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Yaquina Bay Yacht Club, established 1947

November 2018

Hail and Farewell

The Big Yearly Awards And Changing of the Guard membership dinner and meeting is coming this Saturday, November 17, and we hope everyone will attend. More info inside.

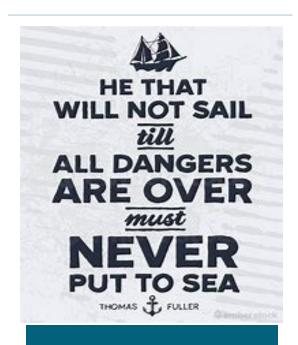
Please Remember to send in your dues beforehand or bring them to the meeting and hand to Dorothy to get your \$20 discount for paying early. YBYC is still the best deal around for a yacht club membership.

Please Volunteer your help to one of our new or returning Chair people on their respective committees. In particular, House Chair can always use more help keeping the clubhouse shipshape, and more hands always makes lighter work. No one person should have to do all the work involved.



Board Bits:

The YBYC board met on 11/8. Nominations for key positions were discussed, as well as recipients for various yearly awards and logistics for the November General meeting, which the Board traditionally hosts.



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Commodores Notes:

Well it has been one fast year. First I would like the members for their trust in my appointment as Vice Commodore. And it was though unfortunate events that I was pushed straight away into the frying pan and the Commodore's hat. This year as Commodore, I was able to re-establish a relationship with the Oregon Boating Foundation. It is my hope that we as the leaders in our marine areas can work together and build a

friendship based on safety and mutual respect. This year Wednesday night racing was a lot of fun. I am working with the ERM to put a flagpole at the swimming pool so as to forgo a committee boat and promote training on Race Committee from land. We brought in the Youth Membership package this year. And I would ad that we should work with OBF to promote some of Kayak combo deal under that membership program. After the Columbus Day Regatta, I asked all members to hail and use VHF 06 for YBYC Communication and was received well by the Coast Guard. For myself, it has been the busiest year in my life. I am hoping to be able to help the yacht club going into 2019 with more sailing programs. Cruises up river and to the lighthouse, crew training, a powerboat club and maybe even a Hobie Cat Club.

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Race and Cruise News

Thanks again to all who helped make it a fun racing season. Though there weren't many of us out there racing, those who showed up had a great time. There were many enjoyable afternoon/evenings spent sailing around Yaquina Bay, and some liked the less structured format made necessary due to low turnout. We had no committee

boat and so no "real" score-keeping, though we did encourage people to take their own times.

So on that note I will turn over the helm to the next Race Chair with gratitude for my opportunity to stand a watch, but with sincere hopes that the next RC chairperson can put the program back where it was, with full participation and real race series, things which I was unable to accomplish. Best of luck, and see you on the water next year! ~Mike Fulmor

Pictures courtesy of Elizabeth Haverhurst

Time to volunteer for next year

The Board has picked some candidates for the various officers, board seats and committee heads, and hopefully all will accept their new jobs.

What we really need, however, are members willing to serve on these committees and generally pitch in, so if you have any spare time or if you can make some, please consider serving your club as others have done since 1947. We can't afford a paid staff, unfortunately!

We can always introduce a mandatory work or pay system as some other clubs have done, but we have always tried to keep it voluntary and I'm sure everyone will agree that's a better way, as long as people actually volunteer.

Please be ready to step up when a board member asks you to help on a committee! Did I mention it's also fun?



November 17 General Meeting will be hosted by Your outgoing Board of Directors

Prime Rib Dinner with pot luck side dishes

Social hour at 6:00, dinner at 7:00, please bring table service (or do your own dishes) Mahalo.

This is the Big Member Meeting of the year when we elect our new officers and give awards for the previous year. Due to the high cost of beef these days we do have to charge \$10 for dinner to offset the expense, and also ask everyone to bring a side dish, dessert, or appetizer to share, not a huge amount, just enough to feed 6 or 8 people. BYO favorite beverage and the bar will also be open, see ya there!

Parade of Lights December 1

Sad news is that Captain Don of Marine Discovery Tours has passed away after a long battle with cancer, and as an integral part of this event, his loss puts a real damper on it.

We still can and should try to get as many boats decorated and out there as possible to make it into a memorial for him, and to keep this very important tradition going in his memory, but it probably won't have the organization it had in the past unless we take that aspect on ourselves. We will need to announce a skipper's meeting and assign numbers to create some kind of order out there, and hope we can rise to the occasion. Please sign up at the Annual Meeting if you are interested in taking part in this fun event that so many waterfront businesses depend on..



Kayaks are Available

In case you didn't know, we have three kayaks available for member use, secured to the boat rack out back by the shed. You can talk to Tom McNamara if you are interested in using them, because they require some skill and ability. Unlike the past, however, members can take them off premises if desired, and the same policy of you break it you fix it applies as it does with all our club boats. Paddling time is here, but going away soon...

Member to Member

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

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