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COMMODORES COMMENTS

Hello BCYC members!

It seemed liked this summer flew by in a couple of hours! As we wind down our summer activities, we had some great events and participation from our members.

August brought us our Mackinaw City rendezvous with the Boyne City Navy in attendance. We had a great cocktail party and many thanks to Peggy and Jay Smith and our cruise directors Cindy Binder and Barb Ellwanger for a great time! Additional thanks to Chris and



Tammy Panzl for taking me up and back, and to Tom and Barb Miller for the great accommodations!

Early September had the crew to Petoskey for the last rendezvous of the season. "Cheeseburgers in Paradise" was in full swing on a nice cool evening, and the food was not to be outdone! Jeff Kuluch cooked more cheeseburgers than a McDonalds at rush hour, so many thanks to Allison and Philo Lange, Julie and Andy Strickland, and Kim and Jeff Kulich for hosting a wonderful evening with over 130 members in attendance! This event is starting to rival our Harbor Springs party, so please put it on your next year calendar.

The Race Fleet kept busy every Tuesday night with the summer and now fall race series. Please make a point to attend their post-race dinner parties, as they have fabulous food for a small donation. This group of sailors have some of the best fun, as I witnessed on Rhett Lloyd's J/24. In addition, they helped the Charlevoix Yacht Club with the Red Fox Regatta arriving in Boyne City as honorary hosts.

Our next event is the annual Ball and Change at the Charlevoix Yacht Club. Registration is online now, so make sure to sign up! Dave and Ann Germond are our hosts, and the food will be catered by Grey Gables, and Yankee Station will highlight the dance floor!

Enjoy your fall and winter, and thank you for allowing me to lead the best Yacht Club in the best place one could ever imagine...

Gibby

BCYC - 2022 Ball & Change

The Board of Directors invites you to join us for a Special Event of DINING, DANCING & CELEBRATION

We'll be recognizing Commodore Gibby Underdown, acknowledging Past Commodore & congratulating Incoming & Outgoing Officers & Directors



Friday, October 21, 2022

5:30pm - 10pm

Charlevoix Yacht Club
220 Ferry Avenue
Charlevoix, MI 49720



BCYC - RACING PROGRAM FOR 2022



Race Fleet News

Race Fleet is wrapping up another successful season. We have 2 races left in the fall series which winds down on October 4th with our annual chili cook off. Flags for the first 3 place finishers in each season along with other awards will be presented at the Race Fleet Awards Banquet on October 11 at the Whiting Park Log Cabin.

2022 Race Fleet Event Schedule

| DATE | EVENT |
|---|--------------------------------------|
| April 26 | Skippers meeting @ 6:00 |
| May 10 | Practice Race @ 6:00 |
| May 17, 24, 31 June 7, 14, 21, 28 | Tuesday night races SPRING SERIES |
| July 5, 12, 19, 26 August 2, 9, 16 | Tuesday night races SUMMER SERIES |
| August 23, 30 September 6, 13, 20, 27 October 4 | Tuesday night races FALL SERIES |
| October 11 | BCYC Racing Awards Banquet |

OTHER RACE FLEET EVENTS

| DATE | EVENT |
|-----------------|---------------------------------------|
| May 21 | BCYC - Monte Carlo Night Fundraiser |
| May 28 | BCYC - Annual Nautical Garage Sale |
| June 18-19 | BCYC - Mark Madness Regatta |
| July 29, 30, 31 | LTYC Ugotta Regatta Harbor Springs |
| September 3, 4 | CYC - Red Fox Regatta |

CRUISE FLEET 2021



Mackinaw City Rendezvous

The Straits State Harbor in Mackinaw City is a great place for a BCYC rendezvous. The boat slips were plentiful and it was an easy ride for those members who chose to drive up. The weather could not have been nicer. The Cruise Fleet Captains kept it simple with a cocktail party at the small pavilion. In the usual style of BCYC members, we met up with old friends, and even met some new members. A great time was had by all in attendance and this event is sure to grow in coming years.





Horton Bay Raft Off

What a great day for the BCYC “raft off” I Horton Bay. Thanks to Brad & Susan Light for organizing the outing! Over 25 members participated with a variety of boats that came & went during the afternoon. It doesn’t get much better than this!

ps-photo credit to Ron & Trish Miller!





Petoskey Rendezvous

The Petoskey Rendezvous (aka-Cheeseburger in Paradise) on Saturday evening, September 10th was an amazing turnout & success. Over 110 BCYC members and guests showed up to feast on the finely prepared cheeseburgers and share in the dozens of passed dishes provided by members. More proof that the BCYC Membership LOVES to Party!

Over 14 boats came by "sea" and stayed for a couple nights while the majority of members came by land. Thanks to hosts: Allison & Philo Lange, Kim & Jeff Kulich, Julie & Andy Strickland for all the planning and preparing that took place to make this another highly successful BCYC

Event.



2022 BCYC CRUISE FLEET EVENT SCHEDULE

| DATE | EVENT | EVENT HOSTS |
|--|---|---|
| January 17 | <u>Snow Shoe and X-Country Trek</u> | Rob and Renee Reynolds Jeff and Connie Langhart |
| May 21 | Monte Carlo Night Fundraiser | Rhett Lloyd and Bill Howard |
| June 10-12 Party: June 11 | Harbor Springs Rendezvous | Erin Chenault and Dino DeRoia Julie Fisher and Michael Brady |
| July (TBD) | Raft Off | TBD |
| August 26 - 28 Party: August 27 | Mackinaw City Rendezvous | Sarah and Joe Wolf Peggy and Jay Smith |
| September 9 -11 Party: September 10 | Petoskey Rendezvous | Allison and Philo Lange Julie and Andy Strickland Kim and Jeff Kulich |
| October 21 | Ball and Change (Commodores Ball/Change Of Watch) | Dave & Ann Germond Mike Doumanian |

DO YOU NEED SOME BCYC SWAG?



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DID YOU KNOW?



Bombed!

Oddly enough, this has nothing to do with explosives. A Bombard is a pitcher containing 8 pints of liquid; to fully drink a bombard of ale, port, or Madera in one sitting would get a sailor bombarded or, simply, bombed.

The BCYC Feather Flag made an appearance at our events.

Our newest promotional piece, called a "Feather Flag" was seen at ALL BCYC Events this past season. This flag stands 10' high and is typically staked into the ground. We found the flag to be successful in promoting more awareness of our club as we held various events throughout

our community.



BCYC MEMBERSHIP

The Boyne City Yacht Club has received 61 new memberships during the 2022 season and has grown to a record breaking 313 memberships. The membership is composed of 51 single and 262 couple memberships for a total of 575 individuals!

We will begin our Annual Membership Renewal Campaign on October 1st by sending an email to all members. We will be asking you to validate your current membership information and to renew your 2023 membership. The annual membership dues for the 2023 season are \$30, still one of the best values around Lake Charlevoix.

Please welcome the following new members that have joined since our last eDocklines publication.

Thank you for joining “***not your typical yacht club!***”

Bill Binder, Membership Director

| First Name | Last Name | City/State |
|-------------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| Jack and Jill | Abelarde | East Jordan, MI |
| Steve and Jennifer | Beach | East Jordan, MI |
| Brian and Tanya | Bleeker | Boyne City, MI |
| Tom and Laura | Dabaldo | Birmingham, MI |
| Terri Derck and Charlie | Davis | Boyne City, MI |
| Robert and Jane | Hagen | Freeland, MI |
| Kurt and Mary | Krueger | Novi, MI |
| Karen and Tom | Linabury | Bay City, MI |
| Fred and Lisa | Lopatin | West Bloomfield, MI |
| Rick and Lynne | Meyer | Plymouth, MI |
| Jeff and Ellen Stewart- | Miller | Boyne City, MI |
| Tim and Nancy | Sparks | Charlevoix, MI |
| Debbie and Kirk | Vercnocke | Boyne City, MI |
| Kate | Worland | Alanson, 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**.

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