



***Shangri-La Marina Newsletter  
February 1, 2024***

After some tricky weather twists in January and the big January boat shows now behind us, we are looking forward to the Spring boating season – and we are already preparing with some off-season updating at the marina including a dramatic improvement of our Wi-Fi system for Shangri-La Marina slip renters. In the meantime, rest assured that we are keeping a close eye on things as we get through this final few weeks of winter weather.

Shangri-La Marina is one of the few Grand Lake marinas that remains open throughout the winter months to provide fuel, boating supplies, snacks and beverages for the increasing number of year-round boats. The marina is open from 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

***MORE BENEFITS COMING EXCLUSIVELY FOR SHANGRI-LA MEMBERS!***

I'm so excited to announce the formation of The Shangri-La Boat Club by Sail Grand – a club membership offered exclusively to Shangri-La Resort members to make rental boat access easy, quick, and with increased availability and extended rental times offered only to members of the Boat Club.

Your Shangri-La Boat Club Membership will expand the horizons of watercraft rentals, charters and parasailing far beyond what is currently available to those who don't own boats, but want the option of boat availability on an extended schedule with easy check-in.

Your \$1000 per year Boat Club membership offers personal walk-through orientations, training and safety instruction at your convenience. Our experienced crew will be available to make sure you are comfortable with the variety of watercraft offered by Sail Grand. As a member, you will enjoy express check-in and easy access to your preferred boat each time you utilize a rental to take friends and family on the water. You will enjoy advanced booking options with no pre-payment required and will receive options for flexible extended rental times not available to others. Members will also be offered concierge service including staff refueling to make your check-in and drop-off of rentals totally trouble-free. Members will also have access to some very cool Shangri-La Boat Club apparel and accessories.

Cost is only \$1,000 per year, and requirements are minimal. You must be a Shangri-La member 25 years of age or older with a valid driver's license and must sign the liability release form. That's it. That's all that is required for an entire year of easy access and trouble-free access to the entire fleet of rental boats, personal watercraft, yacht charters and parasailing adventures offered by Sail Grand at Shangri-La Marina – and with a 10% discount!

The Shangri-La Boat Club is a terrific amenity available exclusively to members. For more info, come by and visit, call 918-257-6000 or email [info@sailgrand.com](mailto:info@sailgrand.com).

### **LOTS OF NEW SHIP STORE MERCHANDISE**

With winter weather with us for a few more weeks, Lyn has laid out some terrific outerwear, including an awesome new line of Shangri-La Marina hoodies. We have a great selection of souvenirs, apparel, caps, hats, and footwear, along with a full line of boating supplies. If you're planning a late-winter trip to warmer weather, we also have huge discounts on swimwear and warm-weather items to take on your trip.

We are also planning for the spring season ahead. We have ordered some awesome new designs of spring and summer fashions with memorable designs and fun messages to memorialize all the trouble-free adventures available only at Grand Lake. We'll have even more great apparel and souvenir items that will soon be arriving at the Ship Store every day. Come check it out!

### **FOOD AND FUN IS AVAILABLE BY BOAT YEAR-ROUND**

Doc's Bar & Grill at Shangri-La is the only restaurant on Grand Lake that offers three meals a day seven days a week – and it's right across the parking lot from our courtesy slips. Every time we have a nice mid-winter day, social media platforms seem to fill up with the same question - "what's available by water to get something to eat?" No matter what day or what meal, the answer is – "Doc's at Shangri-La."

The weekly musical entertainment is a year-round offering at Doc's, too. *Jason Morgan* hosts great karaoke fun every Thursday night, and the February lineup of live entertainment on Friday nights at Doc's includes *R. Jay, Smith, Rockwell, Scott Musick, and Chloe Johns*.

### **SPORTING EVENTS, SINGO, AND TRIVIA AT THE ANCHOR...BY BOAT!**

The Anchor is also within walking distance of our courtesy docks with lots of indoor fun seven days a week, so plan to come join the fun – even by boat! With Winter hours of operation in effect, The Anchor doesn't open until 4:00 p.m. Monday-Friday, but the fun starts at 10:00 on Saturday mornings and 11:00 on Sundays – and great bar snacks are available from The Galley Friday-Sunday. Lee Lawson hosts the popular "Tuesday Trivia" competition at The Anchor each week – and Jason Morgan leads SINGO competition every Saturday night from 6:00-10:00.

Super Bowl LVII is January 11 with a HUGE party planned at The Anchor. NBA season is in major competitive mode with the All-Star game set February 18. There's a full schedule of college basketball and a variety of fun activities for the entire family at The Anchor - and you have access to all of it *by boat* at Shangri-La!

### **BOAT SALES AT SHANGRI-LA MARINA, TOO!**

Boat shopping is one-stop shopping at Shangri-La Marina with the full line-up of boats from Nichols Marine. The full line of Chaparral, Bennington, Robalo, and MasterCraft boats is at your fingertips on the Nichols Marine at Shangri-La sales dock.

As always, our marina team is here to serve you. We're always glad to see you; and we are here six days a week to take care of your fuel and all the supplies for your late winter boating. If you have questions, contact us at 918-257-4898 or email [marina@shangrilaok.com](mailto:marina@shangrilaok.com).

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