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## **PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

Well it might seem a long time away to be thinking about the Rendezvous. But before you know it, everyone will be running around like crazy trying to figure out a way to squeeze it in. I have found out picking a week that does not interfere with another club almost as crazy. With the help of the SunSeekers Boating Club and Kingsbridge Yacht Club we settled on a week that will work for the both of us. So the Rendezvous will be held August 26,27,28. We will be docking at Kingsbridge Marina. We will shuttle everyone by bus to our club and are still working on a cruise down the canal to our club with the help of our membership. More information will be sent out as it comes in. I am truly sorry if this does not work out well for everyone.

Hope to see you all there!

I would like to thank everyone that attended the President's Ball. We had a good hall with good music to dance all night with. Jennie and friends provided a great dinner for the IOBG. I do not believe that anyone went

home hungry, at least no one that was sitting up at the main table. For anyone who has not attended a President's Ball, and you will get a chance next year. You might want to check it out. You might be surprised at what a good time it is. You get a chance to meet with IOBG members from other clubs. Thanks to Harvey K I have learned some new jokes that have made me a hit at our club.

P/C Jack Gracia  
IOBG District-25 President



## **President Elect's Report**

We had a vacancy in the Clinton River Vice President position. I am happy to announce that Sam Bileti has accepted the position of Vice President, Clinton River.

Welcome aboard Sam!

P/C Jim Yount

IOBG25 President Elect



## **District Director's Report DISTRICT 25**

Well, spring is just around the corner and we still have some snow on the ground. Hopefully, the weather will get better for the upcoming boating season. According to all the reports, the lake levels are on the way up, which is good news. Think warm wearher!

Geraldine and I attended the President's Ball honoring President Jack Gracia and his Lady Toni. It was a very



**Lake St. Clair**

Here it is almost spring! If we can get rid of the snow and warm it up a bit we should be able to work on the boats! Remember launch is only a few days away. Water levels are up so this should be a great season. I am looking forward to the 2005 Rendezvous. The next meeting is at Mariner's Boat Club on April 10<sup>th</sup>. At that time we should find out more about the Rendezvous.

I would like to congratulate the Shores Boat Club Chapter of District 25 for donating \$ 1000, 00 to the Nobel Odyssey Foundation (the Pride of Michigan Sea Cadet Program). Great job Shores Boat Club!

I look forward to seeing everyone at the spring meeting.

P/C Frank Starkolit

Vice-President IOBG25

**Detroit River Canada**

No report.

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No report.

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**Up North Clubs**

No report.

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If anyone has any info to put in the next Log, or on the website, please give me a call (248-601-9408) I look forward to hearing from you.

P/C Bill Zirngibl Log Editor

**Photos from the 2005 IOBG 25 President's Ball**



















# Supply Officer's Report



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## **The following supplies are available for purchase:**

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Burgee 6x54  
Belts 48"  
Belt Buckle  
Caps  
Decal-window  
Sleeve Patch-Black  
Sleeve Patch-Dark Blue  
Silk Tie  
Tie Tac  
Silver Stars 3 on Bar  
IOBG Name Badge-W/Logo  
Spouse's Name Badge- No Logo  
IOBG Name Badge Auxiliary  
Clip on Tie Tac (Sterling Silver)  
Shirts – Polo W/Logo (White or Navy)  
Sweater, V-neck (White or Blue)  
Ascot-White, W/Logo

The supply officer will be getting new materials and of course new prices. That information will be published in the future. If you have any questions or desires please contact Dave Gutowski.

There are more items available. For a complete list, please call.

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