



The Captain's Log

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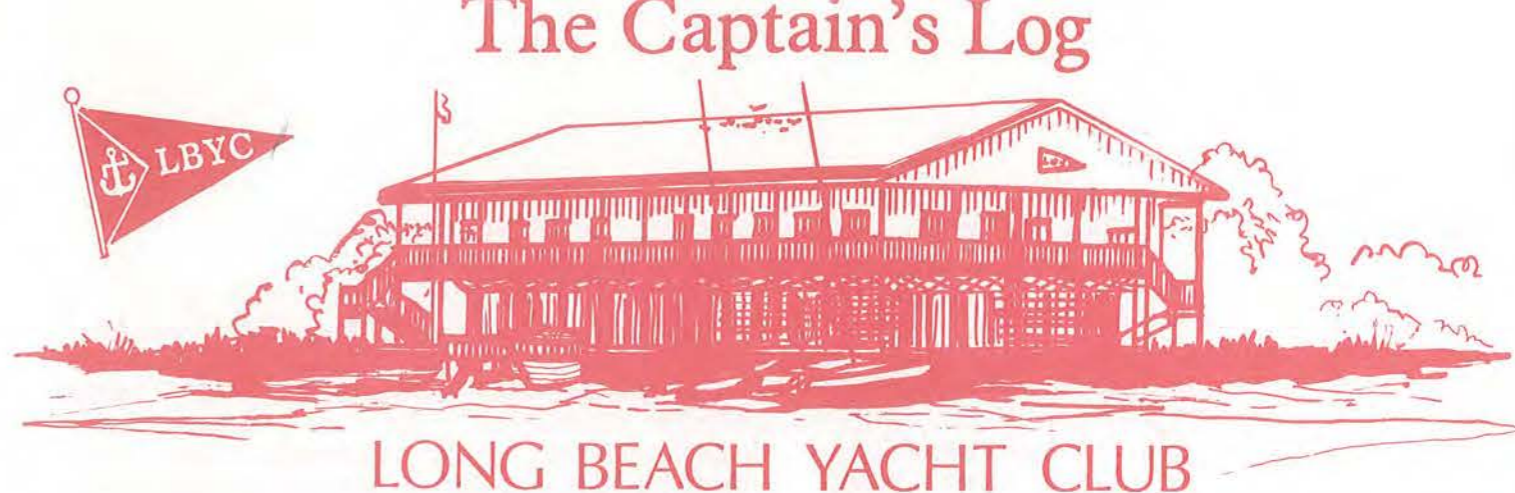
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From the Bridge

The Commodore's Ball was a great success, and enjoyed by all who attended. I want to thank Howard Mays for the good food, Joan Allen for the selection of a good band, Anna Charlton, Donna Murphy and Josh Charlton for helping with the decorations; and Don Evans for doing such an outstanding job as Master of Ceremonies.

Congratulations are in order for John and Sonia Burke for garnering the Charlie Morgan Yachtsman of the Year award for 1991. This award is given each year in memory of Charlie Morgan who gave so much to the Club by representing the Club in Flying Scots and off-shore racing. John and Sonia have truly given of their time and talents in helping the Club with the Race and Sail program during the 1991 year. Again congratulations to the winners of the Charlie Morgan Yachtsman of the Year.

Thanks are also in order for Paul Murphy and Richard Kapp for spreading the gravel in the parking lot so that no one would be lost in the pot holes.

One major project we will begin as soon as the weather permits will be the building of some more picnic tables for the deck. I would like to have any volunteers who would like to help on this project to contact me at 863-2874. We need to complete at

least 5 new tables before the Mardi-Gras party on the 23rd of February.

Before we get too far into the new year and we all start to think about the lazy days of summer I want to urge each and every one of you to bring in one new member this year. We are proceeding with the swimming pool construction and I am looking forward to a great year for the Club. One thing that will ensure that we have a great year is to have each one of you sponsor one new member. If you have any question about the dues or initiation fees for new members please contact Don Evans the Membership Chairman.

We have a very ambitious agenda for 1992, and we will need the help of every member to achieve all of the goals that have been set for the club during this year. A lot of this help will be needed in the form of work parties in order to finish painting the signs on the exterior of the building, and redecorating the interior of the clubhouse. We have a lot of talented people in the club and we need your talents to help us achieve these goals.

Howard Kapp,
 Commodore

February 1992

SUNDAY MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY

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| 2 | 3 ● NM | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 Friday Night Dinner Seafood | 8 |
| 9 | 10 | 11 ● FQ | 12 6:00pm Auxiliary Board 7:00pm Flag Officers Meeting Lincoln's Birthday | 13 | 14 Valentine's Day Friday Night Dinner Prime Rib | 15 \$1.98 Beauty Pageant FROSTBI... |
| 16 FROSTBI... | 17 <i>President's Day</i> | 18 ○ FM | 19 | 20 | 21 Friday Night Dinner Seafood | 22 <i>Washington's Birthday</i> |
| 23 Mardi Gras Party | 24 | 25 ○ LQ | 26 | 27 | 28 Friday Night Dinner Roast Beef | 29 |

Race & Sail

Before we steamroll into the new year I would like to reflect a moment on 1991. For those who were not at the Commodore's Ball you may not know that both John and Sonia Burke received the Charlie Morgan Yachtsman of the Year trophy for all of their hard work and dedication to the race and sail program. For those who did not know Charlie, I must say to receive an award in his memory is truly and honor, for he was highly respected, and truly loved by all who knew him. Congratulations John and Sonia.

I have a lot I would like to do this year, but it is not going to get done without a lot of help. If you are interested in helping I would very much like to hear from you.

For all of the Fun on the Sound Group, Craig Nicholls will be heading that again this year. He did a great job in 1991 and I am sure he will out do himself this year. The races will tentatively begin in Mid March. If you did not compete last year you really should try your hand this year. It is a lot of fun.

The Walet Regatta is scheduled for Sept 26-27, we will begin organizing this event at the end of March. and will need a lot of volunteers.

I would like to hear from all the Sunfish owners in our Club that might be interested in doing some fun races this summer. I know y'all are out there. It doesn't matter weather you are young or old just pick up the phone.

I am holding a Race and Sail meeting Feb 15, 1992 (Sat) at 1:00 pm. If you want to help, or if you have any suggestions please feel free to attend. We will be discussing the budget, Flying Scot program, and the junior sailing program. From off-shore sailing to the junior program we could always use help. Please call if you are interested.

(w) 864-8900; (h)863-6880.

Holly Murray

Entertainment

The \$1.98 Beauty Contest will be held at the Club on Saturday, February 15th at 7:00 PM. As many of you already know, this will be a "womanless" beauty contest. We have selected a dozen or so club members who will compete in evening gown competition and talent expression. The panel of judges will select the winners based on their appearance and poise., (In addition, prizes will be awarded for Best Makeup, Best Legs, Most Stunning Evening Gown, Most Congenial, and Most Talented.

The reigning queen for 1991, "Pepi La Pu" will preside over the festivities and crown the new queen. A list of the participants is posted on the easel in the entrance to the Club. After the contest we will have music for your dancing pleasure. Be sure to come and root for your favorite candidate.

Don't forget the Mardi Gras party on the deck, Feb 23rd, immediately after the Long Beach Parade. We will have red beans and rice, and entertainment for your listening and dancing pleasure. Bring your friends and wind up the Mardi Gras celebration at the Long Beach Yacht Club!

Anna Charlton & Joan Allen

Swimming pool

We are well on our way to the swimming pool. We have sent out the request for bids to nine pool companies and are waiting to receive all the replies. We are still \$1250.00 short of beginning this project, but I am certain there are some of you who will step forward and make up this shortfall within the next three weeks so that we may begin the construction of the pool.

We are looking forward to a splashing good time in our new pool this year.

Dick Marx

JUNIORS! JUNIORS! PARENTS! PARENTS!

I NEED YOUR HELP. THE JUNIORS HAVE NOT BEEN VERY ORGANIZED IN THE PAST, BUT THIS IS DESTINED TO CHANGE. I WANT TO HOLD A MEETING FEBRUARY 12TH (WEDNESDAY) AT 7:00PM. IF YOU ARE A PARENT WISHING TO HELP OR A JUNIOR WITH SOME BRIGHT IDEAS PLEASE ATTEND. WE WILL PLAN A TRIP TO THE NEW ORLEANS ZOO IN MARCH, AND DISCUSS SOME OTHER PLANS. PLEASE ATTEND!!!

MARDI GRAS PARTY

COME ONE COME ALL

THE LONG BEACH YACHT CLUB

ANNUAL MARDI GRAS PARTY

WILL BE IN FULL SWING

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 23RD

ON THE DECK AFTER THE LONG BEACH PARADE

RED BEANS AND RICE

DANCING

&

YOUR FAVORITE LIBATION

AND FUN

SEE YOU THERE