



NOVEMBER 2018 ISSUE
HALF MOON BAY YACHT CLUB

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Commodore's Flag

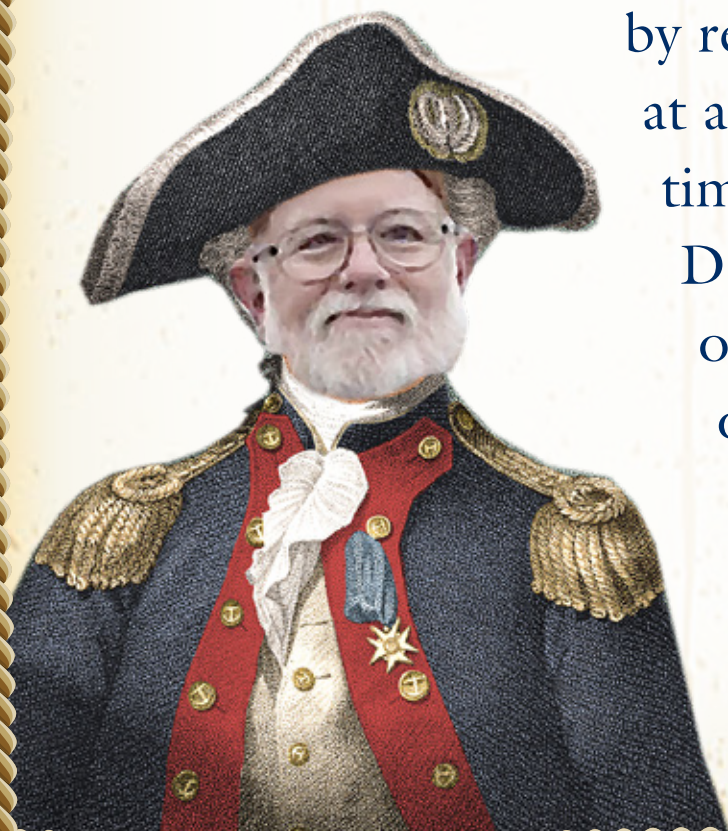


November 2018

How can I possibly lead this month with any news other than THE NEW DECK?! If you haven't been to the club in the last few weeks, you really owe yourself a visit. Facilities Director Paul James and his band of amazing volunteers—John Mangan and Kelly Pike, I'm looking at you two in particular—worked miracles and actually opened the deck ahead of schedule, just in time for the Bavarian Fall Festival mid-month. It is beautiful to behold, and that's just on the surface; the invisible parts are even better constructed. Better drainage, a 50-year foundation, and a flat surface from edge to edge: it feels as though the entire club has been transformed. Bravo Zulu and a ton of thanks, team!

But the club carried on even during construction, as you may have noticed. Deck or no deck, we still held 13 sailing events in October, including the Vice Commodore's Cup, the final Sponsors' Race of 2018, Saturday Youth Sailing, and the Pumpkin Roundup. Not to be outdone, the Events Committee produced not one but two delightful social events in October, the Bavarian Fall Festival and our 40th anniversary Halloween Party!

Finally, I think I can already predict the highlight of November: the Commodore's Ball! Coming up on Saturday evening, 17 November, we are honoring our 40th anniversary by returning to our roots and bringing the Ball back to the club... at a significantly-reduced price, too. With dinner catered by long-time friend-of-the-club and local restaurateur extraordinaire Dan Spangler, live music by Off The Record, and an emphasis on having fun as only HMBYC can, it will be a memorable occasion for sure. Look for registration on the club calendar, and please join Suzanne and me there.



Fair Winds!!

Scott Pyne — HMBYC Commodore

EVENTS COMMITTEE MEETING AT THE HMB BREWING Co.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 7TH 17:00-19:00

RSVP: OPBARONESSA@GMAIL.COM



EVENTS COMMITTEE LEADERSHIP 2018
DISCUSSING THE BALL, VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION & HOLIDAY CHEERS



November 2018 Sailing Events

3-Nov-18	Saturday	0900-1700	Last Gasp Regatta
3-Nov-18	Saturday	0900-1300	Youth Sailing
4-Nov-18	Sunday	1100-1630	C15 Sailing and Racing
6-Nov-18	Tuesday	1900-2100	Sailing Committee meeting
10-Nov-18	Saturday	0900-1700	Harvest Youth Regatta
18-Nov-18	Sunday	1100-1630	C15 Sailing and Racing

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for More Info on our Sailing Calendar



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Service starts at 6 pm

FRIDAY NOV 9, 6 PM



Butternut Sopas

Slow-cooked beef, braised with squash and Azorean spices, ladled over scented flatbread. Served with steamed cabbage wedges.

Garlic flatbread. Green salad.



Prix fixe \$15

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GOOD FOOD, GOOD TIMES!



Pre-order & Group RSVP:

650-284-5244

Friday • November 30, 2018

Prix fixe \$15

Service starts at 6 pm

FRIDAY NOV 30, 6PM



Cincy Five-Way Chili
Mild, aromatic beef chili ladled over vermicelli, topped with self-serve piquitos beans, white onion, grated cheese - oyster crackers, sour cream.
Garlic bread. Green salad.



fixe \$15



Dancing Under The Stars



HALF MOON BAY YACHT CLUB

2018 Commodore's Ball and Installation of Officers

Saturday, November 17th at HMBYC



Cuisine by Dan Spangler

\$60 per person includes appetizers, dinner, dessert & live music



Music by Off the Record



5:30pm Appetizers

7:30pm Awards and Installation

6:00pm Buffet Dinner

8:00pm Dancing



CLICK HERE TO REGISTER ONLINE

REGISTRATION DEADLINE TUESDAY NOVEMBER 13

Photo by Claire Sheehan



2018 Fogfest

Thanks to all who volunteered for the Pacifica Fog Fest! We got an early start at 8:30 am and kept at it until the mast was lowered at the first electric power line near the end of the parade.

"Full Sail" #33 was Pacifica's Fog Fest theme and the 33rd parade celebrated the newly underground power lines. It was a beautiful day! Having our HMBYC C-15 as the first float gave us high status and the Fog Fest thanked us with a \$200 donation to our youth sailing program.

Volunteers Kelly and Susan Pike and Carol Hoover were all at the specified location on-time and ready to go. They helped rig and decorate and we were looking good in no time. Linda Galindo and her lovely daughter arrived later to join us.

Marc Arseneault had his new blue Ford truck freshly washed to give us the finest response as we were in the very front of the parade. After organizing the logistics, Claire Sheehan relaxed and worked her princess wave for 6 long blocks. Glenn Kesselman and his daughter Keara added the family touch with Mermaid Keara joining Pacifican mermaids and pirates. Max, the pirate, took to the C-15 wire like an old sailor.

It was a fun day!

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 3

10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Last Gasp Regatta

*Join us for the
last Cal 20 sailing
event of the season*



**Calling all HMBYC's
Cal20, C15 and Laser sailors:**

**This is the sailing year's final event.
Let's get a big turnout.**

**Skipper's meeting at 10:00am
First start at 11:00am**

The Die Hard Regatta



December 1, 2018

10:00 am skippers meeting — 11:00 am first start

Open to all dinghy classes

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The Harvest Youth Regatta

November 10, 2018

10:00 am skippers meeting — 11:00 am first start

For the Bay Area Youth Sailing Community.

**Open to C420, CFJ (non-spin),
Optimist, and El Toro classes.**

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Announcing

New Member Monday's and Mixers

Starting Monday, November 5

Since joining the Half Moon Bay Yacht Club I have only grown more excited about my membership, learning to sail, the seminars, the social and sailing activities and the new friends I've made. I have loved being the club's Membership Director and want to announce a new program we'll be trying out through the winter season at the club.

Monday's from 5 pm to 7 pm will be a time for new members (there are 50 new memberships in 2018!) to come and visit with the Membership Committee and other new members to get more integrated into the club's offerings, member-to-member meetings, volunteer opportunities, committees of interest, calendar of events...well everything!

Did you join the Half Moon Bay Yacht Club within the last 18 months?

Do you have a friend that you want to bring to get information about joining?

Would you like to meet others who want to create kid-friendly movie nights, participate in winter sailing, learning more about our fleet of boats, SUPs, kayaks, educational events or how best to get the most out of your membership?

On New Member Monday's we'll provide answers to the most frequently asked questions and information about aspects of the club you may not be fully aware of.

To our more experienced members, you are invited too! We'd love you to come help with outreach and on-boarding of our newest members. Any Monday, any time between 5 pm and 7 pm.

Questions?

Want to let us know you are coming and which Monday?



Send us an email at
Membership@hmbyc.org



Women Sailing presents
**Our Annual
Knot Tying Workshop**

Thursday, November 15, 2018 at 6pm

Everyone is welcome to join us for this fun filled evening of practicing knots you know, learning some new knots, teaching someone else a knot and practicing rope throwing. We provide the rope!



ROUND-UP OF OUR PUMPKIN ROUND-UP!

NOTES FROM OUR SATURDAY OCTOBER 27TH EVENT

Well mother nature provided us with another beautiful day for the Pumpkin Roundup. Fair skies and perfect winds, lots of participants and lots of goodies to roundup. The chuck wagon was full to the gunnels of pumpkins, green goblin eggs and an assortment of tombstones, axes and skulls to be rounded up by the hands on the waters of the harbor. Bringing home the Best costume award and 3rd place was Minnie with the Teletubbies on board.

Bringing second place was Admiral Arlene and Captain Quest aboard the Intrepid Grand ole Gal... Rounded up the Rubber ducky and Golden goblin egg as well as an assortment of other goodies.

Rounding up more goods than thought possible and vacuuming the harbor of everything within grasp the intrepid Argo and her group of marauding hombres brought home 1st Place as well as capturing the Golden Gourd and Silver Squash in the process





Danke an alle, die an unserem Oktoberfest teilgenommen haben

Translation: *Thank you to all who participated in our Oktoberfest*

Wunderbah!!

The sounds of Yodelers! The smell of home cooked German food!! And, a brand-new deck! We had it all!! Six Yodelers participated in our first Yodeling Competition. Yes! Closet Yodelers!! Our Judges, Herr Spencer, Frauen Jennifer & Anita took great care in noticing their techniques, talent & registers.

There are no words in which to describe our Guest Chefs, Frauen Margrit Pichou & Stacy Gordon. Herrlichen, lecker, hervorragende...all come to mind (magnificent, delicious, excellent).

Danke to you all, plus Frau Lisa Fernandez for cleaning, setting up, decorating & checking us all in. And, Herr John Simons for Entertainment!

Until next year, Alles hat ein Ende, nur die Wurst hat zwei (Everything has an end; only the sausage has two)!

The Events Committee



EVENT CAPTAINS AND MUSICIANS

Are you a Secret musician,
just looking for an audience?

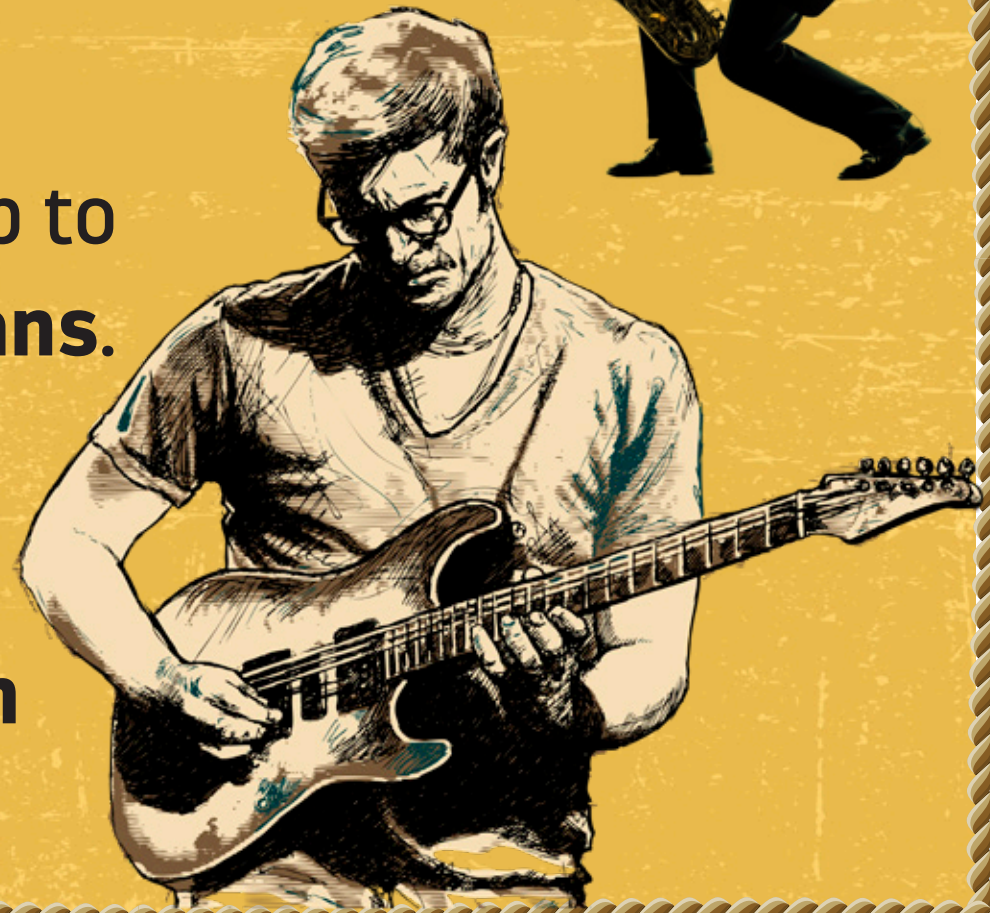
Do you have leadership qualities
that are dying to break loose?

We are searching the Membership to
cast as **Event Captains & Musicians.**
Don't be shy.



Contact Natalie at
opbaronessa@gmail.com

You won't be sorry!

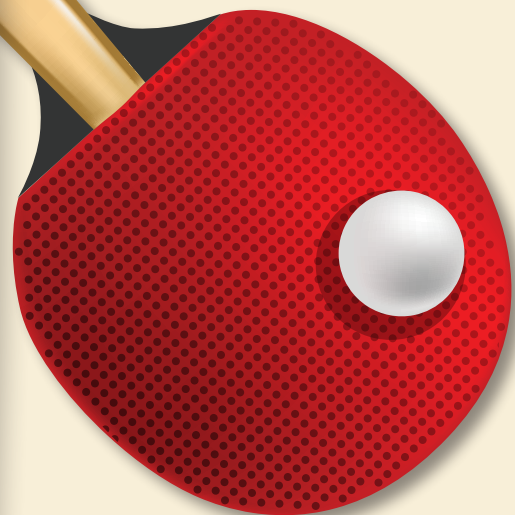


Monday Night Ping Pong at the Club

we have two ping pong tables and advanced teachers. Anyone interested?

When: Third Monday every Month at 6:30 till late

Contact: Paul Pattison at pmpatt@outlook.com



HMBYC is now on Twitter

TWITTER.COM/HMB_YC

If you want something posted to Twitter, please write to our *Updated email:*



twitter@hmbyc.org



WOMEN SAILING

Now Meeting **Every 2nd Tuesday & 4th Thursday** of the month: April thru October

Meet-Up #1: TUESDAY Oct. 9, 2018

Meet-Up #2: THURSDAY Oct. 25, 2018



**WE MEET AT THE
OLD CLUBHOUSE AT 5:30PM.**

**SAIL IN THE HARBOR, AND
GATHER AFTERWARD IN
THE OLD CLUBHOUSE.**

**CONTACT
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*Knit Happens is back at the Half Moon Bay Yacht Club
from May 3th through September 27th, 2018*

Knit Happens

Weekly on Thursdays 6:00 - 9:00 pm

**A Coastside Fiber Artist Community of Knitters,
Weavers, Crocheters, Spinners, & Stitchers.**

Bonnie, Leann, Suzanne & other HMBYC yarnies invite
everyone who likes working with fiber to
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