

THE JIBSHEET



Yaquina Bay Yacht Club, established 1947

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Happy New Year!

It may be winter, but there are lots of things going on at YBYC to plan for—and participate in—to keep warm and busy while we wait for spring.

The next big event is the Seafood & Wine Festival, coming up very soon in February. This event is our club's major fundraiser and requires a lot of planning and effort to be successful. More details inside.

The chili cook-off is always a fun event, and will be held during our first member meeting of the year! Get your spices and recipes ready if you want to enter! But regardless of whether you plan to bring an award-winning chili entry, we hope you all will attend as judges.

Hope to see everyone getting involved and sharing the fun times ahead!.

Board Bits:

The YBYC board met on Jan. 8. Here are some of the items on their agenda: Setting the 2019 budget (a big task); house issues including carpet maintenance; sign-ups for the upcoming Chili Cook Off; Seafood and Wine festival planning (need volunteers); dinghy repairs in advance of the HS sailing program; haul-out and service on the Boston Whaler; training/certification for chase boat operators; identifying projects for work parties, including storage organization and exterior work; the rest of the extended board meeting was devoted to goal-setting for this year.

The board will meet on Feb. 5. Members are welcome to attend and participate.

Board meeting minutes are available from our secretary. To receive a copy, please email: alimc_77@msn.com





Commodore's Report

Hello to all and Happy New Year!

I am excited for the upcoming year of Yacht Club activities, and all that a new year promises to bring. January has always been an opportunity for me to shake off the ham and eggnog of December holiday parties and start the year with new energy.

For our upcoming board meeting, that means goals and planning for the first meeting of the year. We have the Seafood and Wine festival coming up next month, which is always a good fund raiser for us, as well as a great way to interact with the community in the boating doldrums of the winter season. We'll be looking at our upcoming events calendar, and the race season with ideas on how to maximize participation and fun on the water. For me, the big focus will be to increase activities and participation for our existing members, as well as attracting new members to our club.

I think there is a good opportunity for us to increase our social events, parties, racing and regattas, and club activities on the water that are distinct for racing. To do this effectively, I think we'll all have to invite our friends to join the club, and participate in any new events. At the annual meeting two years ago, the theme was "Lifetime Member Appreciation". It was a great opportunity for me to learn about some of the members that had been so instrumental into building the club into what it is today. It was also a great eye opener to look back and see some of the things that the club has done in the past, and how vibrant and active the club has been at times. I know the best years lay ahead of us, and we'll get there with all the help of all the wonderful people that come together to share in the love of being on the water.

So let's all start gearing up for a successful year ahead of us! It's time to do some maintenance. Change the oil in the Yanmar, invite your friend in the slip next to you to look into the club and perhaps joint us at the January Chili Cook-off, mend any sails that are off for the season, volunteer for any upcoming club maintenance needs, drop hints to your partner that you need a bigger boat, and so on. And when the next storm hits, close your eyes and get stoked for the upcoming year!

Wishing you fair winds,

Dr. Ken Bishop, YBYC Commodore





Next member potluck is January 19th: The Famous YBYC Chili Cook-Off

Every January we have a delicious homemade chili cook-off for our January club potluck. This year, on **January 19**, we will have everyone voting for their favorite chili. There will be prizes for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place Chili Chefs.

If entering, please bring your chili, preferably in a crock pot (we do have a few available at the club), between **6:00 and 6:30 pm**. The dinner bell is at **7:00 pm**. If you're not bringing an entry, please bring a side, salad, or dessert for the potluck. There will be chili toppings available.

Everyone will be a judge. Using the honor system, everyone is asked to vote only once. The most popular 3 will receive awards. If you would like to share your *secret recipe*, you are welcome to bring copies to hand out.

Please remember to bring your own table service and beverages. We will have small cups available for taste testing. If you have any questions, please call Robin at 503-510-6974.

--Robin and Joe Speer, Hosts



Seafood and Wine Festival February 21-24

Most of us know about this event, and all it takes to make it happen each year. We'll have a sign-up sheet at the Chili Cook off, and you will have a chance to take a shift or two pouring wine, raising money, and representing the club while having a blast doing it! The big perk is that a three day pass goes with the job, so you can come back and be a participant when you're not working, or enjoy some wine after your shift without paying admission. Please get your friends together and get yourselves on the schedule ASAP. We also have space on the booth set-up and tear-down crews.

Gearing up for high school sailing

Spread the word! High school sailing will begin again before you know it. If you know of high school students who might be interested in sailing and racing, please contact YBYC race chair and Newport high school sailing coach, Greg Krutzikowsky.



Winter is here in full force, with late sunrises and early sunsets. But it's January now. The winter solstice has come and gone, 2018 has ended and 2019 has begun. Before we know it, we'll be spending Wednesdays back on the water... In the meantime, stay warm and cozy!
Photo by Dawn Barlow.

Member to Member

Support your fellow YBYC members! You can contact Ed (Mike F) to get your business listed here too

<p>Alan Brown Tire Center (Les Schwab)</p> <p>155 SW Coast Hwy Newport, OR (541) 265-6604</p> <p><i>Ask for Ken Brown, mgr</i></p>	<p>Moore Accounting Solutions– Business Accounting</p> <p>Newport and surrounding areas (541) 541-7400</p> <p><i>Helen Moore</i></p>
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