

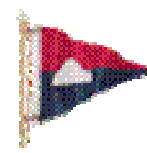


# MORRO BAY YACHT CLUB

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October, 2010

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## FROM YOUR COMMODORE-John Michener



Tickets for the *Commodore's Ball* are on sale now. The date is November 20<sup>th</sup> and I want to personally invite you to attend. The tickets are \$50.00 and while some people have felt that is pretty expensive it really doesn't even meet our cost for the event. To generate more interest and help absorb some of the cost we are going to raffle off a pair of tickets. We are selling the raffle tickets for \$5 each and three for \$10. The drawing will be at the end of October. Since we hope that people will have purchased their *Commodore's Ball* tickets by then we will reimburse the winner for up to a pair of tickets. I don't want to discourage single people from coming to the Ball, usually there are several single people there. If you have only purchased one Ball ticket and you are the raffle winner you will get that cost returned and a free ticket to give to a friend. The *Commodore's Ball* is important because it is the time we come together to salute our out going officers, install our new officers for the following year and recognize the race trophy winners. In addition to all of that we have a really good time, a great dinner and dancing. The band this year is *Oasis*, they were very enjoyable last year and the location is the *Madonna Inn*. The dress is coat and tie so it would be nice if you are able to attend in that attire. If you don't own a sport coat or blazer just dress as you would for any nice dinner out. I really hope my decision to have a raffle doesn't backfire and discourage people from buying Ball tickets. Contact me or Sharon Bufo if you have any questions about how to purchase tickets. I hope you will be able to be there; if you haven't attended this before please consider coming this year.

Earlier in the year the Board of Directors established a By-Laws Committee to go through our By-Laws and look for changes that might need to be made to correct discrepancies and bring them up to current conditions. The five member committee consists of *Lynn Meissen, Doug Gould, Pat Rygh, Dave Prewett* and *Don Lockwood* as chairman. The committee has completed their work and presented their recommendations to the Board of Directors. Two of the recommended changes will be voted on at our November 6th General Meeting. You will find the proposed changes in this Masthead.

One of the items on the agenda for the Board of Directors meeting this month will be the beginning of work on establishing a Non-Profit 501(c)(3) Foundation for the benefit of the Junior Yacht Club. Our Junior Advisor, *Gwenn Krossa*, has been working hard on this and will be presenting it to the Board. The advantage of this is that people will be able to make tax deductible donations to this Foundation.

The Board of Directors decided the barbecue we purchased in May was not going to meet our needs because it was inconsistent and difficult to get working right so we returned it for a full refund. We are now back where we started and will be looking for one that will work for us.

The inspection and repairs of our mooring field have been completed and thanks to our Port Captain, *Don Lockwood*, and the contractor, *Land-Sea Interface*, the work was completed for substantially less cost than we expected.

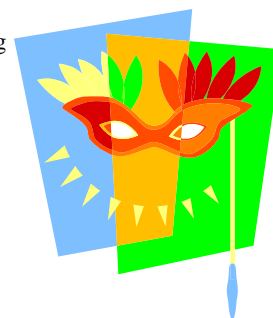
At the end of last year work was started on a new and improved Mooring Agreement. It was finalized and brought before the Board of Directors for approval at the September Board Meeting. The Board has approved it and it will be implemented to all new mooring holders this year and probably all mooring holders at the beginning of next year. The old agreement was not very clear and left too many things out. This new one, for the most part, just spells out what we previously assumed to be true.

It is hard to believe October is here already, this year is going by quickly.

Have a good month,

*John Michener, Commodore*

*Being on a boat that's moving through the water, it's so clear. Everything falls into place in terms of what's important and what's not. - James Taylor*



Editor's Note: Submissions to the *Masthead* are due by the 21st of each month. You may e-mail your written material or digital photos to [mbyc@mbyc.net](mailto:mbyc@mbyc.net) or to Barbara Earl  
\*All submissions are subject to editing for content and space.\*

## FROM YOUR VICE COMMODORE - Greg Barker



I know you all want to know: I'm in San Luis Obispo for this month's deadline. Some of you may have spotted me around the club the last couple of days without the presence of a crisis of any kind. I cannot say the travel is over, but I think the worst of it is behind me. I haven't had this much business travel since 1992 to '94 when I was commuting to San Antonio, Texas every other week. That was fun.

I normally would not interrupt the smooth flow of my writing to go into details of plumbing tasks, but this entails an important message. We had to call out a plumber this month to clear a waste line in the Men's Head because a whole lot of something-like-soil-or-gravel was dumped into one of the toilets. The resulting blockage caused the usual stuff to back up and spread across the floors, further resulting in additional costs for special cleaning by our janitorial service. I realize this could have been done by crew from a visiting boat, but we all have to keep an eye out to make sure our club is not abused and extra money isn't spent on plumbers and janitors instead of important things like sailing trophies and bar supplies. My thanks to *Lynn Meissen* for alerting me to the situation.

I want to acknowledge the efforts of *Jim Phillips* to keep our ice machine going. The machine chronically stops produc-

ing due to icing up (go figure, it stops making ice because it gets iced up). *Jim* has arranged and overseen a number of service calls over the last few months to get this fixed, and we should all let him know we appreciate his tenacity. Once this is resolved I'm going to ask him to push a big rock up a hill for the rest of eternity.

The Board has decided that the new barbecue is just not serving our needs, and I have been appointed to find a replacement. I would like to enlist all of you as Barker Street Irregulars to help in this effort. Basically, keep your eyes open for a worthy replacement, either new or used, and pass all leads on to me. The more people we have looking, the better our chance of finding the right barbecue.

This last weekend the Budget Committee recommended using some of the carpeting reserve to replace the flooring in the dining room with tile. I will be presenting prices to the Board at the October meeting. Many of us noticed at Work Day that the dining room walls and window coverings are looking a little shabby as well. Just to share the fun, let me know if you would like to be involved in making recommendations on wall color and window coverings that we can present to the Board as well.

This month's column has been pretty mundane and business-like. We'll see if we can't have a little more of that mojo you've come to expect in next month's column.

*Greg Barker, Vice Commodore*



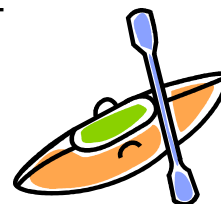
## FUN FLOAT

**Thursday, October 21st, 10:00 a.m.**



Our Sept. float was a great success (*Bob S.* was in charge and nothing bad happened). Our October float will be on Thursday the 21st at 10:00AM. Since this is Halloween month. I would like for each of you to share the scariest time of your life (getting married does not count).

Your friendly ghost, G.P.P.





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## HAPPY HOUR HOSTS

**REMEMBER!** In order for us to keep our liquor license, non-members are **NOT ALLOWED** behind the bar and all guests must sign the guest book located at the end of the bar.

If you have questions about the operation of the bar, contact our Bar Steward, Larry Earl.

Everyone should be contacting the other people assigned with them to coordinate the Hosting Duties.

If unable to attend, it is your RESPONSIBILITY to find a replacement. Perhaps you could trade with someone else on the Host List. Cynthia Wimer will be sending out reminders in the mail.

The club will furnish paper products and plastic ware for Host Night. Hosts tend bar from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. AND serve snacks at 6:00 p.m. till 7:30 p.m.

### October 2010

- 1 Candy Botich & Kevin O'Day
- Ken & Mary Bradley
- 8 Alan & Cleo Holz
- Paul & Jessica Irving
- 15 Matt & Adrienne Jenkins
- Carlton Smith & Deborah Paes de Barros
- 22 Greg & Rosie Larson
- John & Gwenn Krossa
- 29 Pandora's 'Califia' Crew

### November 2010

- 5 Don & Kit Lockwood
- Gerald & Erika Luhr
- 12 Tom & Bobbie Jermin
- Roger & Victoria Marlin
- 19 Gail Condon
- Kevin Williams
- Tom & Cyndy Fee
- 26 No Scheduled Happy Hour

### December 2010

- 3 John & Wendy Mitchell
- Steve Nukes & Sally Mingo
- Diana Orston
- 10 Dave & Karen Prewett
- Ken & Judy Riener
- 17 Bob & Judy Salamacha
- Bob & Barbara Schwenoha
- 24 No Scheduled Happy Hour
- 31 No Scheduled Happy Hour

— Polly Schneider

— Jim & Rachelle Phillips



## FROM YOUR REAR COMMODORE—David Prewett



The month of August had several races. The *Daysailer Invitational*, *Ocean Summer 2*, the *Zongo Cup* and the *Junior Regatta*. I will report on *Ocean 2* and the other races will be covered elsewhere.

*Ocean 2* saw six boats at the starting line; *Whizbang*, *2nd Wind*, *Twelfth Night*, *Gracie Ray*, *Guayacan* and *Savage Lady II*. People, we are not paying enough omage to the wind gods. We must make amends and any and all gifts to the gods may be delivered to me and I will make sure they know who they were from.

Coming in first place and the only boat to finish was **Ron May's Whizbang**. Good on ya **Ron** and crew. The rest of the brave souls were all DNFs. Slatting around on the ocean is better than house or yard work, but it's not much fun. Fair wind, following seas and good rum. *Norm*

## ELEVATOR COMMITTEE UPDATE

On September 20th we had a meeting with the City Planners, and the MB Fire Department. We were happy to hear that the Fire Chief will not require sprinklers for the elevator, and that the set backs from the building to the sidewalk were sufficient. The plans that **Greg Barker** had made were very adequate and he will be providing more info in the near future.

We will continue to have a monthly 50/50 raffle and a fund raiser whenever we can. We already have some donations from generous members and promises of more in the future. We will probably have a remembrance plaque on the elevator itself to show our appreciation. If anyone wishes to make a donation either now, or as a pledge, please call **Marlene** or if you wish to make it anonymous that is alright also. If you have any suggestions for fundraisers, please let us know.

Sincerely, *The Elevator Committee*

## Social Committee



In this month of October, *Breast Cancer Awareness* is celebrating 25 years of education and empowerment. *Columbus Day* is celebrated the second Monday of the month, to the dismay of some people. Even celebrating *Halloween* is controversial on the last day of the month because of its reference to the occult. However, a celebration is about intentions. For our Friday night happy hour on October 29th, I would like to play a game for those who will be present in celebration of *Halloween*...do a trick for a

treat! Be creative, bring props, do an impersonation or a stupid human trick, like on Letterman! I will have a "goodie bag" or a not-so-goodie bag...the audience will decide from which one you will be choosing a treat!!! This should be good...we have a lot of talented members!! We will be raffling two tickets to the *Commodores Ball* on November 20th at the *Madonna Inn*. Do not worry if you have already purchased your tickets, you will be reimbursed. Chances are \$5 for one or \$10 for three! Good luck and let the games begin!! **The Social Committee** will have a meeting on Friday, October 8th at 5:15. I really need you guys there!

**Sharon Bufo**, Social Chair,

## **NOTICE OF MEETING**

### **GENERAL MEETING**

**SATURDAY NOVEMBER 6<sup>TH</sup> 2010**

**UPSTAIRS AT THE MORRO BAY YACHT CLUB**

**POT LUCK DINNER AT 6PM**

**Last names beginning with A-M bring an entrée or salad and N-Z bring a dessert**

**MEETING STARTS AT 7PM**

#### **AGENDA ITEMS:**

##### **(1) Election of officers**

Commodore: **Greg Barker** or **Kevin Williams**

Vice Commodore: **Pat Hedges**

Rear Commodore: **Paul Irving**

Director: **Kent Butler**

Treasurer : **Mary Monroe**

Secretary: **Dawn Huntsinger**

##### **(2) By-Law changes**

*(see page 5—8 starting below)*



## **Notice Of Proposed By-Law changes**

Members of MBYC,

The Board of Directors of the MBYC by this notice announces that the following changes to the MBYC By-Laws will be presented to the membership for approval at the November General Membership Meeting.

The section(s) in this notice to be changed will first be presented in the form they are now followed by the section written in the way it would read if the change were approved. Justification for the changes are also included.

### **Proposed Change Package #1 and Discussion Follow**

#### **ARTICLE XII: MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS**

Section 5 The Board of Directors shall honor the request of members to have any motion placed before the general membership for a vote, provided the request is made in a written statement bearing the signatures of at least five (5) members in good standing representing five (5) memberships, and presented to the Board of Directors at least thirty (30) days prior to the scheduled meeting. Any such motion approved by the membership shall be binding on the Board of Directors and shall be implemented unless unlawful or in conflict with existing bylaws.

Sec. 5. The Board of Directors shall honor the request of members to have any motion placed before the General Membership for a vote, provided the *following is satisfied: The request is made in a written statement bearing the signatures of members in good standing representing at least ten percent (10%) of the club's memberships. The motion is presented to the Board of Directors prior to the close of the Board of Directors meeting that occurs one month prior to the month of the Regular or Special General Meeting in which the motion will be considered. That the membership is notified at least twenty one (21) days prior to the general or special meeting at which the motion will be voted upon. Notification of such a motion can be accomplished using any medium provided that the Board of Directors is reasonably assured that all memberships will be notified. Publication in the club's newsletter shall be considered adequate notification.*

Any such motion approved by *a two thirds (2/3) majority of the votes cast at the above described Regular or Special General Membership Meeting* shall be binding on the Board of Directors and shall be implemented unless unlawful or in conflict with existing by-laws.

**Justification for this first change package:**

Why 10% of the memberships to submit? This by-law is a powerful tool that should not allow such a small number of members to control its use. It has, in essence, the strength of a by-law. It can force the BOD to do something that they know is bad for the club. To allow five members half in the bag at happy hour to just scribble something down and cause the membership to have to deal with it at a general meeting doesn't make much sense. The 10% requirement at this time would be about 25 signatures. This change could induce a little more of a thought process to be put into generating such a powerful change.

Why 2/3's? Again, this tool has all the power of a by-law. It takes 2/3's to change a by-law it should take the same to force this. Let's face it if it's important enough to take this drastic a measure it should have the support of the major consensus. Otherwise just ask the board to do it.

**Proposed Change Package #2 and Discussion Follow****Justification for the rest of the changes**

The following set of changes are meant to alleviate the need for first class mailing, clearly define what is meant by a 2/3 vote, increase the lead-time for notification and state that publication in the YC newsletter is considered adequate notification. Other than that the content of the sections are unchanged.

**ARTICLE VII: INITIATION FEES AND DUES****Section 1**

Any change in the initiation fee and dues shall be recommended by the Board of Directors and fixed by the approval of the club membership at a general or special meeting. Written notice of the proposed changes shall be mailed to members via first class mail at least fifteen (15) days prior to the meeting.

**Section 1**

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*Notification can be accomplished using any medium provided that the Board of Directors is reasonably assured that all memberships will be notified. Publication in the club's newsletter shall be considered adequate notification.*

**ARTICLE VIII: ASSESSMENTS****Section 1**

No assessments shall be imposed on the members unless said assessment is proposed at one meeting and notification of the proposal is mailed to the members at least fifteen (15) days prior to the next general meeting. Such proposal shall then be valid only if passed by a 2/3 majority of the members present.

**Section 1**

No assessments shall be imposed on the members unless said assessment is proposed at *one general membership* meeting and passed by a 2/3 majority of the *votes cast at the next general membership meeting. Such votes are valid only if the membership is notified at least twenty one (21) days prior to the general membership meeting at which the assessment will be voted upon. Notification can be accomplished using any medium provided that the Board of Directors is reasonably assured that all memberships will be notified. Publication in the club's newsletter shall be considered adequate notification.*

**ARTICLE XII: MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS****Section 1**

In addition to the regular monthly Board of Directors meetings, two general membership meetings shall be held each year: one in April and one in November. The membership shall be advised of the meeting date and proposed agenda at least fifteen (15) days prior to the meeting. Special meetings may be called by the Board of Directors as circumstances and conditions warrant. A special meeting of the membership shall be called by the Board of Directors at the written request of a quorum of the members.

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date and agenda at least **twenty one (21)** days prior to the meeting. A special meeting may be called by the Board of Directors as circumstances and conditions warrant. A special meeting of the membership shall be called by the Board of Directors at the written request of a quorum of the members. ***Notification of such meetings can be accomplished using any medium provided that the Board of Directors is reasonably assured that all memberships will be notified. Publication in the club's newsletter shall be considered adequate notification.***

## ARTICLE XVI: REMOVAL FROM OFFICE

### Section 1

Should any Board member be deemed guilty of gross misconduct, charges may be preferred against him in writing by representatives of five (5) memberships of the club and directed to the Board of Directors.

The Board of Directors shall thereupon call a special meeting of the membership to hear such charges. The accused officer shall be furnished with a copy of the charges preferred against him, and be notified in writing of the time and place of such meeting the (15) days prior thereto. A vote of 2/3 majority of the eligible members present, provided there is a quorum present at such meeting, shall be deemed sufficient to sustain or reject the charge. In the event the charges are sustained, the office shall be deemed vacant.

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## ARTICLE XVII: POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

### Section 4

The Board of Directors shall not have the power to make the club liable for any debt beyond the amount of money which is in the hands of the Treasurer or due the club and not needed to discharge prior debts and liabilities; provided, however, that with the consent of a 2/3 majority of the memberships present at a meeting called in accordance with the By-laws, they may incur such indebtedness as is necessary for the furtherance of the best interests of the club. Notice of such a proposal shall be mailed to the members via first class mail at least fifteen (15) days prior to a regular or special meeting.

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### Section 5

Initiation fees, assessments, or dues, specifically identified as being collected for special projects or purposes, shall be deposited in a reserve account. The Board of Directors shall not have the authority to spend such funds without member approval as outlined in section 4 above.

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*accomplished using any medium provided the Board of Directors is reasonably assured that all memberships will be notified. Publication in the club's newsletter shall be considered adequate notification*

#### ARTICLE XXI: AMENDMENTS

##### Section 1

These By-laws may be amended at a regular or special meeting of the membership by a 2/3 majority of the votes cast providing a quorum is present and a notice of the proposed amendment(s) shall be presented to the membership 15 days prior to such meeting.

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## MORRO BAY JUNIOR YACHT CLUB

Hi Juniors!

We are all settling back into school, so September was a quieter month than August. The summer did end with a BANG, though, with a fantastic Junior Regatta put on by **Kit Lockwood**, which I know she will write about in more detail! A great big THANK YOU to **Kit** and all her volunteers!

October will see our Juniors sailing in a number of interesting events, starting with a exhibition regatta for the *Morro Bay Harbor Festival* on October 3<sup>rd</sup>.

For those who like to travel, Santa Barbara will be holding their annual *Goblin Regattas*. The Opti's will be racing on Oct 23 – 24<sup>th</sup>, and lasers on Oct 30 – 31<sup>st</sup>. Juniors, away regattas are a fantastic way to improve your sailing skills, and they are tons of fun! They have great prizes, you get to meet lots of other kids who sail, and you get to see new places. Conditions at the Goblin are usually mild, and this is a great one for greenies. The coaches and I are happy to give you more information. Just ask!

We will have our regular Junior Sailing on Oct 17<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup>. Yes, even Halloween! Expect some special treats and extra fun that day! (I'm envisioning candy buckets on mooring buoys...) You will be done in plenty of time to get home to trick or treat!

Happy October! (muuuhh-ha-ha-ha!!)

*Gwenn Krossa, Junior Advisor*





# Summer Sailing 2010



## The Passing of a Staff Commodore



### *Staff Commodore Doug Gould,*

Commodore 2004, died at his home, September 24th. **Doug's** wife, **Cheryl**, is planning a celebration of **Doug's** life on Saturday October 9<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm in the Yacht Club. Our condolences go out to his wife, **Cheryl**, family & friends. He will be greatly missed.

*"Grieve not, nor speak of me with tears, but laugh and talk of me as if I were beside you there." ~ Isla Paschal Richardson*

*Editor's Note: Doug & Cheryl are so special to me. They were our sponsor's to become members of this Yacht club along with the McClishes. They took us under their wing and showed us the ropes. They love this club dearly. Although we haven't seen them in a while I know their thoughts were always with the goings on and activities that were happening here at the club. I love them both dearly and will miss Doug very much. I think this picture is perfect, Doug loved his role as "Most Senior Elf". Heaven has certainly gained an Angel. — Barbara Earl, Masthead Editor*

### Membership News

Please welcome our newest members:

**Mark Brown** and **Julie Thomas**,

Hanging on the door for your perusal is **Jeff Eckles'** application. He is sponsored by **Paul Irving** and **Steve Nukes**. Jeff is a local businessman who often sails with Paul and **Peter Behman**.

Roster Updates: **Pat and Sandy Hedges**, Email:

**Sarah Powell** and **Darrell Erickson**,

New email address for **Duncan and Marlene McQueen**:

**Membership Committee: Gail Condon, Cyndy Fee (co-chairs), Lynn Meissen, Rachelle and Jim Phillips, Angela Soll and Marty and Tom Tidyman.**

# Junior Regatta

MIGHTY MBYC JUNIORS leave us all feeling MIGHTY PROUD OF THEM!!!!

On Sunday Aug. 29<sup>th</sup> possible gale force winds were predicted. This did not bode well for our MBYC JUNIOR REGATTA. We were anxious to get in as many races as possible before the wind "popped". The goal is for 5 races. Sixteen boats raced: 6 Opti Champion Fleets, 5 Opti Green Fleet, and 5 Lasers. The wind was brisk and grew during the first 3 races. By the third race there were white caps at the north end of the bay and my guess is that there were some good gusts to 15 knots. We started the Lasers off first, followed by the Opti Champs and then Opti Greens. A few Lasers got into some trouble handling the gusts, but they got back on their boats and all finished by themselves. **Rylie Fee** was able to change down to a smaller sail between the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> race to show everyone just how well she can sail when in control, and took a first in the next race. That was the only first that **Keiran Hansen** allowed...although he was pushed by all the other sailors.

The OPTI CHAMPS seemed to love the wind just the way it was. The OPTI GREENS had to get warmed up to all the wind, and with coaching from **Dana McClish** in his coach boat, they came up to speed after the first race. After 3 good races we all had a great lunch served up by **Cyndy Fee** and her crew). Then LO and BEHOLD, instead of popping, the wind died down to a nice breeze, for the next 2 races after lunch.

On the 5<sup>th</sup> race of the day I think there was an excited Mom on the deck when coming to the finish in front of the pack were **Rory**, **Shannon**, and **Audrey McClish**, all close together and in age order!!! Pretty neat! Then there was **Andrew Monroe** (one of the youngest Championship sailors) who seems to like the wind and placed 2,3,2 in the first 3 races. The racing in all the fleets was close and there were lots of ties that had to be broken according to the rules:

OPTI CHAMPION FLEET: **RORY McCLISH** had a solid 1<sup>st</sup>, with **SHANNON McCLISH** 2<sup>nd</sup>, and **ANDREW MONROE** 3<sup>rd</sup>.

OPTI GREEN FLEET: There was a TIE for FIRST with **RYAN MORRIS** having one more 1st than **IAN MacDonald** who took 2<sup>nd</sup>, and **HANK OGLE** 3<sup>rd</sup>.

LASERS: **KEIRAN HANSEN** had a solid 1<sup>st</sup>, **RYLIE FEE** & **OLIVIA MacDonald** tied for 2<sup>nd</sup> with **Rylie's** first breaking the tie and **Olivia** getting 3<sup>rd</sup>. A special award was given to **Joe Repucci** who was deemed the Laser Master Rigger. **Joe** has been very conscientious in becoming proficient at rigging the Laser, especially when they are not left in proper order.

**RORY McCLISH** AND **KEIRAN HANSEN** WILL HAVE THEIR NAMES ON THE MBYC JUNIOR REGATTA PERPETUAL TROPHY ....The full list of points and results can be found on the web-site. If you were there you know how much fun it was to watch and cheer for our Juniors who all sailed so well. If you weren't...come next year and cheer!

It takes a whole bunch of supporters to make a GREAT REGATTA and we had them: PRO & RACE COMMITTEE: **Don Lockwood**, **Michael & Brooks Measures**, **Larry & Liz Salas**. SAFETY BOATS: **Joe & Dawn Huntsinger**, **Dana McClish**. **Bryan Monroe**. On call **Todd Hansen & Dave Prewett**. DOCK MASTER: **John MacDonald**. LUNCH CREW: **Cyndy Fee**, **Joyce Hansen**, **Mary Brown**, **Gwenn Krossa**. SCRIBE: **Sandy Carroll**. PHOTOGRAPHER: **Angela Soll**. ROOTBEER FLOAT DONATORS & ORGANIZER: **Char Paris**. BOATYARD & RIGGER MASTER: **Todd Hansen**. To All-THANK YOU SO MUCH! IT WAS SO MUCH FUN, Kit

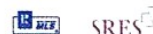


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# 2010

## Commodore's Ball

Saturday, November 20<sup>th</sup>

At the

**MADONNA INN GARDEN ROOM**

**6:00 pm – No host cocktails**

**7:00 pm – Plated Dinner**

**8:00 pm – Program**

**Followed by dancing to Oasis**

**Tickets are \$50 per person up to Nov. 1**  
**After which price increases to \$55**

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I / We would love to attend the ball!

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Dinner Choices:

Prime Rib\_\_\_\_\_

Halibut\_\_\_\_\_

Vegetarian\_\_\_\_\_

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## Tideland's Volunteers —

**October:** 1: Blaine and Maralee Parkin; 4: Ad Smulders; 8: Bud and Janice Moore; 11: Kevin Williams; 15: Al and Mary Romero; 18: Rosemary Jorgens and Carolyn Pye; 22: Dick and Charlene Evans; 25: Bud and Judy Salamacha; 29: Lynn Meissen. Alternates: Gail Condon and Blaine and Maralee Parkin.



3 Juniors Harbor Festival 	4	5	6	7	8 Hosts: Alan & Cleo Holz Paul & Jessica Irving  Social Meeting 5:15p	9
10 Ocean Fleet: O'Daniels 2 Sticker 	11	12	13	14 Board Meeting 6:00 PM 	15 Hosts: Matt & Adrienne Jenkins Carlton Smith & Deborah Paez de Barros 	16 Bay Fleet: Ladies Day 
17 Juniors 	18	19	20	21 Fun Float 10 am  Masthead Deadline	22 Hosts: Greg & Rosie Larson John & Gwenn Krossa 	23
24 Ocean Fleet: Fall 1 	25	26	27	28	29 Hosts: Pandora's 'Califia' Crew  Celebration of HALLOWEEN!	30 Bay Fleet: Fall 3 



Junior's  
Happy Halloween!



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Ocean Fleet—Fall 2 7 	8	9	10	Board Meeting 6:00 PM 11 	Hosts: Tom & Bobbie Jermin Roger & Victoria Marlin 	12 Bay Fleet: Commodore's Cup 13 
Ocean Fleet—Fall 3 Juniors 14 	15	16	17	18	Hosts: Gail Condon Kevin Williams Tom & Cyndy Fee 	19 Commodore's Ball 20 
21  Masthead Deadline	22	23	24	Thanksgiving 25 	Hosts: Dee Mace & Wayne Adair 	26 27
Bay Fleet: Drumstick Ocean Fleet: makeup 28 	29	30	  			