

The Captain's Log

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FROM THE BRIDGE:

Greetings again from the bridge!! It was gratifying to see such a good turnout at the Commodore's Ball, and I hope it's success is a fore-runner of things to come for the Club this year.

In an effort to stimulate growth in the membership, your Board of Governors has voted to divide the initiation fee into three (3) payments - 50% with application, 25% upon notification of approval of the application, and the remaining 25% to be paid one (1) month later. The dues, of course, are still payable upon approval of the application prorated according to the month of the year.

We hope that this change will make it easier for some of the people who are contemplating joining to make the move. I encourage each of you to bring a prospective new member and show him or her what a good deal the LONG BEACH YACHT CLUB is. Let's go sailing!!!

DON RAYNER
Commodore

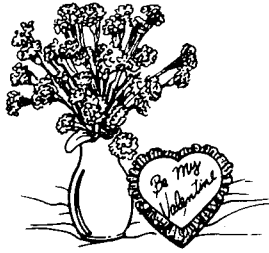


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LADIES AUXILIARY

Many thanks to Merle Hammack and Eleanor Danhoffer for hosting our first meeting for the new year at Annie's on January 21st.

Our planned "Meet the New Commodore Night" had to be postponed until next month. Be sure to be there. Guests and husbands are invited.

We are in need of ladies to host our monthly meetings. No experience needed. We will have a sign-up sheet at our next meeting.

Iris Montgomery has asked we pay our \$15.00 dues by the February meeting, or you may mail them to her at: 403 E. 4th St., Long Beach.

We need to have our hostesses set up and our dues paid so we can get our year books printed.

Elaine Norcross presented Nancy Hoss with a gold engraved heart for serving as president for 1985.

Our 1986 Committee Chairwomen are as follows:

- Fund Raising - Eleanor Danhoffer
- Historical - Jean-Ann Swenson
- Membership - Diane Evans
- Telephone - Joan Allen

These ladies will be needing help - so why don't you give them a call?

At the January meeting door prizes were won by Minnie Worth, Catherine Woodward, Elaine Norcross, Merle Hammack and Lavice Lamy. Our "Lucky Lady" was Pum Welch (who in turn donated her winnings to be deposited in our savings account).

Let's make this a great year for the LBYC Auxiliary. Come join us and show the club we care.

Don't forget our meeting February 18th at 7 PM at the Club.

See you there --

Nell Holmes,
Secretary



We want to say WELCOME to our newest members - Jack and Jean Vincent. We are glad to have them and hope they will enjoy our club.

The Board of Governors approved a new policy on payment of dues and initiation fees at their last meeting. Now - new members will be given the option of paying the entire initiation fee when they submit their application or they may elect a three-payment plan which is: 1/2 of initiation fee to accompany membership application; 1/4 of initiation fee and annual dues to be paid when membership is approved by board; and final 1/4 will be paid thirty days later. Annual dues will be pro rated to month that membership is approved by the board. There is also an associate membership available for singles with the same optional three-payment plan available. Spread the word among your single friends about this. We hope this new policy will encourage more people to join.

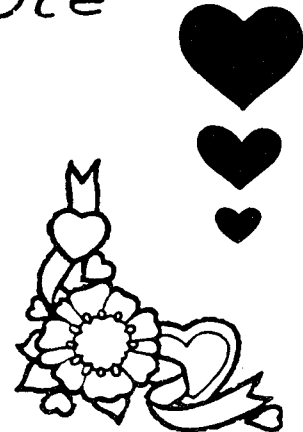
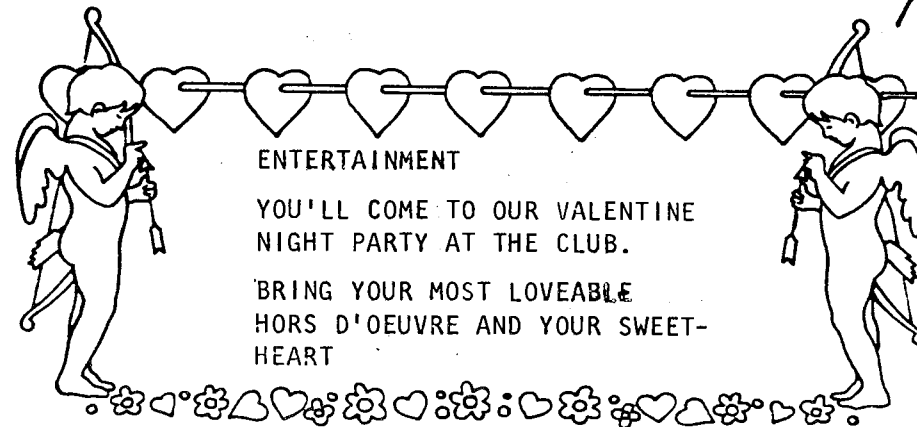
Jack Boice, Linda Lewis, Bruce Brickner, Joan Allen and DoAnne Dymond have agreed to work on the membership committee this year, and we are going to do our best to recruit as many new members as possible. However, everybody should join in on recruiting new members and help us. Application blanks are at the club, or you can call me and I will be happy to mail you one (864-1192).

We are looking forward to a good year!

LOUISE RECTOR,
Chairman



Please Note





HOUSE COMMITTEE:

The newly formed House Committee had its first meeting on January 7th. At that meeting, the members discussed several new directions which we hope will increase the quality of food and efficiency of operation of the kitchen and bar.

First, we have begun steps to install detailed sales records and inventory control over the bar. We intend to track the areas of profitability and make the entire bar operate more efficiently. Although the membership has been allowed to run tabs from week to week, we now request that tabs be paid on a daily basis until further notice.

Second, we hope to improve the quality of food served by the kitchen. We have hired a cook and helper for the kitchen and will purchase for their preparation quality fresh goods. We are attempting to organize the kitchen to become an additional profit center for the club. We realize that this can only be done by serving a quality product.

Util all of our plans are put into place, Friday night will be the only night of food service scheduled on a regular basis. When we are sure that we can provide a good meal on Thursday and Sunday, we will expand our service. (WE WILL HAVE A SEAFOOD DINNER THURSDAY NIGHT, FEBRUARY 13TH, 6-8 PM, BUT THIS IS A ONE NIGHT DEAL FOR THAT MONTH)

It is our desire to make the bar and kitchen one of the best tools at our disposal to recruit new members and to encourage our present membership to use the club more often. We beg your patience with the changes, and solicit your patronage once they are made.

HOUSE COMMITTEE

From the Editor

As your Editor, I apologize for this newsletter being so late. We have all been putting in overtime to make the Reign of King Scott XXVI, (otherwise known as Dr. Don Rayner, our Commodore) a success. Now that the festivities are over, we can get back to business. All I ask is that the committee chairmen PLEASE get their articles in to me by the 20th of each month, so that our newsletter can get printed on time. In future months, if each chairman would drop his or her article off at my shop, located at 405 Jeff Davis, we'll be ready to roll each month. THANKS---

Jean-Ann

Special Thanks

TO JOHN MONTGOMERY from the Ladies for the wooden walkway, which helped to keep the ladies and their lovely gowns dry. We really do appreciate your thoughtfulness!



RACE AND SAIL COMMITTEE:

Race and Sail has planned a series of fund-raising events to help start an Optimist Pram fleet for our young sailors. Our latest event was an oyster night on January 3rd. The oysters were really good and the help in the kitchen was great. We would like to thank Jud Williams, Billy Aborn, Mike and Linda Lewis, David and Kathy Wyatt, Bob Christ, Carol Sirokman, Pat Maxwell, Jack Hoffman and Betty Khorman. Our next planned fund raiser will be a CRAWFISH BOIL ON FEBRUARY 22ND. Also, we have another Poker Run planned for March 23rd. It was a great time last year and we hope it will be even better this year. Be sure to come, power or sail. Watch the Captain's Log and the bulletin board for details of these and other upcoming events.

Sailors who are preparing for the racing season either on the boats or on committees may be interested to know LBYC has planned a Race Clinic on March 5th and 6th. This will be a good chance for beginners and observers to become familiar with sailboat racing.

North sails will present the North Smart Course on March 8 and 9th. This will be full of good information for serious racers. See Don Roberts or Bruce Page for details.

Regattas scheduled for February are: ST VALENTINE'S DAY REGATTA, PCYC - FEB. 15th MARDI GRAS REGATTA, NOYC - FEB. 15TH

As usual our Race & Sail Committee is approaching the '86 summer with enthusiasm and high expectations. If any members have input or would like to help with Race and Sail, it will be fun and very appreciated on the water and at the club. Our next meeting will be on February 16th and you can always find a sailor stranded in the "Sandbar" - so come on down and join us.

RACES FOR THE YEAR: Poker Run - Sunday, March 23, 1-5 PM (club members only may enter for prize)

Cheap Thrills Regatta, Saturday, May 10th (LBYC only)
GYA Capdeville Race Week - June 28th and 29th
GYA Open - Walet Regatta - October 11 and 12

GYA ANNUAL MEETING - May 3-4 Pont YC
Great Ship Island Race - May 17
Chapman Regatta - June 7-8, PCYC
Race for the Case Heart Fund - July 13 (GYC to BYC)
Knost Regatta, Aug. 9-10, PCYC
Junior Liptons - Aug. 16-17, SYC
Senior Liptons - Aug. 30-31 and Sept. 1, SYC

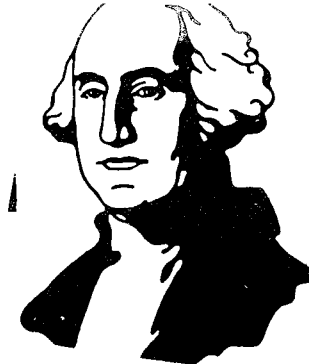


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[16] Race & Sail meeting, 4 PM	[17] Closed	[18] Ladies Aux. dinner at the club	[19] Board of Governors meeting 7 PM	[20] NEWSLETTER DEADLINE	[21] Burgers nite	[22] Crawfish Boil - 6 PM
[23]	[24] Closed	[25]	[26]	[27]	[28]	[]

