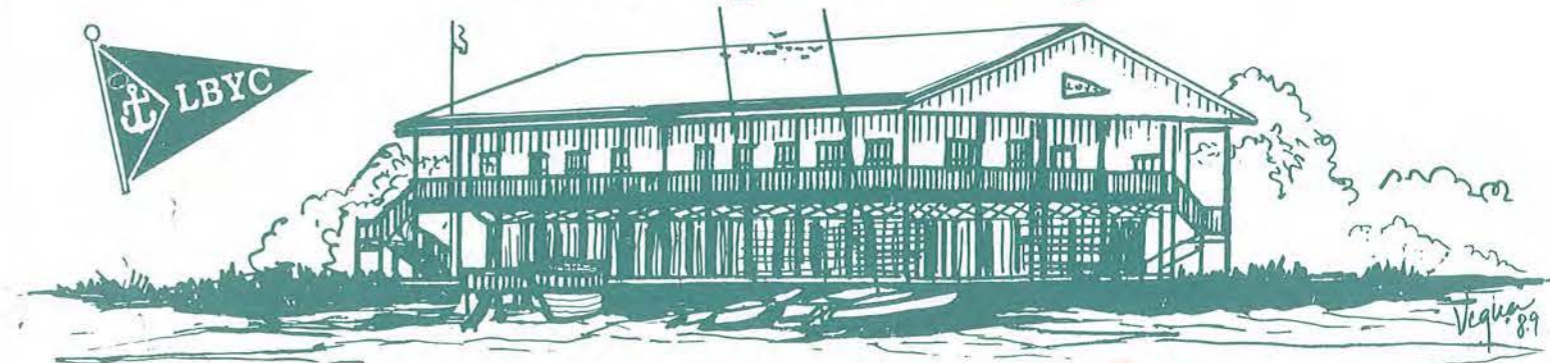


# The Captain's Log



## LONG BEACH YACHT CLUB



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 Member Gulf Yachting Association  
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#### FROM THE BRIDGE



The Board of Governors at their August meeting voted to assess each member family \$20.00 to cover the un-budgeted \$4000.00 increase in our insurance premium this year. This is only the second time in our history that we have had an assessment. This additional amount will be billed on your October statement. Although the Club is in good financial condition, the Board did not want to use the money we have already set aside for maintenance and improvements to the building and grounds. Your payment of the assessment will allow the Club to finish the year within our budget.

**ELEVATOR:** A lot of people have talked to me about installing an elevator at the Club. Howard & Sallie Kapp graciously sponsored a garage sale in May to get this project off the ground, but the Board has not taken official action concerning an elevator. Two of our long time members, Charles & Ethel Lawshe, have stated that if they win the DRAWDOWN, they will donate their winnings to an elevator fund. I propose that the Board establish an official fund at the next board meeting, and set up an interest bearing account to hold the funds until such time as we have enough money set aside to install an elevator. Any interested parties could contribute to the fund, or organize functions whose profits would go toward the fund.

**BEACHMASTER:** Roy Boswell has taken on the job of Beachmaster. Roy and his committee are going to mark the parking areas with numbered flush concrete markers. They will also reorganize the parking so everyone will know where their parking spot is located. There are still a few boats and trailers on Club property whose owners are not known. Please check your boat to be sure it is marked with your membership number. Boats or trailers not marked will be disposed of per Club rules. Call Roy at 863-4510 to park a boat or trailer on Club property.

DON EVANS  
 Commodore

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## September 1994

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 Coast Cat Club Catalina Association 2 for 1 Game Night	2 Seafood	3 Sandwich Menu
4 Sandwich Menu	5 Labor Day	6 Ladies Night 2 for 1 Sandwich Menu	7 Flag Officers 7:00 PM Sandwich Menu	8 Sandwich Menu Drinks 2 for 1	9 Prime Rib	10 Walet Regatta Red Beans & Rice/ Gumbo
11 Walet Regatta	12	13 Game Night Ladies Night 2 for 1 Sandwich Menu	14 Board of Governors 7:00 PM Sandwich Menu	15 Drinks 2 for 1 Game Night Sandwich Menu Boy Scouts	16 Mexican Buffet	17 DRAWDOWN for \$5000 Prime Rib Dinner
18 Sandwich Menu includes Hamburgers Chicken Sandwich/ Salads, Hot Dogs	19	20 Ladies Auxiliary Speaker: Mike Reader from WLOX	21 Sandwich Menu	22 Drinks 2 for 1 Sandwich Menu	23 Seafood	24 Sandwich Menu includes Hamburgers Chicken sandwich/ Salad, Hot Dogs
25 Fun on the Sound	26	27 Ladies Night 2 for 1 Game Night Sandwich Menu	28 Sandwich Menu	29 Drinks 2 for 1 Sandwich Menu	30 Steaks	

## MEMBERSHIP

Names and addresses of member prospects are coming in very slowly. I am surprised at the number of people who tell me at the Club that they have someone they want to invite, but then they never get around to sending me the name and address. Most people probably rationalize that their contribution won't make a difference, but we need the input from each and every member.

By the time you read this, everyone will have received a personal letter from me asking them to submit the name of one or more prospects to invite to our membership party on October 8th. Included in the letter is a self addressed envelope to facilitate your reply. Please talk a moment this very minute to write the name of an acquaintance on a scrap of paper and mail that envelope back to me.

Be sure to include your name. The people whose names you submit will receive a personal invitation to the membership party which will their name has been proposed by you. As you consider people to invite, keep in mind that you should be acquainted with the person you are inviting to join our organization, and those people should, to the best of your knowledge, be responsible citizens who will be an asset to our Club.

The persons named below have applied for membership in the Long Beach Yacht Club. Their application will be presented to the Board for approval on September 14, 1994:

Hal & Martha Campbell 9 Lisa Court Long Beach, MS 39560	Rickey & Gail Dumbrowski 2402 Greenview Gulfport, MS 39507
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Bobby Winders & Anna Kelley  
101 Pimlico St., #19  
Long Beach, MS 39560

DON EVANS

## LADIES AUXILIARY

A good time was had by all at the August Ladies Auxiliary meeting at the Yacht Club. Hostesses Jean Ann Swenson, Doris Langton, and Eloise Ballard decorated the tables beautifully in red, white and green candles, flags, paper fan bells, and hibiscus. Jean Ann directed the craft activity, showing members how to make very pretty necklaces from clay.

After a delicious Italian dinner, Pat Aborn conducted the business meeting. The October 18 Bunco party was discussed. No decisions were made for our day of fun and relaxation, but ideas are welcome. The ladies will decorate for the Luau at the Club on August 27.

Lucky Lady was Pum Welch. Door prizes were won by the following ladies: Barbara McCay, Louise Rector, Judy Lamb, Audrey Fayard, Verna Stegall, Doris Langton, Mildred Holst, Pum Welch, Norma Vance, Stephanie Bass, June Odom, Pat Aborn, Elaine Morton, and Merle Hammack.

At our next meeting on September 20, our guest speaker will be Mike Reader for WLOX television.

Phyllis Roberson

## RACE AND SAIL

Only two more weeks before the finest Regatta Long Beach has ever seen! I am really thrilled by the response to my plea for help on the Walet Regatta. Thank you all so very much. There is, however, still room for more volunteers. Howard can use help in the kitchen, Roy and Shelby can use help getting the Club grounds in shape and then there is always cleanup.

Even if you can't participate in the Regatta be sure to drop by on the night of September 10 for the Regatta party. There will be Howard's great Gumbo and his Red Beans & Rice. Plan to stick around for some great live music and dancing. There will be a raffle, door prizes and lots of fun, but you have to be there to join in.

Then on Sunday, come by for a "Howard Burger" and enjoy the trophy presentation. This Regatta is turning out to be one of the largest events Long Beach has ever hosted. Why don't you bring the family out and become a part of it. Everyone will be talking about it.

Fun on the Sound wrapped up the "Sweatin' in the Sun" series on August 28. An average of eight boats participated in the three race series. It took a boat from Gulfport to beat us all. Insight, skippered by Bitsy Burgess, came back against my attempts to handicap her yacht to almost one-third her normal handicap. Bitsy and her crew did a fine job of sailing and received her well deserved "Trophies"?

The final four-race series of Fun on the Sound will start up again on September 25th.

Thanks to Roy Boswell and his yacht Baatan, for his help on the race committee. We couldn't have done it without him. Thanks also to Bill Slaughter, Marc Wiggins and a BIG thanks to Craig Nicholls for the "Trophies"? (Buddy's Package Store, Hwy. 49, Gulfport).

TED THOMAS

## MARDI GRAS FLOAT COMMITTEE

LAISSEZ LES BON TEMPS ROULETTE!!! The LBYC official Mardi-Gras float has been moved to its new permanent location, thanks to Charlie Bates, Horace Cruthirds, and Audrey Fayard. Our Mardi-Gras float committee will be deciding on a theme very soon, so if you have any ideas or would like to become a member of the committee, contact Jean Ann Swenson at 864-7686 or Audrey Fayard at 864-4026.

## PROGRESSIVE DINNER

"Sumptuous Summer Soup & Salad on the Sound"!! Boat Hopping etc. When?? Spetember 24th. Call Jean Ann Swenson at 864-7686 to sign up.

*Long Beach Yacht Club*  
**\$5000 DRAWDOWN**

*Price - \$50.00 per Couple*

**6:00 P.M. Saturday - September 17, 1994**

Price of ticket includes Prime Rib dinner for two,  
Unlimited Beer, Wine, or Bar Drinks  
during the Drawdown,  
And a chance to win \$5000.  
Great Dance Music afterward by  
**SKIP MCLAUGHLIN**

Call the Club at 868-8229 for Tickets and Reservations

**DRAWDOWN FOR \$5000**

Ticket sales for the \$5000 DRAWDOWN and PRIME RIB DINNER are off to a great start. As of August 25th, we have sold 75 paid up tickets. Another 68 tickets are in the hands of ticket sellers, and if they sell all of theirs, there are only 57 more tickets available. And we still have more than 3 weeks before the DRAWDOWN.

A lot of new members did not get to attend the Moonlight Dinner Dance because they waited until the last minute to buy a ticket, and they were sold out. Don't wait! Purchase your ticket now! Just call the Club at 868-8229 and reserve a ticket. We will bill it to your account.

Please note that the time for the PRIME RIB DINNER and DRAWDOWN has been changed to 6:00 PM. This is to accommodate the folks who are used to having dinner earlier.

DON EVANS