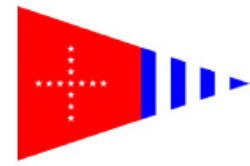




Rockford Sail & Power Squadron

A UNIT OF UNITED STATES POWER SQUADRONS
SAIL AND POWER BOATING



2011-12 Event Schedule

Saturday, 21 May 2011 – VSC / Picnic



Martin Park, 5600 Park Ridge Road, provides concrete boat ramps, nearby restrooms, and an indoor/outdoor picnic shelter. Rockford Sail & Power Squadron will kick off Safe Boating Week by offering Vessel Safety Checks from 1000 to 1600 USPS members are invited to bring their boats and their appetites. A picnic lunch will be served at the shelter beginning at 1300. For additional information, contact Cruise Captain: Don Kasuboske 815-914-1827.

Saturday, 11 June 2011 – Clinton Show Boat Rendezvous

Always a favorite, come by boat or car to the River View City Park, 303 Riverview Dr., Clinton IA. Festivities will begin at 1800 by the stage in the park. Grilled brats, buns and condiments will be provided. Bring a dish to pass, your table service, lawn chairs, and beverage of choice. After dinner we will move to the Clinton Showboat Theater for "Nunsense". A great play for all of the family. It begins when the Little Sisters of Hoboken discover that their cook has accidentally poisoned 52 of the sisters, and they are in need of funds for the burials. The sisters decide that the best way to raise the money is to put on a variety show. The play sounds very entertaining. Showtime is 1930. If you come by boat, the Clinton Marina is 563-242-3600, to reserve a slip. If you come by car, there is plenty of parking near the park. For reservations call Cruise Captains: Fred and Lois Muehlfelder at 815-398-5556 or 815-985-2248



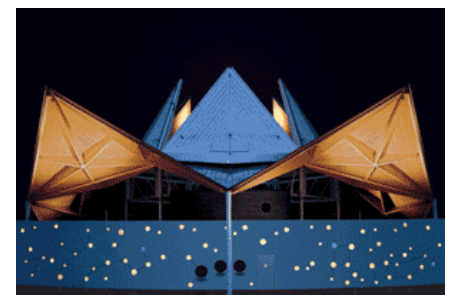
Saturday, 2 July – Monday, 4 July – Independence Day Fireworks & Air Show, Dubuque, IA

Plan the holiday weekend on the Mississippi River. Call American Marine at Dubuque Yacht Basin 563-588-9564 for slip reservations, or call the Holiday Inn Hotel Dubuque – 563-556-2000 or the Grand Harbor Resort for hotel reservations. Visit the National Mississippi River Museum and Aquarium, the Diamond Jo Casino or the Greyhound Dog Track and Mystique Casino. Then, on 3 July, enjoy the 25th Anniversary FIREWORKS ON THE RIVER and Air Show. The Air Show is from 1745 -2015. Fireworks begin at 2146. Contact Cruise Captains: Bob and Caren Canfield 815-968-7200 or 815-633-0848 for information.



Thursday, 7 July 2011 – Annual Picnic hosted by P/C's

Something new this year! The Past Commanders invite all members, past, present, and future to the RSPS Annual Picnic at Rock Valley College. Brats, Italian sausage & Hot Dogs will be provided as well as salads, chips, soft drinks & desserts. Cost: TBD. There will be a 50/50 Raffle plus lots of door prizes. Please bring your own table service. At 2000 we will move to the Bength Sjostrom Theatre with its one of a kind retractable roof, for a live performance by Rock Valley College's Starlight Theatre. Additional information will be available closer to the date. Call Caren Canfield-815-633-0848 or Ken Petersen – 815-654-8846 for information and reservations.



Saturday, 6 August, 2011 – Lake Geneva "Under the Streetlight"

Contact Cruise Captains: Nick and Trina Miller 815-227-9815