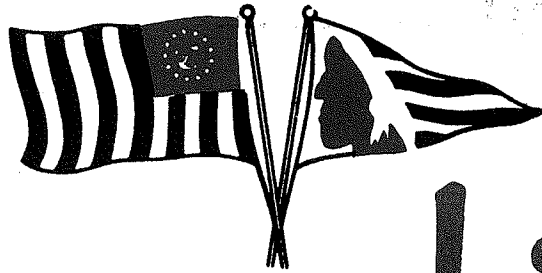


# SKOKIE VALLEY POWER SQUADRON



# Running Lights

JULY  
JUNE 1971



## ILLINOIS RIVER

### Aug 28-29

BLOOMINGTON

# The Commander's Message

Here it is the middle of July and most of us have been enjoying good boating weather. Many of you participated in the cruises and the very successful 4th of July Picnic at Pompeii.

The next big affair is the District Rendezvous at Waukegan which will be held on August 7-8 at Waukegan Harbor. In conjunction with this cruise is a council meeting which will be held at 1000, 8 August at Treece Pavillion, which I believe is at the North end of the harbor. Everyone is welcome to attend this meeting, especially members of the "Bridge" are requested to attend.

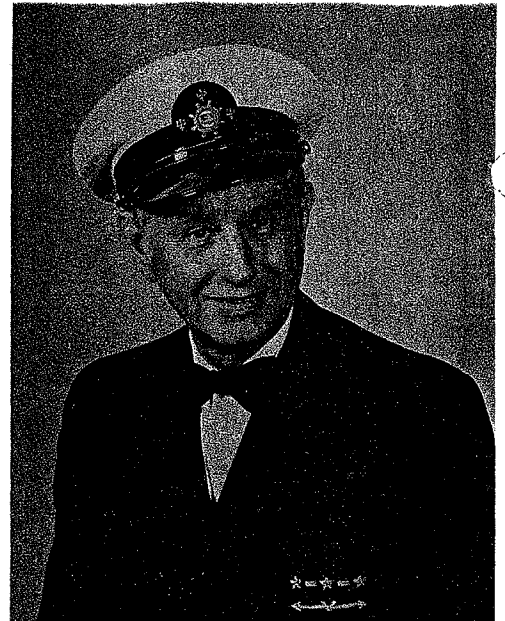
The Lake Michigan crossing has been scrubbed due to the unavailability of large boats for escort duty.

Our next big affair will be the Illinois River Cruise which will be held 28-29 August. More information will be available in another section of the Running Light or by mail. Will be looking forward to seeing many of you there.

Don't forget the Isle Royal Cruise, 24-31 July. See Stan Tomandl.

Happy Boating!

Joseph A. Mack  
Commander



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# FREE EDUCATION

SKOKIE VALLEY POWER SQUADRON will again offer its introductory course in Piloting and Small Boat Handling this Fall. This is the time to do a little PRO work for the Squadron, at the docks, boat launching ramp, and marine supply stores. Emphasize the fact that the courses are free and anyone who owns a boat or simply enjoys boating should take this course

It's comprehensive...it's free...and it could save their lives.

Prospect High

Wednesday, Sept. 8, 1971

Glenbrook North

Monday, Sept. 13, 1971

## *the* **Bulletin Board**

**Must** READING FOR ALL MEMBERS..DATES..PLACES..FUNCTIONS..ITEMS

CHANGES IN SQUADRON SCHEDULE OF EVENTS (LOCATED IN FRONT OF CURRENT ROSTER)

OCT 15....EXECUTIVE MEETING, COMMANDERS HOME

CHANGE TO GENERAL MEETING AND EDUCATORS RECONITION NIGHT  
NORTHBROOK SPORTS COMPLEX

NOV 13....TENTH ANNIVERSARY PARTY SKOKIE VALLEY

ADD ON....BURNHAM HARBOR YACHT CLUB

AUG 13,14,15.... DISTRICT CRUISE LAKE MICHIGAN

CHANGE TO ...AUG 7-8

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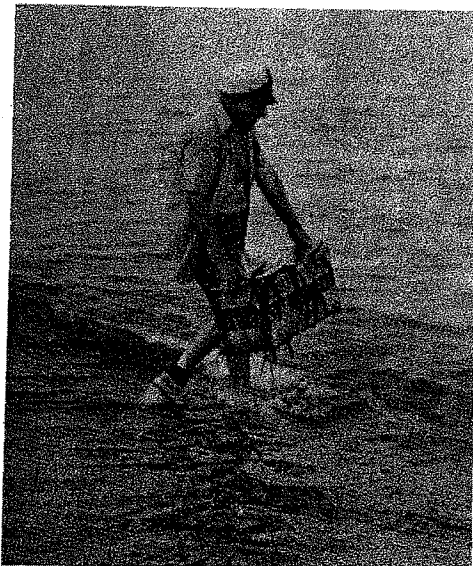
Over one hundred hungry SVPS'ers converged on the Pompeii Harbor Beach early this month, it was July Four, and that's party time for Skokie members. Our host, Cruise Captain Stan Tomadl, had the goodies ready and recieved the thundering herd with his usual smile and cheery words, making every one right at home.

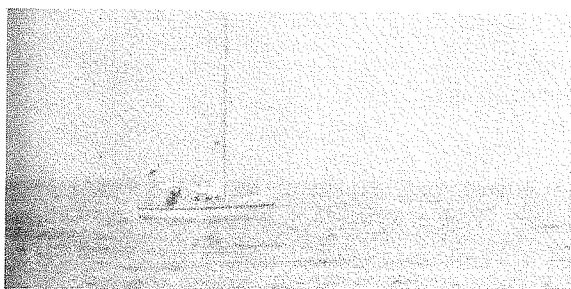
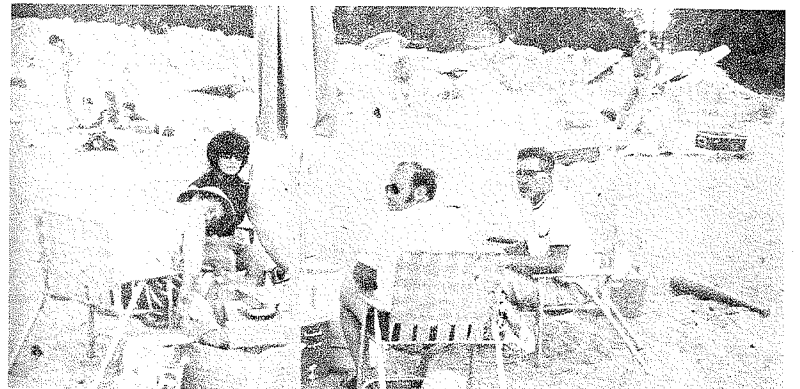
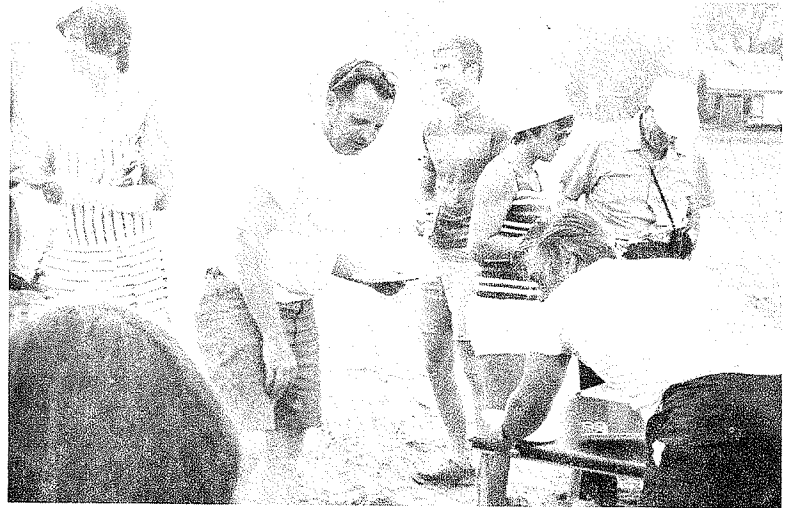
People came from every direction, by car or by boat, but the arrivals and departures continued all day. One of our members, Ron Sieling, spent a total of twelve hours afloat getting there and returning to Port. He was guest crewman aboard?????sail boat making the round trip between Racine and Pompeii through winds and calm, THE HARD WAY.

During the day, Captains Stridde, Ruff, Edmonds, Wresch and Herr took fellow members for sailboat rides off the beach, helping to make it a fun day for the power buffs.

The highlight of the day was Capt. Tomadl's arrival to set up the grounds. After checking out the distance between the harbor and the beach site of the festivities he felt that there must be a better way to get the two dozen boxes of corn and watermelons from his boat to the picnic area. Going back out into the lake, he ran his boat in as close to the beach as he could and then proceeded to float the food ashore. Observers said it looked like a Water-Logged garden coming in one the tide. AHHHHH!!! YANKEY INGENUITY!!!!

A delightful day was topped off by a magnificent display of fire works for the homeward bound. Those going north had Kenosha put on the show, While those going South were treated by Waukegan. Now that took a terrific bit of planning. Good show Stan and a tip of Chief Skokie's bonnet to you for another fine affair!!!







# SKOKIE VALLEY POWER SQUADRON

UNITED STATES POWER SQUADRONS

From your Education Department—

With the exception of the Navigator class, the results of whose examinations are not yet known, the following is a list of Skokie Valley Power Squadron members, affiliates and youths who successfully completed various Advanced Grade and Elective courses during the academic year 1970-1971:

## SEAMANSHIP

Bates, Thomas J.  
Brockman, David D.  
Deubler, Donald L.  
Doherty, James H.  
Gordon, Lawrence D.  
Kaminsky, Joseph W.  
Kaplan, Noel J.  
Leech, Russell B.  
Nadenik, George  
Paul, Mert  
Pauliukonis, Rimantas P.  
Sadoff, Harold J.  
Schmidt, Bernhardt C.  
Singer, Marvin R.  
Wilson, George A.  
Hanson, Hiram C.  
Hilfer, Louis R.  
Kahn, Victor R.  
Klehm, Howard G., Sr.  
Koller, James B.  
Kotas, Theodore R., Jr.

Schmidt, Jean M. (affiliate)  
Singer, Phyllis (affiliate)  
Smith, Nancy C. (affiliate)  
Woxberg, Evelyn (affiliate)  
Edmonds, Donna (affiliate)

Ladd, Guy V. (apprentice)

## ADVANCED PILOTING

Beatty, Julian L.  
DeMars, Gil B.  
Lange, Raymond E.  
Linnean, Ronald M.

## JR. NAVIGATOR

DeLugach, James  
Stewart, James T.

Woxberg, Ronald E.  
Cameron, Richfield J.  
Edmonds, Frederic P.  
Kenney, Frank M.  
Ladd, Vern A.  
Phillips, Donald F.  
Straf, Gerald R.  
Wresch, Dave  
Zielinski, Stanley F.  
Curtin, Denis J.  
Aspril, Richard L.  
Robinson, Gerald B.  
Anderer, George E.  
Emery, Carlton G.  
Gustafson, Donald L.  
Kreschel, William A.  
Rothermel, William A.  
Schaefer, George  
Waskowski, Ted M.  
Wignot, Bradford A.  
Ziesemer, Donald C.

Wresch, Betsy, J. (affiliate)  
Aspril, Catherine (affiliate)  
Kotas, Sandra (affiliate)  
Nasiatka, Joan C. (affiliate)  
Steinman, Roslyn (affiliate)

McManus, John E.  
Rich, Henry H.  
Rozmarek, Carl M.  
Steinman, Alfred M.

Tuzzolino, Philip C.  
Wilson, Richard S.



# SKOKIE VALLEY POWER SQUADRON

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## WEATHER

Anderer, George E.  
DeClercq, Jerome E.  
Emery, Carlton G.  
Gaetz, Reginald H.  
Hayden, Eugene B.

Kahn, Victor R.  
Klehm, Howard G., Sr.  
Mateski, Edwin J.  
Nasiatka, John R.  
Schuler, Harry L.

Hayden, Gloria L. (affiliate)

Schuler, Virginia H. (affiliate)

## ENGINE MAINTENANCE

Aspril, Richard L.  
Baer, Walter  
Dennis, Gerald E.  
Haynes, Gideon  
Hilfer, Louis R.  
Irkfetz, Donald W.  
Johnson, Alan G.  
Kahn, Victor R.  
Kroschel, William A.

Meyer, Walter G., Jr.  
Robinson, Gerald  
Schoof, Alvin F.  
Sobieski, Henry J.  
Sommers, William D.  
Tronrud, Robert D.  
Wignot, Bradford A.  
Ziesemer, Donald C.

Aspril, Catherine (affiliate)

## INSTRUCTOR TRAINING

Nowlen, W. James  
Sobieski, Henry J.

Stewart, James T.

McWayne, Eileen L. (affiliate)

## MARINE ELECTRONICS

Hampton, Peter W.  
Jago, Robert G.

Kahn, Victor R.  
Vore, Geoffrey S.

## SAIL

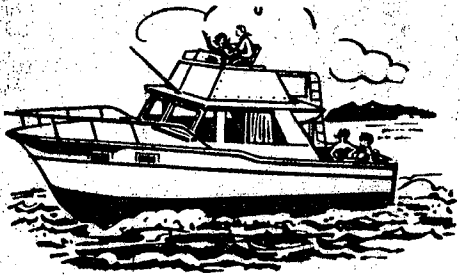
Adam, George H.  
Baeder, Gustav A.  
Bell, Richard B.  
DeMouth, Claude C.  
Finn, Earl R.

Hutchins, Ralph G.  
McManus, John E.  
Nichols, Edmond T.  
Salyers, John P.  
Stein, Leonard F.

Nichols, Sharon L. (affiliate)

Congratulations to all of you students and a WELL DONE to ALL members of the SVPS Education Department.

S/EO Len Stein



# CRUISE NOTICE

ILLINOIS RIVER CRUISE - DATE: AUG. 28 & 29

DEPARTURE: Saturday, Aug. 28 Sanicula Marina  
South Ottawa, Ill.  
Mile 240.0  
ETD 0930 hours

LUNCH STOP: Fuel, bring lunch or restaurant in harbor Henry Marina  
Henry, Illinois  
Mile 196.0  
ETA 1230 hours  
ETD 1400 hours

ARRIVAL: Marina Motel Chillicothe, Ill.  
Mile 180.0  
ETA 1530 hours

DINNER: B-B Drive-in Happy Hour - 1730  
Transportation by hours  
Mr. B-B Dinner - 1830 hours  
Sunday Aug. 29

Due to lack of breakfast facilities at the marina, you are advised to prepare your own breakfast or join the Squadron in a pancakes and sausage breakfast. Adults \$1.00, children 12 and under \$0.50. In order to assist us to bring the proper amount of food for the breakfast, please call either Ron or Bob and tell us how many to expect for breakfast. (Call by Wednesday, Aug. 25, please). Breakfast will be served 0800-0930.

Marina Motel has only 16 units, all of which are being held for us until August 21. (Marina Motel will make arrangements at another motel when they are filled.)

Reservations will be made on a first come, first served basis. To assure yourself of accommodations, call your reservation in and then forward \$5.00 deposit. OR - Camp on Sand Bar (Mile 182). Primitive Camping Only.

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DIRECTIONS: Take US 80 to Ottawa-Newark-Highway 71 Exit. South on 71 through Ottawa. First right over bridge across Illinois River takes you to Sanicula Marina.

This is the only notice of this Cruise we will issue. There will be no future notice prior to the Cruise, so please keep this Notice if you have intentions of taking this Cruise.

ANY QUESTIONS: Call your Cruise Captains  
Robert Skowron - 392-7706  
Ronald Sieling - Cl 9-1122

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## *Trailer Hints*

### *safety chains*

The use of safety chains between the trailer and the towing vehicle should not be taken lightly. Many states make the use of safety chains mandatory. The reason is obvious-any failure in the connection between the towing vehicle and the trailer would allow a trailer not connected to the towing vehicle with the proper size safety chain to wander across to other lanes of traffic. This could prove to be a very dangerous hazard to other unsuspecting drivers on the road.

Safety chains always should be crossed under the tongue of the trailer to prevent the tongue from dropping to the ground in the event of a coupling failure. The following coilsteel welded chain sizes are suggested as the minimum for each Class size of trailer:

<u>Trailer Class</u>	<u>Trailer Weight</u>	<u>Trade Chain Size</u>
Class I	up to 2000 lbs.	3/16 inch
Class II	2000 to 3500 lbs.	1/4 inch
Class III	3500 to 5000 lbs.	5/16 inch

# D/20 Lake Michigan Rendezvous & Cruise

WAUKEGAN, ILL. AUGUST 7-8, 1971

Notice date change because of Thistle International Regatta in Waukegan



## DISTRICT 20 LAKE CRUISE & RENDEZVOUS

Saturday August 7 and Sunday August 8, 1971. Teece Pavillion, Waukegan Harbor. Registration at \$1.00 per member starts at 0900. This building is next to a fine launching ramp and the larger boat slips. Across the street is a city park and play ground. The Waukegan Yacht Club is a stones throw away. Docking available for a nominal fee.

Overnight lodging at Travel Lodge, 222 Grand, Waukegan, Illinois 60085 Phone 312-244-8950. Rooms \$17.00 and up or Sheraton Inn (formerly Waukegan Inn) 200 Greenbay Road, Waukegan, Illinois 60085. Phone 312-244-2400. Rooms \$22.00 and up. Cocktail lounge and swimming pool. Contact them this week if you need a room.

Saturday dinner will be at the Waukegan Yacht Club with the evening party (cash bar) and fun prizes at the Pavillion.

Sunday Church services, breakfast and dinner from the menu at the Yacht Club. Some may be interested in the famous Zion Passion Play at 2000. Departure for home as convenient. Time will be set for a skipper's meeting to plan the cruise departure Monday morning.

## RESERVATIONS

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City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

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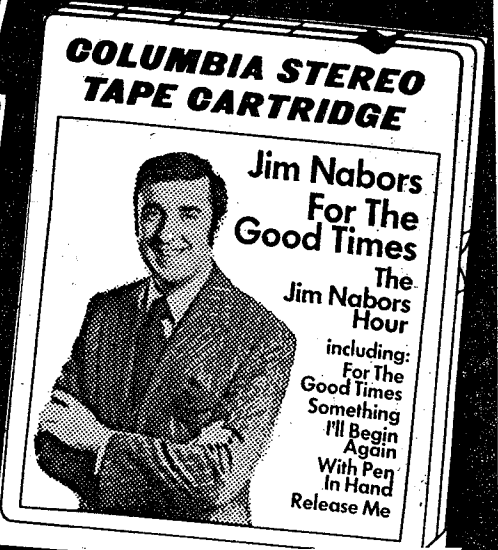
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2. "Running Lights" will contain two (2) pages of advertisements (one sheet, both sides), minimum size of advertisement 1/8 page. Position of ad at the prerogative of publication.
3. Rates for advertisements will be on an annual basis as follows:
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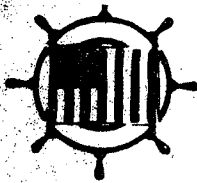
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As you know a good deal of our operating funds for producing and mailing of this newspaper comes from the money we receive thru our advertisers. Economic conditions being what they have been, some of our advertisers have decided not to renew their contract for advertising space for the coming year. As a result we now have space available for advertisers, but no advertisers to fill this space..

The Advertising Committee therefore invites the general membership to participate in a drive to subscribe new advertisers.

On the back of this page is a application for subscribing to advertising space in "Running Lights." Rates and related facts are included to assist you with any questions a perspective advertiser might ask. If we missed something and you have questions, Please call either Ron or Bob.

Editors



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