

NVYC Commodore's Report



Your Commodore, Bill Moore
NVYC COMMODORE'S REPORT

Since our last newsletter, we have news to report on several club events and happenings.

Thanks to our social committee for organizing our very successful, annual **Poker Run** event held on Sunday August 11th.

We had 8 boats visiting 5 host docks; each occupant of each boat received a playing card in a sealed envelope from each dock visited. When boats returned to the clubhouse the 5 sealed envelopes of each participant were opened, and the best poker hand won. Best hand was held by Kathy Archer and second best by Stan Blough. Following awards of bottles of wine to the winners, our bar was opened and a BBQ dinner provided by the club. Thanks to all volunteers, including boat captains, dock hosts, docking help, bar service, the card reviews, BBQ and kitchen teams. A wonderful way to spend an August Sunday.

Our annual **Commodore's Cruise to Benicia** was held on September 16-18th. On Friday, we had cocktails on the dock, served from the Henn's "Pier Review," and our entourage proceeded to downtown Benicia for dinner. Our well-attended Saturday night dinner was held at the Benicia Yacht Club's upstairs dining room Saturday night with 16 members at our banquet table. Their harbor and club facilities, along with their helpful hosts, make BYC one of our favorite destinations.

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2019 Crew	
Port Captain	Greg Parker
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Our annual **Paddle Day** event, hosted by our club and sponsored by the Ohana Wa'a Outrigger Canoe Club, was held on September 18th. This event is one of our community outreach programs, promoting youth water activities, water safety and recreational use of the Napa River. Our club provided food and drink, donated raffle items and helped with the fundraising raffle. Free rides on kayaks and canoes were offered to the attending public, providing a sample of the river boating experience and inviting new canoe club members to join. Our club provided use of the clubhouse and dock, and our volunteers provided docking assistance, food and drink preparation and sale, and assistance with the raffle. All proceeds from food sales and the raffle were donated to the canoe club.

This year our club is also participating in another outreach event, donating the use of our clubhouse and dock for the **Paddle for a Cure** hosted by the Ohana Wa'a Outrigger Canoe Club as a benefit for the **American Cancer Society**. The event was held on October 19th.

We have had an active schedule of cruise-ins from other Bay Area yacht clubs, as well as individual boaters visiting our dock and club this season. Our Port Captain, Greg Parker, has managed the scheduling, docking and general organizing of the visitor activities. Over 10 weekends, we've had visits from Benicia YC, Passport Sailing Club, Sausalito YC, San Francisco YC, Oyster Point YC, South Beach YC, Sequoia YC, Marin YC, Coyote Point YC and the Petaluma YC.

Cruise-in participants often join our members for Friday dinners, and we've found that many of our members are also current or previous members of the visiting clubs. We've had a full dock on BottleRock weekend and on another weekend this season, and boaters are beginning to include the Napa Porchfest as an additional event for cruise-ins.

As reported in our last newsletter, our program: **Envision Napa Valley Yacht Club 2022 and Beyond** is under way with review and update of our NVYC Mission Statement as part of our Long Range Planning effort. Merrilee Newton presented the initial feedback at the October 18th meeting and requested additional input at this year's remaining Friday Night dinners. With her help, this program will continue into the coming year.

As housekeeping items, I'd like to report that our kitchen commercial dishwasher has been replaced with a new machine, and the oven ignition system and supply line and valves have been replaced. For additional security, monitoring cameras have been purchased and will soon be installed.

A windsock has been installed at our dock, much to the appreciation of our members and visiting boaters.

Our upcoming events are the annual Change of Watch, to be held at the Napa Valley Country Club on December 8th, the Lighted Boat Parade and Chili Cook off on December 14th and the Christmas Cookie Party on December 21st. Please join us for these final events of the year.

William Moore, Commodore



NVYC BOCCE TOURNAMENT

Champions “Tap That”

REPORT 2019

The annual NVYC Bocce Ball Tournament was a fun event at the club this summer! It began with resurfacing the court, thanks to the generous efforts of Mark Lessler, Eric Nyberg, Gary and Marybeth Jacobson. There were six teams who participated, including: High Rollers (Sally Craig, Captain); Tap That (Gary Jacobsen, Captain) The Meatballs (Charlie Agnew, Captain) ; The Riverside Rollers (Mark Lessler, Captain); The Smashers (Tom Hildreth, Captain) and Thunderballs (Debbie Dean, Captain) Many of the matches were very close, but the final game was between Tap That and Thunderballs on August 9th. Thank you to all who participated and congratulations to Diane and Scott Brown and Marybeth and Gary Jacobsen from Tap That who were the final champions in the 2019 NVYC Bocce Tournament!! Marybeth Jacobsen-Chairman

Be A Part Of Envisioning Our Napa Valley Yacht Club To 2022 And Beyond

Our Long Range Planning Committee led by Scott Brown, Past Commodore, is beginning negotiations now with the city on our lease continuation after 2022. As most are aware our lease expires that year. The Board of Directors and Officers feel that going with a “plan’ that demonstrates what our club members envision will hold us in better stead. To that end all members are invited to help us Envision Napa Valley Yacht Club 2022 and Beyond!

Are you familiar with our NVYC Mission Statement (circa 2013)? The key tenets are:

Safety and Courtesy on the Water

Fellowship and Fun through Boating

Community Involvement and River Development

Interaction with other Yacht Clubs

The Board has agreed to a process, starting with this article, to get our memberships’ input on how we can expand and evolve each one of the four tenets. Following this newsletter:

- 1) Members will be asked through email for feed back on how to improve on the four tenets listed above
- 2) Those responses will be compiled and presented on flip chart paper for additional feedback at our upcoming events, and Friday night dinners
- 3) All responses will be compiled and members will be invited to a brainstorming session in the early fall to actualize those ideas that have the most support.

The GOAL of this work will be to give our club, feasible and realistic plans to show Napa we are a club that plans to stay with a updated mission and resolve to enjoy our Napa River and our Napa Valley Yacht Club.

Paddle Day



PICYA MEETINGS



Richmond YC



Stockton YC



Cruise In's



Glen Cove YC

Sequoia YC



Paddle Day with Ohana Club



Welcome New Members



Sarah & Alan Montague



Clarice Turner & Robert Cherry

Petaluma Cruise in –September 27th

Visited YC'S



Near Kennebunkport



Angela & Sally selling merchandise
At Paddle Day



Kathy Archer working the food service at Paddle Day



Our New Sign of Mission Statement– Evelyn's Grand Daughter
modeling a nvyc jumpsuit from past years

MENUS

October 18th– Oktoberfest- \$15

Coleslaw

Kielbasa with Sauerkraut

Dinner Rolls

Goblin Cupcakes

Scalloped Potatoes

Strudel

October 25 –Halloween—\$15

Coyote Point YC

Green Ghost Salad

Witches Stew (beef) with potatoes. Carrots, celery,

Goblin cupcakes

November 1—\$10

Caesar Salad

Homemade Lasagna

Garlic Bread

Ice cream cups

November 8—\$15

Blue Cheese Wedge with Bacon and Blue Crumbles

Pork Loin with Olive Tapenade

Creamy Polenta and seasonal vegetables, Ice Cream

November 15—Harvest Moon Dinner -\$25

Benicia Yacht Club

Spinach Salad, Roast Beef with horse radish cream

Baked Potato with fixins, Green Peas with pearl onions

Apple Cake

November 22- \$15

Green Salad, Garlic Rosemary Chicken Thighs, Roasted potatoes

Seasonal vegetables, Ice Cream

November 29– No meal-Thanksgiving Recess

December 7—Closed

December 8– Sunday 5 pm-Change of Watch Napa Valley CC

December 13—Closed

December 14th–Saturday Annual Lighted Boat Parade-\$10

Meal served after boats return Chili with fixings, corn bread, Ice Cream

December 20—Holiday Turkey Dinner -\$20

Appetizer, Turkey, stuffing & mashed potatoes with gravy, rolls

Green Beans with almonds, Pecan Pie

Ladies Cookie Exchange– Saturday Dec, 21st at 2 pm

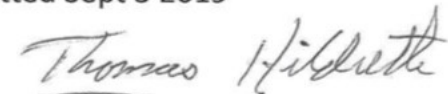
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Vice Commodore Nancy Mueller
Rear Commodore Stan Blough
Secretary Bob Weeks
Treasurer Diane Fleury

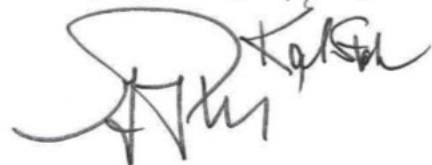
Directors one year Lilli Pernice
Nancy Schleicher
Avi Strugo
two years Tom Atkinson
Greg Parker
Jennifer Henn

Respectfully submitted Sept 3 2019

Thomas Hildreth



Kurt Stahr



Greg Parker



**Change of Watch- \$95. per person
Sunday, December 8th 5:00pm**

Napa Valley Country Club

Black tie Optional

Tables for 8 may be reserved

**Please note your table companions on
your reservation and their menu choice:**

Halibut, Beef, or

Mushroom Ravioli

Send checks with menu selection to:

Sally Craig

887 Marina Dr.

Napa, Ca 94559

OCTOBERFEST 2019

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Name(s) _____

Annual Dues \$240.00

Recreational Boaters of California and
Pacific Inter-Club Yacht Association, Voluntary (\$30 suggested) _____

Newsletter (\$30 mailed and printed copy, \$0 for electronic) _____

Voluntary Donation to Building Fund _____

Voluntary Donation to Holiday Fund for Landscape & Gallery Crew _____

Total Enclosed _____

Recreational Boaters of California (RBOC) represents the interests of recreational boaters in the Legislature. The Pacific Inter-Club Yacht Association (PICYA) is an association of yacht clubs that provides educational programs for club officers and directors, such as the Fall Management Conference and events such as Opening Day on the Bay. Annual club dues (\$240) have been at the same level since 2007.

Dues are due January 1, and are delinquent February 1. Delinquency fee is \$50.

The roster will be published based on the dues received prior to March 1. Please review your personal information in the 2019 roster and note **CHANGES** below.

NVYC Newsletter: Please send my copy _____ e-mail _____ NVYC.org _____ (Changes only)

Names: _____ (Changes only)

Address: _____ (Changes only)

Boat Name: _____ Length: _____ Make: _____ (Changes only)

E-mail: _____

Spouse E-mail: _____

Home phone: _____

Cell: _____ Spouse cell: _____



Hosts-Sarah & Alan Montague

B

Calliope Allen	Calliope	Allen	10/3
Else Madsen	Else	Madsen	10/13
Whitney Stanier	Whitney	Stanier	10/16
Eric Grigsby	Eric	Grigsby	10/17
Diana Lavagnino	Diana	Lavagnino	10/17

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Clay Parker	Clay	Parker	10/18
Larry Wolfe	Larry	Wolfe	10/20
Lynn Champlin	Lynn	Champlin	10/22
Edwina Walsh	Edwina	Walsh	10/22
Philip Herve	Philip	Herve	10/25

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Gary Schager	Gary	Schager	10/25
Fran Brozaitis	Fran	Brozaitis	10/28
Bob Weeks	Bob	Weeks	11/3
Tary Salinger	Tary	Salinger	11/4
George Cliff	George	Cliff	11/5

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Barry McComic	Barry	McComic	11/6
Eric Henn	Eric	Henn	11/7
Norman Madsen	Norman	Madsen	11/7
Evelyn Silveri	Evelyn	Silveri	11/7
Mark Nicol	Mark	Nicol	11/8

H

William Moore	William	Moore	11/9
Eric Nyberg	Eric	Nyberg	11/11
Anette Yazidi	Anette	Yazidi	11/11
Robert Fowles	Robert	Fowles	11/12
Paulette Mitchell	Paulette	Mitchell	11/14

D

Anthony Mitchell	Anthony	Mitchell	11/15
Dean Stahr	Dean	Stahr	11/21
Martha Rodman	Martha	Rodman	11/27
Elizabeth Parker	Elizabeth	Parker	12/2
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Ingrid Axelsen	Ingrid	Axelsen	12/5

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Richard Goodfellow	Richard	Goodfellow	12/9
Dana Robbers	Dana	Robbers	12/11
Debbie Dean	Debbie	Dean	12/14
Jim Nord	Jim	Nord	12/14
Karen Stevens	Karen	Stevens	12/16

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Jennifer Ash	Jennifer	Ash	12/17
Allan Mueller	Allan	Mueller	12/22
Philip Craig	Philip	Craig	12/23
James Soule	James	Soule	12/26
Arthur Lewis	Arthur	Lewis	12/27

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Ross Blanchard	Ross	Blanchard	12/29
Dale Cliff	Dale	Cliff	12/30
Bill Newton	Bill	Newton	12/30
Nancy McCanlies	Nancy	McCanlies	12/31

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Mary Ann Parker	Mary Ann	Parker	10/7
Greg Parker	Greg	Parker	10/7
Niles Venge	Niles	Venge	10/10

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Jeff Russell	Jeff	Russell	10/15
Leslie Russell	Leslie	Russell	10/15
Sherrill Schager	Sherrill	Schager	10/16

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Gary Schager	Gary	Schager	10/16
Mark Lessler	Mark	Lessler	10/23
Nancy Lessler	Nancy	Lessler	10/23

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Nancy Mueller	Nancy	Mueller	10/30
Allan Mueller	Allan	Mueller	10/30

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Philip Champlin	Philip	Champlin	11/3
Lynn Champlin	Lynn	Champlin	11/3
Linda Parzych	Linda	Parzych	11/15

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Robert Fowles	Robert	Fowles	11/15
Chuck Youngson	Chuck	Youngson	11/19
Andree Youngson	Andree	Youngson	11/19

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Thomas Wong	Thomas	Wong	12/12
Danna Wong	Danna	Wong	12/12
George Cliff	George	Cliff	12/19

S

Dale Cliff	Dale	Cliff	12/19
Nancy Weeks	Nancy	Weeks	12/27
Bob Weeks	Bob	Weeks	12/27

A

Else Madsen	Else	Madsen	12/30
Norman Madsen	Norman	Madsen	12/30
Merrilee Newton	Merrilee	Newton	12/31

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Jennifer Henn	Jennifer	Henn	12/31
Eric Henn	Eric	Henn	12/31
Bill Newton	Bill	Newton	12/31

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