The Jib Sheet



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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
Aug 17/18 Toledo Wooden Boat Show

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

Check out the calendar on the website!

YBYC Officers

Commodore	Mike Fulmor
Vice Commodore	Elliott Crowder
Rear Commodore	Kelly Greer
Secretary	.Alice McNamara
Treasurer	



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

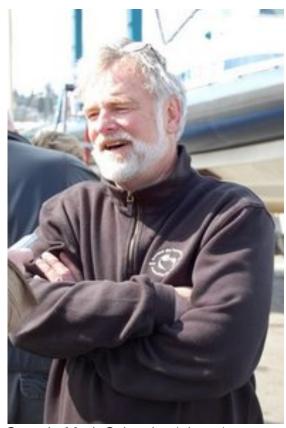
On July 3rd Yaquina Bay Yacht Club members were treated to a visit by world renowned sailor Mark Schrader. Mark has solo circumnavigated the globe twice and most recently has circumnavigated the Americas aboard his 64 foot Bruce Roberts designed steel cutter. His trip started in Seattle, traversed the 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 AroundtheAmericas.org 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

Website: www.yaquinabayyachtclub.org

Yahoo Group: http://groups.yahoo.com/group/ybycgroup
Facebook: http://www.facebook.com/YaquinaBayYachtClub



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.

YBYC Classified

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.

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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