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MENU: Lemon Garlic Chicken, Tri Tip Steak Garlic Mashed Potatoes, Salad and Breadsticks.

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Commodore







Hello Navy Yacht Club!

May has seen Marie and I attending several more SCYA Clubs' Opening Days. On May 4th, we were at Seal Beach Yacht Club and on May 5th, we were at Huntington Harbour Yacht Club. Then on May 11, we attended Marie's nephew's commissioning into the Army from Cal State Fullerton ROTC, where he graduated in Mechanical Engineering. Following that ceremony, we went to Bahia Corinthian Yacht Club's Opening Day in Corona Del Mar. May 18 saw us at Dana Point Yacht Club in the morning and Dana West Yacht Club in the afternoon. This has been a hectic schedule but very enlightening. Meeting and exchanging ideas in attending opening days of other Southern California Yacht clubs was an experience in itself.

The Board of Directors have been discussing the Friday night Potlucks which have been so very well attended in the past. The concern has been the shortage of food for all attendees. In the past, if you did not bring food you could pay \$5.00 per person. When several people did just that, it caused a shortage of food for all. Potlucks were designed for all to bring food, so to that extent the Board approved the following change:

Potlucks are "A meal especially for a large group, to which participants bring various foods to be shared by all."

There will no longer be a \$5.00 charge to participate. If you don't bring a dish to share, you don't eat. You should bring a dish to share for 6-8 people.

There is no longer a time allotment for Happy Hour and/or Dinner.

You are entitled to 1 plate/serving of food until the end. If there is food left over toward the end, you can then help yourself to 2nds and 3rds. (1 serving of food and 1 serving of dessert)

Thank you in advance for your consideration and cooperation.

I hope this helps the situation for the Friday Potlucks, since it has been a very well attended event for our club.

Hope to see you around the club soon,

Steve Stanec

Commodore

Vice Commodore



Polly Mullen



Hello Navy Yacht Club Members,

Cinco de Mayo was a great success and so was Mother's Day, from what I hear. All seemed to have fun and enjoy the club. Weather was great!

Father's Day is scheduled for June 16th beginning at noon.

Greetings & Welcome (cocktails) from 12-1pm. Food to be served at 1 PM, so save the date. It will be "catered" by Stonefire Grill. Someone will be picking it up and bringing it to the club, so I will need help getting it set up prior to the food arriving. Let me know if you are willing to help.

Pricing will be \$15 per person - Kids under 8, \$7.50 . Kids under 4 free. The menu will include:
Lemon Garlic Chicken,
Tri Tip Steak
Garlic Mashed Potatoes,

Salad and Breadsticks.

It will be Yummy! So, sign up online ASAP. Deadline date is June 12th. I cannot add to the order after that, so please sign up soon. No last minute reservations will be accepted.

Next on the Agenda is July 3rd. More info to follow as we get closer. We will again be opening the registration to members first, then guests depending on availability. I will let you know once it is available online to sign up.

So, party on, Navy Yacht Clubbers!

Always my best,

Polly Mullen Rear Commodore

Cinco de Mayo at NYCLB!!!





Rear Commodore



Rodney Coomber



Hello to all you wonderful members of Navy Yacht Club Long Beach.

The "Opening Day season" (sometimes called the deviled egg circuit) is almost over and your flag officers have done a fine job of representing your club at as many of these ceremonial displays as we could stretch ourselves to do. Opening Day is one of the most important days in a yacht clubs calendar. It is a tradition handed down from east coast clubs climatically challenged to signal the beginning of their boating season when they were reasonably sure they wouldn't be handicapped by floating ice. Part of the ceremony calls for firing off cannon that would help break up any remaining ice. We southern California yachties have no such hazards and celebrate the occasion to show off our cleaned and polished facilities, our pride in our clubs, accomplishments and our friendly welcoming spirit. We use other clubs opening days to meet their officers and members, to make our club and ourselves known and establish a friendly relationship. Quite often this interaction leads to establishment of reciprocal privileges.

It is this friendly welcoming spirit I saw demonstrated by the host couple a couple of Friday nights ago. They made sure they welcomed every person who came through the entrance to our club. They asked their names, shook hands, introduced themselves and made sure each person wore a name badge which is a requirement when on our club property. Now this couple are new members and they took on the task of hosting a Friday night potluck. I thought to myself how nice it would be if we all took turns in hosting the Friday night potluck. That way you would meet everyone, not just the few folks you always sit with and everyone would get the chance to meet you. Please consider this opportunity and sign up on the planning calendar. You'll be glad you did.

Rodney Coomber Rear Commodore



Jr. Staff Commodore





Becky Martinez

Ahoy NYCLB Membership,

Here we are, halfway through the year and that means it's time for some of you to consider running for a position on our Board of Directors for next year. You may have thought about it—or you may not have, believing you don't have the talent or the time. So, what I'd like to do is give you what I believe, based on my five years' experience, it takes to serve on the NYCLB Board of Directors.

First of all, serving as an Officer of the club, or a Board member is not for everyone. There are many of you whose commitment to the club includes the wonderful—and numerous—volunteer opportunities that extend throughout the year. We truly value our many volunteers; without you our club—a volunteer club—would not exist! If you are considering taking that extra step, however, to serve as a Board member or Officer, time, commitment, and teamwork are essential! Certainly, if you have a special or unique skill in areas such as business, leadership, building, finance, etc., that is a plus. However, first and foremost, you must be committed to devoting the necessary time to fulfilling your Director or Officer duties. That may include some weekends, weekdays and, evenings as well. It's important to attend Friday night potlucks, interacting with the members and assisting with potluck duties in addition to events and special projects of which there are many. Directors may be called on to chair committees, assist flag officers and step in at any time to take lead on projects.

I realize that many members work full time and are not available to the club 24/7. You are not expected to be; and that is where teamwork enters the mix. The commitment to work *together* and to have the time *together* to get the job done is what has made ours the fabulous club it is!

So, if you're thinking about running for office this September, it's time to start talking to the past and current board members and Flag Officers about their positions. Get their perspective of what being a Director or Flag Officer is like. I am also available to answer any questions you may have.

Next month, I'll provide information about each position's specific duties. In the meantime, you may want to refer to Articles IV and V of the Bylaws where the duties of the Officers and Directors are outlined.

See you Soon! Becky Martinez Jr. Staff Commodore



Race Committee Chair







Race Chair Report for April 2019

The third race of the 2019 Long Beach Harbor Series was the Armed Forces Day Race conducted by NYCLB on 4 May. Eleven boats raced in PHRF Spinnaker and Non-Spinnaker classes. NYCLB boats racing were Raptor and Renegade. Raptor won the PHRF Spin class by 3 seconds on corrected time over a Seal Beach YC boat "Syndicate." Another great job by Tony, Becky and the race committee who not only ran the race (with an outside finish) but also provided Hot Dogs and snacks for the post race celebration.

In other race news, NYCLB boats are representing the club in races around the harbor. John Setchell's SC 33 "Windfall" finished 2nd and 3rd in PHRF C of the first two races of the Long Beach Island Series (see photo below). Shadowfax, Renegade and Dawn Patrol are racing in the SIBYC Thursday night Pop-Tops. Raptor is racing in the Long Beach YC Wet Wednesdays and has scored 4 firsts in 4 races in the four boat PHRF A fleet.

Tuesday's Salty Sailors sailing continues. If you don't have a sailing vessel just bring yourself, bring you friends and family – there is always a skipper in need of crew. We meet at the the club any Tuesday at 11:30. The club website has the most recent NYCLB Senior Salty Sailors course chart: dated **2 November 2018**.

Gather up your friends and family and join us.

The Tuesday SS results follow:

Tuesday 30 April: On this Tuesday we had four boats on course #56, a 6.3 mile harbor race/cruise. We stated off with a tight reach to mark 1 – Anaheim Channel Buoy R2, we followed that with a slow paced reach to mark 34 – the spar buoy east of the Belmont Pier. From there we headed to mark 38 on a very tight reach and then finished at the A Buoy.

The breeze was wonderful staying in 8 to 11 knot range for the entire cruise. In first place, Windhaven followed closely by Love & War, Shadowfax and new to the fleet Buenafe, owned by Ramer Spurr.

Tuesday 7 May: We had five boats on course #57, a 7.3 mile harbor race/cruise. We stated off with a reach to mark 35 – Seal Beach Pier, we followed that with tight reach to mark 27 – R 2 Long Beach Channel Buoy. From there we headed on a beat to mark 31 at the West end of the Long Beach Breakwater, finishing with a downwind run to the A Buoy.

The breeze in 6 to 10 knot range for the entire cruise. In first place, Shadowfax followed by Love & War, Swell Lover, Macs and Windhaven.

Tuesday 14 May: This Tuesday we had five boats on course #33, a 6.0 mile harbor jaunt. We stated off on a broad reach to Mark 34 – Belmont Pier, the second leg was a tight reach across the bay to Mark 1 – Alamitos Bay Channel Buoy R 2. Our finishing leg was an exciting 2.6 mile beat to Mark 38. The wind ranged at the start was 5.0 knot at the finish it had built to 12.2 knots all-in-all great wind conditions.

Four of the five boats finished within 1 minute, 20 second of each other. In first place, by a nose, Windhaven, followed very closely by Love & War, Shadowfax, Green Dragon and Fiat Lux.





Fleet Captain



Marie Stanec



Ahoy members!

Summer is here... let's go cruising...

Need cruise captains to plan a cruise to other yacht club facilities, to Catalina or other preferred locations.

Cruise Captain's responsibilities:

Choose a location to cruise to... (other yacht clubs, catalina island, raft-ups, Navy dock, or any location of your choice)

Contact the yacht club for dock availability, normally for weekend cruises – from 3 – 5 slips, depends on how many will be joining the cruise.

Plan for activities for the duration of the event

A day trip for Dana Point/Del Mar is scheduled for Sunday – August 18. Total cost of \$75.00 per person includes of the following:

Bus ride to Dana Point Yacht Club – to Del Mar Racetrack – back to NYCLB.

Brunch at Dana Point Yacht Club

Admission fee to Del Mar

Champagne, mimosas, wine on the bus

Send your reservations as soon as possible as seats are limited to only 20. Send your reservations with your checks payable to Navy Yacht Club of Long Beach.

Your suggestion and participation is greatly appreciated.

Thank you.

Sincerely

Marie Stanec

Cell: (626) 833-5977

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Fleet Captain

Mother's Day 2019









At NYCLB!!!





Member's Corner

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Some Local Yacht Clubs:

Alamitos Bay LB Singles
American Legion Long Beach
Balboa Los Angeles

Buccaneer Navy

Catalina Newport Harbor

Cerritos Bahia Oasis

Dana Point Redondo Beach
Dana West San Pedro
Hollywood Santa Margarita

Huntington Harbor Seagate
Hurricane Gulch Shoreline
King Harbor Transpacific
Lido Isle Wooden Hull

Little Ships Fleet





NYCLB's 3rd of July Fireworks celebration!

Tuesday, July 3rd

Happy Hour: 4-5 PM / Dinner to follow

\$20 per person

Catered Menu: Burgers, hot dogs and more!

Music 5 to 8 PM: Bobby John Band

Due to the popularity of the event, RSVP's are mandatory.

Members reserve by June 19th

Waiting list for those that are not members.

To add family/friends to the waiting list, contact Polly at

pollyamullen@hotmail.com

Dessert contest: Most patriotic/Best Taste

Contact Robbi at Robbie.nagashima@gmail.com if you'd like to participate.

For Dock usage, RSVP to Tony Rietdyk trietdyk@socal.rr.com



NYCLB spends a day at the races!



Sunday, August 18th \$75 a person

Includes Brunch at Dana Point Yacht Club, Admission to Del Mar, & transportation

Bus leaves at 10 AM from NYCLB

There will be champagne & mimosas on the bus!

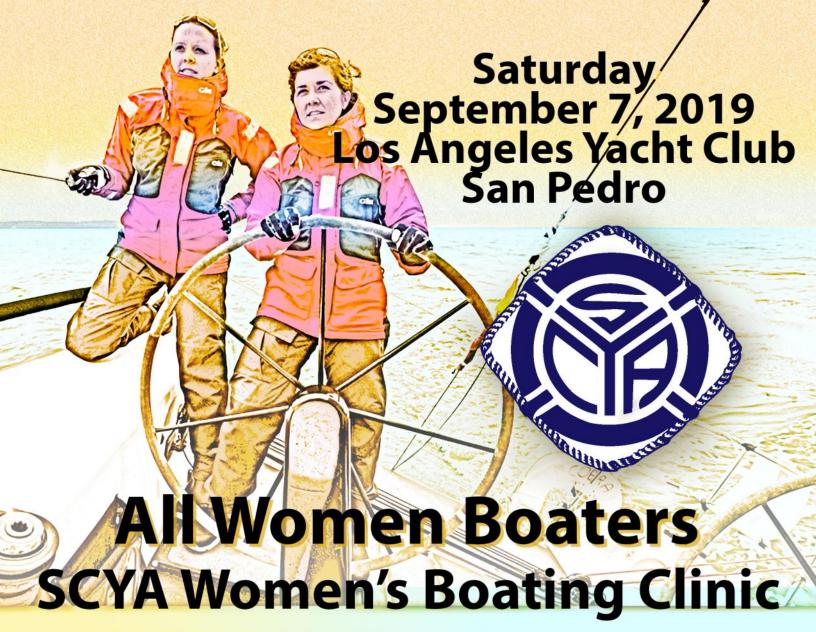


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June 2019



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2	3	4 Salty Sailors' Race	5	6	7 Pot-Luck - Burn Your Own - Share a dish	8
9	10 Board Mtg.	11 Salty Sailors' Race	12	13	14 Pot-Luck New Members Presentation	15
16 Luncheon Happy Father's Day!	17	18 Salty Sailors' Race	19	20	21 Pot-Luck Prospective Members	22
23/30	24	25 Salty Sailors' Race	26	27	28 Pot-Luck	29

July 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
	1	2 Salty Sailors' Race	3 Fireworks on the Bay	4 ASSUL	5 Pot-Luck - Burn Your Own - Share a dish	6	
7	8 Board Mtg.	9 Salty Sailors' Race	10	11	12 Pot-Luck - New Members Presentation	13	
14	15	16 Salty Sailors' Race	17	18	19 Pot-Luck Prospective Members	20	
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The Scuttlebutt



Scuttlebutt

Navy Yackt Club Long Beach



Dates to Remember

- June 10 Board Meeting
 - June 14 Flag Day
- June 16 Father's Day BBQ
- July 3 Fireworks on the Bay
 - July 8 Board Meeting

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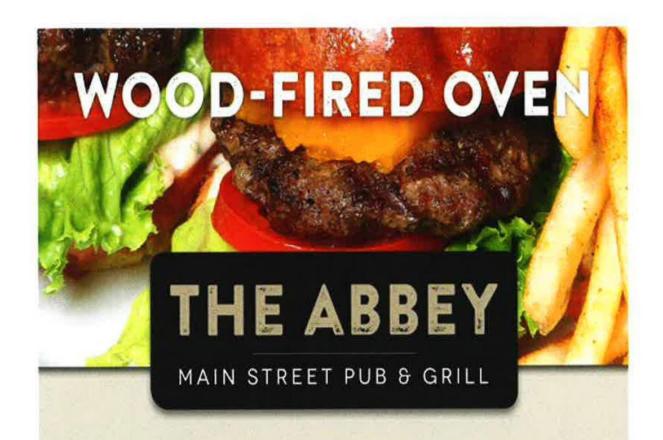


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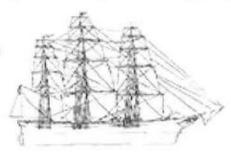
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