



**JACK GORMAN** Commodore

As my term as Commodore goes into its last month, I'm reflecting on this passing year.

The job of being commodore isn't like any CEO job I've ever held before. It isn't

like you get to steer the ship of state, but you do get to comment on the arrangement of the pool chairs and the color of the tablecloths. The real work is done by the Committees and Management.

It's eleven o'clock

It's only for a year, so there may be some wisdom in not letting the Commodore steer too much.

The "crew" accomplished a lot this year. We put into effect the Bylaw change that made us all members. No more just "spouse" members. We updated and clarified the Bylaws again this year. Seems to me a Bylaw and Rule revision should be an annual process. There are always new situations that come up, for which there is no precedent nor guidance of past practice.

We studied (and studied) a kitchen replacement, made a great plan and fixed the costs. We figured out how to afford it, and brought it to the membership where it passed 275-5. The project is now underway, and is very likely to finish on time and below budget in late Summer. The temp kitchen works well, as planned.

After executing the first year of our facilities maintenance Reserve and Replacement Plan - we reviewed, updated and improved the 30-year forecast making it more user friendly. This Plan is a huge achievement that eluded us for many years and keeps us in the league of well-managed clubs.

Membership --- Though we raised the Initiation fee from an effective \$2,200 to \$3,750 and ended the era of "sales" --- we continued to increase membership. We'll probably end this FY with 635 voting members, lose 8-10% and gain another 10-12% through the next year. A waiting list is likely to happen in 2019. The membership renewal process will become automatic this June, eliminating much paperwork for all.

After doing a great Membership survey (expect to see it regularly) --- we have an effective Long-Range Plan looking several years ahead for larger improvement projects to bring to House, Board and Membership when the time and project are right.



#### On the Cover:

Commodore Jack Gorman and his wife, Great Mates President Nancy Gorman in front of their Cal 35 "Odyssey".

As both complete their term this month, we'd all like to say Congratulations and Thank you for an outstanding year! The BYC wishes you both fair winds and calm seas ahead!

Our Operating Budget looks right on track to break even (which it is supposed to do for a Not-for-Profit club); even though we sustained a \$20,000 uninsured, hurricane damage hit and the loss of the big (and profitable) FCYC event on the Irma weekend. Could have been a lot worse. A three-dollar monthly dues increase is necessary to keep up with creeping costs in the coming year. That's not surprising since we've had 2 years at the

We also did an extensive redecorating of bar and dining rooms. More dining improvements will come as our capital buckets refill.

We published the Directory again and are hard at work on a brand-new Website.

We sold out most entertainment events and have a great schedule for next year, including "Almost Abba."

I'd like to salute the growth of the Power and Sail Cruising Fleets for their well-attended cruises and meetings. The growing Navigator's land cruiser club had many successful, monthly (and more) trips, which kept Members engaged and involved. Exciting national and international trips are planned for next year.

Lastly, and most importantly, I am especially proud to have been associated with that Special 13% volunteer community of our membership that man the ship -serving on the Board and Committees, running the Clubs within the Club.

Old Commodores don't die, they just get a little dinghy. THANK YOU. - Jack







Our Guard changes from Commodore Jack Gorman to Vice Commodore Tim Rocklein for year 2018-2019

6:00 Cocktails and Butlered Hors D'oeuvres 7:15 Plated Dinner - 8:45 Ceremony

Then Dance the night away to Stacey Knights Band
Reservations and Entrée Selection a Must - 24 hr. Cancellation
Dress is Club Casual - No Other Meal Service at the BYC this night.

Hors D'oeuvres: Tempura Lobster, Tuna Tartar on a Wonton, Beef Satay, Tomato Pie in a Phyllo Cup Served: Caprese Salad

- Plated Dinner Menu Choice of • Entrée 1: "Surf n Turf" 5 oz. Filet with Lobster Tail..\$42
  - Entrée 2: Herbed Crusted Seared Halibut.......\$32

Let's keep the party going!

**BYC BIG BANG** 

Sunday, June 24th 5pm-9pm - Poolside

With our new Commodore, Tim Rocklein and his wife, Nel!

FIREWORKS
Will fly at dark!

Enjoy Creative Creation Food Stations \$26.95 Live Entertainment:



There will be no other food service this night. 24 hour cancellation.

## Anchor



"Anchor Watch" is defined as Crewmen assigned to keep watch over the ship while at anchor. We are a subcommittee of Membership on duty to watch over our members. We want you to know each of you is important to our Club family. If you know of someone in the hospital, going through a tough time, or just needs a hand, please let us know, or the BYC office, and we will make sure the member knows we care.

Pat Baker – Membership Director

## **JUNE FEATURES**

During our Kitchen Project –
Our Weekly Menu's will be as follows

(Menu modifications may be made at times if necessary)

#### **BYC Lunch Buffet!**

Tuesday through Friday, 11:30am-2pm

Enjoy fresh greens, garden veggies, house made salads, fresh dressings, 2 delicious soups, and a Hot Entree! Eat a little, eat a lot.Soup Bar \$6, Soup & Salad Bar \$7, the whole buffet, only \$9

• Casual Dining Lunch Menu also Available

#### TUESDAY - TWO FOR \$22

5-7pm 2 for 1, drafts, well drinks, & house wines6-9pm Small Plate dinners from our special menu for \$22.

• Bar Menu also Available

#### WEDNESDAY NIGHT

6-9pm Dinner Menu

## THURSDAY PASTA BAR

5:30-8:30pm

Enjoy 3 different pastas, including a filled pasta, Sausage, Grilled Chicken, Shrimp, Endless Veggies with house made sauces \$16.95

• Dinner Menu also Available

#### Friday Buffet – Chef's Choice

Friday, June 15th, 22nd & 29th • 6-9pm

Alternating array of Chef's specialty. \$25.95

• Dinner Menu also Available

#### **Saturday Dining Options**

**11:30am-5:30pm** Casual Dining Lunch menu **6:00pm-9:30pm** Dinner Menu Available

## **Sunday Breakfast**

Every Sunday from 9am-1pm \$11.25

Sunday Afternoon – Casual dining lunch menu only

#### BLOODY MARY & MIMOSA BAR

Last Sunday of every month 9am-1pm Sunday, June 24th

Build Your Own... For the Best Drink Ever!!!
Garnishes, Veggies, Meats, Cheeses and more...



## Tiki & Pool Bar hours:

IKI BAR

Friday, 4:00 to 10:00 p.m. Saturday, Noon to 10:00 p.m. Sunday, Noon to 7:30 p.m.

OOL BAR

Friday, 4:00 to 10:00 p.m. Saturday, Noon to 10:00 p.m. Sunday, Noon to 7:30 p.m.

The Outside Bars will close during an Electrical Storm, driving rain, or when the temperature is below 40 degrees



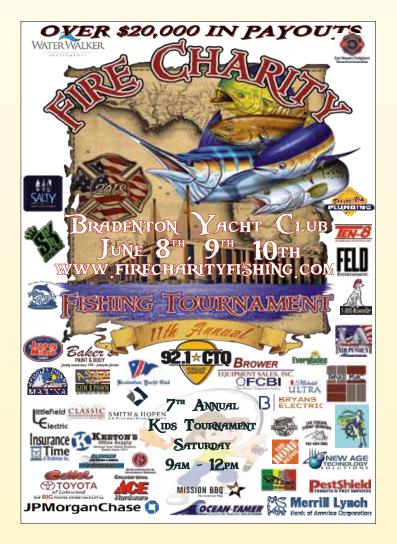
Summer has arrived and the club is in full "Summer" mode! The temporary Kitchen Trailer and the BYC staff are being tested with record numbers of members visiting the club. Mother's Day was a sold out event with over 500 members celebrating this day with us. Not to mention Crosthwait, which served approximately 2,000 people. What a great turnout for our Annual Blessing of the Fleet, Memorial and Founders Luncheon. On May 5th, we had a Kentucky Derby Party. A big Thank You to Cricket Clifton for organizing and helping this event take its course. A great time was had by all.

Please be sure to review the Poop Deck for all the great events we have this month. Celebrate Dad with Father's Day Brunch on the 17th; this is sure to be a sellout, so please make your reservations ASAP. The Annual Change of Watch and BYC Big Bang Celebration happens on the 23rd and 24th of this month,

please come support Commodore Gorman and incoming Commodore Rocklein. It's the time of year where we say our farewells to our present Board and say hello to our new Board of Directors. It's been a pleasure working with each one of you and the club has achieved so much this year. Thank you for your services to the Bradenton Yacht Club.

As you may already know, we are in the middle of the kitchen remodel. Our menus and food choices are listed and e-blasted frequently. I am asking all of you for your help, by making reservations. If you know you are coming to have a meal with us, please make reservations. It helps the staff to better prepare the club so we can be more efficient and take better care of the membership. We always welcome walk-ins and will do our very best to accommodate everyone's needs. – *George* 







Well, when you get your June Poop Deck, the kids will be out of school, and summertime at the BYC will officially be here. even if the calendar doesn't say so just yet!! For me, as Entertainment Director, and my committee of wonderful volunteers, we are taking stock of our year, of what we brought to the club to enjoy, and looking forward to what we will bring for the upcoming year. As I looked back over the last year, I feel like it was a fun year overall, and that our membership enjoyed themselves with what we brought and that is our goal. Of course, as a committee, we are always looking to raise the bar. Hopefully, with what we have planned and hope to accomplish the upcoming year, it will be even better!! For everyone that has come out to our events, I want to thank you, as you all are the reason we do what we do. If you are a new member, or just have not come to any events just yet, I hope you will add coming to an event to your bucket list, as we really do have a lot of fun here at the BYC.

Next up for all of us is the Change of Watch for our club. It is a bit of a formality, but most

of all a lot of fun, and to say thank you to all the folks that work so hard to make our club the best it can be & to welcome the new folks who are brave enough to step up and give of their time as we go forward. I hope that if you have never come to this event at the club you will consider it, as it is a great evening and part of the tradition of the club. I look forward to the upcoming year and so many great things happening at the club. I just know that the best is yet to come!! – *Janie* 



## **JUNE MONTHLY EVENTS**

#### **BYC Event Cancellation Policy:**

Reservations are a must for BYC Special Functions or any BYC event requiring pre-ordered entrée selection. Cancellations must be made 24 hours prior to function or account will be charged. Meals may be picked up in lieu of attending, if Club has not been notified prior to 24 hours. This applies to all BYC events and special functions

#### **BYC's First Friday**

#### Friday, June 1st, 6-7pm

Buy One, Get One Free, on all Well Drinks, Domestic Beer, & House Wine, PLUS, Complimentary Appetizer Buffet, from 6-7pm

#### Shrimp & Suds

Friday, June 1st, 6-9pm

#### Sail Fleet Dinner

Wednesday, June 6th 6:30pm cocktails, 7pm Dinner

Reservations and Entrée Selection please

#### **Power Fleet Dinner**

Tuesday, June 12th 6:30pm cocktails, 7pm Dinner

Great Mates Book Club Tuesday, June 12th, 6-7pm

#### **Navigators Club**

Tuesday, June 26th 6:30pm cocktails, 7pm Dinner

## Sail Fleet Dinner

(July 4th Meeting moved to) Wednesday, June 27th 6:30pm cocktails, 7pm Dinner



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As my year as President of the Great Mates wraps up, I am grateful to the very special Board and all the dedicated Great Mates members I am privileged to work with. Like so many others who served before me, I will continue to volunteer and support the mission of the Great Mates.

For some who may not know the process, over the summer the Great Mates Community Outreach Chair forms a committee and begins to gather the names of charitable organization candidates from members, the Great Mates Board or others who may wish to suggest a local organization. We interview at least 3 organizations and vote for one to raise funds for throughout



the year. We also have a mission to award scholarships to Manatee County Students and BYC Student employees. They need to complete a scholarship application to be considered.

Our Treasurer and Board of Directors have completed the review of our "Sail Away to New Orleans" 2018 Gala proceeds. We are happy to report that thanks to your generosity and support, this year's Gala profit was \$26,658. We had 130 attendees. This profit exceeded that of the past two Gala years! Congratulations on achieving another successful fundraising Gala. Because of this success we were able to award \$15,000 to our selected charity,

Manatee Children's Services. We were also able to award fifteen \$1000 student scholarships to deserving students. Four of those students are also Bradenton Yacht Club employees



seeking higher education. On May 10th we welcomed our charity and the student scholarship winners and their guests to an awards presentation evening. It has also been our tradition over the past few years to put all the students names in a drawing. The lucky winner received a brand-new laptop. It was a lovely evening of recognition and appreciation. Several of our sponsors and donors joined us and mingled and met our special recipients. We

## WELCOME TO THE NEW 2018-19 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

voted and installed at our May 10, 2018 Annual Meeting.

President - Gail Henderson
Vice President - Mary Ann Gamrot
Secretary - Mary Beth Westbrook
Treasurer - Susan Tibbits

Janet Amar

Scholarships- Debra Hastings
Past President- Nancy Gorman

are grateful to all who helped us make this a special evening.

Community Outreach-

In addition to the Gala proceeds we had other generous donations throughout the year totaling \$6882. Earlier in the year we were able to give a smaller donation



to two of the charities that gave us presentations but were not selected to be the recipient of this year's Gala. – *Nancy* 



#### **CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2018 SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS!**

Recipients of the Great Mates Scholarship Program, which included 4 BYC Employees



## **JUNE SPECIAL EVENTS**

**Family Fun Bingo Night Poolside** Thursday, June 7th from 6:30 - 8:30pm

**NEW!!!** Passport Friday - France

Friday, June 8th, 2018 - 6-9pm

#### Kid's Crafts and Movie Night

Friday, June 8th (Monthly - every 2nd Friday) **6:30-7:15pm** Arts and Crafts in Commodore Room 7:30pm Movie and Popcorn on the Lawn (weather permitted - Commodore Room as Movie Backup) Children under age 5 Parent Supervision Required. See ad on page 15 for more details.

# **Fire Charity Fishing**

June 8th-10th

#### **Father's Day Brunch** Sunday, June 17th, 11am-2pm

## **Mid-Month Blues**

Wednesday, June 20th, 6-9pm Blues Pig Band

## **Change of Watch**

Saturday Night June 23rd, 6pm

#### **BYC Big Bang**

Sunday, June 24th, Poolside, 6-9pm

#### Trivia – Jim Casev of **Game Show Trivolution**

Wednesday, June 27th, 6:30pm

Game Show Trivolution offers the most unique live trivia experience. Eat, Drink and Play your way to victory! Free to play. Maximum 8 players allowed per team.



#### **FAMILY FUN BINGO NIGHT**

Enjoy the Pasta Bar, Drinks at the Pool Bar, Fun with the Kids and Play Some Bingo!!! FREE Bingo & Fun for the Whole Family!!! **Great Prizes!!!** 

#### Pizza & Pasta Bar \$16.95++

5:30pm to 8:30pm Enjoy Pasta Your Way 3 Different Pastas, Including a Filled Pasta, Sausage, Grilled Chicken, Shrimp, Endless Veggies with House Made Sauces Plus...

Pizza Bar and Desserts!!!





Tom Grubb

With the club nearing membership capacity, we have been doing all that we can to keep basin operations running smooth. This has meant that we have needed to make some changes, and we are now ready for the active summer months!

The first change that membership needs to know about, is the rule change we made for basin slip lessees. From now on, each member will only be able to lease one wet slip or dry slip at a time. While it is fantastic that we have been able to achieve such great membership growth, it is important that we give as many members as possible the opportunity to keep a boat here- we simply cannot accommodate multiple boats for each member (tenders not included). If you currently have more than one boat at the BYC, do not be alarmed, your excess boat(s) will be grandfathered in until you sell or permanently remove them. Fortunately, we do not have many boats that currently fall under this rule, and our waiting list is minimal for both wet and dry slips.

Another change you will notice is in the friendly faces you will see when you come in to dock your boat. We have a new Dock Master, Rob Welborn, and he has already been doing an amazing job. Please congratulate him on

his promotion when you see him! He will do great things for our docks and basin. New and improved uniforms will also be worn by all the dock staff to reflect a higher level of professionalism and style for our club.

Upcoming projects include renovations to the "Long Wall" which have been slowed down due to shortages created by hurricane Irma last summer, but are still on the way. Also, basin security cameras are coming. Last, but not least, we are creating a Facebook group for BYC membership for "crew matching." If you would like help moving/using/enjoying your boat, or if you would like to cruise/fish/sail with other members, this will be the place to connect. Watch for an email communication with a link to take part of this exciting new forum!

As always, I would like to ask all boat owners to honor the 60 day usage rule and to make sure to keep their boats clean and in tip-top shape. Your boat is an integral part of the charm of our club!

This is my final article as Basin Committee chair. It has been my pleasure to serve you! We are currently looking for a few fresh, new, Basin Committee members to start this summer, so please contact me if you would like to join us! – *Tom* 





#### TABLESIDE WITH CHEF GARY

What a busy couple of weeks it has been working in the temporary kitchens! Our first weekend we produced a large brunch for two hundred ladies, followed by Mother's day brunch serving five hundred! My team and I have been working early mornings and late nights to get acclimated to our new environment. It has not been easy, but it will be worth it! We appreciate your support and patience as we continue to learn the most efficient way to provide food service to you during our kitchen renovation. Please enjoy the following summer key lime pie recipe!. – *Gary* 

## **KEY LIME PIE**

#### **INGREDIENTS**

#### Crust

1½ cups fine crushed graham cracker 1/3 cup white sugar 6 tablespoons butter, melted ½ teaspoon ground cinnamon (optional, but so good!)



#### **Filling**

3 egg yolks

1 (14oz can) sweetened condensed milk ½ cup Nellie and Joe's Key Lime Pie Juice

1 lime, zested

#### **INSTRUCTIONS**

For the crust, mix graham cracker, sugar, butter, and cinnamon (optional) in mixing bowl until well combined.

Press graham cracker mix in to greased 9 inch baking pan.

Bake for 7 minutes on 375 degrees F.

For the filling, combine the sweetened condensed milk, key lime juice, yolks and zest.

Mix until smooth

Pour mix in graham cracker shell and bake for 15 minutes on 250 degrees F



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#### We are in need of:

- **Pictures** Please share your photos captured at the club for the Website, inside of the Poop Deck or the cover.
- Photographers Take photos of club events, you don't need to be a professional or even have a camera.
- Committee Members Interested, please join us at 5:15pm on the 2nd Wednesday of every month.





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Mike Uselton, BYC Member







**SUNDAY** 

MONDAY

**TUESDAY** 

**THURSDAY** WEDNESDAY

**FRIDAY** 

SATURDAY

WEATHER PERMITTING!

The Outside Bars will close during an Electrical Storm, driving rain, or when the temperature is below 40 degrees Tiki & Pool Bar hours:

Friday, 4:00 to 10:00 p.m. Saturday, Noon to 10:00 p.m. Sunday, Noon to 6:00 p.m.

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LUNCH BUFFET11:30-2pm

6-7pm Shrimp and Suds Ruffet

6-9pm Rob Satori

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Sunday **Breakfast** 

9am - 1pm

Outside bars close at 7:30pm Kitchen closes at 7:00 pm

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Club & Fuel **Docks Closed** on Mondays

Water **Aerobics 8am** 

**LUNCH BUFFET** 11:30-2pm **MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE 5:30PM ENTERTAINMENT** COMMITTEE 6:30pm

Two For \$22

6-9pm

11:30-2pm **HOUSE COMMITTEE** 5:30pm

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SAIL FLEET DINNER 6:30pm

**LUNCH BUFFET** 

Water Aerobics 8am

**LUNCH BUFFET** 11:30-2pm MAH JONGG 11:30am

**BASIN COMMITTEE** 5pm BRIDGE 6:30pm

THURSDAY PASTA BAR 5:30-8:30pm **FAMILY BINGO NIGHT**  IN THE LOUNGE LUNCH BUFFET 11:30-2pm

**Passport Friday** Tour of France **Kids Crafts and** 

**Movie Night** 6:30pm Fire Charity
Fishing Tournament
Registration

Skuwau Duo IN THE LOUNGE

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Fire Charity **Fishing Tournament** 

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**Fire Charity Fishing** 

**Tournament Sunday Breakfast** 9am - 1pm

Outside bars close at 7:30pm Kitchen closes at 7:00 pm

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12 Water **Aerobics 8am** 

**LUNCH BUFFET** 11:30-2pm

Two For \$22 6-9pm

**GREAT MATES BOOK CLUB 6pm HOUSE COMMITTEE MEETING 5:30PM POWER FLEET 6:30** 

**LUNCH BUFFET** 11:30-2pm

BRIDGE 11:30am

COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE 5:15pm

LUNCH

**EXECUTIVE** 

COMMITTEE 6pm

**BOARD OF** 

**DIRECTORS 6:30pm** 

**MID-MONTH** 

**BLUES NIGHT** 

Blues Pig Band

IN THE LOUNGE

Water Aerobics 8am **LUNCH BUFFET** 

11:30-2pm MAH JONGG 11:30am BRIDGE 6:30pm

THURSDAY PASTA BAR 5:30-8:30pm

FINANCE COMMITTEE 6:00pm

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**LUNCH BUFFET** 11:30-2pm

Friday Buffet -Chef's Choice 6-9pm

Scott Curts IN THE LOUNGE 16



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**Father's Day** Brunch 11am-2pm

Bar Menu only Poolside 1-7pm

Water **Aerobics 8am** 

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\*\*\* PAST COMMODORE COCKTAIL RECEPTION 5:00pm **CHANGE** 

**OF WATCH** 6pm

**Entertainment: Stacey Knights Band** 

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**Sunday Breakfast** 

9am - 1pm Outside Bars and Clubhouse close @ 7:30 Kitchen closes at 7

**Bloody Mary** Mimosa Bar 9am - 1pm

**W**BIG BANG **Celebration** 6pm

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Club & Fuel Docks Closed on Mondays 26

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9am - 1pm Outside Bars and Clubhouse close @ 7:30 Kitchen closes at 7

> Bloody Mary Mimosa Bar 9am - 1pm

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Club & Fuel Docks Closed on Mondays



IN THE LOUNGE

\*\*\* HAPPY \*\*\*

INDEPENDENCE DAY



May's program by Daniel Noah, Warning Coordination Meteorologist National Weather Service, Ruskin on "Monitoring Marine Hazards, Including the 2018 Hurricane Season" was a hit. Daniel was both entertaining and informative.

June's meeting will be our "Year in Review, Awards and Recognition" plus special Hurricane Plan trivia and Plan review by Rob Welborn, our new Dockmaster, so plan to join us for a good time looking back and getting prepared for hurricane season.

Our April Anchor Out & Field Club cruise captained by Linda and Bob Enberg was something new that was enjoyed by all attending. They varied the normal format by having an anchor out

Sail Fleet Dinner 6th 6:30pm **COMMODORE SALAD-** Crisp Awards & Recognition romaine, roasted Roma tomatoes, olives, cucumbers, sliced pepperoncini, crumbled feta cheese, seared salmon & grilled shrimp with Greek herb vinaigrette \$16.95 **CHICKEN PICCATA** - served with mixed vegetables and mashed potatoes \$18.95 TERIYAKI BEEF over Jasmine rice with stir fry vegetables \$17.95 Reservations & FRIED SHRIMP served with cole-**Entrée Selection** slaw and hush puppies \$16.95 24 Hour Dessert: Ala Carte Cancellation

the first night in NW Sarasota Bay in a quiet and inviting spot. The evening was complete with happy hour and a shared supper onboard their boat Tropical Spirit. The second night was spent at the Field Club with an adventuresome evening out at a delicious French restaurant, Miguel's. The trip has generated many "sea stories" and I hope the format will be repeated.

As you may know this is my last PoopDeck article as Sail Fleet Captain, so join me in welcoming Fred Ruggiero as your 2018-19 Sail Fleet Captain. I look forward to some new and fresh ideas and an enjoyable year to come.

See you at the next meeting. – *Charles* 









June has come upon us so quickly! We will miss all of our Snowbirds who have left for their summer homes but we look forward to them returning in the Fall for BYC hosting the FCYC gathering at our club on November 2, 3 and 4th. Please mark your calendars for this exciting event.

The Navigators had a wonderful trip to the Florida Aquarium in Tampa, on May 7th. Howie and Anita Stein, Diane and Steve Clausen, Cathie and Sid Fleming and the hosts Josh Huntington and Ilene Skeen enjoyed the aquarium. The main star was a 500,000 gallon coral reef ecosystem teaming with sharks, stingrays, a giant green moray eel and many other kinds of fish. There was a separate 4-D theatre experience with a variety of sensory effects that was very entertaining. The aquarium also offers two tours; the first being a behind the scenes tour which gives a glimpse of how the food is actually prepared for the over 20,000 sea creatures and other insider information. The other tour was a 75 minute Dolphin Cruise on a 72' catamaran. The group divided between the two tours. Naturally, we all had a great lunch together allowing an opportunity to share stories of each tour. (Remember, the Navigators always seem to include food in the activities). The weather was perfect, especially for the cruise. Thank you Josh and Ilene!

The Navigators will be celebrating members' birthdays and anniversaries on June 18th, at 6:30pm. We will be dining at the Bird Key Yacht Club. We have twenty-four Navigators signed up for this celebration. We plan to have hors d'oeuvres and champagne. With all of this, how can we not have FUN! As I mentioned before, food seems to be an intricate part of our activities.

As always, we enjoy lots of laughs, fabulous food and wonderful friendships. All the Navigators meetings and activities are open to all BYC members. Our next meeting is June 26th at 6:30pm, so make your reservation for "Two for \$22" dinners and join our adventures...Hope to see you soon or around the Club. – *Diane* 















## **MEET STEPHANIE KLOSTERMAN**

Stephanie has been with the BYC for just over 5 years. She is a USF graduate with a degree in Hospitality. She was hired to handle Accounts Payable but after only one year with us, she has progressed and now handles Accounts Receivable, Accounts Payable, Member Billing, Payroll and so much more. Stephanie is also the BYC's resident notary, if you ever need a notary; just give her a call to make an appointment.

Stephanie is originally from Lowell, MA, she now lives in Parrish with her husband Jason of almost 10 years and their 2 year old son Joshua. One of her lifelong passions is Girls Scouts. She has been a volunteer troop leader for about 6 years. Don't be surprised if you see her at a local cookie booth.

Thank you Stephanie for all that you do and we look forward to many more years!



I am sitting here in the middle of the Atlantic Ocean on a beautiful 80' Marlow heading to Hilton Head SC trying to figure out where the last year went. We have had so much fun this year, starting off at Tarpon Point Marina in Cape Coral, Tampa Yacht Club, Clearwater Yacht Club, Treasure Island Yacht Club, St Pete Yacht Club and our last trip to The Field Club. Our May trip had to be canceled due to very bad weather so we will try again next year.

The Field Club trip was fun. There was a classic car show on Saturday which was great. We ate at the club Friday and Saturday night and again on Sunday morning for brunch, wow they sure put out a spread.

We have had a lot of fun at our meetings also, we had the magician, Bradenton planetarium, Troy Brown gave us some fishing lessons, George gave us some CPR training and we all got to share some great stories. The staff at BYC, as always, provided some great meals for us.

The camaraderie we share, and the friendships that have developed over this past year, have been fantastic to see, and I guess that is why the time goes by so fast. I know for me, I never want the nights to end, or the trips to stop, and I have developed friendships that have given me the opportunity to do some things I would only have dreamed about a few years ago. That is the magic of The Bradenton Yacht Club.Our next trip will be to Longboat Key Moorings. We have tried several times to go, and the weather always knocks us out, but we will try again. Our June meeting will be a planning meeting for next years agenda and speakers.

I want to thank everyone for all of your support and help and I know we will have another great year at the BYC Power Fleet.

See you all around the club and remember to make everyday Christmas and every night New Years. Cheers - Bobby







# Tembers PAT BAKER

As I write this, the BYC membership fiscal year is coming to a close – July 1 starts our new year with new goals, and of course a new kitchen. But let's make sure that we end the year with a bang. As you know, according to our By-Laws, membership is capped at 650 voting members. As of this writing we have 624 voting members... which means we are getting close. Right now we have a promotion that is good until June 30. If you bring a new member and they join by June 30, 2018, you and the new member receive (3) \$100 gift cards for food and beverage, given in 3 consecutive months. That's \$300 savings toward your food and beverage minimum requirement. You can always invite them to try **NEW MEMBERS** 

#### **Brian & Connie Moore**

WELCOME

Palmetto, FL 24' Everglades

#### **Eric & Sharla Sundberg**

Palmetto, FL 26' Yellowfin



days isn't over till mid-July, the \$300 promotion will expire June 30. So, tell your friends, we don't want them to miss out on this great incentive.

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We also, at this time of year, pick up many summer members. Many join at the end of the summer, so we want to make sure that they too understand what may happen when we cross the magic 650 – they go on a wait list, initiation fee may rise, and we may no longer offer any promotions...no more free money! In addition

> to all the above mentioned, Management and your Board of Directors is considering lowering our number to maybe 630. If this happens, it will not give us many openings and there will be a waiting list sooner than expected. Have you noticed the dining rooms are full just about every night? Friday nights are packed and the parking lot is full. This is one of the reasons they are considering lowering the number, so you can enjoy the club and know there is always a seat for you, your family and friends. All of this is to keep you informed, we don't want anyone saying... but I didn't know... now you know, so please tell your friends and family who are considering joining, now is the time!! Isn't this a nice place to be!

> Have you seen our temporary kitchen trailers? The menu isn't as large but the food is still as good. Kudos to our wait staff! We are going to have the best-in-shape crew, they now have to carry your meal from the trailers to your table; the food arrives hot (actually hotter than it was from our old kitchen!) Our kitchen crew is doing double duty, in a very hot, very tight space to provide uninterrupted service to all of us! So, when you see them, tell them you appreciate them. Our BYC family is in this "kitchen project" together.

Something new this year, membership is moving toward auto renewal, you won't need to do anything, keep a look out for an email on June 1st with further details.

I look forward to seeing you around the club, and don't forget June 30 is the bewitching hour for the incentives to join. I look forward to seeing everyone in the New Membership Year. - Pat





## Looking Toward July

## **SAVE THE DATE!**

Here are a few fun events to look forward to in July.

## Passport Friday – Touring Mexico

Friday, July 13th, 6-9pm

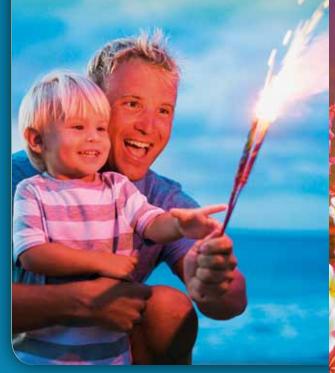
#### **Kid's Crafts and Movie Night**

Friday, July 13th, 6:30 to 7:15 Arts and Crafts in Commodore Room 7:30 Movie and Popcorn on the Lawn

## 2018 Florida West Coast Bluewater Series

The Florida West Coast Bluewater Series is a 3-part tournament series. Billfish series held in Palmetto July 17th-21st.

Trivia – Hosted by Jim Casey of Game Show Trivolution Wednesday, July 25th, 6:30pm



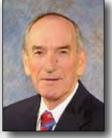




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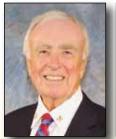


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The 2nd and 4th Wednesday Bridge Group has two events to report for the June Poop Deck. On April 25th, high scorer was Mary Malachowski. Freda Logan earned the second highest score. On May 9th, we were glad to welcome a new player, Wilma Keller. High Score was shared by Art DaCosta and Freda Logan. The group really missed Connie Dreyer and the Yaples. They are usually counted among our regular players, so their lack of presence is felt by all. And in a couple of weeks, we will be missing the DaCostas, who are taking off for their marathon Families Reunion. If you would like to join our caring and sharing group, or if you have questions, please contact Freda Logan at effielle@yahoo.com.

#### **EVENING BRIDGE**

Summer is just around the corner, so take a break, and cool off with us, and play Bridge on Thursday evenings at 6:30 pm.

#### APRIL 12

1ST: Gary and Carla Morgan

**2ND:** Dixie Keeney and Freda Logan

**3RD:** Bob and Anna Beltz

#### **APRIL 19**

1ST: Mary Malachowski and partner Betty

**2ND:** Newell and Mary Yaple

#### **APRIL 26**

**1ST:** Dixie Keeney and Ann Wolpers

**2ND:** Art and Carmen DaCosta

**3RD:** Newell and Mary Yaple

1ST: Art and Carmen DaCosta **2ND:** Gary and Carla Morgan

#### Carla Morgan

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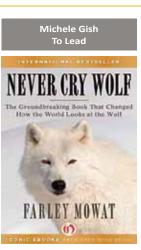
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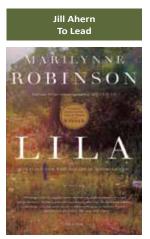


Meets every 2nd Tuesday of the month, 6-7 p.m. Everyone is welcome. No reservations required.

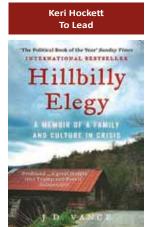
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By Farley Mowat June 12



**By Marilynne Robinson** July 10



By J.D. Vance August 14

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#### **BREAKFAST**

Sunday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

#### LUNCH

11:30 am - 5:30 pm Sunday 11:30 am - 6:00 pm

#### DINNER

Tuesday through Saturday Tuesday through Thursday 5:30 - 9:00 pm Friday & Saturday 5:30 - 9:30 pm

#### **OFFICE**

Tuesday through Friday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm Closed Saturday, Sunday and Monday

#### **FUEL DOCKS**

Dockmaster Cell Phone: 941-374-2310 **Closed Monday** Open Tuesday - Thursday and Sunday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Friday and Saturday 8:00 am - 7:00 pm (Weather permitting)



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## Tiki & Pool Bar hours:

Friday, 4:00 to 10:00 p.m. Saturday, Noon to 10:00 p.m. Sunday, Noon to 7:30 p.m.

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