The Jib Sheet



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A publication for the Members and Friends of the Yaquina Bay Yacht Club-est. 1947



Greetings! House Diva Barb and I send our best wishes to everyone for a happy, fun, healthy, prosperous, exciting and adventurous New Year. May all your dreams come true and turn out even better than you imagined they could.

Our YBYC dream of having a nice floating classroom facility for the Youth Sailing Program with storage for dinghies, gear, and kayaks is getting ever closer to coming true,

YBYC Calendar

Jan 6th

Frostbite Sail 12pm

Jan 19th

Monthly Mtg/Potluck & Chili Cook-off 6pm

Jan 20th

Frostbite Sail 12pm

Jan 23rd

Youth Sail Mtg 5:30pm Education Series 7:00pm

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as our non-profit sister organization, Oregon Boating Foundation, has completed the Floathouse purchase and is close to finalizing the deal with us whereby we get to use it in return for paying ongoing moorage and the initial costs of moving it to our dock. It looks like a win-win for everyone, especially the youth sailors who will be benefiting from having a home of their own. There will be several opportunities for you to volunteer your labor and skilled help to accomplish the renovation and move, so please stay tuned to our Yahoo Group for work party announcements and other pleas for help if you are interested in helping to make this all happen.

Your new Board of Directors has been very patient in enduring two marathon meetings so far, both well into the three-hour mark. The new Commodore extends apologies and will be trying to shorten them now that the hurdles of the Budget and other time-consuming extra agenda items are cleared up. Special thanks to Secretary Alice McNamara who does the unenviable task of transcribing the lengthy minutes. The good side is that much has been accomplished so it has not been wasted time, and we have had more than a few laughs

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Commodore's Log, cont'd

along the way. Our main focus remains to make our club more useful and fun, in order to increase membership and member participation.

One really fun event coming up January 19 is the annual Chili Cook-off, and another will be the Wine and Seafood festival happening four days around the last weekend in February. You can read about them in separate articles below, and we hope lots of you will participate and volunteer to make them successful.

Another so far unheralded event designed to add value to membership was our decision to purchase the 23' keelboat formerly known as Son 'o Beach, now renamed Spirit. This sweet sailing little boat will be available for any qualified member to use after a checkout. Due to the cost of maintaining her in good condition, there will initially be a "voluntary donation" for use, suggested at perhaps \$20/day or something ridiculously cheap compared with the cost of boat ownership or renting a boat anywhere else on the planet. She will remain available for overnight dock camping for the same donation, cheaper than a camp site at the park and a lot less hassle. Also, many of you know there has been an aluminum skiff for members to use (again, after a checkout) and now a motor generously donated by Joe Novello will be permanently attached so she'll be ready to go in a jiffy. There may be a suggested donation for use of the boat and crab pots to defray fuel and maintenance expense. More details to come on that.

Thanks for sending in your membership renewals, and don't forget to tell all your friends about the fun of being a part of the best yacht club in Newport! ©



The new float house

Membership

By Angela Sivers Membership Chair

Please welcome new member **Ted Brittsan!**

Have you moved in the past year, or changed email or phone numbers? If so, please notify our Membership ChairAngela at centralcoastmassage@gmail.com to update your information on our Member Directory.

Meet... the Cockle Clam

(Clinocardium nuttallii)
If you can see this inhabitant of Yaquina Bay while you are sailing, you probably should head to deeper water.
Just sayin'...

Vice Commodore

By Elliott Crowder

Ahoy y'all! First off let me tell you all it is an honor to be serving as your Vice. January is here so it's time to bust out your best chili and bring it down to the club for our annual chili cook off on the 19th, sounds like there might be some home brew as well. As Vice, it is my duty to sit on the OBF board and be a liaison between the two and report back so here goes: OBF has bought the float house we have all been talking about and is in the final stages of paper work for YBYC to start using it. I think this is all going to work out and be a great asset for both YBYC and OBF! There will be a work party to get the float house ready to move so stay tuned for further info.



Vice Commodore Elliott Crowder

OK now on to Seafood and Wine, which will be held next month February 21-24. It looks as though we got our corner booth back this year!!! I will be hitting people up to start filling times for people to work the show. This is our biggest fundraiser of the year so we want to make some \$\$\$ while having a lot of fun at the same time! If you would like to help just let us know and we will get you in a slot. We will also need help with set up and take down. All wine servers will need to get a temporary OLCC serving permit (they are free). The quick 20 minute class is being held at Newport Elks lodge at 6pm on Jan. 30th, Feb. 6th, or Feb. 13th. We will have sign up sheets for SF&W at the monthly meeting.

Now lets grab some coats and go sailing!

SEAFOOD AND WINE FESTIVAL February 21-24, 2013

Volunteer to help serve, set up and/or take down the **YBYC Booth**

Sign up at the clubhouse beginning Jan. 19th or contact Elliott Crowder, Daniella Crowder or Kelly Greer





Spirit, back when she was Son o' Beach.
Photo by Joe Novello.



Cheap Sunglasses in the sun.
Photo by Mike Fulmor

FORMER COMMODORE PASSES



Carl Dudley
YBYC Commodore 1984-85
Feb. 11, 1926 — Dec. 13, 2012

From the Albany Democrat-herald: Carlton Dudley, 86, of Albany died on December 13th, 2012.

He was born in Iowa Falls, Iowa, to Charles and Alice Dudley; one of seven children. After serving in the Navy, he attended college and played football at Linfield College in McMinnville and Oregon Technical Institute. A side job in an ice cream shop led to 65 years of marriage to Dolores Jean Cahill, the love of his life.

Carlton spent 19 years in law enforcement, 18 of which was in the Lincoln County Sheriff's Department. He was a member of the Multnomah County Sheriff's Posse and Lincoln County Sheriff's Posse and a life member of the Yaquina Bay Yacht Club.

Carl is survived by his loving wife, Dee Dudley; children Dennis Dudley, Donna White, Carla McCord, Diana Kriz-Stowe and Chuck Dudley; 11 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; brother Bob Dudley; and sister Bettie Smith.

He had a love for hunting, fishing, sailing, traveling, his horses and family.

YBYC has made a donation to Samaritan Evergreen Hospice in Carl's memory.

Race and Cruise Report

By Greg Krutzikowsky Racing Co-chair

2013 started with a sunny New Year's winter day in Newport. Several members took advantage of the glorious weather to go sailing on Yaquina Bay. At least 4 club boats with members and friends were out on the water in the easterly breeze that afternoon. It was a great start to the New Year. The weather cooperated on the following Sunday for the first of the Frostbite Series sails. I know at least one boat was out. but not sure how many others made it out that day. But it looks as though we are off to a great sailing year. Don't forget the Frostbite Series continue on the first and third Sunday's of each month. Next Frostbite sail is slated for the 20th of January.

Mac is starting to line up an education series and would love to get some input on member priorities. Some of the topics he is considering include race rules, so be sure to let him know what particular aspects are on your priority list so he can line it up (macmconnell@peak.org). As the race season draws nearer, we may also line up a sail measuring session for those who plan to race this year in an effort to ensure the Portsmouth Yardstick ratings for boats are in line with the sails they are carrying.

We are also starting to think about some cruise events for this season. We would love to hear from you what types of things are on your to-do list



Be sure to dress warmly for the Frostbite Series

this year. Want to sail out to Yaquina Head, raft up with friends up river, go bottom fishing, how about a trip out to see how many birds you can sight and identify? This is our club, so we can do our best to schedule things that are on your wish list. So make your wish list and share it with us.

WINTER EDUCATION SERIES

Second and 4th Wednesdays
Jan 23 – Apr 24
YBYC Clubhouse

Coming Up - Jan 23rd 7:00pm

Racing Starts: Right of way, rules at line up, strategies and timing

Mike Fulmor & Mac McConnell

Youth Sailing Organizational Meeting

By Joe Novello (joenovello3@gmail.com)

There will be a planning meeting for adults and youth sailors for the 2013 youth sailing program. The meeting will be on Wednesday January 23, 2013 at 5:30 pm in the YBYC clubhouse. This meeting for any parents and students interested in participating in any of the youth sailing programs listed below.

Youngsters participating in the youth program must be current members of the Yaquina Bay Yacht Club either as part of a family membership or have their own youth membership. Membership applications will be available at the organizational meeting. This year the program will be divided into three groups; varsity, junior varsity, and juniors. Varsity is only for serious sailors, JV is for serious-but-unable-to- qualify-for-varsity sailors, and juniors are everyone else ages six through 18.

VARSITY*

- Must be in grades 9 12
- Starts February 20, 2013
- Must commit to three NWISA regattas (parents arrange transportation and lodging). Sailing in three varsity events also makes athlete eligible for Athletic Letter at their local High School.
- Must have sailed a percentage of Wednesdays evening races the previous summer
- Must participate in club events and fundraising
- · Must sail in or support the Spring Regatta
- Must sail in the junior regatta May 11, 2013

JUNIOR VARSITY (JV)

- Must be in grades 7 12 (exceptions for younger students who have been on the team in prior years or who can demonstrate intermediate level sailing skills)
- Starts February 20, 2013
- Must commit to two NWISA regattas
- Must sail or support Spring Regatta
- Must sail in the junior regatta May 11, 2013



Photo by solarsail56

*In order to have a VARSITY team, league rules require at least four student team members from an individual high school.

Juniors

- May be youth of any age 6 18 who are new or beginning sailors
- Practice Mondays and Wednesdays April 1st through April 24th.
- Must sail in the junior regatta May 11, 2013

All youth are expected to help with at least one fund raising activity and/or the Loyalty Days Parade. In order to remain in the program, students must plan to attend all practices, although three excused absences may be approved by the coaches. We will be training youth to run both committee and chase boats this year so they can have a variety of on the water experiences.



Going to Get Hot Up in Here



Annual Chili Cook-Off Jan 19

It's time to dig out your Chili Pot and plan out your recipes for the 2013 Annual Chili Cook Off, this month's Monthly Meeting. We will have three Newport Area Celebrity Judges: returning will be Michael Walliser, owner of Saffron Salmon, and joining him will be first-time judges Don Mann, Port of Newport General Manager, and Bier-One owner Luke Simonsen. The contest is open to all members, and in addition to the main judging, everyone there gets to vote for the People's Choice Awards. Winners will receive gift certificates from some great local eating and drinking establishments.

Since this is not a classic Texas Red Chili contest, all varieties of Chili are welcome and judging will be based on general criteria of pleasing color, aroma, texture, and of course flavor. People's Choice judging will be your favorite three, ranked in order. It will all be "blind" in the sense that each chili will be assigned a number, and nobody will know who made what. That way we hope it's fair for the returning champion to enter, but otherwise he'll just have a pot of his "Night Watch" chili to share...

As always, please remember to BYOB and place settings, and those not entering the contest are invited to bring side dishes, salads, or desserts for potluck. Some adult beverages, possibly margaritas, will be offered by your host, Commodore Mike. Hope to see you all there for a very fun evening!



January Meeting

Saturday, January 19th at 6:00pm

Entering the chili contest? Bring your pot between 6 and 6:30 to get in the judging. People's Choice tasting starts at 7pm.



Tim Myrick spends some time in the boat he bought "for his daughter".

Board Bits

Due to the Jan. 1 holiday, the board met on Jan. 8. Among items on their agenda were: The 2013 budget was created and approved; heard reports from our commodore and from OBF on the new floathouse, which is making good progress; plans for this month's Chili Cook-Off were divulged; preparations for the Seafood and Wine fest are beginning; Race Committee will consider making our fall regatta part of a nation-wide series of benefit regattas for Hospice organizations; a series of pre-season classes were proposed by the Education committee; efforts are under way to consolidate and streamline our web presence; the youth program reported on preparations for the coming season, including a youth regatta here in May.

Flotsam and Jetsam



- A Remember you can make a *tax-deductible* donation through the Oregon Boating Foundation. The money is used to provide community boating education and all donations are greatly appreciated. For monetary or other donations please contact OBF Chair Dan Van Calcar.
- Visit the YBYC <u>Yahoo group site</u> (http://groups.yahoo.com/group/ybycgroup/): It's the best place to keep up on club and member activities, chat and exchange info with fellow members. You can also read Board minutes. The Club also has a Facebook page, check it out! It's updated frequently so you can be sure to keep abreast of club activities.



Editors Corner

Thanks to everyone who submitted information for this issue, and also to the six (6) people who took the newsletter survey last month © We are working to help streamline YBYC communications. In the meantime:

- 1. Each newsletter will be posted on the YBYC website on about the second weekend of the month (which is after the Board meeting but before the monthly potluck).
- 2. Archives of past issues are also on the website.
- 3. If hyperlinks don't work in your issue of the *Jib Sheet*, try copying and pasting the complete URL into your browser.

- Cait Goodwin

Member-2-Member Network

Have you ever needed a carpenter, cabinet maker, tile setter, tire company and didn't know who to call? Ever needed to have an item on your boat or home repaired, but had no idea where to call? Rather than calling a stranger or looking in the yellow pages, **call another YBYC member!** Every member who runs a business or performs a service is encouraged to signup. It's totally FREE to members! Non-members pay a nominal fee. Want to get yourself listed? Email the YBYC newsletter editor at goodrice@earthlink.net with your listing information. We need to support our own, especially in this economic climate. Please consider doing what you can.

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YBYC Classified



Flamingo is for sale

She is a \bar{J} -24, 1978 vintage, in good condition, fully equipped, sails well, all running rigging has been replaced, New Load Path Vectran Sails X 1 season, OB motor, extra sails, depth finder (nice to have on the bay) 2 Axle Trailer....\$6,500.00 OBO

Call Paul at 541-765-4467 or (Cell) 541-961-3970 or email pmerskine@yahoo.com

For Sale: Cascade 9 fiberglass boat. Great tender for a larger boat or all around boat for multiple uses. The CD 9 can be sailed, rowed, or motored and seats two adults comfortably. My daughter and I have used the boat to fish local lakes with much success. The boat transports easily in the back of a pickup truck. The sail rig is brand new and has never been used since I bought it from Cascade Yachts three years ago. Not many of these great boats around and they don't make them any more. A nice description of the boat can be seen at the Cascade web site: http://www.cascadeyachtworks.com/models/dinghy/. The boat for sail is red with a white sail. All sailing gear and oars are included. This boat is ready to hit the water. Contact Joe joenovello3@gmail.com

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Commodore's Log By Mike Fulmor

These are exciting times for YBYC, with the Boathouse about to be moved to our dock just in time for the start of High School Sailing. Hopes are high that this new addition will spur a new surge in community interest and stimulate new growth for the club. I believe we all should take advantage of this opportunity to talk up the club to

YBYC Calendar

Feb 13th – Knot Night, 7pm

Feb 16th – Wine Tasting & Pasta Monthly Potluck, 6pm

Feb 17th Frostbite Sail, 12pm

Feb 20th Movie Night, 7pm

Feb 27th Bay Wildlife, 7pm

Mar 3rd Frostbite Sail, 12pm

Mar 6th Movie Night, 7pm

Mar 13th Know Your Bay, 7pm

Mar 16th Blessing of the Fleet

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everyone who shows any interest and do our best to encourage new membership. There will be lots of chances to pass out membership info at the Seafood and Wine Fest at the end of the month, and we all encounter numerous folks every day who might be potential members, but think they need a boat or they already have to be sailors to join. The expanding youth program should be great incentive for young families to take the plunge, and our upcoming Membership Drive may be the catalyst they need to get that application in.

The details are not all fleshed out yet, but in addition to the \$50 discount I always give on my keelboat lessons for members, we may be offering a discount on the adult dinghy classes as well, and hopefully our virtually free junior sailing lessons will also be a great incentive to join. Of course the icing on the cake is the free use of the small boats and the almost free use of the 23' keelboat *Spirit*, plus the use of



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Commodore's Log, cont'd

the aluminum crabbing boat and crab traps. Who needs to own a boat?

So, if we all work together promoting the club every day by wearing our YBYC jackets, shirts and hats (we all have them, right?) and casually letting it be known that the club is doing good things and is a perfect place for families to have good clean fun together, let's hope we can grow our membership by 30-50% this year and really make a splash around town, so to speak. Part of the success will be due to how well we welcome our new members, so let's all make the effort to seek them out, introduce them around, and mentor them about all the club stuff we all know and take for granted.

Thanks to you all for renewing your memberships, by the way, and if you have forgotten to write that check for this year, hopefully you will remember and go do it right now?

Hope to see everyone at the club next Saturday for what I fondly refer to as "Wino Night" ②. As usual the folks working the booth at Wine and Seafood will be learning how to pour a proper amount of awardwinning Red Diamond for customers, but if you, like myself, want to bring something different (or Non-Alcoholic) for tasting, that could be fun and educational as well! There will be a great Italian dinner, and, as usual, you are welcome to bring a side, salad, or desert to share, and your place settings.

--Commodore Mike

Seafood and Wine Festival February 21-24, 2013

Our YBYC booth will feature Red Diamond wines. Talk it up!

Blessing of the Fleet - March 16th

By Stephanie Brown

March 16 is the Annual Blessing of the Fleet, put on by the Newport Fishermen's Wives. Join in the parade on the water and get your season started right. Decorate your vessel with flags and be part of this amazing tradition. Newport's commercial fleet leads the parade, and as each vessel passes the Coast Guard MLB Victory, the onboard clergy casts a benediction. If you can't join on the water, you can tune your radio and listen to the running commentary on the parade, which information includes the on participating vessels, their fisheries, and general history of the boating families that make Newport their Home Port. Registration forms are available at Englund Marine, and participation in the Parade is free.

http://newportfishermenswives.com/



F/V Kylie Lynn is decked out for the Blessing of the Fleet

Winter Education Agenda

By Mac McConnell

Check out the exciting line-up of Education Events offered this winter at the club. There's something for everyone, so be sure to stop by!

February 13th, 7pm KNOT NIGHT

Jerry Hart covers dock lines, knot tying, and rigging tuning. Includes splicing workshop!

February 20th, 7pm MOVIE NIGHT

Bring a friend, a snack and a smile. Kids welcome. Title TBA.

February 27th, 7pm BAY WILDLIFE

Discover the creatures of Yaquina Bay: Birds, mammals, fish, mollusks, seaweeds and all kinds of slimy things.

March 6th, 7pm MOVIE NIGHT

Bring a friend, a snack and a wisecrack. Kids welcome. Title TBA.

March 13th, 7pm KNOW YOUR BAY

Joe Novello shares general area knowledge: Tides, features of the Bay and near shore, winds, currents and obstructions.

March 27th, 7pm RACE READINESS

Greg Krutzikowsky explains Portsmouth Yardstick, sail measure, Committee Boat responsibilities and more.

April 3rd, 7pm MOVIE NIGHT

Bring a friend, a snack and whatever might "ale ye". Aaarrrgh, pirates and kids welcome. Title TBA.

April 10th, 7pm SAFETY DRILLS – Part I

Joe Novello covers boating safety and Man Overboard procedures.

Sat, April 13th 10am CHECK OUTS AND CRABS

Come get checked out to run the committee boat, Spirit and/or skiff. At the same time, learn about bay crabbing: How, where, rules, and timing. We'll bait some boxes and show you how to have a great day on the Bay the "crab catchin' way".

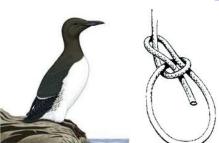
April 13th, 1-2pm SAFETY DRILLS – Part II

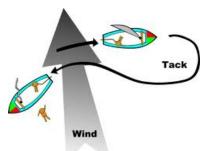
Joe leads practice Man Overboard Drills in the Bay with real live volunteers in the water.



April 24th, 7pm A GOOD START

Just in time for racing season, Mike Fulmor covers racing starts, right of way, strategies, protests and more.





February Meeting

Saturday, February 16th 6:00pm

WINE TASTING

What could go better with an Italian pasta dinner than some delicious Red Diamond wines?

Come taste the wines the YBYC will be serving at the Seafood & Wine Festival this month!



Hospitality Hosts

Mark your 2013 calendars now so you won't accidentally miss any of our fun monthly potluck meetings!

We still need volunteers who can plan and host these monthly meetings, so please contact Hospitality Chair Amy Greer at amkelgreer@charter.net and let her know which meeting you would like to host.

MARCH 16th – St. Patrick's Day theme

Hosts: Elliott and Mac

APRIL 20th – Beer Brewing Contest

Hosts: **NEED VOLUNTEERS**

MAY 18th – Theme TBA Host: Annie Catalano

JUNE 15th - Sailstice?

Hosts: NEED VOLUNTEERS

JULY 20th – Independence Celebration

Hosts: **NEED VOLUNTEERS**

AUGUST 17th – Bridge to Bridge?

Hosts: NEED VOLUNTEERS

SEPTEMBER 21st – Dock Walk Hosts: **NEED VOLUNTEERS**

OCTOBER 19th – Halloween? Hosts: **NEED VOLUNTEERS**

NOVEMBER 16th – Annual Meeting

Hosts: NEED VOLUNTEERS

These meetings are also listed on the Calendar section of the YBYC website: http://www.yaguinabayyachtclub.org/

Race and Cruise News You Can Use

By Greg Krutzikowsky

February is here! The month when we typically see daffodils start stretching for the sun. We certainly had plenty of sun last month and many sailors took advantage of it to get out on the water during the Frostbite Series. Don't forget to get out with fellow sailors on the first and third Sunday of the month for some winter sailing.

After getting input from sailors in our post-season survey on how to structure the upcoming season, we have set the schedule for race and cruise events for 2013. Here's what to expect:

Three Regattas on Yaquina Bay

- Spring Regatta Apr 27-28
- Youth Regatta May 11
- Columbus Day Hospice Regatta Oct 12-13

3 Race Series with 7 races each

- Spring Series: May 1-Jun 26
- Summer Series: Jul 10-Aug 21
- Fall Series: Aug 28 Oct 9
- 2 throwouts per series if enough races are sailed

Bridge to Bridge Race Aug 17-18

3 Fun races

- May 29 near Memorial Day
- Jul 3rd near 4th of July
- Sep 4th near Labor Day

Cruise events that include:

- Thursday social sails throughout the summer after Memorial Day until Labor Day
- Bottom fishing trip
- Sailstice outing to Yaquina Head
- Raft up
- Trip to Toledo for summer festival and fireworks

Note that our Columbus Day Regatta is planned to be an event to raise awareness and funds for the Hospice in Newport this year. Giovanni Catalano came to the board with the idea of holding a Hospice Regatta. He told the Board about the National Hospice Regatta Alliance http://www.hospiceregattas.org/ and how these types of events are put on at other clubs across the nation. After a bit of investigation, the Board decided that this would be a great community activity for YBYC and they gave the "go ahead" to make it happen. This should be a fantastic happening that will involve the Newport community. To make this event a huge success, we will need your help to secure sponsors, organize fund raising activities to go with our regatta, and publicize it all.

Treasurer's Report

By Dorothy Bogumil

Many thanks to all the members who have promptly sent in their dues for 2013! Below is a list of **YBYC Members in Good Standing** as of February 5th. If you're not on the list, please get your dues into Dorothy ASAP.

MEMBERS IN GOOD STANDING

Almas, Kevin & Dawn Hudness Beggs, Larry & Mary Ann Benton, George Blust, Max Bogumil, Dorothy Brasseur, Eric Brittson, Ted Brown, Ken & Stephanie Campbell, Alice Catalano, Giovanni & Annie Crichton, Blaine Cole, Ron & Donita Conn, Billy Cressy, Jeff & Donna Crowder, Eilliott & Daniella Davisson, Larry & Edith Agoff Dougherty, John & Barb Dudley, Dee Erskine, Paul Fontanini, Judy Fulmor, Mike & Barbara Germaneri, Steve Greer, Kelly & amy Hadden, Guy & Donna Hettman, Gary & Marsha Kellev. Norman & Alice Klinck, Holger & Karolin

Krutzikowsky, Greg & Vicki Lettenmaier, Terry & Laurie Weitkamp Loew, Leonard & Marla McConnell, Mac & Cindy McNamara, Tom & Alice Milligan, Cindy Murphy, Tom & Karel Myrick, Tim & Sarah Novello, Joe & Peggy O'Callaghan, Peggy Olsen, Jeff Raichl, Kevin Rice, Jim & Cait Goodwin Riddell, Don Schmaltz, Dave & Barb Schrantz, Jeff & Carol Ozenberger Semple, Barry & Anna Sharpless, Larry Sivers, Angela Stoll, Bernie & Tamara Tilson, Murray Van Calcar, Dan & Diane Henkels Watrous, George & Gail Wells, Alan White, Mary Williams, Buzz & Anne Wilson, Marc & Gabrielle



ATTENTION BREWMEISTERS Beer Brewing Contest – April 20th

April's monthly potluck/meeting will feature a judged homebrew competition. That means you'd better get your best batch started soon so it will be ready in time!

Bridge To Bridge Planning and Doing

By Mike Blackburn

I'm a planner. I have notebooks for different projects that I work on. There's one for woodworking projects that I can sketch in and make lists of boards to cut and supplies to buy. And I have a notebook for each of our boats: first the Balboa 24, Eastwind, and now Hispaniola our Catalina 27. I keep notes, like a logbook, of days sailing and other events. Plus I keep track of things that need fixing, skills I need to work on myself and things that went right. Guess which is the long list. I use my iPhone to keep lists and make notes now, too. I'm getting ready to order line and blocks for some new running rigging so I have lists going for those and print-outs of Catalina 27 rigging specs.

That's right, it's time for planning the new sailing year: 2013. I plan to do almost all the same stuff as usual, but I plan to do new stuff, too. The trick, for me, is to make sure and DO IT. I plan everything I can think of but it's not possible to do it all. I'm not kidding: I can think of lots of stuff that needs doing and fun stuff I want to do but it may not be possible to do it all.

All of which brings me to planning for the Bridge to Bridge Offshore Race this coming August. It will be the second year for Pat and me to organize it and we're figuring that part out. But, if you want to sail in the race, it can be a significant undertaking and require advanced planning. If you plan to race in an offshore race, the requirements

are pretty specific and it can cost a lot more than the requirements for local racing. If you want to enter your boat in Bridge to Bridge you shouldn't wait until summer. Start planning now. Get together with other skippers to pool resources and share costs.

There will be crew who want to sail in the race. I don't think there will be any lack for crew. If you want to crew, think about sharing costs with the skipper you sail with and help with gear and other expenses. There's fuel, moorage at Astoria, and maybe a life raft rental.

It would be great to see more boats from Newport entered in the race. You have to get your boat up there from Newport. That takes some time and is a reason some skippers give for not wanting to do the race. Think about all the Astoria/Portland sailors who sail the race down to Newport. When the party's over, they have to sail back home. That's a major task because then they're usually sailing back against the prevailing wind. Yet we get most of our entries from there.

Here's something to factor into the plan: the Astoria Yacht Club annual regatta is the weekend before the Bridge to Bridge. Sail up to Astoria, race in the regatta on the Columbia River, rest up during the week and then race down the coast in the Bridge to Bridge. You may even have

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a trailer-able boat that you can tow up and sail home. It will take some planning. Here's one place to look for the offshore race requirements:

http://piyasailing.com/2013 PIYACertificate A.pdf
Category 1 applies to Bridge to Bridge. It can sound daunting, but if you have a 24' or larger sailboat that is in seaworthy condition, you can probably enter it.

If you have any questions contact me at <u>b2b@yaquinabayyachtclub.org</u> or at 541-570-0498.

The B2B NOR is posted on the YBYC website.

- Mike Blackburn

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New Member

Please welcome Blaine Crichton as an Honorary Member of YBYC. Blaine was voted in at the February BOD meeting for his hard work repairing the broken glass wall.

Quote of the Month

"Any fool can carry on, but a wise man knows how to shorten sail in time."

- Joseph Conrad

Board Bits

The YBYC board met on 2/5. Items on the agenda included: The floathouse project is moving through red tape, and will be moved soon; plans for the floathouse interior were presented; Seafood and Wine Festival preparations are in good order; committee chairs will be revising operating procedures; ambitious schedule of educational meetings has been presented; the youth have had sailina teams their organizational meeting; heard more on the proposed Hospice Regatta and voted to formally join the alliance; a spring membership drive is being considered. The next meeting of the board will be on 3/5.

Testimonial: Member Services

YBYC members offer service and savings

By Mac McConnell

It came on slowly; the numbness in my toes was creeping into the bottoms of my feet. I began having difficulty with toes curling and tripping when barefoot and not feeling rocks when I walked barefoot. My family doc poked my foot with needles and tapped and pinched saying "Uhh huhh".

"So, what's going on?" I asked.

"We'll keep an eye on it" was the reply. "You're no spring chicken you know".

Oh, how comforting, I thought.

I made an appointment with our club member Angela Sivers, the <u>Massage Angel</u>. She asked, "Anything you want me to concentrate on?"

I thought and replied, a little embarrassed about having age related neuropathic problems. "Oh no, nothing special, just a general massage I guess".

Very slowly and methodically she began with my back and worked down to my feet and there she stopped and spent a very long time, without my saying a thing. She massaged and kneaded and moved my feet and toes ever so gently but forcefully at the same time. When the massage ended, my lower legs and feet tingled, my ankles and feet felt hot and as I walked out of the building I felt a spring in my step that had been long absent. For days my feet and toes tingled and legs felt warm. I returned again and told Angela my story to which

she gave a knowing smile. "How did you know?" She again did foot work and again, my feet and toes were alive as they had not been for a long, long time, and continue to be.

I encourage you to experience the "Massage Angel" and the wonders of her craft. She advertises in our newsletter where you can get her address and don't be shy to ask for a Club discount.

Using member services not only provides you with the best services but the savings are phenomenal. Joe Novello said that the savings he received from Bike Newport more than paid for his membership to the Club. Our experiences at Ken's Les Schwab similarly saves us not only money but the service is far above the norm. Ocean Pulse is my choice for water related gear. Steph does all our engraving, just to name a few.

At American Home and Stone, a complete home services center, we offer granite counter tops, cabinets, flooring of all kinds, spas, window treatments, design services and stoves. Our craftsmanship is the finest (absolute perfection our motto), service (friendly smile, always on time and on budget) the best, and the savings we offer to club members (10% discount) along with price match guarantees makes American Home and Stone the place to go for all home interior needs.

Take time to look at the Member-to-Member Network (page 10) and shop there first.

Now, let's go sailing!

Member-2-Member Network

Need a service but don't know who to call? Rather than calling a stranger or looking in the yellow pages, **call another YBYC member!** Every member who runs a business or performs a service is encouraged to sign up. It's totally FREE to members! Non-members pay a nominal fee. Want to get yourself listed? Email the YBYC newsletter editor at goodrice@earthlink.net with your listing information.

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The Jib Sheet



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Commodore's Log By Mike Fulmor

February flew by, and March is marching madly towards April and the start of sailing season. Let's hope you are all more organized than your Commodore, getting your boats all prepped and ready for the racing next month. It occurs to me we've never held an Opening Day since I've been a member. I don't know



if anyone is interested, but if we wanted to hold a boat parade, perhaps judge the best maintained, best dressed, and/or most ship-shape boat in our fleet, and invite the community to an open house in April we could try it and see if it's fun? I would appreciate any feedback from the membership about this idea and will put a poll on the Yahoo group. Maybe you could Google the term to see what other clubs around the country do. Blue blazers and white pants (or skirts) would certainly not be necessary for our casual club, it could just be another way to bring the community in and perhaps find new members.

YBYC Calendar

Mar 13th Know Your Bay, 7pm

Mar 16th Blessing of the Fleet, 12:45pm Monthly Potluck, 6pm

Mar 17th Frostbite Sail, 12pm

Mar 27th Wildlife Matters, 7pm

Apr 7th Frostbite Sail, 12pm

The days of Wine and Seafood were quite lucrative, thanks to all the great volunteer help and Elliot's great job leading the effort. As well as bringing in near record revenue, it appeared the entire crew had fun running the booth.

Mac's education and entertainment programs have been going well, and I urge everyone to watch for the dates and show up for these fun Wednesday night events.

The Floathouse/Youth Clubhouse is already getting some use, even though not entirely set up yet, and the kids are benefiting from more time on the water as a result. Stay tuned for more opportunities to help with improvement projects in the coming weeks.

Don't miss the Saint Patrick's Day themed potluck aka general membership meeting this weekend, March 16, co-hosted by Mac and Elliot. The April meeting will feature an informal home brew judging, mostly Porter style beer if you have a batch, otherwise whatever you have to share. Tom and I are taking suggestions for Beer Food to serve, so far Pizza, Brats, meatballs, wings, and other such health foods are all we can think of, so please share your ideas in the next few weeks if you have some. Maybe a hearty beef stew?

Sorry this is brief, but I'm late, and the clocks are running early. See you soon.

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Blessing of the Fleet

By Stephanie Brown

March 16th is the Annual Blessing of the Fleet, put on by the <u>Newport Fishermen's Wives</u>. Join in the parade on the water and get your season started right. Decorate your vessel with flags and be part of this amazing tradition. Newport's commercial fleet leads the parade, and as each vessel passes the Coast Guard MLB Victory, the onboard clergy casts a benediction. If you can't join on the water, you can tune your radio and listen to the running commentary on the parade, which includes information on the participating vessels, their fisheries, and general history of the boating families that make Newport their Home Port.

Read more about the day's events at http://newportfishermenswives.com/

The Parade and Blessing begins at 12:45pm from the area near the Port's international terminal. Anyone wishing to participate can pick up a vessel registration form at Schiewe Marine or Englund Marine Supply stores on Newport's Bayfront. All registrations need to be returned to Schiewe's or Englund's by 11:00 AM on the morning of the event.



Monthly Potluck Meeting Saturday, March 16th 6:00pm





The tall ship **Alexander von Humboldt II** (it's green)

It's time to get our Irish on! Mac and I, two Irish boys from this side of the pond, are cooking up some corned beef and cabbage. I do love corned beef, so it just might be good!! We may even have a few adult beverages, so come on down to the clubhouse on Saturday the 16th at 6 pm with your green on of course and let's have some fun. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share, and don't forget your place settings!

-Elliott

Winter Education Series

The sun might set earlier than we'd like this time of year, but that doesn't mean we can't still have fun on Wednesday nights at the clubhouse! This winter's education series has alternated so far between informative talks and popcorn movie nights. The schedule for April might get changed around a bit from the original plan, but here's an announcement for the next two events:

Know Your Bay

Presenter: Joe Novello March 13th, 7pm

Joe shares general area knowledge: Tides, features of the Bay and near shore, winds, currents and obstructions. Everyone is welcome.

Wildlife Matters: Identifying the wildlife of the Oregon coast

Presenter: Dawn Grafe, USFWS March 27th, 7pm



The rocky coastline of Oregon provides habitat for 13 different species of seabirds. Four different species of seals and sea lions use the coastal islands for breeding and haulout areas. But did you know the coast is also an important wintering area for loons, grebes and sea ducks? Dawn Grafe is the Visitor Services Manager for Oregon Islands National Wildlife Refuge. Join her and learn more about the wildlife of the Oregon coast and how the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service works with others to conserve it.

Fundraiser Report

By Elliott Crowder

Whew!! Seafood and Wine is now behind us, but what a party! YBYC hade a great year in the tent: Our sales were up compared to last year and we made some money for the club. Of course, we could not have pulled it off without our great volunteers who staffed the booth and helped with set-up and take down. We even had one group of volunteers show up all in matching zebra costumes, which was a big hit with the swarm of winos. So, a big round of THANKS to all of you who helped!



Annie and Elliott staff the YBYC booth at the Seafood and Wine Festival (not pictured: zebras)

Quote of the Month

"No more expensive way of going slowly has been invented by man than sailing."

-Chris Caswell

Youth Sailing Update

By Joe Novello

The high school youth sailing program is off and running. We have eight sailors including Varsity team members Josh Viar, Austin Versteeg, Robert Pratt, Austin Ligon, Landon Reno, and Dakota Lager; Junior Varsity includes Tristan Scarborough and Ronan Krutzikowsky. Coaches this year include Joe Novello, Laurie Weitcamp and Terry Lettenmeier.





Our sailors hit the water on Wednesday, February 25th and quickly regained skills learned last year. Coach Terry developed a new and drill of racing unusual around one buoy. Skippers try to keep the boat moving, sailing up and downwind trying to maneuver inside the other boats. Other drills include tacking, jibing, 360/720 penalty turns and roll tacking. Practice usually ends with five to windward - leeward races that last three to five minutes each. With daylight savings time coming up in the next couple of weeks we looking forward to stretching our practices from two to three hours on Mondays and Wednesday. Look for us in front of the embarcadero in the area of the Coast Guard mooring buoy.



YBYC members help fix up the new Floathouse/Youth Clubhouse.

Many hands make light(er) work!

SPONSOR A CHAIR - Youth Sailing Fundraiser



The youth sailing program is looking for help furnishing the new float house. We are having a "Sponsor a Chair" fund raising project and hope to find sponsors for thirty plastic resin chairs to be used for youth sailing activities. For **fifteen dollars** you can sponsor a chair which will have your name permanently displayed on a donor plate on the back of the chair. In addition your name will be entered into a drawing for a sunset cruise and dinner for two aboard Felicity with Joe Novello. Since we only need thirty chairs, you will have a one in thirty chance of winning. **Donations can be sent to Dorothy Bogumil care of YBYC.** Our goal is to have the chairs purchased and in place on the float house for our May 11th youth regatta/open house.

Hospice Regatta Planned for Oct.

YAQUINA BAY YACHT CLUB IS SELECTED TO SPONSOR THE NEWPORT COLUMBUS DAY HOSPICE REGATTA AS A PART OF THE NATIONAL HOSPICE REGATTA ALLIANCE (NHRA)

Alliance Adds New Member Regatta

The Alliance is pleased to introduce the Columbus Day Hospice Regatta hosted by Yaquina Bay Yacht Club in Newport, OR, as our newest Provisional Member. The regatta's application was approved unanimously by the NHRA board of directors, and YBYC's first hospice regatta will take place October 12-13.

"The Alliance is delighted to welcome another group dedicated to raising funds and awareness for hospice through a charity sailing regatta," said NHRA president Jean Kluttz. "This is a positive step towards even more hospice regattas on the West Coast," she added.

Yaquina Bay YC has hosted a Columbus Day regatta for a number of years, and it decided to re-dedicate the event to hospice at the urging of club member Giovanni Catalano, DO.

Dr. Catalano competed in the Hospice Charity Cup when he lived in the Watertown, NY, area. "When he moved to Newport and began sailing and having patients in hospice, he saw a need and an opportunity to expand this great event and help his local hospice," the application explains.

The organizing committee also includes Greg Krutzikowsky, racing chair at Yaquina Bay YC; Mac McConnell, fundraising; and Cindy McConnell, social events and hospice representative.

The regatta will benefit <u>Samaritan</u> <u>Pacific Hospice</u>, which serves Newport, OR, and nearby communities on the central Oregon coast.



2013 YBYC Officers and Board Members

Board Bits

On March 5, the YBYC board met and here is some of what transpired: Heard a presentation on the Sea Scouts program; heard more plans for regatta weekend; heard results from the S&W festival; the coming racing season scheduled was revealed; new member applications were reviewed and approved; plans are being made for our St. Pat's day-themed meeting this month; high school sailing practice has begun; discussed the fee structure for dinghy and keelboat classes. The board meets again on April 2.

Kname This Knot →

(Answer on page 8)





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Membership

By Angela Sivers

Please welcome new members: Joe and Tina Qualls, Fred Wright, Colin Little and Lydia Munger-Little and son Henry, and student members Matthew Goschie and Garrett Sholty.

The new plastic membership cards are in and nearly all have been distributed to members. If you haven't received yours yet, you should get it soon. Not only does your card come in use when you travel to other ports, but this year's card also conveniently lists the new door code on it, so be sure to keep it handy!

YBYC Classified

Sailboat For Sale: Balboa 24 and trailer 1982: one full season on new sails, two seasons on running rigging, fixed lead keel, shallow draft, cabin cushions. For more information, contact Mike and Pat Blackburn 541-570-9109.

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Solution from pg. 7: Fisherman's Knot

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Commodore's Log By Mike Fulmor

It's an exciting time of year for those of us who have taken our boats out of the water and are getting ready to splash them for another season of sailing fun. Some of us are undoubtedly digging out old to-do lists and deciding just what projects really need doing, then trying to find the time, money and energy to do them. Ah, the joys of boat ownership!

Last month I ran a poll to see if there was any interest in starting a new tradition at YBYC, which has been an old tradition at many yacht clubs around the country and the world, something called Opening Day. Although my poll was a bit skewed because there were no questions like "do you hate the idea", there was enough positive response to warrant giving it a try to see if it's going to be something we'll want to make a regular Club event in coming years.

YBYC Calendar

Apr 10th Ed: Club Assets – 7pm

Apr 13th Ed: Check-outs & Crabs – 10am

Apr 20th Monthly Potluck &

Homebrew Competition – 6pm

Apr 24th Ed: A Good Start – 7pm

Apr 27/28 YBYC Spring Regatta

May 1st Wed Night Racing – 6pm

The tentative game plan for Saturday, April 20, is to encourage everyone to get their boats in top cosmetic condition, clean and spiffed up, decorated with flags, banners, or whatever. Then about 2:00, have a fun little motorized boat parade around the bay once or twice, followed by an open boat/open house session for the community. We'll have a little informal judging in a few categories yet to be determined, then segue into our regular monthly meeting/potluck. Some good weather would sure be nice, but surely we can adjust the game plan for whatever comes our way.

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Lucky Us! A giant fuzzy shamrock was briefly spotted at the YBYC Potluck on March 16th. →

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Commodore's Log, cont'd

Speaking of the Tom M. and Mike F. hosted Monthly Meeting, if you haven't heard, there will be a homebrew competition, judged by Luke from Bier 1, perhaps a representative from Rogue, and a mystery judge yet to be determined. There will be a prize for best Porter, best other style for those of us who never got around to making a Porter, and maybe best overall. Or something like that. Food provided will be BBQ brats, burgers, and miscellaneous finger food like teeny weenies, meatballs, wings, etc. Salads, sides and desserts would be most welcome items for you to bring. If you're not a beer drinker you might want to bring something else, but we're going to try to have the bar stocked with a selection of options including some N/A. Hope to see everyone there!

April Monthly Potluck Meeting

& Homebrew Competition Saturday, April 20th at 6:00pm

Please bring a salad, side or dessert to share.

Entering the homebrew contest? Bring your concoction to the club between 6 and 6:30 to get in the judging. People's Choice tasting starts at 7pm.

Quote of the Month

"...upward of 9,000..."

The number of calories professional sailor Rome Kirby burns in a day while training to race in the 34th America's Cup, according to his girlfriend.

Source: http://coastalkitchen.net/living-with-a-metabolic-furnace



YBYC member Mike Blackburn enjoys a monthly potluck meeting

Race and Cruise News

cobwebs from your mind and get ready for racing.

By Greg Krutzikowsky



April! Both showers and flowers are here on the coast! Frostbite series has seen good participation through the winter months and draws to a close this month.



Spring is here and race season starts off with the YBYC **Spring Regatta on the weekend of April 27**th **and 28**th. More information about the event is on the front page of the YBYC website: http://www.yaquinabayyachtclub.org/ Don't forget that you can save \$10 by registering your boat by April 14!! So tune up your boat, clear the



The Wednesday night spring series racing starts on May 1. Please get your entry forms in for the Wednesday evening races. Remember that we will be using the Portsmouth Yardstick time on time handicapping system this year http://offshore.ussailing.org/Portsmouth_Yardstick.htm. All entrees will need to certify on the entry forms that their boat meets the requirements for its rating or let the race committee know that adjustments may be warranted. So look over your boat, measure your sails and get your entry forms in. We are looking forward to a great Racing season in 2013!



A number of Cruise events are scheduled this year to try to get more butts on boats (BOBs). These include Thursday evening social sails, a Sailstice sail to Yaquina Head, an overnight cruise up the river to Toledo for summer festival fireworks, a bottom-fishing trip, and raft-ups. These are all posted on the YBYC calendar. So get ready for a fun filled Race and Cruise season!

YBYC Spring Regatta

April 27 and 28

Saturday, April 27

10:00am Skipper's Meeting12:00pm Race 1 start sequence begins4:30pm Latest allowed start time

6:30pm BBQ Dinner

Sunday, April 28

11:00am Race start sequence begins2:00pm Latest allowed start timeAwards 1 hour after Committee Boat docks

Learn To Sail! Summer Sailing Class Schedules

YBYC--- LEARN TO SAIL

US Sailing CERTIFICATION

Tuition: \$175.00 (\$50 discount for YBYC members)

- June 6 Classroom session 6:30-8:30pm
- June 8, 9 On the water instruction
- June 13 Classroom session 6:30-8:30pm
- June 15, 16 On the water instruction
- June 20, Classroom session 6:30-8:30pm
- June 22, 23 On the water instruction

ASA/ KEELBOAT Sailing Classes

Tuition \$295 (\$50 discount to YBYC members)

Classes are taught by Mike Fulmor throughout the Spring and Summer by appointment.

Contact: <u>mike@sailinglinks.com</u> to reserve your place!

OBF Youth Class Schedule

Youth Sailing Classes

Tuition: \$125 (Financial Assistance Available)

- July 15 to July 19 Port of Toledo
- July 22 to July 26 Port of Toledo
- August 12 to August 17 Port of Toledo

Intermediate Youth Sailing

Tuition: \$125 (Financial Assistance Available)

Intermediate Level 1

July 28 to August 02 - Port of Toledo

Intermediate Level 2

August 05 to August 09 - Newport

Kayak Camp

Tuition: \$100 (Financial Assistance Available)

August 05 to August 09 - Newport



Youth Sailors - Photo by solarsail56

Visit the OBF and YBYC Websites for 2013 class information, schedules, and online registration:

www.oregonboatingfoundation.org, or www.yaquinabayyachtclub.org

Winter Education Series

Finish off your winter by attending one or more of the final three events in the 2013 Winter Education Series!

April 10 @ 7pm Club Assets

Tom Murphy, Mac, Greg, Mike F. Tom and others
Learn about kayaks, the whaler, skiff, crabbing, Spirit and other Club things. If you plan to use some of the club equipment please come to hear presentations of some tantalizing information.

Snacks included.

Sat April 13 @10am Check Outs and Crabs

Tom, Mac, Mike F., Greg Committee boat, Spirit, skiff check-out. Learn about bay crabbing: how, where, rules and timing. We'll bait some boxes and show you how to have a great day on the bay the "crab-catchin' way".

April 24 @ 7pm A Good Start

Mike F.

Just in time for racing season, Mike covers racing Starts, right of way, strategies, protests, and more.

Membership

By Angela Sivers

Please welcome new student members Dakota Lager and Jose Bravo.

Soon we will have invitational cards printed for all members to have available to hand out to prospective members. Look for these at our April or May meeting.

If you haven't received your new membership card with the new door code, please contact Angela Sivers at 541.264.0423 or centralcoastmassage@gmail.com.

Board Bits

The YBYC board met on 4/2. Here are some highlights of their agenda: Opening day activities were discussed and planned: the kavak reviewed. program was and Murphy presented a schedule of kayak instruction; opportunities for member us of kayaks are planned; a kayak page will be added to our website; OBF floathouse progress has been going well; racing season is upon us and entry forms are due; 2 new members were approved; the fee schedule for dinghy and keelboat classes was set; youth regatta is on May 11. The board will meet again on May 7.

Sailor's Glossary

Fluke *n*. 1. The portion of an anchor that digs securely into the bottom, holding a boat in place.

2. Any occasion when this occurs on the first try.

-submitted by Tom McNamara

Youth Regatta and Open House

YBYC is sponsoring a youth regatta on **Saturday, May 11**, to showcase the great sailing skills of our youth sailors. Members of the high school team will be sailing the fleet's 420s, while younger sailors will be racing in the JY trainers. The first start is scheduled to begin at 1pm. Great action on the water can be viewed from a variety of locations around the bay or bring your boat out for an even better view.

Saturday, May 11th

Youth Regatta - 1:00pm Floathouse Open House - 4:00pm

Sponsor a Chair

Support youth sailing! Sponsor a chair for only \$15 and not only will your name permanently displayed on its back, but you will also have a chance to win a chance for a sunset dinner cruise for two aboard Felicity with Joe Novello.

Please send your Donation to Dorothy Bogumil care of YBYC by May 3rd.



Following the regatta, join us at 4pm as we celebrate all the agencies, organizations, and individuals who have made the new floathouse what it is (including the many people who helped at our work parties) with a formal presentation thanks followed by a BBQ. The floathouse has truly exceeded our expectations as the center of youth sailing in Lincoln County and wouldn't have been possible without the hard work and dedication of many people who have earned a much-deserved thanks. Whether you're one of the many club members who helped with the work or if you haven't seen the inside of the floathouse yet, please help us celebrate this major accomplishment for both the YBYC and Oregon Boating Foundation.



YBYC 2013 KAYAK EDUCATION SCHEDULE



May 25 th	"Coastal Kayak Basic Strokes & Rescues"	- Held in North

Lincoln County/Lincoln City/Devil's Lake

June 1st "Paddlesports America" - A 5-hour, classroom-based

USCG Auxiliary class in conjunction with YBYC

June 2nd YBYC Kayak Safety Day for members wishing to use the

Club's kayaks. Held at Olalla Lake. Members will need

to schedule one of the following time blocks:

8 am - 11 am 11 am - 2 pm2 pm - 5 pm

June 15-16 "Coastal Kayak Basic Stokes & Rescues"

June 26 Tentative training day for Beaver Creek Kayak Tour Guides

July 13-14 "Coastal Kayak Basic Strokes & Rescues"

August 3-4 "Coastal Kayak Basic Strokes & Rescues" - A family-friendly

session that can accommodate families with kids ages 10 and up.

August 5-9 "Kid's Kayak Camp" - Held in conjunction with the Oregon

Boating Foundation. 8 am – 4:30 PM. Various

locations over the 5 days (Olalla, Toledo, Devil's Lake)

August 24-25 "Coastal Kayak Strokes & Maneuvers Refinement" An

intermediate class for those wishing to continue skill development

from previous classes.

CLASSES FILL QUICKLY SO RESERVE YOUR PLACE EARLY CONTACT TOM MURPHY AT coastalkayak@msn.com

Trivia

What is "keelhauling"?

- A. a form of punishment for sailors.
- B. towing another boat.
- C. water skiing behind a sailing boat.
- D. carrying new keels to the boat assembly yard.

The answer is on page 9.



YBYC members Barry, Anna and Dorothy Semple

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← Flamingo

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YBYC Youth Sailors - Photo by solarsail 56

Trivia answer from p. 8: A

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Spring Regatta 2013

YBYC Calendar

May 11 th May 15 th May 18 th May 22 nd May 29 th June 1 st June 2 nd	Youth Regatta, floathouse Wed Night Race, 6:15pm Monthly Potluck, 6pm Wed Night Race, 6:15pm Wed Night Race, 6:15pm Kayak Class, clubhouse Kayak Safety Day Olalla
June 2 nd June 5 th	Kayak Safety Day, Olalla Wed Night Race, 6:15pm

Check out the calendar on the website!

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Rear Commodore	Kelly Greer
Secretary	.Alice McNamara
Treasurer	Dorothy Bogumil



It seemed like someone threw a switch and turned on **SUMMER** last month, didn't it? The first annual Opening Day Boat Parade happened on April 20 as planned, with very minimal participation, but as they say, "it was a small but enthusiastic crowd". Grinner was looking very fine in Full Dress, all flags flying, leading off, followed by Kai Mu, Hispaniola, and Tenderly, with Spirit on escort under sail, full of happy kids. We toured the South Beach Marina and the pier before making a pass along the waterfront, and all who observed seemed to enjoy the sight. The monthly meeting/potluck/party had much better attendance later that evening, and was a fun opportunity for our club home brewers to show off their brews. Let's hope the new tradition grows and prospers in coming years.

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Commodore's Log, cont'd

The following weekend made the history books as the hottest Loyalty Daze parade ever, and was a challenge for those who walked the route, between the Cubs band blasting Donna Summer's Hot Stuff crowding us along at a fast pace, and the 82+ degree temperature. Even so, the youth sailors were great, wearing their sailing team pinnies proudly, some carrying their banner or flags, and some handing out candy to the kids along the route. The little wagon train of Catalano kids being towed by their mom was the cutest thing ever, and word has it that Annie has recovered.

This weekend we have the big youth regatta and boathouse dedication on Saturday, hope everyone can make an appearance, though you may be reading this after it has happened.

Wednesday racing is going strong, two very well attended races run so far, and it looks like the casual non-spinnaker class might be a hit. Greg still needs all the racers to file a sign-up sheet/entry form so he can properly assign ratings and maybe soon we'll have a separate start or at least a shorter course for those boats. Both races have been light air affairs, one very short race and one really long one. but both were loads of fun for all. Most of the fleet had an impromptu floating party as they got parked under the bridge fighting a strong flood tide on the way to buoy #7 last night, but somehow (lucky) Grinner got there just early enough to miss that part of the fun!

Hope to see everyone at the "Sinko de Mayo" party/meeting/potluck on the 18th. it should be a Muy Fabuloso Fiesta! Sail safe out there.

- Mike

May Monthly Meeting Saturday, May 18th at 6:00pm

You've heard about Cinco de Mayo, but are you familiar with **Sink-o de Mayo**?

Here's what you need to know:

- 1. It happens in the month of May,
- 2. The menu features Spanish fare (the country, not the language),
- 3. Despite the title, it will be sure to buoy your spirits, and
- 4. It's a potluck, so please bring fruit, dessert or artisan bread to share!



Guest judge Luke from Bier One samples an entry to the Homebrew Contest during last month's meeting. Mike Fulmor's IPA took top honors.

Race and Cruise News

By Greg Krutzikowsky

Spring sailing is in full swing! We had a fabulous Spring Regatta with a grand total of 16 boats racing. The largest group was made up of 7 keelboats. We had 3 boats come from out of town to participate in that fleet. Top honors in the keelboat fleet went to Bi Polar, a Santana 20 sailed by Glen Hughes from Eugene. Four dinghies raced on the bay, with top honors going to Giovanni Catalano in a Club 420. Perhaps the standout fleet for the regatta was the JY trainer one-design fleet, which had 5 boats racing. Races for these sailors ranging in age from 7 to 11 years young were held at the end of the day's sailing in the waters in front of the clubhouse much to the delight of the boisterous crowd of parents and sailors watching and cheering them on. Top honors for the JY fleet went to 7 year old Diego Catalano who scored 4 bullets in the 6 races sailed by the fleet. Full results can be found on the YBYC racing page at:

http://www.yaquinabayyachtclub.org/racing/racing.php

Our Wednesday night Spring Series is off to a great start with 12 boats racing in the first race of the season. It looks like we may have enough boats interested in a non-spinnaker class for keelboats, but until we have the entry forms it is hard to tell for sure. Please get you entry forms in if you plan to race! Entry forms for the Wednesday evening series can be found at: http://www.yaquinabayyachtclub.org/racing/wednesday/ybyc_Wed%2713_SailingEntryForm.pdf

For those of you that may be interested in a little guided kayaking in the Siletz Bay National Wildlife Refuge there are ten guided tours available from the United States Fish and Wildlife Service for you choose from. More information about when these trip are scheduled and how to sign up can be found at:

http://www.fws.gov/oregoncoast/siletzbay/



upwind leg ←

Josh Viar sails his laser with the 420 fleet







(above) *Biopolar* team from Eugene, Diego Catalano looks back, *Alchemy*



Bayfront Quest

By Cait Goodwin

Quests are self-guided clue-directed hunts that get people outside exploring their communities. To give it a try, all you need is a set of Quest directions, a pencil, and a sense of adventure. One of the 26 available Oregon Coast Quests is located right near the yacht club, and it focuses on the commercial fishing industry. The **Bayfront Quest** begins at Port Dock One, and the walk will take about 45 minutes to complete. You'll have to take notice of marine mammals, murals and memorials in order to collect all the letters needed to find the hidden box. Once you find the box, sign the guest book, stamp your page to mark your accomplishment and then return the box to its hiding place for the next person to find. Please keep the location of the clues and box a secret so others can join in the fun.

To obtain the directions to the Bayfront Quest, scan the QR code below with your smartphone, or pick up *The Oregon Coast Quests Book* from a local retailer (26 Quests for \$10). For more information about Quests, visit http://hmsc.oregonstate.edu/visitor/oregon-coast-quests or contact Cait Goodwin at 541-961-0968 (cait.goodwin@oregonstate.edu)



Bayfront Quest Directions



←photo by Eric Brasseur

Helpful Definition

LEAD LINE, n. A block of lead at the end of a length of rope, which is thrown over the side to determine depth. If it bounces, the course should be changed immediately.

- Sailing Pocket Dictionary, by Henry Beard and Roy McKie, 2001 (shared by Tom McNamara)

Question for the Curious:

What's the difference between a trawler and a troller? Do the Bayfront Quest to find out!

New Quest Opportunities

Members from the community create Quests to share their local knowledge with the public. Wouldn't it be great to have a sailing-themed Quest available? Or how about a Navigational Aid Quest? If you are interested in taking on such an endeavor, let Cait know!

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THIS JUST IN:

Angela Sivers and Carol Ozenberger have decided to trade YBYC jobs! Now Angela is in charge of Ship's Store, and Carol is the new Membership Chair.

Ship's Store

By Angela Sivers

Ship's store now has aprons, chambray shorts, tote bags, zip up sweatshirts and more, all with a modern sailboat logo. Old stock is clearance priced at 50% off.

Membership

By Carol Ozenberger

This month we have six new members to welcome to the Yacht Club:

Pat Burke Benjamin Williams Matt and Beth Hawkyard Robert and Sarah Gage

We extend a warm welcome to these new members and look forward to getting to know them better!

Board Bits

The YBYC board met on 5/7 and among items on their were: Toledo agenda Wooden Boat Show will need volunteers; Ship's store has many new items; Barb Fulmor will be stepping down as House chair this year; YBYC is looking for another refrigerator for the clubhouse; 5 new members were approved; policies for prorating dues were discussed; Spring regatta and the fall's success, Hospice Regatta is receiving donations; a host is needed for the July meeting. next board meeting will be on 6/4.

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May 11th Youth Regatta

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Jun 15th
Jun 22nd
July 4th

Monthly Potluck, 6pm
Sailstice, 10am
Holiday Potluck BBO

July 4th Holiday Potluck BBQ July 13th Kayak Class, clubhouse

Wed nights – 6:15pm Race Series Thur nights – 6:15pm Social Sail

Check out the calendar on the website!

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Summer is almost here, and once again I have high hopes we can put together a good collection of sails on the water for Summer Sailstice, Saturday June 22. The plan is for a group sail outside the jetties up to Yaquina Head and back, ideally leaving early enough for easy sailing up and a fun sled ride back when the winds fill in. I hope everyone with a boat, (and somebody sailing Spirit) will participate in our local observance of this worldwide celebration of our sport, and blast a horn at high noon out there under sail. If the weather isn't good for outside the bay, the fall-back is to sail upriver and perhaps do a raft-up picnic. More details to come as we dream them up. Your suggestions are always welcome.

Speaking of celebrations, last month's potluck/meeting was an excellent Spanish style chicken and rice meal prepared by the Catalanos and enjoyed by all; thanks Anne and Giovanni! This month's theme is a Santa Maria style barbeque hosted by the Krutzikowskys, next Saturday, June 15. The clubhouse grounds could really use some TLC, so earlier that day, like 10-noon, it would be great if we could have a weeding, pruning, and general clean-up work party. Remember, the more who show up, the more party-like it is.

BTW, FYI, plans are being made for a BeBoppin' extravaganza in July (20th) featuring a rockin' blues band, so stay tuned for more on that.

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I'm running kind of long here, so I'll be signing off. Hope to see yawl soon!



May 11th Youth Regatta Photo by krutz_sky

June Monthly Meeting Saturday, June 15th at 6:00pm

Santa Maria-Style Tri-Tip BBQ

Come enjoy tri-tip steak, grilled asparagus, pinquito bean relish and French bread. Bring desserts or a side dish to share, as well as BYOB. Yum!

Vice Commodore's Log

By Elliott Crowder

Howdy y'all! As summer fast approaches, I start dreaming of sailing to far away places. But alas, it's the busy season in our shop, so sailing to dreamland will have to wait. However, we do have some great sailing right here in little old Newport, so it's time to start dusting off (or scraping off the mold from) our trusty little boats and head out for some fun sailing:)

We took *Kiwanda* off shore last week and had a grand time. It got me thinking it would be fun to try and do a few lighthouse runs with as many boats as we can round up. It feels more secure out there with other boats around, and it would be a good time for the salty dogs to take the less salty out and show them the ropes. The race and cruise chairs must have been reading my mind as they have scheduled a trip to the lighthouse and back on June 22nd at 10am to celebrate Sailstice. We'll leave early so we get north before the wind picks up then turn with the wind for a great sleigh ride back!! Sounds fun to me! Hope to see you out on the water.

Summer Social Sail

Thursdays, 6:15pm

Take your friends out sailing on Yaquina Bay on Thursday evenings!

Race and Cruise News

By Greg Krutzikowsky

With June the long days are upon us, and summer is knocking at the door. Racing is going full tilt with nine boats participating in the two keel boat classes and seven different skippers participating in the centerboard class in the five races held in the Spring Series so far. The last race of Spring Series will be June 26th, which will be followed by the Commodore's Fun Race on July 3rd. Speaking of Fun Races, the Vice Commodore outdid himself organizing a wonderful sail up to Sawyers Landing to sample oyster shooters as well as the grilled variety. We'll see what the Commodore has in store for us in July.

This month is also the Sailstice event. Sailstice is a worldwide celebration of sailing on the weekend closest to the summer solstice http://www.summersailstice.com/ (although it does seem a bit odd to me that the event scheduled in Peru south of the equator is scheduled for June 22 which is their winter solstice). Our tentative plan is to sail up to Yaquina Head and back. Although I thought a 9 AM start time might work better with our typical weather pattern, the Board wants a 10 AM start so folks can get that all-important extra hour of sleep in the morning. Of course, with our coastal weather being what it is, if it doesn't look like a good day for ocean sailing we will adjust our plans accordingly. Maybe sailing in the bay and possibly a raft-up up river?

Plans are starting to come together for our Columbus Day Hospice Regatta. This event will be a fundraiser for our local Hospice. We are starting to line up sponsors for the event and make plans. Our Columbus Day weekend event will be one of 27 Hospice Regattas around the nation. Have a look at the great limited edition poster featuring artwork by the late Willard Bond titled *Gossamer Takedown*. The locations of all the regattas are listed around the edge of the artwork. These posters are available now at Ship Stores. If you want to help out this event, please contact Giovanni Catalano, Greg Krutzikowsky, or Mac and Cindy McConnell to let us know what aspect you are interested in helping with: fund-



June 12th: Commodore Mike Fulmor exchanges burgees with visiting yachtsmen from Oyster Point Yacht Club of San Francisco. They are heading north to Puget Sound for summer cruising.

NOTICE: Leukemia Cup Regatta

Sponsored by the Rose City Yacht Club, Portland, OR July 27, 2013

Raise a Sail, Save a Life! The 2nd Annual Leukemia Cup Regatta sets sail on the Columbia River on July 27, 2013. This signature event combines the joy of sailing with the important task of raising money to cure cancer. The Leukemia Cup Regatta has raised millions of dollars for lifesaving research and patient services, bring help and hope to patients and their families. Anyone with an interest in regattas and a passion about raising funds to cure cancer can participate.

For more information, visit http://www.leukemiacup.org/oswim/ or contact Nikole Kolander at (971) 230-2194 or nikole.kolander@lls.org or Marcia Menche at (971) 230-2197.

Ship's Store

By Angela Sivers

Limited edition Hospice Regatta posters are available for \$30 at the Ship's Store! →

You can also find caps, aprons, chambray shorts, tote bags, zip up fleece... something for everyone. Bring your cash or credit card to the monthly meeting and splurge on YBYC items.

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Board Bits

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- The state marine board wants to meet with YBYC members to get input on non-motorized boating projects;
- Toledo Wooden Boat Show (Aug) signups are beginning;
- Kayaks are in the floathouse, ready for use by certified members;
- Racers should sign up for committee boat;
- Planning for 6/22 Sailstice;
- Planning entertainment for the July meeting;
- Adult sailing class schedules have been posted.

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Grinner
Photo by calypsocatch

YBYC Calendar

Jul 20th Potluck & Music, 6pm
Jul 27/28 Cruise to Toledo Summer Fest
Aug 10th Raft Up Cruise, details TBD
Toledo Wooden Boat Show

Wed nights – 6:15pm Race Series Thur nights – 6:15pm Social Sail

Check out the calendar on the website!

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I hope everyone had a fun 4th of July holiday; it sure started out fun July 3rd with the Wettest Wednesday "race" ever. Yours truly thought he'd have the best secret weapon imaginable, adapting a wash-down pump for a water cannon, but should have done some field testing before hand. It turned out the range was quite underwhelming, and *Grinner* got half drowned before it was over. Can't wait till next year-there will be modifications!

Speaking of fun, the Summer Sailstice event was thoroughly enjoyed by those aboard the six boats who participated in the group sail to Yaquina Head and back on June 22nd. Hopefully even more will cruise along with us next year. The weather was beautiful with warm, light breezes, and I heard many comments about how cool we looked out there to those observing from shore. It seemed we inspired several others to take their boats out as well, and that's what it's all about.

On another note, we have a great opportunity 6:00pm, Monday, July 15th to meet with the director of the Oregon Marine Board, Scott Brewer, and project coordinator MariAnne McKenzie at the clubhouse. They will have a short presentation about the Board's changing their focus more to include non-motorized watercraft, and will solicit our input and questions about it. Jerry Davis and Tom Murphy will be representing paddlers and kite surfers, and of course we all will be representing sailors. I hope everyone can make it for this short one hour program, and bring any interested folks along, members or not.

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Commodore's Log, cont'd

Last but not least, this month's Membership Meeting, AKA Potluck/Party, will really be a bash with live boogie blues provided by High Fidelity Blues Band, booked by Amy Greer for the occasion. The hope is to have everyone invite friends who might be interested in joining the club, and show them how sailors Rock 'n Roll. I'm sure Amy will be filling us in on all the details as we get closer to that 3rd Saturday of the month, July 20.

See you on the water!

-Mike

Ship's Store

By Angela Sivers

Limited edition Hospice Regatta posters are available for \$30 at the Ship's Store! See a framed copy in the clubhouse.

You can also find caps, aprons, chambray shorts, tote bags, zip up fleece... something for everyone. Bring your cash or credit card to the monthly meeting and splurge on YBYC items.

July Monthly Meeting & Membership Drive

Saturday, July 20th at 6:00pm

Live Music and Great Food

The High Fidelity Blues Band will entertain us from 7 to 9pm. This is a True Potluck----Bring anything you want for your family dinner and to share. Pizza, Casseroles, Salads, Chinese, Mexican –anything you want! You can also use the stove or the BBQ if you want to cook something there.

This event has two goals:

- 1. New Members Invite someone who might be interested in joining.
- 2. Fund Raising All proceeds will benefit our Youth Sailing programs.

Suggested donation to this FUN event is \$5 per adult.



High Fidelity Blues Band

Race and Cruise News

By Greg Krutzikowsky

RACE: Spring Series is over and Summer Series begins this month. We had 11 keel boats and 9 different skippers sail centerboard in the Wednesday evening spring races. The keel boats are sailing in two different fleets this year. Some are racing with spinnakers and some are using mains and jibs only. Fun was had by all. We also have now had two of our 3 Fun Races, one designed by our Commodore and one by our Vice Commodore.

CRUISE: On the cruise front, our Sailstice outing to Yaquina head was a great success. The ocean provided us calm seas and light winds on the first full day of summer. Six boats sailed or motor-sailed out to the headland. Many YBYC sailors are also taking friends out sailing on Thursday evenings. It's a great way to introduce people to the wonders of sailing. Come join the fun every Thursday. But, perhaps one of the most fun cruise outing of the year is coming up this month – a cruise up the river to Toledo for their Summer Festival and spectacular fireworks July 27-28. Don't miss it! We are also planning an upriver outing to raft up on August 10 (which may be before the next issue of Jib Sheet).

Whether it's racing or cruising that floats your boat, there is lots of sailing to be had. So don't miss out. Get out there and have some fun on the water!

Summer Social Sail

Thursdays, 6:15pm
Take your friends out sailing on
Yaquina Bay on Thursday evenings!

Upriver Cruises

Toledo Summer Festival

July 27-28

Enjoy fireworks and an overnight stay in Toledo on your vessel.

August Raft Up

August 10

Mark the date on your calendar.

Details TBD

Look for more information on the Yahoo Groups webpage and YBYC calendar. Questions? Contact Greg Krutzikowsky.

Helpful Definition

PROPELLER, n. Underwater winch designed to wind up, at high speed, any lines or painters left hanging over the side.

-From the Pocket Dictionary of Sailing, by H. Bear and R. McKie, 2001 (Shared by Tom McNamara)



Felicity
Photo by calypsocatch

Circumnavigator Mark Schrader Visits YBYC

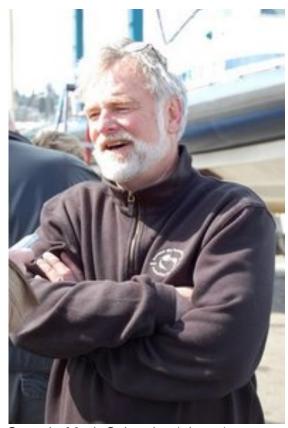
On July 3rd Yaquina Bay Yacht Club members were treated to a visit by world renowned sailor Mark Schrader. Mark has solo circumnavigated the globe twice and most recently has circumnavigated the Americas aboard his 64 foot Bruce Roberts designed steel cutter. His trip started in Seattle, traversed the Northwest passage, cruised down the east coast, rounded Cape Horn, then ended with a trip back up the west coast of the Americas back home to Seattle.

The trip was chronicled in many formats including his website <u>AroundtheAmericas.org</u> and a book by Herb McCormick titled "One Island One Ocean". The entire adventure was riddled with who's who among sailors, including David Thorenson, Herb McCormick, and David Rockefeller Jr. just to name a few. Mark graciously donated an autographed copy of his book to the youth of the Yaquina Bay Yacht Club.

The purpose of Mark's circumnavigation of the Americas was about his passion – educating children about the health of the oceans. Mark made over three hundred stops during the trip sharing his experiences and observations with schools, communities, and organizations. Mark's enthusiasm was obvious during his brief visit after our Wednesday race.

S/V Ocean Watch is currently moored at the end of the "D" dock at the Embarcadero. You can view the boat any time. Mark will be returning to Newport at the end of the month for a week or so and will open the boat up for tours. He is also willing to work with the club on a fund raiser for youth sailing if we are interested.

Watch your YBYC Yahoo Group email for more information.



Captain Mark Schrader (above) S/V Ocean Watch (below) Photos from AroundtheAmericas.org



Membership Chair

By Carol Ozenberger

I would like to extend a warm welcome to the 4 new members who joined the Yaquina Bay Yacht Club this month:

Wallace Kaufman Kelly Stroh and Theodore Cornish Helen Moore

If you see them, be sure to say hello. Perhaps we will get a chance to meet them at the next potluck/meeting on July 20th. By the way, be sure to invite a friend or two to the potluck, as this will be a great way for prospective members to see what our club is all about. Consider it a "mini-membership drive"!

In other news, the membership business cards are here, and I will hand them out at the next meeting. These cards will help identify the YBYC and contacts, and can be given out to potential members.

See you at the potluck!

NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS

Especially Those With Children

An issue of concern was raised at the July board meeting: Many have observed that, upon arriving at the clubhouse for monthly meetings, there have been children playing in the parking lot. Some of them are quite small and not easily seen as they move about among parked cars. This is potentially a very dangerous situation, and needs to be addressed immediately. We all love having the young ones around, and they are the future of our club, but it is the responsibility of each of us to keep them safe. Directly west of the clubhouse is a large, open area where children can run and play without risking a parking lot accident.

Let's all please make an effort to encourage the kids to stay out of the parking lot during club activities. And of course, please be extra careful when driving in or out of the area.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We need volunteers to help staff the YBYC Booth at the Port of Toledo Wooden Boat Show!

http://www.portoftoledo.org

Sign up for a two-hour shift: Sat Aug 17 between 10am and 6pm Sun Aug 18 between 10am and 4pm

If you can help, please contact Kelly Greer at (541) 961-5830. Thank you!

Photos by calypsocatch June 12, 2013







Check Out YBYC Online

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Yahoo Group: http://groups.yahoo.com/group/ybycgroup
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The YBYC porch is a great place to watch the Newport 4th of July fireworks display!



Board Bits

The YBYC board met on 7/2. The agenda included the following topics:

- Making improvements in communicating with members
- Sailing classes are beginning soon
- Looking into a cleaning service to ease the job of house chair
- Three new members were approved
- Summer race series begins 7/10
- Two major sponsors for the hospice regatta have come forward
- Considering revising the kayak program to make it easier to use the boats
- Concerns raised over children playing in the parking lot

The board meets again on 8/6.

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Moorage For Sale: Newport Embarcadero moorage on Dock "C", slip M133. Accommodates up to a 30' boat. Ownership includes electricity, water, internet access, restrooms/showers, equipment locker and access to Embarcadero amenities – swimming pool, hot tub, exercise room, and crab cooking area. \$6000 OBO.

Call Tom at 541-549-7431 or email: tsmcblust@bendcable.com

Sailboat For Sale: Balboa 24 and trailer 1982: one full season on new sails, two seasons on running rigging, fixed lead keel, shallow draft, cabin cushions. For more information, contact Mike and Pat Blackburn 541-570-9109.

Traeger Wood Pellet Grill Sale: It is the season for grilling, and between your 10% Yacht Club discount and Traeger's seasonal (July) rebate of \$75, it's the best time to buy your new Traeger Grill. Experience grilling as you have never experienced it before. Visit American Home and Stone,in Phliomath or talk to Mac McConnell.

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Need a service but don't know who to call? Rather than calling a stranger or looking in the yellow pages, **call another YBYC member!** Every member who runs a business or performs a service is encouraged to sign up. It's totally FREE to members! Non-members pay a nominal fee. Want to get yourself listed? Email the YBYC newsletter editor at goodrice@earthlink.net with your listing information.

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Commodore's Log

By Mike Fulmor

July flew by as it usually does, but not without some big fun as well as useful education. Mid month we had a very informative and productive meeting with the Oregon State Marine Board in which they outlined their plan to include more non-motorized boating emphasis in their programs, and asked us for feedback and ideas on how best to do that. We spoke about including the Oregon Boaters training Safety into our existing educational programs, and were told we could do that. They also showed interest in our idea of building a non-motorized access ramp in front of the club so kayakers and dinghy sailors could handlaunch their craft into the bay easily.

YBYC Calendar

Aug 17th

Hawaiian Luau Potluck & Monthly Mtg, 6pm

Aug 17/18

Toledo Wooden Boat Show

Aug 28th

Start of Fall Race Series

Wed nights – 6:15pm Race Series

Thur nights – 6:15pm Social Sail

Check out the calendar on the website!

Barb Fulmor and Alice McNamara relax at the Toledo Summer Festival



Later in the month several boats, Grinner, Felicity, Pollyanna, Hispaniola, Spirit, and Free Spirit made the trip upriver to Toledo for the world-class (in the top 5 shows in the country) fireworks display at the Summer Festival. We had a fun dock party and were in awe of the show, which most agreed was the best they had ever seen. Too bad the hippie types that went to Burnt Woodstock missed this all-American fun time! ©

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Commodore's Log, cont'd

The last noteworthy event of the month was the invitation for YBYC members to enjoy a private sail on the beautiful 64' Ocean Watch, a research vessel that circumnavigated Americas the Though there wasn't much wind that evening, 25 lucky members got to see the spinnaker up and feel the power of those big sails on a very pleasant trip outside the breakwater and back. The following night there was a very interesting and informative slideshow presentation at the Embarcadero about their 13 month trip from Seattle, through the Northwest Passage west to east, down to Cape Horn and back. They gathered much useful data about the condition of the ocean in the process, and took some beautiful pictures which they shared during the fascinating talk. Thanks to all the YBYC members who showed up and donated to their worthy cause.

This month has the "Coho Ho Ho" boats coming through on their way south to join the Baja Ha Ha rally in Southern California, so if you see a cruising boat from up north tied up, say hi and invite them to our monthly meeting on the 17th for a luau themed dinner. They said something about not being sure they could get here before the 18th, but I've seen a few early arrivals already. You can check them out on Facebook.

That's all I have this month, was late again, been busy with too many projects. See you on the water.





YBYC youth sailors Matt and Jose with the skippers of S/V Ocean Watch



Race and Cruise News

By Greg Krutzikowsky

Summer racing is well underway. In fact, summer series ends August 21st and the fall series begins August 28th. Summer seems to be flying by; hopefully we are all having fun. On the cruise front six boats went up the river to Toledo for a spectacular fireworks show. Word is that a great time was had by all who went. Meanwhile another YBYC contingent headed inland to the BurntWoodStock musical festival. Summer is full of so many opportunities it seems.

This year we are doing something a bit different for our fall regatta, October 12th and 13th. This will be our first Columbus Day Hospice Regatta. An event designed to raise awareness and funds for Newport area hospice services. We have teamed up with Pacific Communities Samaritan Health District Foundation to put on the event. Already we have secured major sponsorship from Bigfoot Beverages, Gerding Builders, Kahl Insurance Services, Marine Discovery Tours, and OSU Federal Credit Union. Our regatta is one of 27 hospice regattas being held around the nation this year. There is a framed poster in the clubhouse with a beautiful print by renowned artist Willard Bond that lists the locations of all these regattas including ours in Newport, OR. Check it out. Ship Stores has these posters available for sale, too.

Helpful Definitions

LANDMARK, *n*. A shoreline feature that is not visible from the sea. (See PILOTING)

PILOTING, *n*. The art of getting lost in sight of land, as opposed to the distinct and far more complex science of navigation used to get lost in offshore waters.

-From *The Pocket Dictionary of Sailing*, by H.

Bear and R. McKie, 2001
(Shared by Tom McNamara)

SAVE THE DATES

Columbus Day
Hospice Regatta
October 12th and 13th



HOSPICE REGATTAS 2013

This regatta will be a great event for community involvement with spectator opportunities aboard the Marine Discovery Tours vessel on Saturday, a raffle and silent auction at the Saturday night dinner, and of course lots of great racing on Saturday and Sunday. We are looking for volunteers to help with all aspects of the event, including race committee, chase boat, photography, hospitality, and logistics. Please contact Race and Cruise Co-Chairs to see how you can best fit in.

NOR-*NOT*:

There will not be a Bridge to Bridge race in August this year.

The Other Newport

Or, How I Spend My Summer Vacations By Cait Goodwin

It was 2005 and the deal was this: If we were really going to move all the way to Oregon, we'd have to be committed to going back to Rhode Island regularly to see family and play in the comparatively warm and gentle waters of the Atlantic. So far, we've been able to make good on this plan, and, in fact, we returned from a trip to Quonochontaug just yesterday!

As always, part of our adventure involves uncovering Jim's dad's Laser from under bushes in the driveway, cleaning it up and hauling it three blocks to Quonnie Pond. The boat waits patiently for us all year long for its two weeks of fun on the salt pond, before it has to go back to live under those bushes. The kids enjoyed being at the helm, and getting wet while staying warm.



Sailing on Quonnie Pond

Last year in Rhode Island, we thought it would be fun to visit the "other Newport": Newport, RI. In addition to touring one of the mansions, we visited the Newport Yacht Club, to compare and contrast it with our own YBYC. Here's what we noticed: The Newport Yacht Club is located steps away from a street called *America's Cup Way* and it's pretty big. They have a restaurant, marina, and full time staff. Nearby slips harbor all kinds of amazing vessels, including a few 12 meter racing boats. The Commodore wears a blue blazer and a tie.

We didn't meet any actual members of the Newport Yacht Club, so we don't know if they are as great a group of people as what we have, but we can only hope they are so lucky.

This year our family returned to Newport for a day, but this time it was to board the 72-foot schooner sailing yacht *Madeleine* and sail through Newport Harbor and into Narragansett Bay. What fun! Jim and his sisters orchestrated this family reunion so that we could all be together with his dad in a spectacular setting. The weather was great and there was a lot to see. Our cruise took us past the Newport Jazz Festival, where we heard a few notes from Chick Corea. In the busy harbor, we passed boats of every kind, from 420's to fancy yachts. We saw not only a tall ship from the Pirates of the Caribbean movie, but also fishing vessels, a coal barge and something that looked like a battleship. Our trip was a great adventure. But it is nice to be home and back in Yaquina Bay. See you on the water!

Madeleine



News from SPIRIT By Tom McNamara

Tom and Alice sailed *Spirit* most of the way to Toledo and motored the remainder, in the company of *Grinner*, for the Toledo Summer Festival Fireworks show. After an overlay at the Toledo transient dock, SPIRIT was hauled out at the Toledo Boatyard on 8/9. Work on the swing keel repair and bottom paint began on 8/10 with a crew that included Guy Hadden, Bob Gage, Kelly Greer, Matt Hawkyard, Fred Wright and Tom McNamara. As of press time, 2 coats have been applied, and we hope to have her back at D dock by Wednesday, 8/14.



YBYC's Spirit gets spruced up

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We need volunteers to help staff the YBYC Booth at the Port of Toledo Wooden Boat Show!

http://www.portoftoledo.org

Sign up for a two-hour shift:

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If you can help, please contact Kelly Greer at (541) 961-5830. Thank you!

WANTED: Chase Boat Operators

September 7, 8, 14, 15

Chase boat operators are needed for the Adult Small Boat Sailing Classes which take place during the first two weekends in September. Time on the water is estimated to be about three hours each day, starting at about 10-ish. Please contact Barry Semple at 541-351-1151 or barry.semple@noaa.gov.

Thank you!



Board Bits

The YBYC board met on 8/6. Among the issues and ideas discussed were:

- The meeting with the marine board was helpful;
- An immediate adjustment of the instructor/OBF agreement is needed;
- Toledo Wooden Boat Show needs volunteers;
- A cleaning service for the clubhouse will begin;
- Hospice Regatta is getting good sponsorships;
- A lot of work has been done on the chase boat, thanks to Guy Hadden;
- Spirit will be hauled this weekend work party planned;
- 2 new members were approved;
- The August meeting date has been changed due to cancellation of the Bridge to Bridge race;
- A vote passed to present YBYC burgee and honorary membership to Capt. Schrader of *OCEANWATCH*.

The board meets again on 9/3.

Membership Chair

By Carol Ozenberger

We have accepted two new memberships this month:

Pete Sanok and Katelyn Massaroni Warren Sparks, Erin Carrington and family

The new members are interested in cruising, racing and many other yacht club activities. We are looking forward to meeting them and welcome them to the Yacht Club!

Also, this is a good time to let either Dorothy or myself know if you have moved or have an address change. We want to make sure the member list is updated and accurate. My email address is cmookie100@yahoo.com.

Thanks and see you at the August potluck!
-Carol

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Commodore's Log

By Mike Fulmor

The Dog Daze of August have wagged their tails down the road, and the Equinox ending Summer is coming in a few short weeks. I know lots of us have been doing some traveling, and others are about to go, but those of us who "stay-cation" here at the coast have been having a great time enjoying our beachin' lifestyle.



August was less busy this year due to the Bridge to Bridge race getting cancelled. It was unfortunate, and hopefully there will be more entries from our club and others next year to revive it, but it left only the Toledo Wooden Boat Show on that weekend, and gave our cast of volunteers a bit of a break. Instead of a pig roast for visiting sailors that few YBYC members ever enjoy, we had a nice Luau themed monthly meeting featuring Kalua Pork, Teriyaki Chicken, and the best Mai-Tai cocktails ever. They were so delicious, Dorothy went through 2 half gallons of rum and a fifth of orange liquor making enough for everyone. It was a great evening and many of us even got lei'ed. Thanks to Amy and Kelly Greer for hosting. Cont'd p. 2

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Sept 21st Monthly Meeting/Potluck

5:45pm – Dock Walk 7:00pm – Clubhouse

Oct 12th/13th Columbus Day Hospice Regatta

Weds Night Races 6pm – Sept 11, 18, 25 & Oct 2, 9

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Commodore's Log, cont'd

The last day of the month we had an impromptu send-off party for Captain Mark and *Ocean Watch*, featuring fresh crab caught by Mac and his crew, teriyaki BBQ fresh tuna, salmon, and great side dishes. We presented Mark with a burgee and honorary membership and he was stoked, said he wasn't a member of any other yacht clubs and he would fly his burgee proudly. It was another fine evening of fun and camaraderie which some of us capped off dancing to the hot sounds of the Purple Cats at the Embarcadero.

By the way, yours truly has been really busy with sailing lessons and occasional whale-watching driver duties, and is looking forward to shorter days and less activity. Being "retired" takes lots of time and energy, but has great rewards when new members join the club and begin sailing!

The September monthly meeting will be the Dock Walk, a progressive party on the Embarcadero docks with different offerings of food and beverages at various YBYC boats. It's always lots of fun, and your hosts Mike and Pat Blackburn will have some great things planned I'm sure.

The next really big thing is the Hospice Regatta formerly known as Columbus Day in October, and I'm sure you'll be hearing lots about that from those intrepid volunteers who have taken it on. Your commodore will be absent, taking care of family obligations in California and Arkansas, but I'm sure it will be such a rousing success that nobody notices he's gone.

Sail safe, and see you on the water,

-Mike



Port Dock One: The boys are back! Now that breeding season is over, male California sea lions have returned to Yaquina Bay.

Dock Walk

September Potluck Meeting Saturday, September 21st

5:45pm Appetizers and drinks

on Embarcadero Docks

7:00pm Salad Bar at the YBYC

Clubhouse

Celebrate the Fall Equinox by joining us for the annual YBYC Dock Walk! This is a great opportunity for members to socialize with one another outdoors among the boats, put a face to vessels, and gab knowingly about sailing equipment whilst having the benefit of looking and pointing at said equipment.

Several YBYC boats will be providing festive refreshments at their vessels beginning at 5:45pm. Walk around and introduce yourself! If you would like to be a host boat, call or text Mike or Pat Blackburn at 541-570-9109.

After the Dock Walk, meet back at the clubhouse for a Salad Bar meal beginning at 7pm. Please bring a salad bar item and the basic salad will be provided.

Race and Cruise News

By Greg Krutzikowsky

We are in the fading days of summer. As the fall equinox approaches the days are getting shorter. Wednesday races for the fall series start at 6 PM to take advantage of what light and wind there is in the shortened evenings.

The Notice of Race for the Columbus Day Hospice Regatta is posted. Momentum is building for a fantastic event that will involve sailors, community members, and out of town visitors. This event is one of 27 Hospice Regattas held in North America to raise awareness and funds for Hospice. Our regatta is listed on the limited edition poster of 2013 Hospice Regattas featuring the stunning artwork of the late Willard Bond that are for sale at ship's stores. We will be selecting one representative skipper and an alternate for eligibility to compete in the National Hospice Regatta held in Florida next April.

This year's event on October 12-13 should be spectacular. We will feature legendary racing on Yaquina Bay, as well as a scrumptious dinner, designer t-shirts, and a commemorative sail. A limited number of spectators can enjoy lunch aboard the Marine Discovery Tours vessel while watching the racing on Saturday with commentary provided by one of our past Commodores, Larry Beggs. We have a live band lined up for Saturday evening and plans for a raffle and silent auction. We have the good fortune to have the generous support from Bigfoot Beverages, Gerding Builders, Kahl Insurance Services, Marine Discovery Tours, Newport Rental Service, and OSU Federal Credit Union who have all made substantial donations to the Pacific Communities Health District Foundation to benefit Samaritan Pacific Hospice services in the Newport area.

YBYC members can help in many ways. Those that are planning to race should register as soon as possible. Skippers and crew can seek sponsorship for their boats from friends, family, and/or business associates in the form of tax deductible donations to benefit the Hospice. Members can also volunteer to help with race committee, hospitality, and fund raising. Please contact Race Co-Chairs to find out how you can help.

Download a Regatta events flyer and the NOR from the YBYC Website.



HOSPICE REGATTAS 2013

SILENT AUCTION DONATIONS NEEDED

For the Columbus Day Hospice Regatta Dinner on Oct 12th. Sailing trips, artwork, or any services you provide will be welcome. Smaller items will be put together as theme baskets. Please contact Donna Cressy at dmcressy@charter.net if you can help. All donations are tax deductible and are for a very worthy cause. Thank you.

Changing Seasons

Whether the weather be fine, Or whether the weather be not; ... We'll weather the weather, Whatever the weather, Whether we like it or not!

> -Traditional British School Rhyme

Hospice Regatta Pennants By Joe Novello

Have you been wondering how you can contribute to the upcoming Hospice Regatta? Here is your chance. A group of folks from YBYC have joined with the regatta organizers to plan a memorial event. Organizers have yet to work out the details but we wanted to give you a jump start. Pennants will be available for people to decorate in memory of loved ones who have been able to use hospice during their lives. Skippers and crew are encouraged to gather as many as possible to fly on their boats during a procession down the bay front at some point, either Saturday afternoon or Sunday morning. The plans include a reading of the names of the loved ones by a minister as the boats parade past a predetermined location which is yet to be identified. We are working on getting some type of media coverage for the event as well.

Skippers may obtain the blank pennants from Mac McConnell. Each pennant will be available for a twenty-five dollar donation, decorated and given back to the skipper to fly on their boat. Pennants will also be available at local merchants with those banners distributed throughout the fleet. At the end of the regatta the pennants will be given back to the donors as a keepsake from the regatta.

All the funds will remain local, being distributed to hospice clients for the things they need to provide comfort during this important time of their lives. There is also some discussion about working towards bringing back a dedicated end of life comfort care room in the local hospital.

Rumor has it the sailors coming over from Eugene plan to shame the YBYC members with the amount of pennants they will be sponsoring at the regatta. Let's do our part to honor the memories of our local folks with hundreds of pennants flying from our rigging.



FRESHWATER CRUISING ON LAKE ONTARIO By Tom and Alice McNamara

Lake Ontario is the easternmost of the Great Lakes, lying between upper New York State and the Province of Ontario. The east end of Lake Ontario, where my brother keeps his Beneteau 373 (S/V *Bella Serra*) is unique. This is where the St. Lawrence River begins, flowing through Quebec to the Atlantic near Newfoundland. At the beginning of the St. Lawrence is an area know as the Thousand Islands (actually 1,864 of them), part of which is a Canadian National Park.

The boat is very nice and comfy, and its luxury disguises its performance features. My brother's a cruiser, after all, and didn't have his rig adjusted for efficiency. Once we made few tweaks, she was making impressive speed, up to 7 kn.+.

FRESHWATER CRUISING, cont'd

Our cruise began on August 18 at Sacket's Harbor, NY, and we sailed NE into the islands. Sailing is a seasonal activity there, as most boats are hauled out during the winter freeze-up. So people seem to use their boats a lot in summer, and we enjoyed seeing all kinds of vessels, from kayaks to ore-carriers. Those big boys always have right-of-way, and only a fool would hesitate to get out of their way. Many of the islands are occupied by one or more homes, and some of those have the look and the price-tag of complete privacy, often with an appropriately big and beautiful boat moored our front. Given the number and variety of islands, finding good anchorage is just a matter of looking around and using local knowledge and experience.

We anchored for the night most nights, and each was a learning opportunity. Although there was no tide to allow for, secure anchorage still required skill and monitoring. The water was warm, and so clear, that we could see the bottom in about 15 feet or more. And then there was navigating. As racers in Yaquina Bay, we knew little about finding our way around. In the areas where we cruised, there are many shoals and rocks, so constant attention to the charts and chart plotter was necessary, and we were often visually searching for buoys and landmarks.

We spent one night at Kingston, a large city that claims to be a major center for yacht racing. Indeed, each time we passed through the area, it was crowded with racing fleets on different courses. Noteworthy was a fleet of at least 30 Club 420's, which we later found out was their national championships. It was cool to see 30 spinnakers heading right for us all at once.

We then sailed SW to Waupoos Island, where we spent 2 nights at a small, friendly marina. It's a laid-back, rural area and home to the Prince Edward Yacht Club. There, we felt more at home compared to Kingston. The locals claim it's the best part of the Lake for sailing, and we can see why. But it was hard to picture it with 10 ft. of snow on the ground.



Our final day was a 10 hr. transit across the open waters of the lake, back to home port. And part of it was the longest single tack of our sailing experience. For about 3.5 hr, we used the autopilot (!), and didn't even need a sail trim adjustment. I began to think the telltales were glued in place!

That was one of the best trips we have ever taken. We had 8 days of sailing in excellent weather on a beautiful boat in gorgeous settings. Who knew you could do all that in fresh water?

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Board Bits

The YBYC board met on 9/3. Among the issues and ideas discussed were:

- The Toledo Wooden Boat Show was a success;
- Educational issues with OBF are being resolved;
- Preparation for the Seafood and Wine Festival is beginning;
- Clubhouse rentals need to be promoted and marketed;
- One new membership was approved;
- Adult dinghy classes begin this week;
- Plans are moving quickly for the October Hospice Regatta.

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Coming soon... bumper stickers, men's t-shirts and women's pink fleece items. Show off your YBYC gear with pride at the Regatta!

YBYC Classified

Moorage Sale: Newport For Embarcadero moorage on Dock "C", slip M133. Accommodates up to a 30' boat. Ownership includes electricity, water, internet access, restrooms/showers, equipment locker and access to Embarcadero amenities swimming pool, hot tub, exercise room, and crab cooking area. \$6000 OBO. Call Tom at 541-549-7431 or email: tsmcblust@bendcable.com

Sailboat For Sale: Balboa 24 and trailer 1982: one full season on new sails, two seasons on running rigging, fixed lead keel, shallow draft, cabin cushions. For more information, contact Mike and Pat Blackburn 541-570-9109.

Wanted: Catamaran trailer Nacra 5.2 Contact Captain Charles Collins (361) 563-4736.

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Need a service but don't know who to call? Rather than calling a stranger or looking in the yellow pages, **call another YBYC member!** Every member who runs a business or performs a service is encouraged to sign up. It's totally FREE to members! Non-members pay a nominal fee. Want to get yourself listed? Email the YBYC newsletter editor at goodrice@earthlink.net with your listing information.

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As the days continue to get shorter the racing season is finally coming to its end, but there are always some good sailing days year round for those who leave their boats in the water. This has been a year of light air for many of our Wednesday races, and those who can make their boats move in zephyrs have been reaping the rewards.

With the first weekend of October being so warm and beautiful, here's hoping next weekend will be as nice for the Columbus Day Hospice Regatta. I do know, whatever the weather, it will be a great event. See the complete details on page 3 of this newsletter!

Last month we had a great dock walk party featuring lots of tasty treats and bodacious beverages offered by many generous members. Pat and Mike Blackburn organized a fun event and though most were too full of munchies to want much else, the salad bar was a nice chance to get some greens in.

I had a great season teaching sailing, and was very happy to have several of my students join the club and become active members. Guy and Donna Hadden are my best success story. Guy has been very active fixing boats, driving chaseboat *Cont'd p. 2*



420s racing on Sept 25, 2013 Photo by krutz_sky

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YBYC Calendar

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See complete schedule on page 3

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on Wednesdays with Donna, buying the Balboa 24 Eastwind from the Blackburns, and now Donna has volunteered to take over House duties from Barb. They are the reason I'll continue to be out there all summer on Tuesday and Thursday evenings!

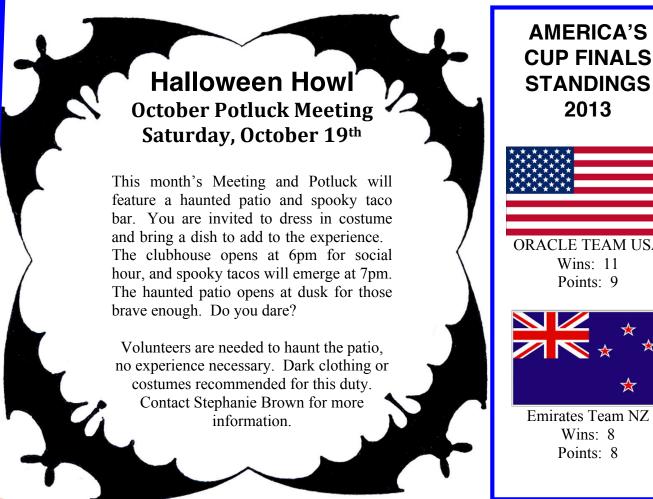
Barb and I are off on a 3-week jaunt to LA and Arkansas leaving the 6th, and are sorry to be missing all the excitement of the Hospice Regatta. Barb's mom will only turn 90 this one time, on the date of the regatta, however, and it's one of those things you don't miss with the whole far-flung family congregating in Palm Springs. We hope everyone understands and forgives us.

Sorry this is a little short this time, but that's all I have for now. Sail safe.

- Commodore Mike



Many thanks to Barb Fulmor for serving as YBYC House Chair! Among other things, she schedules clubhouse rentals, and gets everything ready for our Wednesday night post-race meals.



STANDINGS 2013 ORACLE TEAM USA Wins: 11 Points: 9 Emirates Team NZ Wins: 8

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AMERICA'S

THE COLUMBUS DAY HOSPICE REGATTA ON YAQUINA BAY

PRESENTED BY THE YAQUINA BAY YACHT CLUB
AND PCHD FOUNDATION
TO BENEFIT SAMARITAN PACIFIC HOSPICE
OCTOBER 12 AND 13

For more than 40 years, the Yaquina Bay Yacht Club has hosted The Columbus Day Regatta, a series of sailboat races on Yaquina Bay. Up to 30 boats, ranging from 12 to 40 feet, come from all over Oregon to compete. Boats race in fleets with boats of similar size. What a show!

RACE WEEKEND ACTIVITIES

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12

- Watch the races from the shores of Yaquina Bay 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- Visit the Yaquina Bay Yacht Club for raffles and silent auction starting at 11 a.m.
- Enjoy a Marine Discovery Cruise with race commentary and box lunch catered by LaMaison – 1 to 3 p.m. (\$50 each) Limited seating and reservations are required.*
- Dine with the Sailors fresh tuna BBQ and music at the Yaquina Bay Yacht Club – 6 to 10 p.m. (\$30 each) Limited seating and reservations are required.*

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13

- Watch the races from the shores of Yaquina Bay 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Awards ceremony at Yaquina Bay Yacht Club after the racing concludes. Public welcome.

JOIN THE FUN

To enter the race, download the entry form from Yaquina Bay Yacht Club at yaquinabayyachtclub.org and mail it.

To sponsor a sailboat or make a donation, visit samhealth.org/Regatta.

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Special thanks to our sponsors!









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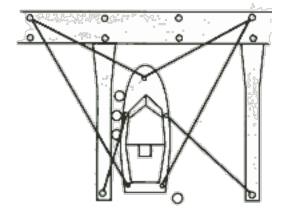
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Are You a Good Neighbor? By Joe Novello

Lately I've noticed a lot of halyards slapping in the Embarcadero Marina. I cringe every time I hear them as I walk down the dock worried that it may be my boat causing the ruckus. Almost as bad is when I realize it is one of our club member boats banging away. I know it is common practice on the lakes in our region to let halyards slap – it seems like people are competing to see who can make the most noise. The difference between those lakes and our coastal marinas is that people live on the boats moored right next to ours. Please – let's be good neighbors and make sure our halyards are firmly secured before we leave for the day. I like to just swing mine outboard of the shrouds and secure the ends as usual. Please feel free to board my boat and secure halyards if for some reason they've worked loose and are the cause of grouchy neighbors and I'll do the same for you (if that is okay with you).







PREPARING FOR HEAVY WEATHER AT THE DOCK

Winter storms at the Oregon coast sometimes come with very high winds, and we've already seen one big blow this month. Here are some recommendations about how to prepare your berthed boat when you know high winds are on their way:

- Double up on all mooring lines
- Protect lines from chafing by covering them at points where the lines are likely to wear
- Adjust lines to accommodate unusually high water
- Make sure that cleats and winches are well secured to the boat
- Put out extra fenders
- Cut off all electrical devices except bilge pumps for the duration of the storm
- Remove all loose items (canvas, sails, dinghies, radios, cushions, etc) and lash down everything you cannot remove
- Seal doors and openings, and tape windows that may break
- DO NOT STAY ABOARD

Information from BoatSafe.com and the U.S. Coast Guard.



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MEMBERSHIP

By Carol Ozenberger

The Yaquina Bay Yacht Club would like to announce its two newest members:

Tom and Kennette Peck

We are looking forward to meeting them and welcoming them to the club!

Board Bits

The YBYC board met on 10/1. Here are some things from their agenda:

- The nominating committee still needs nominees for a few board positions;
- One new member was approved;
- Hospice Regatta entries are coming in;
- Much of regatta planning, other than the racing, is done by the hospital foundation;
- Lights are needed in the floathouse for the rest of the season;
- The dinghy fleet is still intact following the recent unseasonal storm.

The board next meets on Tues., November 5th.



YBYC member Guy Hadden signals to racing boats during the Spring Regatta.

Quick... what do these flags mean?

Photo by dlhadden

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2013 YBYC Columbus Day Hospice Regatta - Photo by Helen Moore



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As the end of my watch approaches, I'm feeling a bittersweet poignancy that reminds me of sailing away from many beautiful islands, ports and anchorages: enjoying the feeling of freedom associated with being underway, happy to be leaving land-based hassles and complications in our wake, but sad to no longer be part of that particular place, it's culture and the daily lives of our friends there.

I've learned lots in the last three years about how organizations function, hopefully without making too many enemies in the process, and, like all the volunteers past and present, I've done my best to leave office with this club in a little better shape than I found it.

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I had three main goals at the outset to improve the physical aspect of the club: 1. Get a home for the youth program besides the clubhouse, even if it meant building a boathouse in the dead of winter, 2. Get a path from the parking lot down to the water that our small boats could dolly down and be launched from easily, and 3. Get a proper nautical flagpole for this club. With a huge help from our sister non-profit organization, Oregon Boating Foundation, a perfect float-house was procured and has been working out quite well. The pathway is going to take a few years to materialize, but I pledge to continue working on it with the Port, Oregon Marine Board, ODFW, Corps of Engineers, and whatever other agencies might want to be involved. Hopefully we can write some grant requests to pay for it whenever we get the OK. The final item, the flagpole, is on order and will arrive in the next month or so. I decided rather than try to get everyone to understand why a used mast (unless it was a mizzen from a tall ship) or some kind of homemade pole wouldn't cut the mustard, I would personally donate it to the club. If enough members love it and, as recently suggested by Mac, the club might want to reimburse me for any portion of it at a later time, that's fine, but also fine if that doesn't happen. I justified the ~\$2500 expenditure to my wife by saving the money came from teaching sailing lessons, so it's really not like I'm giving away our nest-egg. © It will be a proper nautical flagpole: heavy thick-walled aluminum. dutv tapered construction, engineered to withstand our weather, with a gaff for flying the Colors and a yard-arm for displaying officer's flags and/or race message flags. The club burgee will be flown from the peak. This is a nautical tradition from hundreds of years ago as you can read at this site.

usps.org/national/fecom/faq/flag/gaffpole.html



YBYC burgee

Undoubtedly some folks in the community will need to be educated about this from time to time, but as a yacht club, I believe it's our duty to preserve the old nautical traditions for posterity.

My main non-physical plant goal for the year was to start building (or rebuilding) a strong racing fleet by encouraging a non-spinnaker class, or at least a division of classes that allowed for less speedy boats to still have fun out there and not always be last. It seems to have been working well, with lots of participation; hopefully more will want to join the fun with the spinnaker class next year. To that end (of encouraging more racers), I also pushed hard for a zero collision rate, which we did achieve, partly perhaps from lower than average winds, partly from holding two Rules Education sessions which were pretty well attended, and partly from promoting a bit of official protesting instead of colliding. This allowed us to make fouls, or the perception of fouls, into a learning experience instead of a bunch of bad feelings and costly repairs.

Other than that, I wish I could have done more, but it's time to let somebody else have the fun of being Grand Poo Bah. I hope to see you all at the big annual meeting and of course I'll see you out on the water next year.

- Mike



Grinner-cam at sunset

Columbus Day Hospice Regatta 2013

The Columbus Day Regatta was a huge success! Thirty boats participated in five fleets: nine Santana 20s, six slower handicap boats, five 420s, four faster handicap boats, four JY trainers, and two i550s. A great time was had by all, and best of all – the event netted more than \$13,000 for Pacific Communities Health District Foundation hospice!















First Place Results

420s Terry Lettenmaier
i550s Brian Lockwood - *Boxed Wine*Santanas Gordon Mattatall - *H2O Boa*PY 1 Dean Mitchel – *Falcor*PY 2 Joe Novello – *Felicity*



Photos by Helen Moore

VICE COMMODORE LOG

By Elliott Crowder

As we wrap up this racing season I find myself looking back at it fondly, with the usual what if's, should have trimmed this, used that sail, that kind of stuff. I find racing is good for me, as it makes me think about each move on the boat and what effect it has on my speed (vmg), and even if you are not a racer at heart you are learning to sail better. Speaking of racing, what an end of season regatta we hade this year!!! A big thanks to all who helped put that thing together, a lot of work was put in to pull this off. I hope most of you came down to the club at some time over the weekend to see the show (dinner, music, racing, raffle, etc.) The racing was neck and neck all weekend. Congrats to Joe and his crew for squeezing that last point out to take the win over Ducky. We hade a blast!

It looks as though the club will be getting a very nice flagpole donated to us from Mike & Barb Fulmor. A big thanks goes out to them as I think it's something the club has needed for some time. I can't wait to help install it.

November is our annual meeting. Please try to attend as it's when we as a club choose our next board, then share some food and drink and have some laughs.

One last thing, thank you Cait for doing a great job on the Jib Sheet this year.

See ya on the water!

- Elliott

ANNUAL MEETING

November 16, 2013 6pm

Come one, come all to the YBYC Annual Meeting and Potluck! According to tradition, this special edition of the monthly meeting will feature prime rib, so bring a dish to share that will compliment this fancy feast. Awards will be given out for racing and other accomplishments from throughout the year, and we'll seat the new Plus, if you haven't Board. already paid your annual dues, this would be a great time to bring a check to the Treasurer. See vou there!



20th ANNUAL LIGHTED BOAT PARADE

Saturday, December 7th
5:00pm – 6:30pm
Featuring "The Magic of the Music"

Participate in one of Newport's favorite holiday traditions by decorating your boat and joining in a festive parade of lights on Yaquina Bay! This YBYC and Marine Discovery Tours event raises money for CAN Cancer through donations, ticket sales and boat registrations. Registration for recreational boats (\$35) and charter boats (\$30) is due by 4pm on December 2nd. To sign up, call 541-265-6200 or email ybyc.email@gmail.com. If you're not on the water, be sure to view the parade from any spot on the Bayfront, and cheer for your favorite "floats".

LAST GASP SAILING

By Laurie Weitkamp

A dedicated group of 420-sailors took advantage of our wonderful October weather to continue Wednesday night sailing during the weeks between the Hospice Regatta and the end of daylight savings time. Although the wind failed to cooperate one evening (calm, foggy, and a strong outgoing tide), we had a good hour of quick races on two other Wednesdays, with all six 420s on the water on the first night (and several sailors waiting in the Whaler), and five boats on the final night. Although we drifted back to the dock in near-darkness both nights, it was smiles all around, especially after a spectacular sunset on first night.

The group included four members of our high school sailing team who have been active all summer and sailed the Hospice regatta: Jose Bravo, Matt Goschie, Ronan Krutzikowsky, and Tristan Scarborough; junior sailors Cortez Catalano and Marek Krutzikowsky; and adults Giovanni Catalano, Greg Krutzikowsky, Terry Lettenmaier, Cindy Milligan, Andy Nousen, Barry Semple, Kelly Stroh, and Laurie Weitkamp, with Guy and Donna Hadden running the Whaler and the races. Since there were no keelboats to steal our wind or get in the way, there was a lot of tiller swapping—people who had crewed all summer got to practice driving skills and vice versa.

Thanks to a first rate shore crew of Jennie Scarborough, Melissa Goschie, and Linda Johnson, we even had a tasty meal waiting for us by the time everyone was out of their wetsuits and the boats put away. Assuming October weather is as good next year as it was this year, perhaps the keelboats might want to join us for some last gasp sailing, as long as they don't steal our wind or get in our way.



MEMBERSHIP

By Carol Ozenberger

We have a new member, a student Becky Marbady. She used to belong to the Kaneohe Yacht Club, and also the San Francisco Yacht Club. Welcome Becky!

YBYC Classified

Moorage For Sale: Newport Embarcadero moorage "C". Dock slip M133. Accommodates up to a 30' boat. Ownership includes electricity, water, internet access, restrooms and showers, equipment locker and access to Embarcadero amenities swimming pool, hot tub, exercise and room, crab cooking area. \$6000 OBO. Contact Tom at

FALL PROGRAM FOR YOUTH SAILORS

Wednesdays 4-6pm

In order to keep the great momentum we've had this summer with our youth sailors, we will be having a weekly program this fall. On Wednesdays from 4-6pm in the new floathouse, will we be working on the dinghies and teaching basic



seamanship skills (knots, boat and sail repair, etc.). All youth sailors (and adults) are invited to come help get the boats ready for the spring sailing season, learn some new skills, and have fun in the process. Please contact Joe Novello for more information and to sign up.

Board Bits

The YBYC board met on 11/5, and some of the topics on their agenda were:

- Commodore Fulmor presided over the last meeting of his tenure
- Nominees are set for this month's elections
- Annual meeting this month
- A solar power demonstration project is planned for the floathouse
- User fees for club boats were discussed
- Three new members were approved, and
- The clubhouse is getting a flagpole.

The new board will meet on 12/3.

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THE JIB SHEET



A publication for the members and friends of the Yaquina Bay Yacht Club - Est. 1947

The Commodore's Log

Ahoy. For my first Commodore report I would like to say what an honor it is for me to be at the helm of YBYC. I pledge to do my best to work hard for our club.

Now, for the fun stuff. What a great Lighted Boat Parade we had! The 20th annual event had us chipping ice off the decks before we could decorate! We had all of our cold weather ski gear on & shoved off the docks in 21 degree temperatures but it was a beautiful clear night & spirits were high. All the boats looked great as did the Clubhouse, all lit up with Holiday cheer. YBYC had a good showing with 3 boats in the top 4. Solar Wind took 3rd, and Felicity & Kiwanda tied for honorable mention. We had all 3 officers; Kelly, Eric, & I at the awards ceremony & much merriment was had by all. A big thanks go out to Steph Brown & Fran Matthews for all the hard work they put into making the parade happen & over \$3000 was raised for CAN Cancer!

Keep your eyes on the horizon as the view will soon include a flagpole to be installed at the Clubhouse. Thanks to Mike Fulmor for a generous donation & the club kicking in as well, we will soon be official with flags flying at our club. Looking forward to a wonderful year.

Elliott

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December Pajama Brunch Potluck

Saturday December 21, 10am at YBYC Clubhouse

Join us for the monthly potluck, this month is Brunch - featuring Omelet In a Bag. Please bring a brunch dish to share, your place settings and favorite brunch beverage. Rolls, Desserts, Appetizers, Salads, breakfast sides, and covered dishes all make great brunch additions. You can also bring your favorite omelet toppings; the more the merrier!

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BOARD BITS

The YBYC board met on 12/3 with a new slate of members. Here is some of their agenda: Dealt with tax issues for our not-for-profit; plans for this years education program; electrical power to the floathouse; likely transfer of Lidos to Waldport program; Wine and Seafood Festival planning is underway; frostbite sailing series to begin; established a budget plan for eventual replacement of the dinghy fleet; decided our new flagpole will need lighting.

The board meets again on Jan. 7. Happy Holidays!

From the sailing pocket dictionary by Beard and McKie;

RAFTING, v., Neighborly sailing custom in which several boats moor alongside one another and exchange splinters, samples of hull paint, and pieces of broken brightwork.

20th Annual Lighted Boat Parade

Submitted by Stephanie Brown

10 brave boating crews ventured out onto Yaquina Bay on the frigid night of December 7th to kick off the 2013 holiday festivities. In keeping with this year's theme, 'The Magic of the Music,' there were displays including a live band, fog machines, fiber optics, flashing lights and even video projection!

The Grand Prize Hunting Rifle, sponsored by Oregon Coast Bank, was awarded to first-time parader F/V Island Girl, who's 'Smoke on the Water' performance wowed crowds and judges alike. First runner up was Discovery, who hosted the Newport High School Band on their back deck; second runner up was Miss Raven, always a contender with their very bright and lovely display; third runner up was YBYC's Solar Wind, captained by Rear Commodore Eric Brasseur. Solar Wind embraced the music theme and brought 'The Phantom of the Opera' to life in his rigging, flashing intermittently to great effect. Honorable Mention went to YBYC's Felicity and Kiwanda, for their originality and quality of display.

After all the excitement wound down, we totaled up \$3010 raised for CAN Cancer, a fund through Pacific Communities Hospital that helps local cancer patients with costs that are not covered by ordinary insurance.





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As 2013 draws to a close it's only natural to look back at the year and consider the future. YBYC had a great year of sailing with plenty of opportunities for both racing and cruising.

On the race side there were 34 races for keel boats held on Yaquina Bay in 2013 including the two regattas and the three series. The centerboard boats had three extra races during the Spring Regatta. Twenty two YBYC skippers sailed in one or more races, with 11 of those sailing in at least half of the races during the year. Races on Wednesday nights featured a choice of three different fleets: keel boats that flew spinnakers, keel boats that used only working sails, and a centerboard fleet. Six of the 22 boats racing qualified for the perpetual Racer of the Year trophy and for the first time in several years all fleets were represented.

Both of our regattas were well attended. We had several boats from Eugene join use for the Spring Regatta, perhaps in part because of the water level challenges that they faced on Fern Ridge Reservoir this year. But as usual the Columbus Day Regatta was our biggest of the year with 30 boats racing in 5 fleets. It was great to see such a fantastic turnout for what was our first ever Hospice Regatta. Not only was a great time had by all sailors, but we had substantial community exposure and involvement. To top it all off the event netted more than \$13,000 for hospice services provided by the Newport based Samaritan Pacific Community Health District.

On the cruise side of things we started out the year with our Frostbite Series which is a great excuse to get out on the water during the winter months when weather permits. The series was held on the $1^{\rm st}$ and $3^{\rm rd}$ Sunday of the month and is something we plan to do again this year. There were also three "fun races". Perhaps the highlight of these three fun outings was the trip up to Sawyer's landing for an ouster fest. I was very sorry I missed that one. For Sailstice on the weekend around the summer solstice there was an outing to Yaquina Head on a lovely day with light winds and calm seas. In August a number of boats cruised up the river to Toledo for the summer fest and amazing fireworks.

All in all it was a fabulous year on the water. Now its time to start looking forward to 2014. Our first event will be the Frostbite series. So mark your calendars for the first and third Sundays of each month until the end of April. If the weather looks good make plans to meet friends on the water at noon for a day of sailing.













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