
AUGUST EVENTS

- **Tuesday, August 1, 6:00 p.m.,
Board of Directors Meeting**
- **Saturday, August 5, 2:00 p.m. to ?,
60th Birthday Party for Madden,
Hume, Linhares, Muth. EVERYONE
is invited! Music by “Brother Buzz”.**
- **Sunday, August 6, 2:00 p.m.,
Private Party, Kathy White**
- **Saturday, August 12, 9:00 a.m.,
Boatyard Clean-up Day**
- **Saturday, August 12, 3:00 p.m.,
OYRA Race Sail-In and BBQ.**
- **Sunday, August 13, 4:00 p.m.,
Private Party-Tammy Hannon.**
- **Friday, August 18, 7:00 p.m.,
“Salute to New Members” at the TGIF
dinner.**
- **Saturday, August 19, 10:00 a.m.,
South Beach Sail-In and BBQ.**
- **Youth Sailing Classes:
Session II: August 21-August 25.**
- **Every 3rd Saturday, 10-2pm (8/19)
Scrap booking Circle at the Club.
Contact Cynthia Ramseyer 726.4860 or
2blackcats@comcast.net**

Upcoming Key September Dates:

LABOR DAY WEEKEND:

September 1, 2, 3-Lots of Boats sailing in. Sunday is the big party with music by “Mama Pacho” and a catered meal by Special Events.

General Membership Meeting:

***Saturday, September 23, 3:30 p.m.
Come One and Come All!!***

Clip to Celebrate Your August Birthday!

HMBYC Birthday Drink coupon – Member’s August Birthday
The Watch Officer will provide you with a birthday drink of your choice!

Member Name: _____

Birthday: _____

Watch Officer’s Signature: _____ Date: _____

FROM THE HELM

Well, I can't believe the year is more than half over. There have been so many fun activities, the latest being the Open House. Last count there were 15 new memberships. Thank you to all who brought food and showed up to support this effort. Please be sure to greet and include our new members. We all have something in common; we want to belong to a Yacht Club. Whether it's for sailing or social activities, hopefully both.

There are still lots of things coming up: ORYA Race Dinner (lots of volunteer help needed), Labor Day will be catered by our own Patty of Special Events Catering. The Commodore's Ball is going to be held at Mullin's this year (used to be Caddy's). We won't be hauling all of our stuff that day and bringing it home the next day. What fun!

Please let me know if you have any suggestions or maybe even, any complaints. You can email me at kay@kayburns.com or call 650-712-0651

What a great summer so far!

-Kay Burns, Commodore

NEW MEMBERS

There are a lot of new members to welcome this month. Many of these folks joined at or because of our wonderful Open House on July 9th. (Thank you, Marie Parfitt-Pattie and all the volunteers who put on a great event) Please seek them out, look for the green dot, and give them a hearty Yacht Club welcome!

- Alan and Juliet Bolding
- Jim Fink and Terry Alfredson
- Allan and Carolyn Bernardi
- Shawn and Armando Ayala
- Lou Michetti and Deb Kessler
- Wolfgang Priebe and Mary McKinstry
- Rosemary and Bruce Lanyon
- Paula Speidel
- Leann and Spencer Nassar
- Andrew Geiser
- William and Virginia Stalder
- Reinhard Joelli and Lauren Eisele
- Pat and Steve Turner
- Rejoin-John and Janet Antilla

The "Salute to New Members" will be on Friday, August 18th at the TGIF dinner.

Watch "Tell Tales" for a new member orientation meeting soon.


WELCOME EVERYONE!

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Half Moon Bay Yacht Club Newsletter

MEMBERSHIP FOR SALE

Eden Isle Yacht Club currently has a limited number of memberships available at a special rate until October 1, 2006. The yacht club owns an island in Disappointment Slough near King Island Resort off of Eight Mile Road. The membership is made up of sail boaters who enjoy the warm summer breezes, relaxing and socializing with other sailors in the Delta.

For further information contact:

David Richards at 650-726-0483 or Steve Woodall at 510-471-7806

FOURTH OF JULY

Congratulations to the volunteers who put so much work into the wonderful 4th of July parade float. The HMBYC again came away with a 2nd Place Ribbon! The pictures are courtesy of Dierdre O'Conner and star her some of her relatives as our acrobatic sailors. Thanks go to Charlie Quest and Kelly Pike for their work in making sure we had a C-15 sailboat and a van to pull it. The red, white and blue decorations looked fabulous and more thanks go out to those who helped paint, string bunting, hang flags and anything else they could do to make our award winning entry memorable!

In addition to the Parade, several folks came to the Club that evening for a good old fashioned BBQ. Although the city did not put on an official fireworks show this year, those at the Club were entertained by various fireworks visible around the Harbor, as well as some of our own renegade sparklers and boomers. The 400 post-cards that were passed out advertising our Open House and Youth Sailing Lessons were a great success, too.



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JIMMY BUFFETT AND LAUGHTER

What do you get when you have a beautiful night, fantastic marinated grilled chicken, the music of Jimmy Buffet and five very funny women...a great night with the *Hysterical Housewives* at the Yacht Club! Many thanks go to Jennifer Celestre, our very own Hysterical Housewife, for organizing the event and for doing much of the food preparation. Kudos to our "grill-meister", Jeff Hume for his fine work at the BBQ and Carol Smith for all her hard work in the kitchen, too. Thanks also go to Terry Ramsayer for making the stage, Harry Ysselstein for the sound system and to other helpers; Lisa King, Sirje Bewley, Barb Dinnsen, Mimi Wisnom and Watch Officers Ken McNutt and Ron Headrick and Hospitality, Suzanne Girot.

Wednesday Yachtsmen's Luncheon Series

The St. Francis Yacht Club is pleased to invite members of PICYA yacht clubs to their Wednesday Yachtsmen's Luncheon Series. Attendees have enjoyed presentations from a broad range of students and masters of the sea. Speakers have included America's Cup winners, Olympic Champions, cruisers from all over and more. Luncheon starts at 11:45, speakers commence at 12:30, and the talk and Q&A lasts until approximately 1:45. No special attire is required and the buffet lunch is \$12. (V,MC,cash). If interested, RSVPs are requested by calling 415-563-6363.

SATURDAY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES

Some our members are starting up a "Saturday Night at the Movies" night, thank you Suzy Pinkerton. The first one was held on Saturday, July 29th with the showing of an all-time classic, "*Casablanca*". Watch your weekly Tell-Tales to see what is playing and when. Come on down to the Club and catch a flick on the big screen. We all know we have the best popcorn!

LABOR DAY WEEKEND at the Yacht Club

Not going anywhere for the last hurrah of summer? Then come down to the Yacht Club for a weekend of fun. Visiting sailors will be sailing in from the Encinal Yacht Club and the Islander 86 Sailboat Association and probably others. On Saturday, from 4:00-6:00, BBQ fare (hamburgers, sausages, etc.) will be available for sale for \$8.

Sunday is the big party! Special Events will be catering the meal which will consist of:

Chicken and Beef Brochettes
Rice Pilaf
Garden Salad
Fresh Fruit
Roll & Butter
Cookies & Brownies
\$20.00.

Reserve in Advance PLEASE!
2blackcats@comcast.net

Live music will be provided from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. by a Coastside favorite,

"The Mama Pacho Band".

Come on down, show our visitors some wonderful Half Moon Bay hospitality and have a great time.

Great Music and Great Food for only \$20!!

What a deal!!

60TH BIRTHDAY PARTY

1946 was a very good year. It was the year of the official beginning of the "Baby Boom". The HMBYC has at least 4 of these official baby boomers turning 60 this year. We would like to invite everyone to come down to the club on Saturday, August 5th from 2:00 to ?? to help celebrate the **60th Birthday** year of

**Mike Madden, Jeff Hume,
Al Linhares and Jim Muth.**

There will be food and live entertainment provided by the band, "**Brother Buzz**". Please come and wish the "Rusty old guys on a Rusty old Boat" a Happy Birthday!!

Pacific Inter-Club Yacht Association

Half Moon Bay Yacht Club Newsletter

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

One of PICYA's objectives is to promote activities that enhance the general welfare of the member organizations, and what better way than administer scholarships for our adult member's kids! A benefactor wants to give three \$2,500 scholarships to students whose parents, grandparents or guardian belongs to a PICYA member yacht club.

The benefactor is the Western Boating Safety Group. This organization has been around for about forty years. Their mission is to inform and deepen boater's commitment to safety, advocacy and education in boating.

This is done through boating education classes, boat insurance, boating repairs and boating accessories.

PICYA will be the administrator of the scholarships.

The application form and letter of instruction will be on PICYA's web site:

www.picva.org

Any high school graduating senior may apply, as well as any college student who is continuing to pursue their educational goal. The criteria the Scholarship Committee will use are based on the students academic record, scholastic record, school involvement, community involvement and a written essay of not more than 250 words.

THE DEADLINE IS AUGUST 15, 2006.

All applications **MUST** be postmarked no later than August 15, 2006.

For answers to questions about this program, please contact any one of the Scholarship Committee members. They are:

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OYRA OCEAN RACE-AUGUST 12

HMBYC hosts this annual event on August 12. Typically 35 keel boats race from the cityfront down to HMB. The start is at the St. Francis Yacht Club and is outside our harbor at Buoy 3. We feed the hungry racers, guests and our own members that night.

We need volunteers for the starting line race committee, and on land to cook and serve a hearty and easy meal. If you can volunteer, contact:

Terri at lahey@hmbyc.org or

Events Planning at calendar@hmbyc.org

All members are welcome to come to the BBQ. It will be steak (\$12) or chicken (\$10) with other sides. Please RSVP to Cynthia Ramseyer at 2blackcats@comcast.net so we have enough food on the table!

SAILING KUDOS

Thank you to the members who showed off our sailing world during the July 9 Open House. Those who got many guests out on the water were: Kathy Barbarino, Hans Browatzki, Claire Borkert, John Connors, Neil Hooper, Terri Lahey, George MacLeod, Larry Miller, Paul Pfluger, Kelly Pike, Charlie Quest, Dave Slater, Steve Smith, Neal Wehtje, and Urs Willimann.

Thank you to our New Boreas Race Committee: John Antilla, Alex Pike, Lead Kelly Pike, and Charlie Quest, and to John and Janet Antilla for providing "Consort", their Catalina 30, for the race committee boat. Our HMBYC RC worked in really bumpy conditions and gave the racers a great start sequence with short upwind leg, and turn at Buoy 2 to go offshore. Racers headed down the coast 60 miles to Moss Landing. Thanks also to our Events Planning Committee who planned the Saturday evening BBQ dinner for the racers, to Richard Hector who served up the meal with flair and Kelly Pike, our Watch Officer. Ten boats raced in racing and cruising divisions. HMBYC had 2 boats representing us. Thanks to Elkhorn YC for hosting the racers and guests who drove down for the parties on Sunday and Monday.

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YOUTH SAILING CLASSES

Hey Kids! We still have openings in our Youth Sailing Camp on August 21-25 from 9:00-12:30. If you are interested, check out the "classes" link on the website at www.hmbyc.org or email Kathy Barbarino at youthsailing@hmbyc.org.

COME SAILING SUNDAY

Our next "Come Sailing Sunday" will be on Sunday, August 20th. The "Sailing Officer" that day will be Charlie Quest. Charlie officially is inviting folks to come down and experience the Cal 20's. He will be available to take people out on the water from 12:00-5:00 p.m. Take this opportunity to see our wonderful harbor from the deck of a Cal 20. You'll be glad you did!

OTHER CLUB HAPPENINGS

South Beach Yacht Club

"Cheeseburger in Paradise"
Open House and Auction
Saturday, September 16

Encinal Yacht Club

Caltopia

A weekend celebration of Cal Boats.

September 9 & 10
Regatta, Concours d'elegance,
Flea Market, Jazz Night.

Treasure Island Yacht Club

The CHISPA and Youth Regattas will be held at Treasure Island Yacht Club on Saturday, August 19th.
Please contact George Knies, PRO Treasure Island Yacht Club at 925.939.0230 or machbuster1@earthlink.net for more information.
They need more racers!

BASSOON BRUNCH

If you missed the Bassoon Brunch, you missed a really wonderful morning. The weather was picture-postcard perfect and the music provided by "The Moontown Schmatts, Bassoons of Distinction" was great! True to their word, music of all sorts was played from classical, 1920's, 1930's, Beatles and more. They even had an interlude of "musician jokes" delivered with perfect timing. Thanks go to Mike Madden who arranged the event and to Carol Smith and Barbara Dinnsen for the excellent brunch provided.
If they come again, don't miss them.

TGIF AUGUST MENU

Tired of cooking? Come down to the Club for our TGIF Friday night dinners, catered by Special Events catering for around \$15. August's menus:

Friday, August 4

Fried Chicken, Mac & Cheese, Hush puppies

Friday, August 11

Taco Bar with all the Fixins, Rice, Beans

Friday, August 18

BBQ Pulled Pork on Garlic Toast, Cole Slaw,
Corn on the Cobb

Friday, August 25

Spinach & Cheese Stuffed Manicotti, Caesar Salad, Garlic Bread

All with Chef's Choice Dessert

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The nominating committee has been put in place to contact people and choose a slate for the 2006-2007 Board of Directors. Members of the committee are Kay Burns, Charlie Quest, Carol Smith, Monty Hampton and Mimi Wisnom. If you are interested in a position on the Board or would like to nominate someone, please contact one of the committee members.

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Watch Officer & Hospitality Schedule

Day	Date	Watch Officer	Hospitality	Event	
August	Fri	4	Terry Ramseyer	Barbara Kelly	
	Sat	5	Dan Bodman		Member Party-60 th Birthday for Madden, Hume, Linhares, Muth
	Sun	6	Ara Croce		Member Party-Kathy White
	Fri	11	Neal Wehtje	Leon Smith	
	Sat	12	Jim Muth (2-6) Marie Parfitt-Pattie (6-10)	Volunteer Needed (2-6) 2 Volunteers Needed (6-10)	ORYA Race Sail-In & Dinner
	Sun	13	Ron Headrick		Member Party-Tammy Hannon
	Fri	18	Kay Burns	Nina Wilson	"Salute to New Members"
	Sat	19	Kelly Pike (2-6) Charlie Quest (2-6)	Sirje Bewley ((6-10)	South Beach Sail-In & Dinner
	Sun	20	Rich Symmons		Come Sailing Sunday
	Fri	25	Terri Lahey	Gayle Pietras & Greg Smith	
	Sat	26	Neil Hooper		
	Sun	27	Mimi Wisnom		

September	Fri	1	Terry Ramseyer	Lisa King	
	Sat	2	Jim Stretch (2-6) Gary Naman (6-10)	John Conner Don Hilliard	2 nd Annual HMBYC Laser Sail-Off
	Sun	3	Kay Burns (2-6) DInnsen/Madden (6-10)	Bill Klear & Mary Corcoran Mike Bannen	Labor Day Catered Party with the "Mama Pacho Band"
	Mon	4	TBD	TBD	Labor Day
	Fri	8	Ken McNutt	Jo Ottman & Chris Witzel	
	Sat	9	Ron Milio (2-6) Peggy Ruse (6-10)		Private Party-Randy Leasure
	Sun	10	Carol Smith & Jeff Hume		Private Party-Kay Burns
	Fri	15	Bob Reilly	Donn & Sue Zuroski	
	Sat	16	Cynthia Ramseyer		
	Sun	17	Phyllis Smith		
	Fri	22	Charlie Quest	Ofer Amir & Maureen Grimm	
	Sat	23	Beverly Ambrose		General Membership Meeting
	Sun	24	Ara Croce		
	Fri	29	Neal Wehtje	Liz Allison	
	Sat	30	Mimi Wisnom (2-6) Dan Bodman (6-10)	Anne Demma & Mark Duvall	Vice Commodore Cup C-15 Regatta
	Sun	Oct 1	Dick & Tami Schubert	Abigayle Fenn	Vice Commodore Cup C-15 Regatta

Watch Officer and Hospitality rotations are subject to change: Please double check the roster in Tell Tales. Contact calendar@hmbyc.org if necessary to reschedule your shift. It helps if you negotiate your own trade.

Thank you for your cooperation!

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Normal Clubhouse Hours:

Friday, 6-11pm
Saturday, 2pm-7pm
Sunday, 2pm-7pm
Club Phone & Messages: 728-2120

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Tuesday & Thursday: 1pm – 5pm
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