

They've been keeping the secret since January...

But now, John and Linda Lyche are able to wear their Riverfest uniforms in public, as the new commodore and first mate for this year's summer festival in La Crosse. Linda Lyche says the couple's three children now live outside the area, so they were told about the honor early, and make plans to travel to La Crosse with the grandchildren for Riverfest. John Lyche has been president of Dura Tech and the former Ridgeview Industries in La Crosse. Linda is a retired school psychologist. Riverfest runs from July 3rd through the 6th.