

You are cordially invited to

Set Sail for Disaster

A Murder-Mystery Party

You have been invited on a pleasure cruise by Captain Michael Von Ammon. The guest list includes a number of the Captain's friends, family members, and business associates, as well as the crew of the Captain's sixty-foot yacht, the *Elizabeth May*. You will be expecting an evening cruise replete with dinner, drinks, and dancing—unfortunately things take a turn for the worst! At some point during the evening, one of the guests will be "killed", and the remainder of the evening will be spent piecing together clues to determine who the murderer is.

Join us for a night of fun! We will assign you a part for the dinner and encourage you to come dressed as your character! There'll be great food...laughs...suspense...and mystery solving! Spaces are limited so sign up fast!!! Must be at least 21 years old to participate. Advance sign up is required as each person is important in the mystery and this is a seated, catered event. Character Assignments will be sent out by 2/6/19.

Date: Saturday, February 16, 2019

Time: 6:30 pm

Location: Fr. White Hall, 110 S. School Street, Braidwood

Cost: \$30.00/person

Please RSVP no later than
Monday, February 4, 2019

Murder Mystery Registration Form

Guest #1: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Top 3 Character Preferences: _____

Guest #2: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Top 3 Character Preferences: _____

of guests: _____ x \$30.00 each = \$ _____

Make check payable to: Immaculate Conception Church
Return to Parish Office (110 S. School St., Braidwood, IL 60408) by Monday, Feb. 4, 2019.

Must be 21 to attend.

Contact: Sara Wollgast, (815) 287-2036

The Guest List

Male roles are marked ♂, female roles are marked ♀, and characters that can be either gender are marked ♀♂.

♂ **Michael Von Ammon (The Captain):** The well-to-do owner of the *Elizabeth May*, Captain Von Ammon is wealthy, successful, and well respected by all.

♀ **Elizabeth Von Ammon (The Captain's Wife):** A society lady of excellent breeding, Mrs. Elizabeth Von Ammon is highly cultured, beautiful, and well mannered. She is happily married to Captain Von Ammon and lives a lifestyle that is envied by many.

♀♂ **Dr. Jessie Parker (The Doctor):** Dr. Jessie Parker is a highly regarded plastic surgeon who caters to the wealthy and famous. Why Dr. Parker was invited on this cruise is something of a mystery to the other guests.

♂ **Mortimer Stout (The Banker):** Mortimer Stout is a financial genius who has a better understanding of accounting than he does of people. He is a longtime business associate of Captain Von Ammon.

♀ **Shelly Summers (The Actress):** Ms. Shelly Summers is a popular B-movie actress whose keen mind belies her somewhat ditzy demeanor.

♀♂ **Kris Laramie (The Author):** Kris Laramie is a best-selling author and critic, known both for a sharp tongue and a love of the bottle.

♂ **Jonathon Whipple (The Philanthropist):** Jonathon Whipple was once a feared and respected businessman, known for his cutthroat approach. In recent years, he has devoted himself wholeheartedly to charity, leading many to believe that he is seeking to atone for some dark secret.

♀ **Miss Alexandra Crane (The Debutante):** Miss Alexandra Crane has only recently become part of the local social scene. Hailing from an old and powerful East Coast family, she is an impulsive young lady who enjoys horseback riding, dancing, and theater.

♀♂ **Ashley Jones (Boat Staff):** Ashley Jones is one of Captain Von Ammon's hired hands, there to make certain that the ship (and the party) run smoothly.

♂ **Jake Morrison (The Gambler):** A close friend of the Captain, Mr. Jake Morrison is something of a loveable scoundrel; his greatest pleasures in life are fine wine, fine women, fine cigars, and the lure of the poker table (in no particular order).

♀ **Bridget Belle (The Model):** Equal parts sugar and spice, Bridget Belle is elegant, trendy, and sharp-tongued. A very successful swimsuit model, Ms. Belle is quite used to men doing whatever she requests.

♀♂ **Kelly McCorvin (Boat Staff):** Kelly McCorvin is one of Captain Von Ammon's hired hands, there to make certain that the ship (and the party) run smoothly.

♀♂ **Lane Garrison (Boat Staff):** Lane Garrison is one of Captain Von Ammon's hired hands, there to make certain that the ship (and the party) run smoothly.

♀♂ **Taylor Sattenworth (Boat Staff):** Taylor Sattenworth is one of Captain Von Ammon's hired hands, there to make certain that the ship (and the party) run smoothly.

♀♂ **Drew Henson (The Ship's Engineer):** (*Played by the Host/Hostess*) Drew Henson is the engineer of the *Elizabeth May*, in charge of keeping the yacht sailing smoothly and the crew at their posts. The Engineer doesn't normally mingle much with the Captain's friends, preferring to stay below decks with the machinery and the security system.

♂ **Claude LeQue (The Cook):** Educated at Le Cordon Bleu in Paris, Claude LeQue is Captain Von Ammon's personal chef. He rules the ship's kitchen with an iron hand.

♂ **Milton Sanford (The Gourmet):** A gourmet and food critic, Milton Sanford makes a living writing an occasional regular column for *Epicure Monthly*, a little-known culinary journal.

♂ **Jimmy Grimes (The Janitor):** Jimmy Grimes is the caretaker and Janitor aboard *The Elizabeth May*. It is his responsibility to keep the ship free of dust and dirt and to assist The Engineer in maintaining the yacht's engine.

♂ **Franklin Smith (The Architect):** A well-to-do architect and old friend of the Von Ammon family, Franklin Smith has gained several very lucrative contracts through The Captain's generous use of his contacts.

♀ **Regina Guissepe (The Bartender):** Polite, professional, and very discrete, Regina Guissepe is the bartender aboard *The Elizabeth May*. She makes a killer Bloody Mary and knows how to keep a secret.

♀ **Phyllis Howe (The Lawyer):** Phyllis Howe specializes in corporate law and copyright issues. She became friends with Elizabeth Von Ammon after meeting her at an art show.

♀ **Ophelia Saint (The Artist):** Ophelia Saint is an up and coming artist who has earned a degree of fame for her otherworldly sculptures.