



THE CAPTAIN'S LOG

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SUN 2 PM>6 PM	MON 7PM>Half	TUE Closed	WED Closed	THU 4 PM >9 PM	FRI 4 PM >8 PM	SAT 4 PM >8PM
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2009				1	2	3
4	5 **Cruisin' 3:00 Monday Night Football 7:00 p.	6	7	8 Grill Your Own \$5 Set Up	9 Hamburgers & Hot Dogs	10 Gumbo
11	12 Monday Night Football 7:00 p.	13	14 BUNCO 6:30 pm	15 Grill Your Own \$5.00 Set Up	16 Hamburgers & Hot Dogs	17 Jambalaya
18	19 Monday Night Football 7PM Board of Governors 7PM	20	21	22 Grill Your Own \$5.00 Set Up	23 Private Party Hamburgers & Hot Dogs	24 Halloween Party
25	26 Monday Night Football 7:00 p.	27	28	29 Grill Your Own \$5.00 Set Up	30 Hamburgers & Hot Dogs	31 Chili

*The club will open at 3:00 p.m. on October 5.

Flag Officers		Board of Governors		Ex-Officio
		One Year	Two Years	
COMMODORE.....	Shelda Jones	Bill Caraway	Lawrence Simpson	Fleet Surgeon.....Dr. David V. Larosa
Vice Commodore.....	Julie Noble	Dana Burke	Patti Steagall	Fleet Chaplain..... George Leonard
Rear Commodore.....	Tom Stokes	Dick Urban	James Hancock	Auxiliary President.....June Wiggins
Fleet Captain.....	Holly Murray	Freddy Welch	Phillip Whitsitt	Newsletter Editor.....Joe Fleming
Past Commodore.....	Shelda Jones			Secretary.....Shirley Steen



FROM THE BRIDGE

SHELDA JONES, COMMODORE

We opened in September for Monday Night Football and thank you to Bo Clarke, Joe Fleming, and Shirley Steen for the wonderful food. If you have not come to the club on Monday evenings then you are missing some awesome food, great games, and camaraderie with other members.

The fence around the club took awhile to finish and it is fantastic. Thank you to everyone who helped make this happen (Roy Burke, Joe Fleming, Howard Kapp, Alan Pace, Tom Stokes, Freddie Welch were the finishing group). June has some Oleanders to put on the east and west sides of the property along the fence line. Our landscaping is continuing to take shape and is becoming more and more beautiful.

I felt like I was really at the islands at the Luau when June and her committee transformed our club into a tropical paradise with decorations, food, and hula dancers (Barry, Don, Fred, Mark, and Brad). Be sure to consult the calendar or check the website for "happenings" at the club.

Cruisin' the Coast begins on October 4th with the big parade on October 5th. We will open at 3:00 on October 5th. Come and join us for an evening of old cars, music, and food.

The nominating committee has met and presented the following slate of officers for the 2010 year: Commodore – Julie Noble, Vice Commodore – Tom Stokes, Rear Commodore – June Wiggins, Fleet Captain – Holly Murray; serving two year terms are Freddie Welch, Glenn Bohne, Ken Price, and Charlie Coleman. The General Membership meeting is scheduled for November 4, 2009.

Our 1985 Commodore, Jack Boice passed away this past month; we extend our condolences to his family.

Get well wishes to several of our members who have been ill or are recovering from surgery. △

FLEET CAPTAIN

HOLLY MURRAY

September has been an exciting month for our sailors! We have attended 3 regattas, 1 clinic and have taken ownership of our new Flying Scot. She is a beautiful boat but still nameless, we are open to suggestions. Come down and check her out when you get a chance.

Our Lipton team did an awesome job this year and received the "Tim Murray Memorial Trophy for Most Improved Sailing Performance" It was a surprise and an honor to receive this award, everyone from LBYC should be very proud of our sailors and their efforts this year. Sailing for Long Beach were skippers Lyda Murray, Cameron French, Khloe Ohliger and Erin Keefer. Crews – Joey Stokes, Holly Murray, Quentin Whitsitt, and Mandy Raborn. A big thanks to Barry Skellie and Fred Welch, as they provided a spectator boat for LBYC and helped out with the comings and goings of the boat.

After the Lipton's we headed out for Back to School Regatta at Pon YC. The weather was not very nice but the sailing still took place. Sailing the Flying Scot was Lyda Murray, Khloe Ohliger, Philip Whitsitt. Erin Keefer was sailing the laser radial class and took her first 1st place over all finish. We do have some girl power! Ricky Welch and Piper Whitsitt were sailing in the opti green fleet and Maddy Murray sailed the Open Bic class.

The following regatta was sailed in Fairhope Al; the Wadewitz provided a beautiful weekend. Sailing with the finn class was Olympic medalist Zach Railey, I heard everyone sailing in the class got some one on one time with him and learned a lot. Sailing for LB, Joey Stokes, finn class. Lyda Murray, Quentin Whitsitt, Holly Murray, and Khloe Ohliger sailed the capdeville. Erin Keefer sailed in the laser radial class. Piper Whitsitt and Ricky Welch sailed in the opti green fleet. Maddy sailed the open bic class. I would like to thank Christy and Freddy Welch for providing dinner for everyone Saturday evening. It was a really nice treat and the trash can turkeys that Freddy cooked were fantastic!

The GYA sailing season is coming to an end but there is still plenty of warm sailing weather we can enjoy. On Oct 11 we are going to GYC to sail 420s just for some extra practice, call or email if you are interested in going with us. △

RACE AND SAIL COMMITTEE

ROY BURKE

I am not aware of any handicap races involving LBYC boats to report on during the month of September. I'm sure Holly will report all the Capdeville and youth sailing news.

Handicap racing kicks off again for us the first weekend of October in Pass Christian with the "Race Around the Cat". LBYC will be well represented. The LBYC Fall Series follows with races on the 10th, 17th and 24th of October. I am organizing an overnight raft-up beginning the 17th of October following the race. I hope the weather is nice enough for us to do this near Ship Island. If not, we will look for alternative locations. I will check and see if we will be allowed to set up a grill and cook on the island. If not, I believe enough of the boats have small grills to use. I hope for a big turnout. Power boaters are certainly invited. I plan to use mine as a water taxi to bring people to shore and back from sailboats. Don't forget the wooden boat show in Mandeville on the 10th of October. △

VICE COMMODORE

JULIE NOBLE

Welcome Fall! I can't believe September is almost over and I'm sure you've noticed that the days are getting a bit shorter as our season is changing. With this will come some cooler weather (so they say!) which will be a nice. Things have been busy at the club and if you have been down lately I'm sure you have noticed how great our building, grounds, fence, storage trailer and "down under" are looking. Thank you so much to everyone for all of your hard work and dedication.

Wow - what a Luau! It was really fantastic - great decorations, food, drink, games and entertainment. We were remembering how wet we got last year and are so thankful that we were able to stay dry and there was a terrific breeze! Thank you to everyone who helped make this event a tremendous success. The club is open on Monday evenings for Monday Night Football. Bo Clarke fed us the first Monday and Joe Fleming the second - thank you guys, it was great! If you can, come down and join us (maybe your team will even win!). We will be having our semi-annual Bunco on Oct. 14th and our Halloween Party is on Saturday, Oct. 24th. These events have always been fun so try to be there! Please check the calendar for all upcoming events and, as always, we hope to see you at your club! △

MEMBERSHIP

KATHY BURNS

Welcome Aboard to our New Member, Jimmy Miles of Gulfport.

The following people have applied for membership in the Long Beach Yacht Club. Their applications will be presented to the Board of Governors for their approval at their regular meeting on October 19, 2009.

Violet Riley	Sassy & Anna Mellen	Don & Linda Rooker	Hubie Martello
5036 Beatline Rd	5004 Plantation Drive	1603 CR 101	109 S. Ida Lane
Long Beach, MS	Long Beach, MS	New Albany, MS	Long Beach, MS

Don't forget to bring friends to our LBYC functions so they can share in the fun and see what we have to offer.

It's that time of year again. We will be handing out information forms to everyone so we can make any changes to your contact information.

New Cards will be coming out in January and we want to make sure they get to you properly. Also, we would like to send last minute updates to remind you about our events.

Thanks for your help △

ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE

JUNE WIGGINS

Hello fellow members! I can't believe it is autumn already! What a summer! And the Luau was the last event and BOY- was it a great time! I hope you didn't miss it. It was a great night! I would like to thank Bo Clarke and his helpers (Barry Skellie and Ron Irby) for the wonderful roast pork and BBQ chicken. It was scrumptious! Also, I would like to thank all my helpers- Julie Noble, Marguerite Hess, Tammy Klassen, Dana Burke, Gay Irby, Carolyn and Tommy Rand, Cathy Burns, Brad Magedanz, and Judy & Lawrence Simpson. Thanks to all of you! We couldn't have done it without your help.

We are now starting to gear up for two things in October. BUNCO Night- October 14th and the Halloween Party on October 24th!

In November we are having a Lobster night and a Pot Luck early Thanksgiving- details to follow! This is such a great club and we are making it better all the time- with your help!

DONT FORGET!!! BUNCO NIGHT- OCTOBER 14TH- STARTS AT 6:30
HALLOWEEN PARTY! OCTOBER 24TH- STARTS AT 6PM



**General Membership
meeting November 4,
2009**

*Please lock the pool gate
and/or the bath house when
you are finished.*

BUNCO

NIGHT!

**LONG BEACH YACHT CLUB
OCTOBER 14TH, 2009
DINNER STARTS AT 6:30pm
THE GAME STARTS AT 7pm
We will have lots of fun, food,
and prizes to make this a great
Night out!**

The cost is a mere \$ 8.00





HALLOWEEN PARTY
SATURDAY, OCT 24TH, 2009

Long Beach Yacht Club

Starts at 6pm

Cost- \$7.00

*Come and join us for a
Spooky, fun evening!*

*Eddie McDaniel will provide the
music and you*

Will provide the fun!

Food available

