but with the great pairings Jared has put together to accompany them. We hope to have two more of these events before we get into peak season, so if you want to try this dining experience before next fall please let me know.

We posted earlier this week that we were just over 70 days before Dockside opens, how exciting is that!!!

We can't wait to see all of you when you can make it to the club! Keep your eyes out for exciting updates as we get closer and try to leave your calendar open for a great kickoff over Memorial Weekend!

Enjoy the day,

Julie Bartol General Manager

# BOARD OF DIRECTORS & COMMITTEES

**Bill Sturm** Commodore

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**Julie Bartol** General Manager

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**Tony Harroun** Sous-Chef

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**Theresa Winkelman**Private Events

**James Krause**Membership Experience

**Jared Wheaton**Beverage Director

**Maddy Sipek**Member & Print Communications

# ON **DECK**

SAVE THE DATE & JOIN US FOR AN UPCOMING EVENT

## **APRIL**

#### SUNDAY, APRIL 4TH

EASTER BRUNCH AT HOME PICKUP: 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM DELIVERY: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

#### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28<sup>TH</sup>

LADIES' SPRING CHICAGO SHOPPING TRIP

## MAY

#### SUNDAY, MAY 9TH

MOTHER'S DAY BRUNCH\* 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM | COMMODORE ROOM

#### THURSDAY, MAY 27<sup>™</sup>

**DOCKSIDE OPENS** 

#### FRIDAY, MAY 28<sup>TH</sup>

BACK 2 THE CLUB MEMBER SOCIAL\* 6:00 PM | GREAT HALL

Welcome back to the club! Kick off the 2021 season with a member social full of good food & great drinks as you mingle with fellow members!

#### MONDAY, MAY 31<sup>ST</sup>

MEMORIAL DAY DINING 11:30 AM - 3:00 PM | DOCKSIDE

## JUNE

#### SATURDAY, JUNE 12<sup>™</sup>

BINGO ON THE PIER\*\* 6:00 PM | DOCKSIDE

#### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16<sup>™</sup>

LADIES' NIGHT OUT: WINE 'TIL NINE 6:00 PM

#### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16<sup>™</sup>

MEN'S NIGHT OUT: SCOTCH & CIGARS

6:00 PM

# JUNE CONTINUED

#### SATURDAY, JUNE 19<sup>™</sup>

BIER ON THE PIER\*\*

Join us for a special night of tasting unique offerings from local craft breweries!

#### SUNDAY, JUNE 20<sup>TH</sup>

FATHER'S DAY BRUNCH\* & DINNER BRUNCH: 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

DINNER: 5:30 PM

#### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23RD

OLC TRIVIA ON THE PIER\*\* 6:00 PM | DOCKSIDE

#### SATURDAY, JUNE 26<sup>™</sup>

TINUS EXPO DAY\*\*

Are you thinking of purchasing a new boat? See the latest and greatest at this special event sponsored by Tinus.

#### SATURDAY, JUNE 26<sup>™</sup>

DATE NIGHT: FLICK & FLOAT\*\*

#### SUNDAY, JUNE 27<sup>™</sup>

LIVE ON THE LAKE

Join us on this special afternoon for tunes on the lake! More information on our musical guest will be available soon!

#### TUESDAY, JUNE 29<sup>™</sup>

DINE WITH YOUR DOG 5:30 PM | DOCKSIDE

Invite your furry best friend to dinner on this special night at Dockside!



Ladies' Spring Chicage Shopping Trup

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28<sup>TH</sup> I \$69++

Join us as we take our annual Chicago Shopping Trip for the first trip of 2021! Dress to impress as we walk, shop, eat, and drink along the magnificent mile! This has become one of the most looked forward to events of the year and you do not want to miss it. Stores & most restaurants have reopened. Visit our website under member events for more information!



8:00 AM
Meet at the OLC
8:30 AM
Departure from the OLC
7:45 pm
Depart from Chicago
9:15-9:45 pm
Arrive to the OLC





## Oconomowoc Lake Club's

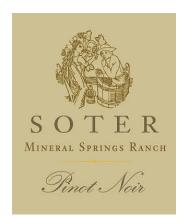
# CHICAGO SHOPPING TRIP COVID-19 PRECAUTIONS:

- · Limiting the number of spots to 40 (75% of total capacity on the bus) If exceeded, we will contact members.
- · Groups will be as socially distant as possible on the bus.
- · Masks must be worn on board, when not actively eating or drinking (for the respect of our bus driver & staff).
- · Hand sanitization will be given out before boarding the bus.

- We will sanitize the bus with COVID-19 disinfectant before boarding and after leaving the bus
- · No breakfast will be served on the bus this year. Drink service will be limited.
- We strongly encourage lunch & dinner reservations prior to leaving on Wednesday morning.
- We strongly encourage the use of Apple Pay or contactless payment at all stores and restaurants.

# SIP FOR THOUGHT

SOTER MINERAL SPRINGS RANCH PINOT NOIR 2017



The OLC has received an extremely small allocation, 6 bottles extremely small... and I wanted to extend this exclusive purchase opportunity to any and all of the Club's Pinot Noir enthusiasts! Winery production of this single vineyard Rockstar of a Pinot was a mere 2,859 cases (6-pk's), and generally our friends in Oregon massacre all of it's availability. The individual bottles are available for \$80 and will be distributed on a first-come-first-serve basis! Please send order requests to jared@clubolc.com.

#### TECHNICAL INFORMATION:

Winery Notes: Mineral Springs Ranch (MSR) is a 240-acre Biodynamic farm and vineyard in the heart of Oregon wine country. Mineral Springs Vineyard consists of 40 acres of Pinot Noir and Chardonnay situated along the ridgeline of the property. The combination of respectful farming, ancient marine soils, and temperate climate, result in wines that are layered, nuanced, and captivating while expressing their singular origin of place.

The '17 Vintage: The 2017 growing season was slow to start and came on the heels of a cold, wet winter. Bud break occurred at the end of April, and the weather remained dreary until late May when opportunely clear skies and warm weather graced the entire growing region. Full bloom in the vineyard came in late June and was uninterrupted, priming for record breaking yields, even with vigorous crop thinning. As mid-September approached, a sense of urgency to harvest increased with the threat of pending rains. Late season harvest was extremely clean due to the hot summer and the long hang time of the fruit, which further advocated exceptional flavor development.

VARIETAL: 100% Pinot Noir

APPELLATION: Yamhill-Carlton, Mineral Springs Vineyard

FERMENTATION & AGING: 30 days extended maceration. 12 months in 40%

New French Oak

CERTIFICATIONS: Biodynamic, Organic

REVIEWS/ACCOLADES:

"Glistening magenta. Displays expansive, spice- and mineral-accented red/dark berry preserve scents that take on incense and lavender flourishes with air. Juicy, seamless and energetic on the palate, offering densely packed black raspberry, cherry liqueur and exotic spice flavors that show sharp delineation and back-end thrust. Finishes impressively long and smooth, with resonating red fruit, floral notes and velvety, harmonious tannins that make a cameo appearance. The regional bottlings are approachable in their youth but age-worthy as well, while those bearing the Mineral Springs monikers are not only worthy of cellaring, they pretty much demand it."

94 points. -Robert Parker's Wine Advocate

95 points. - James Suckling

94 points. -Vinous

93 points. -Wine Spectator

Cheers to you Oconomowoc Lake Club!

Jared A. Wheaton
Beverage Director



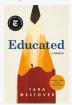
# CLUBS WITHIN A CLUB

# TOPSIDER BOOK CLUB

Book Club is growing, and we would love to have you! Join us every month for Topsider Book Club! No need to commit to each week, see a book that catches your eye, stop by and give us your thoughts! We encourage you to invite new members and friends interested in joining the book club! All are welcome. Topsider Book Club is a great way to get to know others at the club. For details please contact Mary Altschaefl at maryaltschaefl@gmail.com or call 414.758.0476.

# 2021 BOOK CLUB CALENDAR

THURSDAY, APRIL 15 | 5:30 p.m.



Book: Educated by Tara Westover

THURSDAY, MAY 6 | 5:30 p.m.



Book: Send for Me: A Novel by Lauren Fox

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2 | 5:30 p.m.



Book: The Vanishing Half by Brit Bennett

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4 | 5:30 p.m.



Book: The Splendid and the Vile: A Saga of Churchill, Family, and Defiance During the Blitz by Erik Larson

# LADIES' BRIDGE

BRIDGE IS ON HOLD UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

The Lake Club Ladies' Bridge Group meets the first Friday of every month at 11:30 am in the Commodore Room. Lunch is served at 11:40 am with Bridge play to follow.

Please contact Betty Schwartz for more information at 262-510-9653.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 9 | 5:30 p.m.



Book: The Four Winds by Kristin Hannah

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 7 | 5:30 p.m.



Book: American Dirt by Jeanine Cummins

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 4 | 5:30 p.m.



Book: Lilac Girls: A Novel by Martha Hall Kelly

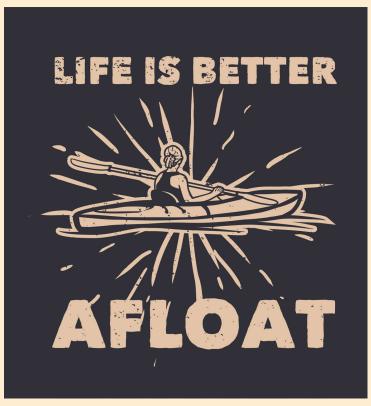


# MAH JONGG

Mah Jongg is held on Friday afternoons, but is on hold until further notice.

Please contact Kathy Farias or Jo Ann Beightol if you have questions or are interested in playing when Mah Jongg resumes.

Kathy: (414) 852-1283 *or* Kfarias13@gmail.com Jo Ann: (414) 614-6100 *or* beightol@wi.rr.com



# RENT SOME **FUN**THIS SUMMER!

Enjoy the summer from the water and rent a watercraft from us! We have started taking Pontoon boat reservations for the 2021 season. Pricing and details are as follows. Book now! Call the OLC to place your reservations!

KAYAKS, PADDLE BOARDS, PADDLE BOATS,& CANOES

\$16 per hour

Requires signed Master Rental agreement.

#### PONTOON BOATS

2 Hours \$200 4 Hours \$350 Full Day \$475

Prices include gas. 2 hour minimum rental.

Boat drivers available with advanced notice \$35/hr.

No carry in food or beverage. Food and Beverage options available.

Requires signed Master Rental agreement.

24-hour non-weather-related cancellation required. 48-hour non-weather cancellation is required on holiday weekends (Memorial Day, 4th of July, & Labor Day). Cancellations not in compliance with this policy are subject to being billed at 50% of the reservation cost.



# DINING HOURS & EVENTS

-closing time to vary based on business volume, reservations are required for all dining times & events-

# **APRIL**

SUNDAY	YADNOM	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 CLOSED				1 Dinner - 5:30p	<b>2</b> Dinner - 5:30p	3 Dinner - 5:30p
4 Easter Brunch at Home - Pickup - 10a-12p Delivery - 9a-12p	5 CLOSED	6 CLOSED	7 CLOSED	8 Dinner - 5:30p	9 Dinner - 5:30p	10 Dinner - 5:30p
11 CLOSED	12 CLOSED	13 CLOSED	14 CLOSED	15 Dinner - 5:30p	16 Dinner - 5:30p	17 Dinner - 5:30p
18 CLOSED	19 CLOSED	20 CLOSED	21 CLOSED	22 Dinner - 5:30p	23 Dinner - 5:30p	24 Dinner - 5:30p
25 CLOSED	26 CLOSED	27 CLOSED	28 Ladies' Spring Chicago Shopping Trip	29 Dinner - 5:30p	30 Dinner - 5:30p	

# MAY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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9 Mother's Day Brunch - 10a - 1p	10 CLOSED	11 CLOSED	12 CLOSED	13 Dinner - 5:30p	14 Dinner - 5:30p	15 Dinner - 5:30p
16 CLOSED	17 CLOSED	18 CLOSED	19 CLOSED	20 Dinner - 5:30p	21 Dinner - 5:30p	22 Dinner - 5:30p
23 CLOSED	24 CLOSED	25 CLOSED	26 CLOSED	27 <b>Dockside Opens!</b> Dinner - 5:30p	28 Lunch - 11:30a -3p Back 2 the Club Member Social - 6p	29 Lunch - 11:30a Dinner - 5:30p
30 Lunch - 11:30a Dinner - 5:30p	31 Memorial Day Dining - 11:30a - 3p					