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# N.M.Y.C. NEWS

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## A Special Update From Our Commodore



Good Morning!

I wanted to take this opportunity to communicate with each of you, our members on some very important items coming up in March.

Commodore Gerhard  
Kelter at North Collier  
Regional Park (Pond  
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The first item I need your help with is replacing some of the very talented Executive Committee members. Due to our two year practice of replacing club officers, we have openings as of March 31st for Vice Commodore, Club Treasurer and Club Secretary. **David Boulanger**, Vice Commodore has agreed to to run for Commodore in the coming year and I support him and hope you will cast your vote for him at our annual meeting March 28, 2020. **Denny Ginzburg**,

Club Treasurer for over five years is due to be replaced. If you like basic accounting consider putting your name in the hat for Club Treasurer. **Dick Hedderick** is putting together a nominating committee to seek out club members and will vet your background. No creative accounting needed, just make sure our 66 members are registered correctly in our database and are members of AMYA.

The Club Secretary, **Larry Brannan** previously served as Treasurer, Vice Commodore, Commodore and Secretary. If you would like to serve the club by documenting Board Meetings, working closely with the Treasurer to keep our non-profit status and assisting the executive board to improve relations with North Collier Regional Park, this may be an interesting volunteer position for you. It helps if you grew up “taking notes” in school and in your work life.



Finally, I’m sure there are NMYC members who have excellent computer skills. **Doug Blewitt** has for the past year maintained a member data base and his skill set has been helpful to Fleet Captains and to the Executive Committee. We have two similar positions that need to be filled and they are **Web Master**, the person who maintains our club web site and **Newsletter Editor**, who creates a monthly newsletter for members. These positions can be filled by one person or two. Contact Dick Hedderick or Larry Brannan if you would like to learn more about these positions.

We all love to sail our boats and racing them just adds a bit of excitement to your day. A drone captured member boats lining up on the windward mark.

I ask all members to consider “stepping up” to help the club run efficiently and to provide new ideas to keep our club growing and insuring that members are having fun.

If you have questions, please talk with me.

Good Winds and Fair Sailing,

*Gerhard Kelter*

Commodore





