HMBYC Volunteerism

We are a volunteer club and almost all activities that you see around you happen because a fellow member volunteered their time and effort. There are many small, medium and large tasks that members can contribute to the pleasure and excitement of the club.

Events and Meals

Events:
Contact events@hmbyc.org

- Event Checkin: Handle Advance Reservation, Walkin Money and Tickets
- Help The Volunteer Chef Cook Or Serve Food
- Help Promote An Event – Call Your Friends or A Group of Members and Remind Them To Attend
- Tidy Up and Label the Event Decorations In Storage
- Run An Event

Chefs
Contact commodore@hmbyc.org
- cook a meal: Friday night, Saturday night or Sunday brunch

Kitchen, Bar, & Clubhouse Management
Contact portcaptain@hmbyc.org

- Help the bar manager and port captain, as needed. eg. Periodic cleanup and maintenance of bar equipment
- Hire Bartenders & Hospitality
- Kitchen cleanup and organization
- Clean Pop Corn popper
- Tidy the Watch Officer room
- clean and repair ping pong table and small game sets at the club. Tidy storage of games.
- Tidy up the lost and found, and periodically take it to a donation facility.
- Launder bar towels

Membership Outreach:
Contact membership@hmbyc.org

- Work with membership director to contact and support new members and less involved members to be more active with volunteering.

Media:
Contact media@hmbyc.org

- submit an article for Tell Tales, Blog or Facebook
- take pictures at an event and write a short event description
- create artwork for Web, Tell Tales & Facebook
- manage registered events on the calendar
- create small online tools for membership management for email distribution
- Help revise our website and media
SAILING

Sailing Fleet
Contact by boat fleet:
- Cal20 – contact keelboats@hmbyc.org
- C15 – contact c15s@hmbyc.org
- Laser – contact lasers@hmbyc.org
- Optis – contact optis@hmbyc.org
- SUPs – contact sups@hmbyc.org
- Kayaks – contact kayaks@hmbyc.org
or contact sailing@hmbyc.org

Volunteers needed:
- Fleet sponsor to help maintain the boats and vessels: Cal20, C15, Laser, SUP, Kayaks
- Fleet leaders: Cal20, C15, Laser, SUP, Kayak fleet leaders organize and manage fleet activities
- Periodic one-time work on boats, as time permits

Sailboat Racing
Contact rc-coaches@hmbyc.org
- race committee – help PRO run a race: sound horns, raise and lower flags, record boats
- Principal Race Officer for a race, either regatta or an informal race

Sailing
Contact sailing@hmbyc.org
- participate in the many Sailing Committee activities. Most sailing at the club is run by volunteers. Do a little or a lot. Run an event or help at an event.
- Sunday Skipper – checked out skippers take novices and advancing sailors out on Cal20 boats
- Wednesday sailing – skippers come down to sail and take out other members
- Teach Sailing – skippers who enjoy and can teach novices and intermediate sailors are needed
- Member Sailing Events – skipper during a member sailing event, taking member guests out on boats
- Dock Watch – new program to manage member use of boats during the weekend

Dock Repair
Contact dock@hmbyc.org
- do one repair, join a work party, or assist in dock management through the year
Facilities

Contact facilities@hmbyc.org

There is a team established to help spread the volunteer load. If you have building maintenance skills or enjoy working around the house, come join the Facilities Team. Share in good company while we do a little work around the clubhouse. Our team approach helps make light work out of building and boatyard maintenance. Share the hours that you can.

Landscape

Contact landscape@hmbyc.org

- water landscape and light weeding of flower beds
- plant plants and build plant borders

Painting, Repairs and Cleanup

Contact facilities@hmbyc.org

- refresh the clubhouse and grounds – contact Facilities Director for what is needed or suggest a job that you'd like to do
- weed wacking around the club

Boatyard:

Contact boatyard@hmbyc.org

- help the boatyard manager on-going or one-time: there are lots of tasks in the boatyard which supports our water sports and provides income.

Around Your Club

See it, fix it

- Members clean up after themselves. But perhaps the designated volunteer is busy or absent, and you see something is needed to be done, then fix it:
  - coil a hose,
  - turn off water spigot,
  - put away supplies in the boatyard,
  - clean a dirty tabletop,
  - throw away trash.
  - Is there sand in the shower when you start; even if you left your sand outside, clean up the sand that you see.

- Ask the watch officer if you can help them do one task or more: collect glasses and dishes, wash glasses or dishes, make pop corn, close the boatyard near the end of the day, close the event building near the end of the day, take trash to the dumpster, store chairs and tables. Put up and take down the flags on the flagpole, tidy the kitchen. Turn off the fire pit near the end of the shift and turn the key into the watch officer.

- Not sure if it needs repair or have an idea for improvements? Ask the
  - Facilities Director facilities@hmbyc.org
  - Port Captain portcaptain@hmbyc.org