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The Downwind Run

All sailors look forward to the downwind run of their voyage, as it usually means a time to sit back and reflect. As I look back, it is hard to believe it's all coming to an end, only to be renewed again in the new year. Our committees are actively planning for 2018, which if it's anything like this year, will be filled with activities, giving all of us something to enjoy. I want to acknowledge and thank each of our tireless volunteer committee members for their hard work. As your commodore, both Lynn and I have seen, and come to better appreciate, your efforts that allow all of us to enjoy our club to its fullest. While there are too many volunteers to acknowledge each one of you, I will attempt to highlight some.

Our Activities Committee, headed by Kristy Parr and ably assisted by Kari Konapelsky, made sure we were all kept busy with one event after the other, starting New Year's Eve; with each successive event enjoying record attendance. Our Cruise Committee, run by Laurie and Rear Commodore Steve Moffett, had us traveling to Santa Barbara, the Channel Islands, Catalina, a staycation at BCYC and finally, Dana Point this month. The Food and Beverage Committee, chaired by Director Rhonda Tolar, amazed us with Signature Dinners, Sunday Night Suppers and the famous Taco Tuesdays. While all this was going on, Rhonda was busy co-chairing The Gala Committee with Ramsey Johansson and Kari Konapelsky.

Staff Commodore Ted O'Connor ensured our facilities were all maintained in proper fashion as House Committee chair with many welcome upgrades. Working with the Juniors, Derek Johansson, Ramsey Johansson and Lisa Mayol, in their various roles, made sure our juniors continue to be the envy of West Coast yacht clubs. Camp Corinthian was a rousing success and The Gala exceeded expectations. Las Commodoras President Bobbi Silvey and her team hosted many events, and I wish to express our special thanks for their gift to the club — the new street-side signage. With Lori Curtin at the helm, the Ship's Store merchandise was most excellent.

The Traditions Committee, headed by EB Barden, provided the impetus to make the nightly flag lowering ceremony an expected tradition, and reintroduced our Officer of the Deck to name just a few of their accomplishments. Sail Fleet Captain Bill McNamara and his volunteers hosted more than 100 sailboat races, both in the ocean and the harbor. The Membership Committee, chaired by Teri Leigh, is an integral part of our club — as their mandate is to find new members — and made sure our club membership is vibrant and thriving. Showboat, a long-standing BCYC tradition, orchestrated by Nancy Bryant and Joan Delaney, was a truly remarkable event. Bill Long, press relations chair, made sure BCYC accomplishments were widely publicized.

The success of BCYC is due in large part to the unwavering commitment of our volunteers and their able leaders. ALL members are invited to be part of a committee, as your help is always needed **and** appreciated.

"We make a living by what we get, but we make life by what we give." - Sir Winston Churchill -



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*New Member
Welcoming Party*

The New Member Cocktail Party, Oct. 20, from 6:30-8:30 p.m., is a great opportunity to meet new BCYC members who have joined since November, 2016. This very fun event is open to all members – be there.

A great Christmas gift would be a JFlag membership to your children who fit the age requirement. They can immediately begin enjoying the benefits of a BCYC membership.

The Tile Project is moving ahead with the second tile painting event completed in September. Please contact me about purchasing and painting a tile. as our final tile painting day will be Nov. 5, noon - 5 p.m.

Make time to be Officer of the Deck. You will help visitors to BCYC and get to know your club even better. Let's have a fun fall.



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Party and Decorate

Fall is here and you might think it's time to relax with your pumpkin-spiced toddy, but the Activities Committee just won't let you do that quite yet. Hot off the tails of the amazing Class of BCYC Lounge Night, co-chaired by Susan Barden and Lori Curtin, we have more in store for you.

Come pARGHty with the Pirates of BCYC Oct. 28. Put on your favorite pirate costume, eye patch or bandana – be ye live or be ye dead – and dance the night away. Chef Georges Rapicault and his culinary team will have a variety of heavy appetizARGHs for the evening. Be sure to bring along a few extra doubloons just in case ye get thrown in the brig.

We will celebrate the best and brightest of BCYC at the 59th annual Awards Night Nov. 18. This is always a spectacular night, so be sure to reserve your spot.

Right on the heels of Awards Night we will begin holiday decorating on Nov. 19. We need MANY elves to pull this off and especially strong “he-man” type elves in the morning to help get our beautiful trees in place. This is a great day to get involved, make the club beautiful for the holiday season and meet other members. I hope you all come by and give us a couple hours of your valuable time.

We always welcome fresh faces at our Activities Committee meetings. We meet the second Wednesday of the month at 7:30 p.m. Come join the fun!



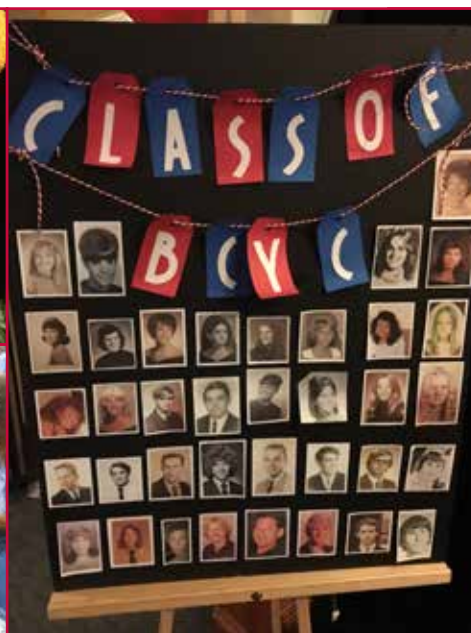
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New this Fall, we have our Chop House menu for Sunday Night Suppers, Sept. 10-Oct. 29. Featuring two different entrees each week, these plated dinners will include higher-end cuts of meat — changing each week — served with a variety of sides and fresh bread and butter. In November, the Sunday Night Supper will be “Movie, Wine and Dine” featuring a movie and wine with the menu to fit the movie theme. Watch for more details coming soon.

Starting October 12, we will have a new addition to Food and Beverage Committee meetings. Held on the second Thursday of the month at 6 p.m., the first half of the meeting will be devoted to discussing topics related to food and beverage at the club. The second part of the meeting will be a BCYC wine tasting event, a new feature that will give members a chance to try new wines being considered as additions to our wine list, as well as current wines. Included will be an assortment of cheese and crackers. All members are welcome to attend this fun and educational monthly wine tasting. Cost will be \$20 per person.

I welcome all comments and suggestions regarding food and beverage at BCYC. Feel free to contact me at rhtolar@gmail.com.





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Fall Sailing Season Underway

Now that we are well into the fall season, the sailing scene is ramping up once again. The Fall Program is going strong with more than 30 sailors participating across four classes: Junior Mariners; Sabot beginners; Sabot racing; and our Club 420 travel team. The SCYYRA (Southern California Youth Yacht Racing Association) series regattas are also stacking up, and we're excited to send teams to compete in the North Series for Sabots and the Perry Series for Club 420s. Results can be found on scyyra.org.

We look forward to the 12th Annual Corinthian Cup Regatta here at BCYC Oct. 21-22. This is the largest annual youth regatta hosted by our club and we hope to see all of our sailors on the water for this one! Remember, for this regatta, not only are prizes awarded for top finishers, but all competitors are vying for the Team High-Point trophy, which is awarded to the top yacht club overall. Participation, as well as performance, are both factored into this result, so we need all hands on deck to defend our 2016 title!



The Levy Family - First Place, Family Division, Club Championship



Junior Commodore
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Sailing and Leading

Hi, my name is Max Mayol, your 2017-2018 junior commodore. My family has been members of BCYC since the year I was born, and the club has been my home. I have enjoyed sailing locally and internationally under the BCYC burgee and am very excited to have finally reached this prestigious position. Ever since I was a little kid I have aspired to be the Junior Commodore at BCYC, and it is so surreal that it is finally happening. Having served on the junior board for the past six years, I enjoyed each year while working side-by-side with many of my role models.

This year, I hope to achieve a few major, but very achievable goals. My vision as junior commodore is to make the junior board more visible to the club as a whole. Also, to help raise as much money as possible for the junior program. To facilitate the first goal, the junior officers will be eating in the Columbia Room on a regular basis so we can meet more of the members. When you see us, come by and say hi – we would love to meet you and hear any suggestions or answer questions you have about what we do. I am looking forward to a great year.

Paddle Board Safety

Paddle boarders do not have the right of way. First and foremost, please be aware of your surroundings. You may be the only craft on the water, or may be sharing the channel with a large ship. Whatever the circumstance, your awareness of other traffic may make the sole difference in the safety of everyone on the water. Paddlers do not travel as fast as motorized craft. If you see a powerboat or sailboat, do not assume that you can pass ahead of it if traveling across its path. The safest way for paddle craft to cross the path of a powerboat or sailboat is astern. Remember to cross other boats as a group instead of straggling across the channel and blocking other traffic. In shared waterways, the more boaters watching out for others, the safer everyone will be.

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Estate Planning
 Have you considered remembering BCYC in your estate planning?
 Please contact General Manager Scott Jones to discuss.



Cruising
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Mystery Solved!

Our last cruise for the 2017 season is a raft-up in Dana Point Oct 6-8. This will be a casual weekend and the weather is always great this time of year. Our permit has been approved for a maximum 10-boat raft-up. If more boats come they must anchor alone.

The BCYC Staycation Sept. 1-4 was a blast. Many thanks to Teri Leigh for planning this weekend, and for being our cruise captain. Cruisers had a great dinner at the Lighthouse Bay View Café on Friday night, and Saturday, several dinghies and Duffys headed over to Lido Village for lunch. The potluck dinner on the lower level patio was very well attended, as was our Sunday morning breakfast on the patio accompanied by steel drum music! Thank you to all who contributed to our breakfast!

Steve and I want to extend a heartfelt thank you to all our cruisers, both land and sea, for joining us over the past two years. We have enjoyed our time as cruise chairs and have many treasured memories! Visit the club website, click the Members tab, then Photo Albums-Flickr to view how much fun we had.



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Pumpkin Time

This month, the Junior Events Committee is excited to host a Pumpkin Carving Party Oct. 28, from 2-4 p.m. You BYOP (Bring Your Own Pumpkin) and we'll have all the tools necessary to carve or decorate your spooky or funny Halloween pumpkin. Reservations can be made through the BCYC office. We look forward to seeing you there!



Vice Commodore
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Results All Around

Results of a very comprehensive survey of families whose kids participated in Camp Corinthian this summer are in. Almost 50% of the participants responded and the overwhelming majority of the scores were 4.5 or higher (highest possible score was 5). Junior Sailing Director Cameron MacClaren, Head Coach Matt Peter and all the coaches did a tremendous job, with many of the kids wishing the camp ran longer!

October brings a variety of events to BCYC, including the cruise to Dana Point, Scotch and Cigar Night, Oktoberfest, a New Member Cocktail party, Pumpkin Carving and the BCYC Pirate Halloween party. Next month, once all have returned from the Commodore's Cruise, the 59th Annual Awards Night takes place Nov. 11. This is an opportunity to honor the many member volunteers who made a difference in 2017. Makes plans to attend one or all of these sure-to-be fun affairs.

The Gala, Sept. 23, was very successful because of the planning and coordination during the several months leading up to this event. Co-chairs Ramsey Johansson, Kari Konapelsky and Rhonda Tolar and their team of volunteers are to be commended for knocking this one out of the park! In this edition of *The Masthead*, look for the pictures from The Gala that tell the story in vivid color.

With the holiday season fast approaching, you will want to spend a few hours on Nov. 18 and 19 helping decorate the club. Make sure this is on your calendar. The transformation is amazing and goes smoothly when there are many elves buzzing around BCYC.



Las Commodoras Paint & Sip Event



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SHIP'S STORE



The new season brings many new items to “Fall” in love with in the Ship’s Store. We are excited to offer the custom burgee sail cloth purses, available in two sizes. And, make sure to check out the men’s burgee tie pins in the display case. Lastly, bundle up in our new fleece windbreaker in both adult and children’s sizes.

- Lori Curtin, Ship’s Store Chair -



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R and R

October provides a brief respite for the Race Committee as we work on the 2018 race calendar and plan for what will be an exciting new year.

A survey was sent to PHRF and Harbor 20 fleet 1 members in Newport Beach asking for their racing preferences. It’s all about customer satisfaction and, of course, fun! The responses will be factored into the calendar. If you have any ideas on how to increase BCYC member participation in our races, let us know.

Some ideas already provided by the racers are: a long-distance race around all three mid-channel oil islands (27 miles); and offering a “mixed” venue of outside and inside races under one race series.

Also for 2018, BCYC members interested in joining the Race Committee will have another option – participate on-land. The committee is looking for members who can help market our races, or work to populate the club’s social media platforms with racing-related information. Members with MS Excel experience can help score our races. Members who like to tinker on boats can help improve our Race Committee boats. Interested? Contact us.

The Hot Rum Series for PHRF and Harbor 20s begins in November and ends in January. Dig out your pirate gear as there will be prizes for best costumed crew. Besides being a great venue, the Hot Rum Series provides a perfect opportunity for “newbies” to check out the racing scene in the relative comfort of Newport Harbor. Don’t go shopping – go sailing!

DID YOU KNOW?

Important Stuff

Did you know that if you have an event outside the clubhouse with music, an amplified music permit is required from the City of Newport Beach, and that it is only good until 10 p.m.? To avoid problems, meet with General Manager Scott Jones to work through these details prior to your event.

Did you know that we have a “combo door” for members to gain access to the Sabot room? If you are renting a Sabot space, ask for the lock combination at the club office.



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The Gala - Natalie Tolar.
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A Note from our Chaplain . . .

“Less alcohol, more tea
Less processed, more fresh
Less salt, more vinegar
Less sugar, more fruit
Less eating, more chewing
Less words, more action
Less greed, more giving
Less worry, more sleep
Less driving, more walking
Less anger, more laughter.”

- John Tesh -



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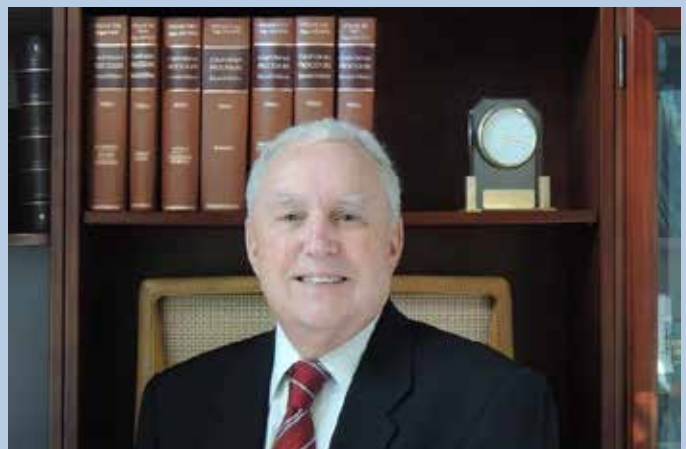
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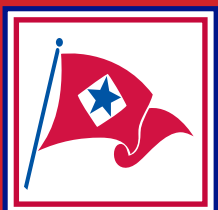
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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13**



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COCKTAIL EVENT
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20
6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.**



**MEET THE
CANDIDATES
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22**



**PUMPKIN CARVING
AND
HALLOWEEN PARTY
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28**



**WINEMAKER
DINNER
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11**



**59TH ANNUAL
AWARDS NIGHT
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18**

OCTOBER

Sundays

Friday 6,20,27
Thursday, 5
Fri-Sun, 6-8
Wed 11,18,25
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Saturday, 14
Friday, 20
Sat-Sun, 21-22
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Saturday, 28

Sunday Night Supper

Fall Sailing
Prime Rib & More
Dana Point Raft Up
Yachtsmen's Luncheon
2018 Commodore's Cruise Info Meeting
Scotch & Cigar Night
S/C Breakfast
Las Commodoras Oktoberfest Dinner
New Member Cocktail Event
Corinthian Cup
Meet The Candidates
Commodore's Cruise
Pumpkin Carving
Halloween Party

NOVEMBER

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Saturday, 11
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Sat-Mon, 18-20
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Sunday, 19
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Sunday Night Supper

Las Commodoras Toy Drive Kickoff
Prime Rib & More
Fall Sailing Ends
Yachtsmen's Luncheon
Las Commodoras
The Security Guard Luncheon
Awards Night Set Up
Winemaker Dinner
59th Annual Awards Night
Holiday Set Up
Ornament Crafting Party
Hot Rum Race 1&2
Thanksgiving (Club Closed)
Two for One Dinner Buffet 5-8p.m.



**HOLIDAY
SET UP
SAT-MON, NOV 18-20**

MORE INFORMATION AT BCYC.ORG

Please make reservations for all club events, as well as dining plans, at bcyc.org or call the office at 949-644-9530.

Member Event: Regular member dining is not available / Columbia Room menu served until 5 p.m. To avoid a cancellation charge, reservations must be cancelled three (3) or more Club Open days prior to the Member Event (e.g. no later than the Wednesday before a Saturday Member Event).

Breakfast in the Columbia Room
Every Saturday 8 - 11 a.m.

Omelet Express
Every Sunday 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Sunday Night Supper
Every Sunday 5 - 8 p.m.