



2022 Board-Recommended Nominees for 3-Year Term

Dan Johnston has been a member of the South Haven Yacht Club since 2012. His membership was initially forgotten until several months later, he came back, knocking on the door. However, since joining he has made several lifelong friendships. Dan was bereft in judgement and purchased his Bertram Yacht, aptly named Knot in Vein. He is a vascular surgeon in Kalamazoo for Advanced Vascular Surgery since 2009, specializing in arterial and venous abnormalities. If he were not a vascular surgeon, he would like to be a bartender, and enjoy time with friends and family. He also enjoys hunting, motor sports and fine dining. He is married to Dominique and they share a home in Pine Island, Florida.

Melanie Landry I have worked and resided in South Haven for more than 25 years, and I currently own Latitude Blue Salon located in central downtown South Haven.

I was first introduced to the SHYC by several friends and clients and I realized I wanted to become a member also!

That was six years ago and I have since served on the Race Committee for four years. . My time there with Kim Miksa and crew holds some of my fondest memories! Serving on the Social Committee has also been rewarding.

I currently chair the Membership Committee along with Kim Stokes and Jean Joseph. Meeting potential members is a great opportunity and very much enjoy this committee!

My greatest passion is being in my salon and creating ..with the hope and goal of making my clients happy. I have two amazing daughters. My daughter Leigha earned a law degree and currently has a marketing career in talent attraction for a tech co.

Daughter Lexie earned a Mortuary degree and owns a funeral home. I have two beautiful grandchildren that I am so blessed with and love spending time with .I am also blessed to spend time with a very special person...Marty Werschky.

My hobbies are anything that involves outdoor, water, boating ,running, pickleball, traveling, baking and eating! My hopes are to serve the board and members well as a potential board member.

Lee Utke is a Principal at Madison Marquette and is responsible for co-leading the firm's Corporate Solutions practice and Lemonade fund which specializes in acquiring and redeveloping vacant single tenant retail sites. Madison Marquette, headquartered in Washington DC, is a real estate investment management, investment banking, and real estate services firm with over \$7billion of AUM. Prior to joining Madison Marquette, Lee led global real estate operations at Whirlpool Corporation, managing a portfolio of more than 90 million square feet across 900 locations worldwide. During a 27-year tenure at Whirlpool, he was responsible for developing an enterprise delivery platform integrating all real estate, construction, workplace

design, and facility management activities into the company's operational and financial strategies. He also led real estate integration activities for Whirlpool's M&A activities. Lee is married to Pamela Utke, who recently retired from banking where she was a commercial lender. Lee and Pam have two daughters, Elizabeth, who is married and a practicing attorney in Traverse City and Alexandra, who is currently finishing her degree at Calvin University in Grand Rapids. Lee and Pam have been active participants at SHYC for over 26 years, and Lee previously served on the Board twice, including the last three years and is currently the Vice Commodore. Both Lee and Pam have been active boaters for 20-plus years, and enjoy extended cruising on their boat, Exhale.