



View from the BRIDGE

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Meet your new Commodore JOY WALKER



Hello Lake Family,

I am so ready to get this year started, as I'm sure we all are. This was evident at Sawmill Creek, as we had a record 70+ people at the swearing-in ceremony of the new bridge! If you missed it, we had a blast with great food, a fantastic band (thanks Ann Marie), and fun dancing the night away!

The bridge has been working hard getting things rolling. As you may have seen on our MCYC website, the calendar of events is set (thanks to Pat and Patty). We will also be hand-delivering calendars and our monthly newsletter.

The newsletter this year will feature kids' coloring pages and family fun games, which will be judged with prizes awarded each month.

We will also have a monthly meeting of bridge and members on the first Friday of each month at 8:00 p.m. Just before the meeting starts the bridge will provide cookies or cake and ice cream and announce each month's contest winners. Please plan to attend—and bring the kids. It's an easy way to get to know your fellow lake families.

Reminder: the use of these facilities is for all of you as well. Just give dates to

bridge to reserve for your function. Help us help you! Any and all suggestions are welcome. Your involvement will always equate to a more enriched experience this summer. If you are available to help out with any of our planned events, please do as all are welcome!

We have a fantastic team this year, and I am feeling very fortunate to have their help and support! We are here to help make this a family fun place this summer!

Joy Walker,
Commodore
lot 61... Dock 93 (Please visit)



Meet your new Vice Commodore PAT MAURER

Hello Marine City,

It's been a long, rollercoaster winter! Patty and I have been looking forward to April since last October. We are looking forward to another fantastic season and spending time once again with our Marine City family and friends. We are also looking forward to meeting our new members. We have a strong bridge this year and I have no doubt we will have a fantastic season. We have a fun-filled schedule for this year that I think everyone will enjoy.

God Bless,
Pat Maurer
Vice Commodore

Meet your new Rear Commodore JOE MISCONISH

Hello friends,

Born and raised in Cleveland, Ohio, I am a die-hard Cleveland sports fan. I started coming to Marine City back in the 90s with a friend and his family, and have loved this place ever since.

My lifelong goal of owning a place in Marblehead came true in April of 2017, when my wife Katie and our three kids Addison, Austin, and Ashlynn bought our place here in Marine City.

I look forward to helping make this the best season yet.

If you need anything, don't hesitate to reach out.

Joe Misconish
Rear Commodore



Meet your new Treasurer CINDY KELCH-MINCHAK

Hello Marine City,

I was invited to MCYC for a group birthday bash in September 2017. I said to my husband, I'm getting a place here! He laughed at me, but the next day the owners of #21 were there sitting on their deck with the "For Sale" sign in window.

I went in and looked at the trailer, and, to make a long story short, later in September my sister and I became the new owners. Now, Fridays can't come soon enough for us to spend time with our new friends and family!

As your new treasurer, I will have a full financial report for you soon. In the meantime, know that we are looking good going forward in 2019!

Opening day can't come soon enough for me! See you all soon!

Cindy Minchak
Treasurer



Meet your new Secretary CRAIG WALKER

Hi Gang,

This is my second go-round as Secretary. First of all, I want to give a big thank you to Spencer for the great job he did last year.

Joy and I have been fixtures here at MCYC since 1998. We have a trailer at lot #61 and, if you cannot find us there, we have a boat at dock C93.

This year will be a first for us as we are now retired and should be at the park full-time for most of the season.

I hope to keep everyone informed and involved this year to make it a great summer.

If you have news or concerns about the club, please know that our door is always open and we will do our best to look after things.

Craig Walker
Secretary





Coloring Contest

(Two age groups: 5 and under, 6 to 10).
Please bring entries to trailer 61 or give to any bridge member before the next bridge meeting on **May 3.**

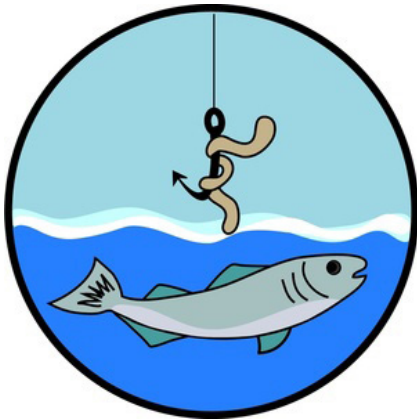
Family Safety Quiz

Quiz must be turned in before the **May 3** bridge meeting to any bridge member.

Kids' Fishing Derby

Saturday, July 13

9 a.m. – Noon



Kids' Day

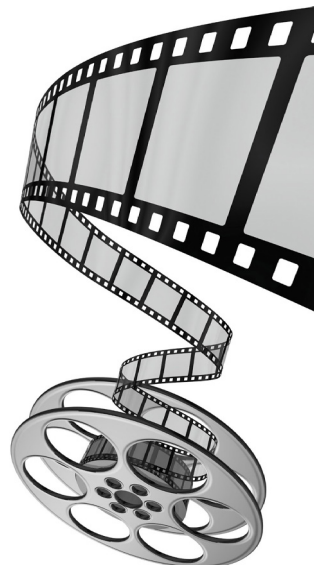
Saturday, August 10

11 a.m. -?



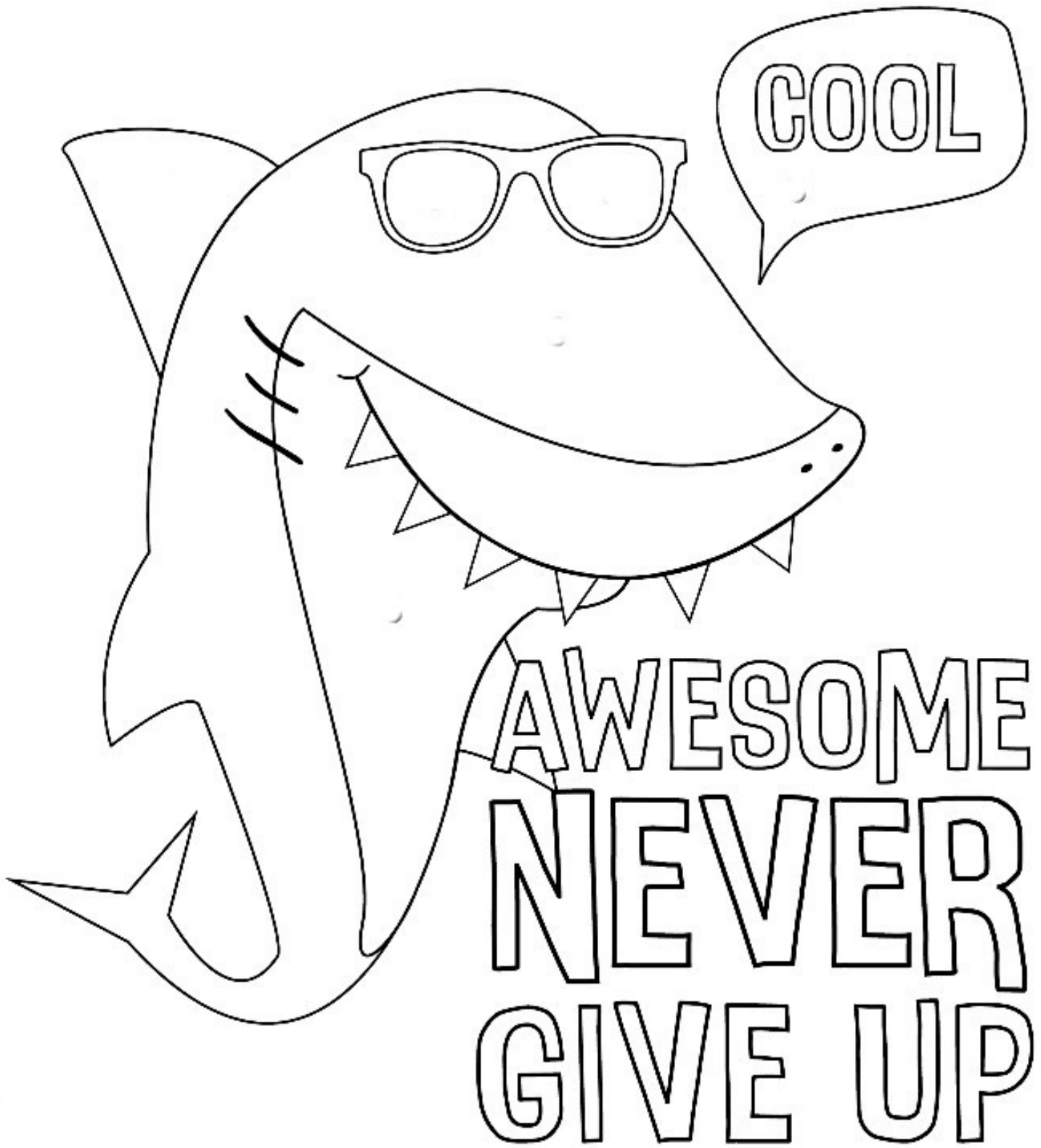
Movies in the Park

Will be held periodically on Saturday nights. Bridge officers will notify you when a movie is going to be played. All movies are kid appropriate.

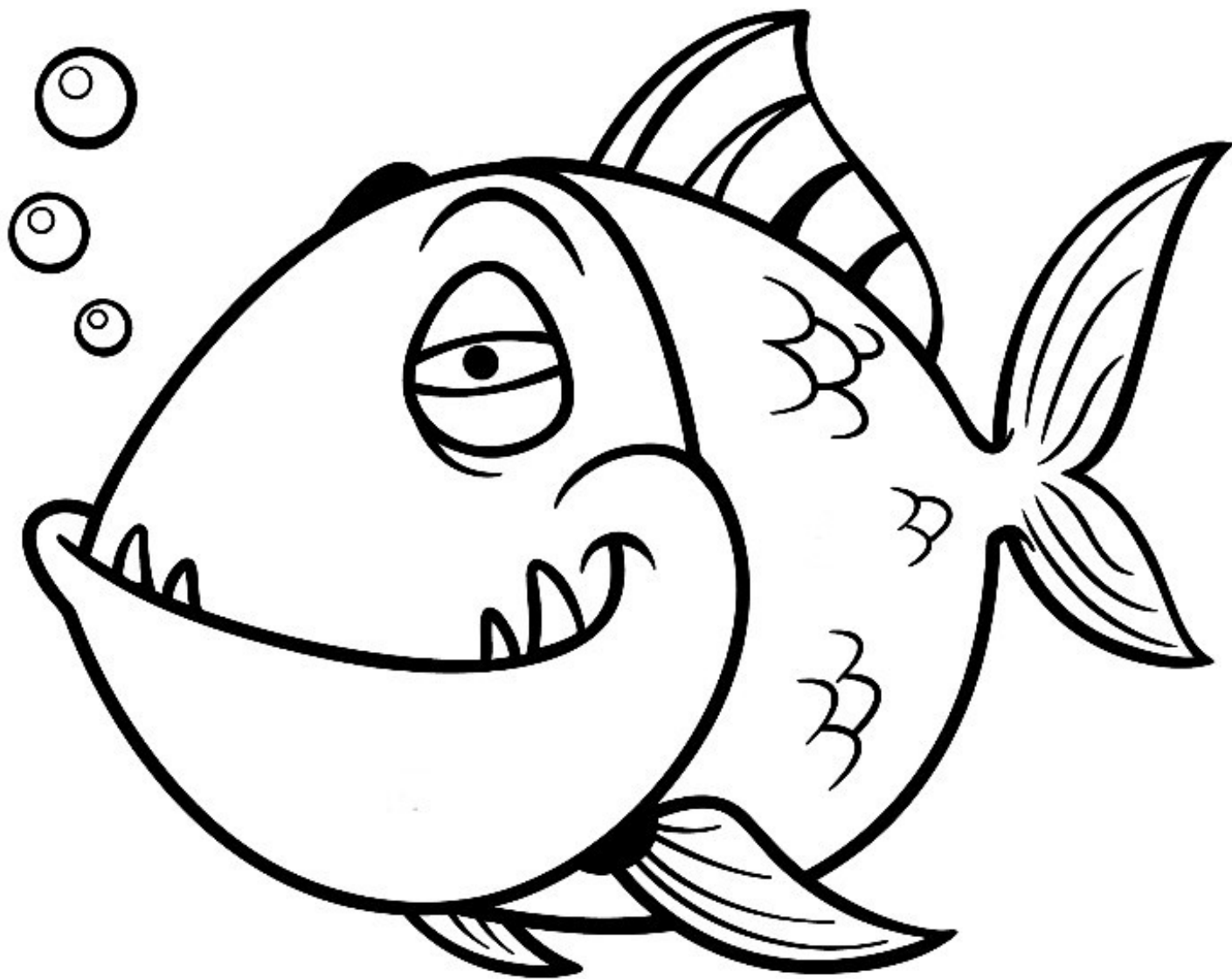


Family Treasure Hunt

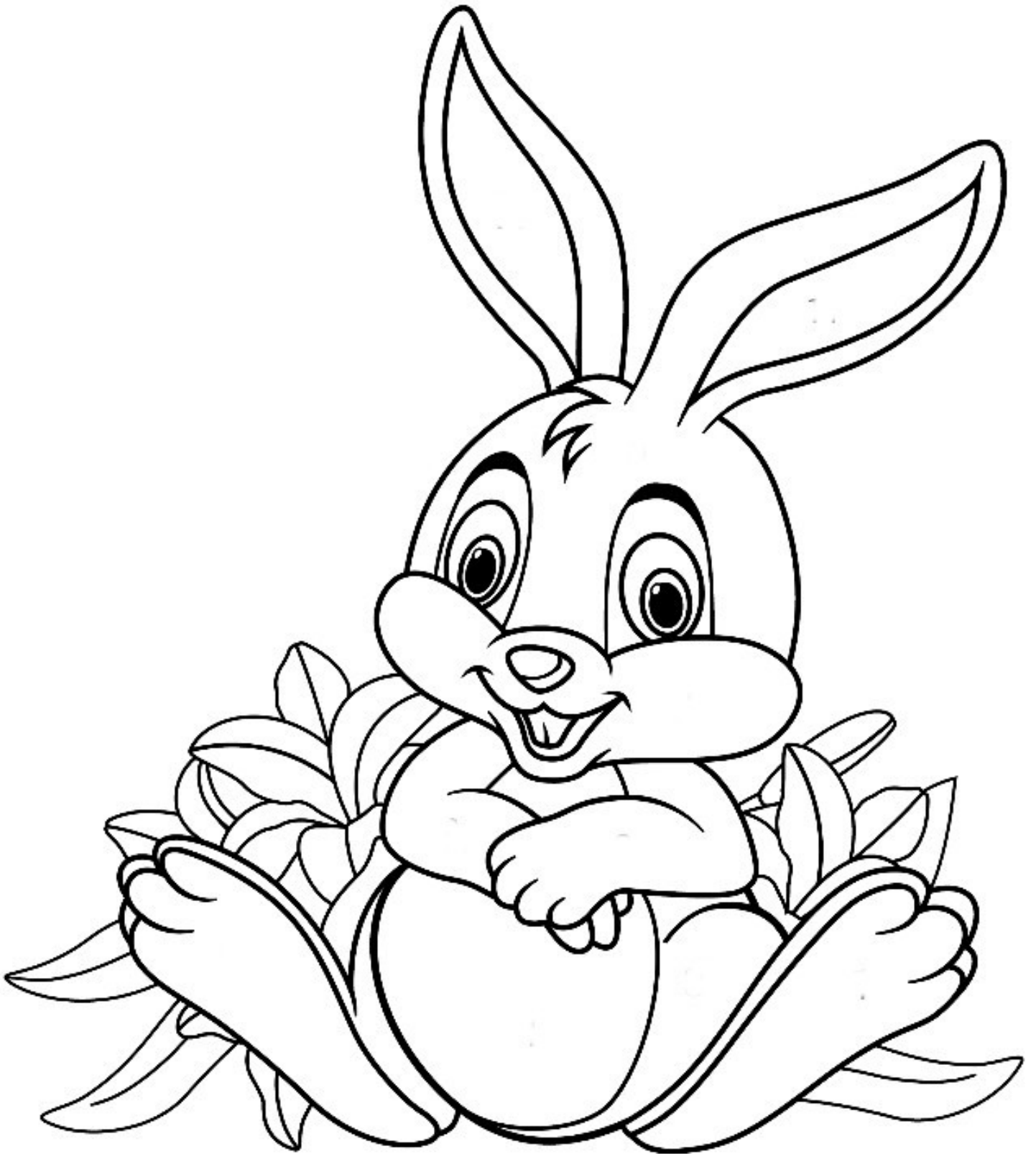
Hunt and clues held monthly. More to come on this.



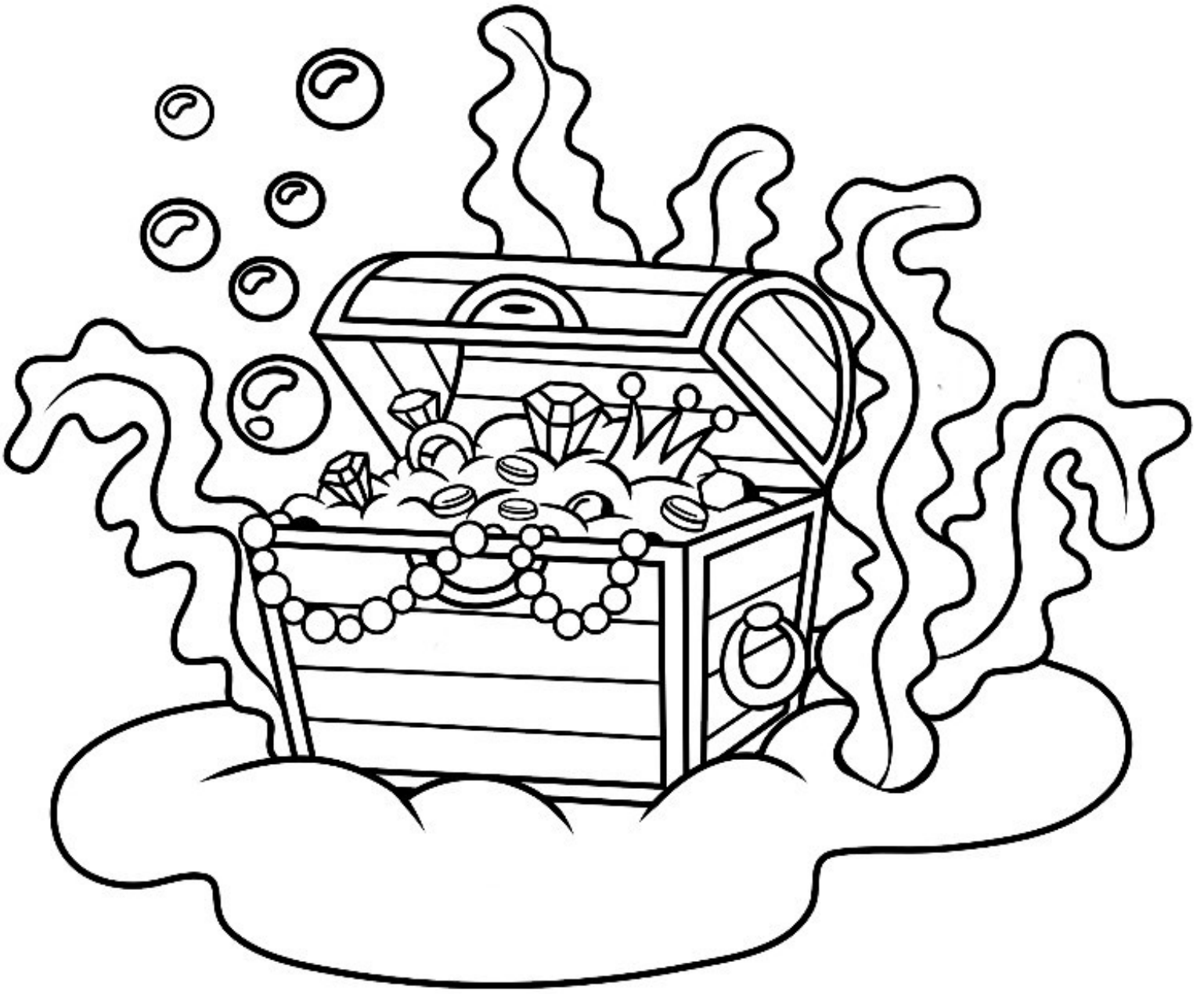
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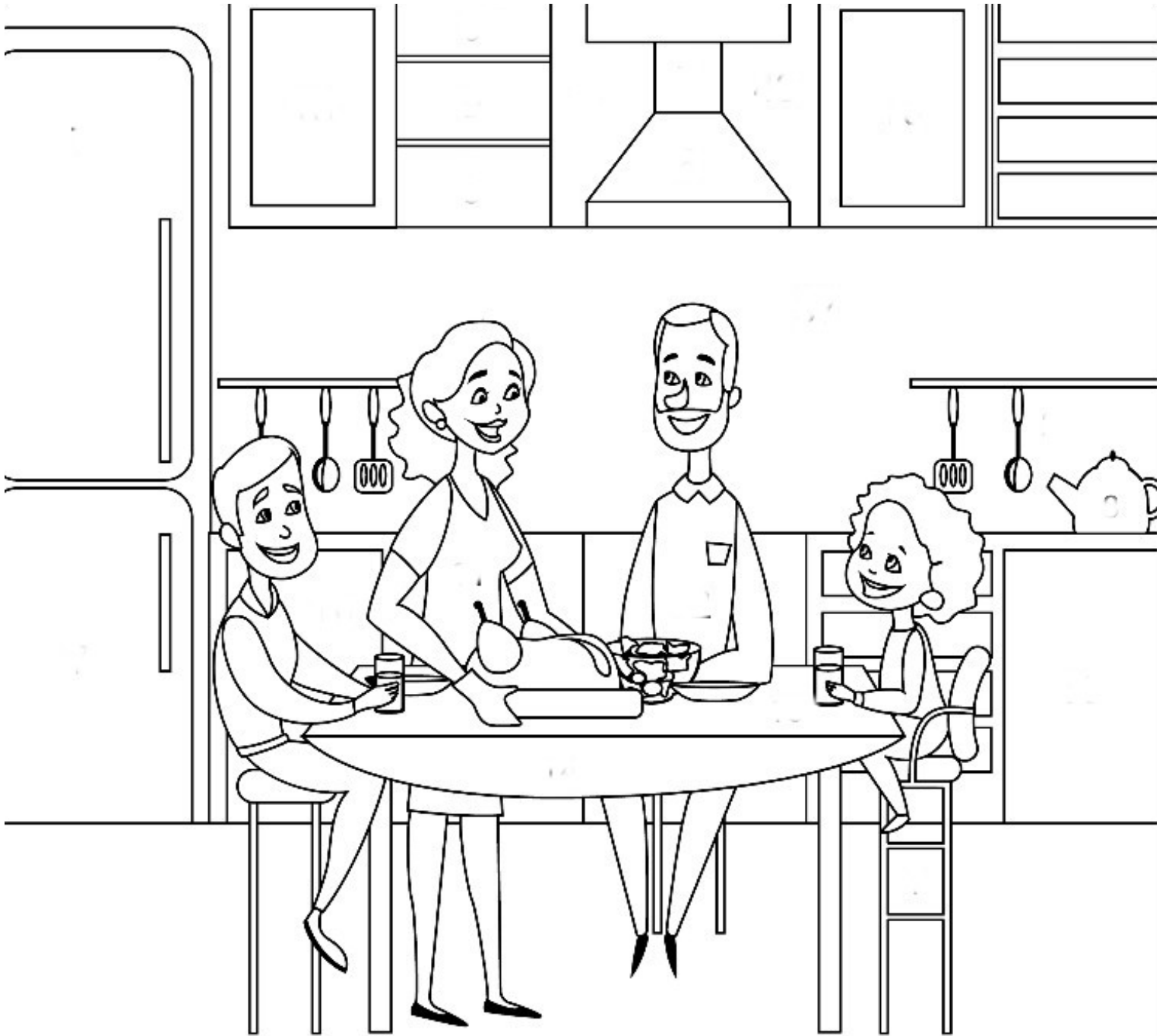
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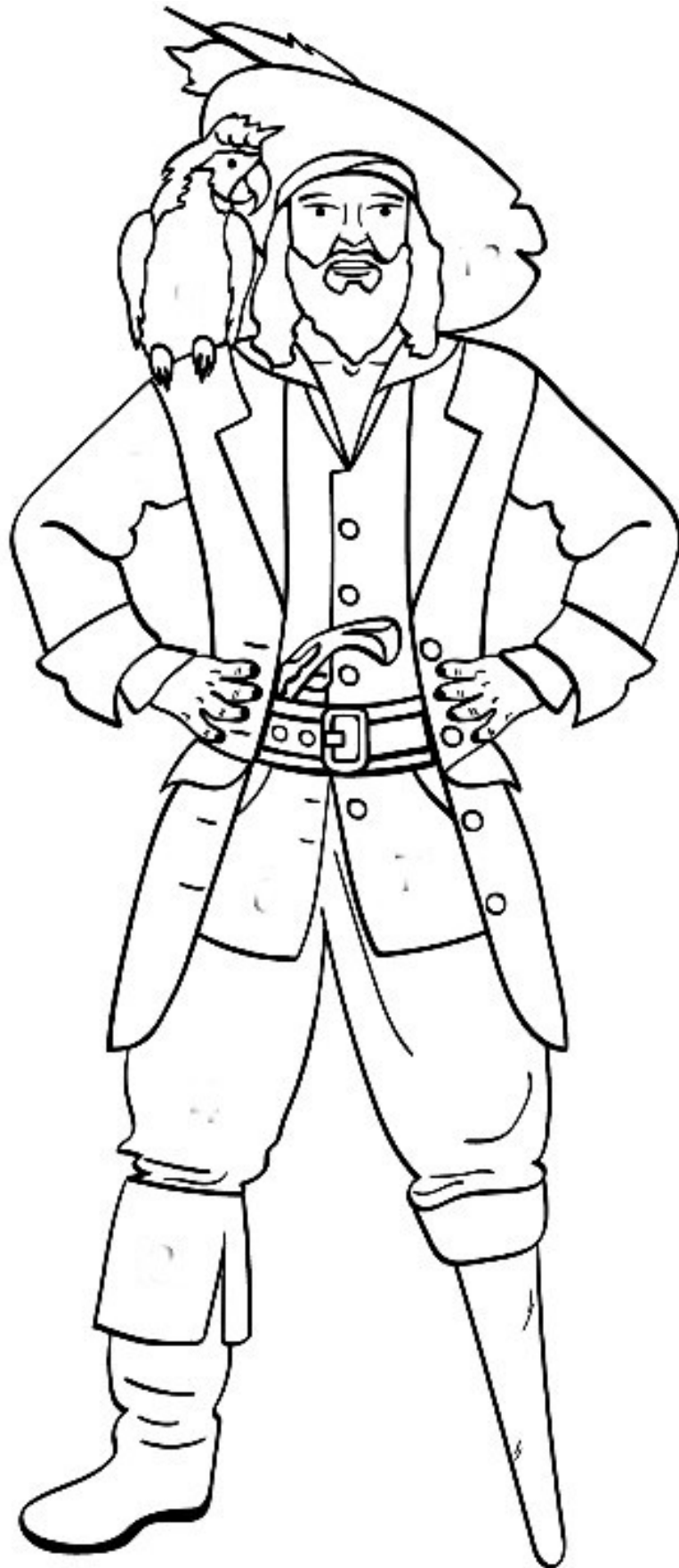
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2019 Marine City Yacht Club CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MARCH

Saturday, 9th 6 p.m. Winter Social – Sawmill Creek Resort, Huron, OH

APRIL

Saturday, 27th 9 a.m. Park & Clubhouse Clean-Up Day

MAY

Saturday, 4th 9 a.m. Rain Date – Park & Clubhouse Clean Up – Happy Cinco de Mayo!

Saturday, 18th 5 p.m. Raising of the Flag in honor of Armed Services Day
followed immediately by Annual Meeting and Catered Dinner –
Non-Alcoholic Beverages Provided

Saturday, 25th 11 a.m. Boat Inspections, Clubhouse reserved for Berea Power Squadron

JUNE

Saturday, 8th 2 p.m. Walleye Tournament

Saturday, 15th 7-11 p.m. Party in the Park with the Get-A-Way Band. (Catered Event)

Saturday, 22nd 3 p.m. Club House Reserved for Fahle

Saturday, 29th 3 p.m. Club House Reserved for Walker

JULY

Saturday, 6th Noon 4th of July Party in the Park including our 3rd Annual Corn Hole Tournament
and Miss Walleye competition and featuring Departure (Journey tribute band and more)
(Catered Event)

Saturday, 13th 9 a.m. – Noon Kids' Fishing Derby

AUGUST

Saturday, 10th 11 a.m. -? Kids' Day

Saturday, 31st 2 p.m. Labor Day Fish Fry raffle tickets go on sale

SEPTEMBER

Sunday, 1st 2 p.m. Raffle ticket sales begin

6 p.m. Fish fry fundraiser featuring Electric Circus

Saturday, 7th 2 p.m. Perch Tournament

Saturday, 14th 6 p.m. Farewell Pot Luck Dinner

Dusk Trick or Treat

Saturday, 21st Noon Clubhouse reserved for Berea Power Squadron

** Non-Denominational Church Services – All are welcome! Held each Sunday (Memorial Day through Labor Day) 9:30 a.m. at Clubhouse.
Beverages and donuts provided for a donation after services.

Splash into Safety First!

WATER SAFETY QUIZ FOR KIDS

Circle the CORRECT answer

1. What is the only good excuse for not wearing a life jacket when you are on a boat?

- A. You know how to swim
- B. There is an adult nearby
- C. The boat is not moving
- D. There is no good excuse

2. True or False: I can swim alone if I have taken swimming lessons.

3. When do you need to wear a Life Jacket?

- A. When on a boat
- B. When near an open body of water, such as a lake or the ocean
- C. When playing a water sport
- D. All of the above

4. How can you keep safe while swimming in a pool?

- A. Never swim alone
- B. Always make sure an adult is present
- C. Don't push, shove, or play rough
- D. All of the above

5. Which of these will protect you from drowning?

- A. An inner tube
- B. A pool noodle
- C. A life jacket
- D. All of the above

6. I should put on sunscreen:

- A. Every two hours when playing outside
- B. Before I head outside for a day in the sunshine
- C. After I go swimming
- D. All of the above

7. True or False: It is okay to dive into open water sites, such as a lake or a river, because they are deeper than pools.

8. If someone falls into the water and is in trouble, I should:

- A. Throw him a life ring or a life jacket
- B. Call out for help
- C. Use a stick, paddle, or other object to reach out to him
- D. All of the above

Name: _____

Lot or Dock # _____