



# Chicago Parrot Head News



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Captain's Logbook  
Ninety-fourth Entry:  
September 21, 2016

## From the Captain's Chair

*Come together mates, it be time to rejoin the well respected Crew of the North, the Chicago fleet. Sign yer name on the docket and await yer orders. The ships are being loaded and stores packed away for another year at sea, and ye be welcome back aboard. Enjoy the merriment on this night as we gather up to set sail again. It was a banner year for us with new spoils gained and lots of new ports to plunder. We shall continue on this course with plans to double the amount of gold and fill the bellies of our vessels. But until then, let's raise our glass and have a toast for those we lost, and those we gained, and those that are here with us as we set sail again.*



**Billy Brehm**  
*Our Pirate King*

*A toast to helping others, our mission, where a smile and helping hand is the only prize we need. A toast to the best Crew on these seas. A toast to you all.*

*Bloody Bill  
~ The Pirate King*

*"Don't talk to me about Naval tradition! It's nothing but rum, sodomy, and the lash"  
-Winston Churchill*

*"If I ever go missing, please put my photo on a Rum bottle, not a milk carton. I want my friends to know I am missing!  
-Laurie Manzer*





## *Racey Tracey - Cruise Director*

**Fall has arrived, but that doesn't mean the fun has to end. Here is what is planned the next couple months...**

**Rob Mehl "House" Concert – October 9, time and location TBD** - Our phriend from California/Hawaii, Rob Mehl, is coming our way to provide us with a show that the club will provide FREE of charge! Just tip Rob well as he is here to play his guitar and ukulele and tell his stories of growing up in Hawaii and sharing his own brand of trop rock music! Rob was a common fixture at Meeting of the Minds playing Hogsbreath, but he won't be there this year, so see him here! Location and times are to be determined!!!

**One Particular Thursday – October 13, 5-8p** – We'll be ending our season at Margaritaville Café at Navy Pier with the one and only Flip Flop Dave! Come out and enjoy a few Boat Drinks and great music.

**Where in the World is Bob Pub Crawl – October 22, 2p** - We are hosting in Rosemont again which is right next to O'Hare airport and major train lines, all with free shuttle service! Rosemont has the new Chicago Fashion Outlet Mall (across the street from the hotel), and also has shuttles running to everywhere in the area, including the casino! Accommodations: ALOFT Chicago O'Hare hotel, literally crawling distance from the bars. Here is the deal.....and here is the link: "<http://www.aloftchicagoohare.com/> www.aloftchicagoohare.com and go to Deals or Offers to find the best deal for you! Illinois and surrounding state residents get 15% off the best available rate at the hotel, and includes free Wi-Fi and in room bottled water. They have a late night bar, pool, and you do have to pay for parking, although you CAN sneak through with parking validation every 8 hours.....could be a challenge. Plus....carpooling works, and the shuttles run to the blue line. NOTE: if you go online, you can get the room slightly cheaper without the link, but it is the non-refundable pay now price. There are also a TON of hotels surrounding us, so if you have points or free rooms or want something cheaper, it can be found, but nothing closer!!!

**LIVINGSTON SATURDAY Day/NIGHT!** We will move from Pub to Pub in a city to city themed crawl! There are 5 locations this year! Plan to meet in the grassy area in front of the Sugar Factory. The itinerary is still TBD, but plan on 45 minutes each location and finishing up by 8:00 p.m. where you can break off for dinner, go back to your favorite, or continue on. Followed by Sunday morning AWESOME brunch and huge Bloody Mary bar at Bub City!

## *Racey Tracey - Cruise Director cont. part 1*

**Halloweenie Roast – October 29, 6p** - Join us at Mark and Karen Evinger's house (295 Royce Ln., Roselle) for a Fall Halloween Weenie Roast, with drinks, games, and music. A phun social for everyone! More details to come...

### Other places to find the music....

September 22 – Todd Donnelly, Sweet Caroline's Crab-N-Que, Hoffman Estates, 5:30-10p

September 23 – Todd Donnelly, Trio Grille, Marengo, 8:30-11:30p

September 24 – Flip Flop Dave, Island Party Hut, Chicago Riverwalk, 12-4p

September 24 – Mr. Myers, Elmwood Park Fall Festival, 2-3:30p

September 24 – Todd Donnelly, Bahama Breeze, Schaumburg

September 24 – South of Disorder, St. Anne Fest

September 24 – Pirates Over 40, Huntley Fall Fest, 2-4p

October 1 – Flip Flop Dave, Stats Sports Bar, Willowbrook, 7:30-10:30p

October 7 – Todd Donnelly, Bahama Breeze, Schaumburg, 5:30-11p

October 8 – Todd Donnelly, Bahama Breeze, Schaumburg, 5:30-11p

October 15 – Todd Donnelly, Bahama Breeze, Schaumburg, 5:30-11p

October 16 – Todd Donnelly, Bahama Breeze, Schaumburg, 5:30-11p

October 21 – Todd Donnelly, Pier 290, Williams Bay, WI, 8p-12a



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## Membership news from Pirate Diva Vicki, Arrr...



Well it looks like another month has passed. I do have to say it was a fun month. Need to thank Mr. Sheridan for a great tailgate experience at Alpine we even had sand to put our toes in.



If you want to continue to have a blast with the club you will need to renew your membership sometime this month. You have an easy way to do this on the club website, give it to me at a meeting or you can always go the snail mail route.

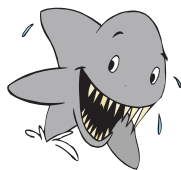
Remember, you now can renew your membership on line by just going to the Chicago Parrothead web site. Renewals are due by September 30th.



### Wishing all of you a very Happy Birthday from all of us

Dana Sebek	Sept 21	Chrissy Badskey	Oct 1
Colleen Smith	Sept 26	Bill Block	Oct 2
Roxy Sheridan	Sept 29	Carol Eichelberger	Oct 7
Dee Tropp	Sept 29	Denise Sifnotis	Oct 7
		Carl Hajec	Oct 9
		Roger Bert	Oct 12
		Aymee Zimmerman	Oct 14
		Debbie Stefan	Oct 14
		John Fraioli	Oct 15
		Ray Joseph	Oct 16
		Jean Motal	Oct 17

Hope you have presents sent to you!!



**Vicki Kerr**  
**Membership Diva**  
**Chicago Parrothead club**



## The Pirate Hood - Charity Page

### Mr. Give Until It Hurts—Bob Noonan



I want to send a Big Thank You to Billy B, Kristin B, Vicki K, Renee F, Joe K, John S, Karen E, Chely L, Bill K, Ellen K, Maddies B and her son, Pat S, Debbie S, Chi Chi, Mikey K, and Cathy K for an outstanding job working the **35th Annual Family Fest at Misericordia of Chicago**. The weather could not have been any better and all who attended had fun. I also advise you with such pride that Budweiser (the sponsor of the beer tent) has asked us to help again next. They truly like the way we work the beer tent and represent Budweiser.

Now, we move on to our next Charity event the **Alzheimer's Walk, which is being held on Sunday, September 25, 2016.** This event is one of our biggest fundraisers. To date, our Walk team has raised \$7,352. which currently puts us in third place. The Parrot Head nationwide has raised over \$119,000. Great job!!!! We will be meeting at Montrose Harbor on the morning of the event. After we finish our walk, any walker will have the opportunity to take the Trader Todd trolley to the bar. This event is open to all members and their guests both at the walk and at Trader Todd's. So grab your favorite parrot gear and show up ready to Walk to end this disease or meet us walkers after at Trader Todd's.

At Wednesday's meeting, I can take any Walk donations you have collected and turn them in at the Alzheimer's National Office on Thursday at what they call "Bank Night". The reason for this is so you will not have to wait in line on the day of the walk. I will have tee shirts for all those who have raised \$100 or more.

#### **MOTM 2016 registration is closed.**

If you are going, please forward the following info to me.

- **Name**
- **Cell number** you want to be reached at while on the Island (this number will be shared with club members attending MOTM)
- **Travel arriving and departing information.** We are trying to pick a date to have a regional get together while on island.
- Suggestions of things you would like to do while on the Island. A fishing trip has been brought up. Any ideas welcome.

**How does December 3, 2016 sound for baking day at Misericordia??** Please let me know if this date can work for you.

Bob Noonan (AKA—Mayor of MOTM)

Charity Director, Chicago Parrott Head Club

Board Member – Alzheimer's Association – Greater Illinois Chapter



Sharon Klupar-Secretary



Karen Levang-Evinger -Treasurer



Joe Klen-Communications Director

The Chicago Parrot Head club is a Not For- Profit organization whose purpose is to assist in community outreach programs and to provide for its members a means of social interaction for people interested in Jimmy Buffett's music and tropical spirit. Any general questions regarding our club, contact

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MCA/CPHC, PO BOX 6313, VILLA PARK, IL 60181

The Chicago Parrot Head Club newsletter is a monthly publication. If you have any information on an upcoming event you would like published, or a review of a current event, please contact Joe Klen - No later than the second Friday of the month.

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# News Flash!

# Club Registration Renewal and payment can now be done on-line!

