



Issue #1

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## COMMODORES COMMENTS

I'm excited to unveil this FIRST issue of our email newsletter aptly named **e-Docklines**. Our intent is to provide BCYC Members with more timely communication throughout the year. We're planning to send the **e-Docklines** out quarterly, keeping the information fresh and updated on upcoming events while providing photos and stories on recent past events.



We'll evaluate at the end of the year to determine if there is any further purpose served in the expense of printing and mailing an annual DOCKLINES publication. In addition to this Quarterly email communication, you'll always be able to go onto our Website to find past issues of the **e-Docklines**. I also want

to encourage you to use our Website as a resource of the most up to date information on what's going on, as well as use it to register for events, order and pay for BCYC items (ie. Burgees, vinyl decals, logo clothing etc) and renew Memberships (85% of our members renewed online).

While we see a continued hyper focus on the Covid pandemic by the media, we are very encouraged with the success rate in vaccinations being administered as well as the stated effectiveness of the vaccines. With this in mind, it is the Boards intent and expectation that we will be able to hold our Cruising and Racing events as planned for the 2021 season. We promise to keep you posted if anything should change.

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## BCYC - RACING PROGRAM FOR 2021



This warm weather means that race season is just around the corner. The Skippers Meeting is scheduled for April 27 – via Zoom. You will be receiving an email with all the information for Zoom. Our first practice is May 11<sup>th</sup> and the first race of 2021 is the following Tuesday May 18<sup>th</sup>. If you haven't signed your boat up yet, please click on the link to go to the [2021 BCYC Racing Entry Form](#)

We will be doing our after race get-togethers at the Boyne City Marina's pavilion again this year.

Mark Madness is back on for this year as a ONE DAY EVENT, so put June 26<sup>th</sup> on your calendars. The racing will be followed by an awards ceremony and a BBQ. If you would like more information click on the link [Yachtscoring.com](http://Yachtscoring.com) where you will find the Notice of Race and the race entry forms.

If you are interested in sailing as a crew member or assisting on the Race Committee (Tuesday races or Mark Madness Regatta), please contact Race Fleet Captain - Rhett Lloyd ([rhettlloyd@msn.com](mailto:rhettlloyd@msn.com)).

We are looking forward to seeing everyone and for anticipating a successful racing season for 2021.

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## 2021 RACING CALENDAR - TUESDAY NIGHT SERIES

DATE	EVENT
April 27	Skippers meeting - via ZOOM
May 11	Practice Race
May 18 - June 29	Tuesday night races SPRING SERIES
July 6- August 17	Tuesday night races SUMMER SERIES
August 24 - October 5	Tuesday night races FALL SERIES
October 9	BCYC Racing Awards Banquet @ BC PAVILION

## OTHER RACING EVENTS

DATE	EVENT
May 29	BCYC - Nautical Garage Sale Fundraiser
June 26	BCYC - Mark Madness Regatta
September 4 - 5	CYC - Red Fox Regatta

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### ***DID YOU KNOW?***

#### **“Three sheets to the wind”**

We know this phrase as meaning very drunk. In sailors’ language, a sheet is a rope. If three sheets are not attached to the sails, as they ought to be, the sail will flap and the boat will lurch around in a drunken fashion. This common nautical phrase had a sliding scale where tipsy was “one sheet” and falling over was “three sheets”.

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**SATURDAY, May 29**  
**9am – 2pm**

**LOCATED IN HARBORAGE  
PARKING LOT  
448 FRONT ST. BOYNE CITY**

**HOSTED BY the BOYNE CITY  
YACHT CLUB (BCYC)**

#### HAVE SOMETHING TO SELL?

##### 2 OPTIONS FOR SELLING

1. Bring your items in on day of sale. Stay and sell them yourself; You receive 75% of sale price, 25% goes to BCYC
2. DONATE your ITEMS to the sale. All proceeds go to the BCYC

PLEASE DON'T BRING "FOR SALE"  
ITEMS TO THE HARBORAGE BEFORE  
8am on DATE OF SALE.

**ANY ITEM(S) NOT SOLD OR  
PICKED UP BY 2pm will be  
DONATED to Challenge Mtn.**

We will be happy to pickup donated items  
from you before the sale

All sales benefit the BCYC Racing Program

#### QUESTIONS?

**Rhett Lloyd – 231-340-0508**

IS YOUR BOAT STARTING TO LOOK LIKE THIS?



# NAUTICAL "GARAGE SALE"

SATURDAY, MAY 29TH

**HARBORAGE MARINA  
BOYNE CITY**



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**CRUISE FLEET PLANS FOR 2021**

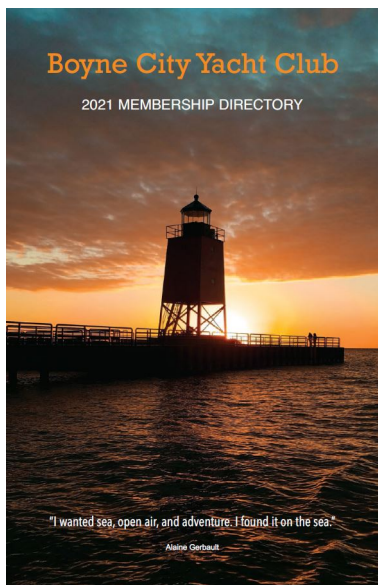


## **We're Baaaaack!**

With fingers crossed, your Cruise Fleet Directors have planned fun rendezvous at area marinas for the 2021 season. Reservations for boat slips have been overwhelming but you can use any mode of transportation you want to get there. The 2021 Cruise Fleet Events are posted on our [website](#). So, make your summer plans and come enjoy the fun.

Barb and Cindy

DATE	EVENT	EVENT HOSTS
June 11-13	Harbor Springs Rendezvous	Hank & Carol Ross Roger & Elaine Case
July 23-25	Elk Rapids Rendezvous	Brad & Susan Light Terry & Marilyn Nielsen
August 27 - 29	Leland Rendezvous	Bud & Nancy Shear
September 11	Show Your Team Colors	Dave & Linda Burnham Dan & Connie Wollschlager
October 16	Commodores Ball/Change of Watch	Dave & Linda Burnham Gibby & Lesley Underdown Mike Doumanian



## BCYC 2021 Membership Directory

Some great news! The 2021 Membership Directory is complete and is now being printed. The Directory will be mailed to all current BCYC Members the 1st week of May. We think it looks great and hope you enjoy it.

Please consider supporting our Directory advertisers anytime you are in the market for goods or services as their financial support makes this publication possible!

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**DO YOU NEED SOME BCYC SWAG?**



**CHECKOUT THE SHIPS STORE**

**[CLICK HERE TO SHOP](#)**

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**Coming soon to BCYC Events!**

Here's our newest promotional piece, called a "Feather Flag". You'll be seeing this flag at ALL BCYC Events this coming season. This flag stands 10' high and can be staked into the ground or simply set into a freestanding pavement stand. We felt it was time to promote more awareness of our club as we hold events in our local community. This should also make it easier for members to find our Events ;-)

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## **NEW MEMBERS SINCE JANUARY 2021**

We are pleased to WELCOME our NEWEST BCYC Members:



Michael and Julie Brady, Boyne City, MI  
Tammy and Chris Panzl, Boyne City, MI  
Tom and Carol Stockbridge, Boyne City, MI

## DO YOU KNOW SOMEBODY?

We're always looking for NEW Members. Do you have a friend/neighbor that might be interested to join our fun group and great events? They can go to our Website and click on the "Become a New Member" button on our Landing page or **Forward** a copy of this **e-Docklines** to them and have them click on the BUTTON below to complete a Membership application and pay ONLINE.

**Click - to Become a NEW Member**



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