



## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello Fellow Tritons,

The Membership voted to approve the Bylaw Amendment (Sec 4 of Article III) to lower club dues to \$40 per year individual (from \$48) and \$60 per year for Triton married couples (from \$72). This as approved at the September meeting. Dues notices have been sent out, please send your check to Jim Hynan.

Also approved at the September meeting was the 2025 Events Calendar. Check it over and see which event you might want to run. The Events Committee can help you. If no one volunteers the event will be canceled.

Don't forget our new meeting place: **DRAFT PICKS BURGERS**, 912 Busse Road, Mt. Prospect, IL 60056. This is at the northwest corner of Golf and Busse Roads west of 83 and east of Arlington Heights Road. Come on out and check it out for yourself!

Hope to see you at the meeting.

Brian Clarke  
President

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## MEMBERSHIP REPORT

October, 2024

Currently we have 45 members, 1 associate for a total of 46.

Anyone needing a roster please let me know, I will get one out to you.

Adolph Habich, Membership Chair

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## BUSINESS MEETING TUESDAY

October 22, 2024, 7:30 pm

Our October 22, 2024 meeting will be held in person and over ZOOM. We will be **meeting at Draft Picks Burgers, 912 Busse Road, Mt. Prospect, IL 60056**. This is located at the northwest corner of Golf and Busse Roads.. Come on out early and join us for dinner.

### BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President – Brian Clarke  
Vice-President – Scott Reimer  
Secretary – Rose Cammarata  
Treasurer – Jim Hynan  
First Director - Dennis Stephens  
Second Director – Randy Skiba

### COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Audit – Diana Skiba  
By Laws & Rules – Gary Duszak  
Equipment & Safety – P. Romund  
Events – Pam Romund  
Membership – Adolph Habich  
Merchandise – Brian Clarke  
Nominating –Margy Levenberg  
Web Site – Milt Levenberg  
Editor of the Trib – Pam Romund

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To join the Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88063880581?pwd=Z1Z6Ni82WVRhaytzUUFKWjFKSjRoZz09>

Meeting ID: 880 6388 0581 Password: 999424

One tap mobile +13126266799,,88063880581#,,,0#,,999424# US (Chicago)

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## DUES NOTICES

Dues notices have been mailed. They reflect the lowering dues from \$48 to \$40 per Triton member and from \$72 to \$60 per Triton married couple. Please get your payment back to Jim Hynan quickly.

Thanks!

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# 2024 TRITON EVENTS CALENDAR

## OCTOBER, 2024

Sun, 10/20	Chicago Botanic Garden	Mike Leibovitz
Tue, 10/22	Business Meeting	Draft Picks Burgers, 912 Busse Road, Mt. Prospect, IL 60056 Northwest Corner of Golf and Busse Roads

## NOVEMBER, 2024

Sun, 11/10	Theater Outing	<b>NEEDS TIC</b>
Tue, 11/12	Triton Trib Deadline	Pam Romund 773-791-3142, promund@gmail.com
Tue 11/26	Business Meeting	Draft Picks Burgers, 912 Busse Road, Mt. Prospect, IL 60056 Northwest Corner of Golf and Busse Roads

## DECEMBER, 2024

Sun, 12/8	Holiday Party	Pete and Denice Kennedy
Tue, 12/10	Triton Trib Deadline	Pam Romund 773-791-3142, promund@gmail.com

# 2025 TRITON EVENTS CALENDAR

## JANUARY, 2025

Tue, 1/14	Triton Trib Deadline	Pam Romund 773-791-3142, promund@gmail.com
Sat, 1/25	Pizza Get Together	<b>NEEDS TIC</b>
Tue, 1/28	Business Meeting	<b>Location TBD</b>

## FEBRUARY, 2025

Sat. 2/8	Lunar New Year Dinner	<b>NEEDS TIC</b>
Tue, 2/11	Triton Trib Deadline	Pam Romund 773-791-3142, promund@gmail.com
Sat to Sat 2/22-3/1	Turks and Caicos Trip	Randy Skiba
Sat, 2/22	Great Lakes Shipwreck Festival	10525 Victor Parkway, Livonia, MI
Sun, 2/23	Bacon Fest	Potawatomi Casino/Hotel, 1611 West Canal, Milwaukee, WI
Tue, 2/25	Business Meeting	<b>Location TBD</b>

## MARCH, 2025

Sun, 3/9	Wine Tasting	<b>NEEDS TIC</b>
Tue, 3/11	Triton Trib Deadline	Pam Romund 773-791-3142, promund@gmail.com
Tue, 3/25	Business Meeting	<b>Location TBD</b>
Fri/Sat 3/28 & 3/29	Ghost Ships Festival	101 Maritime Drive, Manitowoc

## APRIL, 2025

Sat, 4/5	Anniversary Party	Board of Directors
Tue, 4/8	Triton Trib Deadline	Pam Romund 773-791-3142, promund@gmail.com
Tue, 4/22	Business Meeting	Location TBD
Sun, 4/27	Illinois Rock & Roll Museum	9 W. Cass, Joliet, IL

## MAY, 2025

Sun, 5/4	Theater Outing - Disaster! Prairie Lakes Theater, 515 E. Thacker St. Des Plaines	Pam Romund 773-791-3142, promund@gmail.com
Tue, 5/13	Business Meeting	Location TBD
Sun, 5/25	Bike Ride, Walk & Eat	Milt and Margy Levenberg
Tue, 5/27	Business Meeting	Location TBD

**TICs needed to run events in 2025. Please contact the Events Committee**  
Events - Pam Romund, Chris Demski, Adolph Habich, Scott Reimer.

# **ISHNALA SUPPER CLUB**

**Sunday, September 29**

After or successful outing last year to a Wisconsin Supper Club we decided to head this year to Ishnala in Lake Delton, which is 2 hours and 35 minutes from my house in Mt. Prospect. I left early because they do not take reservations (it can be up to a 4 hour wait!). I was in line at 1:30, there were about 20 people in front of me. The doors at 2:30 and begin to serve food about 3:15. We made it in the first group seating! We were joined by Bruce and Cathy Weiss, who came up from Madison, WI where they now live. And Pete and Denice Kennedy were coming back from the UP and decided to make this event.

First we went to one of their many bars and enjoyed their famous Old Fashioneds (thanks Denice!). We then were seated and ordered - duck, filet mignon, shrimp and prime rib - were the popular choices. It was all delicious. A few of us even ordered desserts! All agreed the food and camaraderie was great!!

TIC: Pam Romund

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## **TRITON HOLIDAY PARTY DECEMBER 8<sup>TH</sup>, 2:30 PM KENNEDY HOUSE**

Please join us for the Triton Holiday Party on Sunday, December 8, 2024 at Pete and Denice Kennedy's house at 2:30 pm. Our house is a bit difficult to find, so we'll start early, and everyone can make their way here during daylight hours. There is also a Bears game that day, which starts at 3:25 pm.

We'll have food set-up buffet style in the kitchen by about 3:00 pm. The den will be set up for football watchers, the living room set-up for minglers, and the basement set-up for pool players. There is no cost for the party. Feel free to bring a dish or drink to pass - or just come as you are.

Here's the address:

Pete & Denice Kennedy  
289 Fox Harbor Drive  
Trout Valley, IL 60013  
847-639-6711 – Denice cell  
denicekennedy@sbcglobal.net - Denice



### **Directions:**

Take NW Highway to Cary-Algonquin Road.  
Turn South on Cary-Algonquin Road to Country Commons Road  
Turn East on Country Commons Road to Stonegate.  
Turn Right on Stonegate Road until it deadends at River Drive.  
Turn Right on River Drive and continue until you come to a clearing (which is a horse pasture) at Fox Harbor Drive  
Turn Left on Fox Harbor, and we're the second house from the corner.  
You can park in the driveway, or on the street on the pasture side.  
If you go too far, Fox Harbor goes in a circle, so you can just circle around.

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# REPORT FROM LAKE GENEVA SATURDAY OCTOBER 5<sup>th</sup>

A near perfect dive day, Rose must be the new Sun Goddess. Five of us gathered in Williams Bay on the north shore of the lake in the late morning for the annual ritual of the October dive (local season finale). Our dependable charter was once again Ralph Ripple's "Divers Delight". We made one dive on the south shore and the encore was again the old Nash on the north shore. Rose and Brian found a small boat just south of there (or so they claim). The writer had some difficulty with the 2<sup>nd</sup> dive, but all others had great fun in the vicinity of the Nash. It was mid-70s and sunny when our dive concluded. Can't ask for better

Three of us adjourned to the house after for pasta and libations. We were joined by original Sun Goddess Louise, kudos to her and Rose for doing most of the cooking.

A good time was had by all, and especially kudos to Captain Ralph for coming out the day after his wife's passing. Let's do this one again next year.

TIC: Jim Hynan

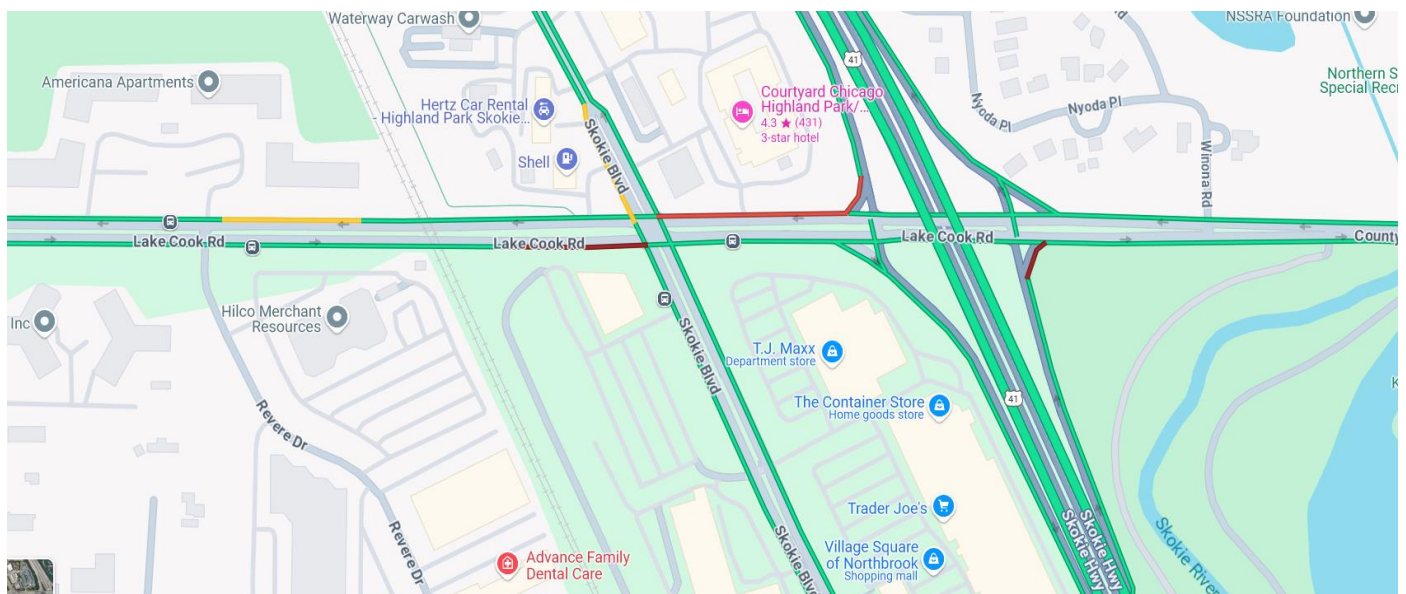
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# TRIP TO THE CHICAGO BOTANIC GARDEN SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20<sup>th</sup>

Let's meet at the North Side of the Container Store, 101 Skokie Boulevard, Northbrook (see map) on October 20<sup>th</sup> at 12:45 PM. Members who are not Garden members can ride with those who are. This will save on parking expense. Non-Members will have to pay an entrance fee, about \$17. Let's plan to stay till 5:PM and then we can find a place to have dinner nearby.

Please let me know if you will be joining us.

Michael Leibovitz  
773-465-0981  
[Wa9evf@comcast.net](mailto:Wa9evf@comcast.net)



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# A BIG *Triton* THANK YOU!

The following businesses support our organization and we thank them for the generosity. The next time you stop in mention you are a Triton & personally thank them for their support.

## **BELOW H2O**

554 S. Route 59  
Naperville, IL 60540  
630-820-2531

## **DJ'S SCUBA LOCKER**

9301 W. Ogden Ave.  
Brookfield, IL 60513  
708-442-43883

## **HAIGH QUARRY**

2738 E 2000 North Road  
Kankakee, IL 60901  
815-939-7797

## **PEARL LAKE RESORT**

Highway 251  
South Beloit, IL 61080  
815-389-1479

## **PIRATE'S COVE DIVING**

1103 West Oklahoma Avenue  
Milwaukee, WI 53215  
414-482-1430

## **DIVE RIGHT IN SCUBA**

24222 W. Lockport St.  
Plainfield, IL 60544  
815-617-8400

## **DIVE RIGHT IN SCUBA**

16336 S. 104th Avenue  
Orland Park, IL 60467  
708-226-1614785

## **SCUBA SENSATIONS**

2475 W. Pratt Blvd  
Chicago, IL 60645  
312-404-7785

## **UNDERSEAS SCUBA CENTER**

611 N. Addison Avenue  
Villa Park, IL 60181  
630-833-8383

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## **HURRICANE HELENE STRANDS MANATEES**

Florida Wildlife officials rescued four stranded manatees and tended to seven others after Helene struck. Higher water levels allow the manatees to move beyond their usual range, but some become stranded once the water recedes. One got stranded in a roadside puddle, another on a grass bank. "All these manatees are still in really good health," one official said. "So, it's mostly just getting them out of the traffic and back in the water." As air breathers, the manatee can survive a long wait.

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