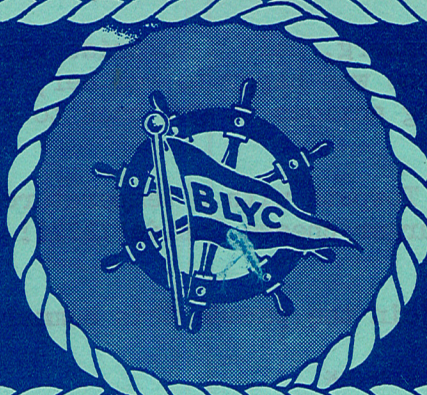


# BUCKEYE LAKE YACHT CLUB



# LOG

FEBRUARY, 1966

## Notes From the Commodore

The Entertainment Committee did another wonderful job with the New Year's Eve party and all who attended were well rewarded. There are some pictures on the picture page, but many did not come out usable. Our thanks to all who worked so hard to make this a success. Les Newkirk spent many hours with paintings on the windows. Others on the Committee besides Les were Helen, Joann and Don Downey, Ray and Jan Walker. Ginny and Chet DeMary took up the money.

At the Governor's meeting on January 14 we considered capital projects for this Club year. After much work and planning by Tom Boswell, with drawings very capably made by Ralph Woolley, it was decided a complete rehabilitation of the men's room was too costly to undertake at this time. Improvements in the present facilities will be made, and investigation is underway to see if there is any way to relieve some of the present congestion. These members put in many hours in drawings, consultations and bid taking, and the club is fortunate to have so many dedicated members.

At the meeting Gov. Don Downey was appointed in charge of Gun Club activities. All activities of the Club are supervised by one Board member, who also acts as liaison with the Board. Gun Club activity is reported elsewhere from Jodi Richards.

We regret to announce the passing of Past Commodore Charles F. Fast. He was Commodore in 1928 and lived for many years just north of the Club, in the house now occupied by Bea and Dale Dupler. He was active in the Power Squadron and sailed a K boat. We extend our sympathy to Gladys and share her grief.

The ice boaters were happy when the lake froze over for boating last Sunday, Jan. 16. It was a big day for the skaters as well as the boaters. Buddy Sayre now has ice boats in stock and a complete line of accessories, so we hope more members will catch the bug. Andy Thomas, who has rented Russ Luchtenber's cottage for the winter, and Fred Klein are the latest proud owners of new ice boats.

Gov. Ray Walker and his Entertainment Committee are trying to have some entertainment at the Club every Saturday night. These will be announced in the Log when time and notice permit, but in any event, come on out to the Club Saturday nights and you will have fun and entertainment.

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Commodore George A. Offenberg

## Ladies Auxiliary News - Joann Downey

The Cancer Ray met January 26 at Dorothea Dum's home. There was a 12 o'clock luncheon. The new officers for the year took over their duties at this time --- Mary Davis, President; Lillian Wilson, V. President; Ella Woolley, Secretary-Treasurer.

Everyone certainly enjoyed the January meeting, thanks to Ginny Rossshirt and her committee.

Regretfully, I have to report some bad news this month. Jane Keck is home ill; Nora Ballenger had a nasty fall and was in the hospital several days. She is at home now. Marlese Cruikshank had a fall and injured her shoulder. I'm sure these gals will appreciate cards, and we certainly do wish them all a speedy recovery.

Gladys Lawrence and Gen Lambrecht have joined in the Wednesday get-to-gether at the Club. We look for Gen back as she was a big winner her first time!!!



Past Pres., Mary Jane Luchtenberg, paid a surprise visit to the Aux. meeting. Everyone was happy to see her, but she can't be blamed for being anxious to get back to the Sunny South.

Wonder if that house on the Towpath with a temperature over 100 degrees melted the limburger cheese inside?????! How about it Helen?

Another bicycle rider will join the parade this summer - Helen Newkirk.

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Jay Limbaugh set some kind of a new record. Last Sunday after ice boating at the lake all day, he returned home and while taking his boat off the travel carriers, he thought he noticed the car rolling. He did. In desperation, he kicked a front wheel to try to stop it; this succeeded in taking out half the carport and the car kept on careening down a ravine, thru a split rail fence. There is a bright spot -- the house was untouched, just the car, the carport, the fence, and the boat. Total damage, about \$500.

Ruth and Frank Miller came up to the Granville Inn for two days, January 21-22, and revisited their friends at the Club.

Next Saturday night, January 29, the Entertainment Committee is having the INTRUDERS play and sing for us from 7:00 PM till 9:00 PM. Gov. Downey is having a skating party for all the juniors the same day, beginning at 5:00 PM. The INTRUDERS are 5 eleven-year olds from Arlington and Bexley, who do just about everything. Gov. Downey is offering a WEINER ROAST for free with the skating and entertainment. All the family is welcome, but be sure the younger set is there.

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The Gun Club is going great guns and our reporter (Jodi Richards) reports that Sunday, January 23, they had Ken Burger from the Remington Arms Company to tell them how to improve things. Ken and Bob Richards showed an excellent film of shooting, which was enjoyed by some 50 people assembled in the lounge. Boy, can those guys ever shoot. One guy shot the bottom of three cans piled on top of each other. That flipped the other two into the air and then he hit both of them before they hit the ground. All members enjoyed talking with Ken and getting pointers, and P/C Earl Williams even learned how to UN-JAM his gun, if that is the proper terminology. Zane Sherman was winner of the Class A contest and Heine Cline was winner of the Class B. Jane Merrill swept the field of ladies.

The shooting is 25 attempts per round, and those who shoot over 18 of 25 are called Class A and those under 18 out of 25 are called Class B. Ladies stand on their sex -- and that's good. Soon we will have enough members to start a Class C for those under 14 out of 25 shots at the clay birds. Everyone is invited to participate.

Our thanks to P/C Dwight Haggard for donating the rotating 200-shot trophy to the Club. The first 25 shots of each week for eight weeks count towards this trophy, and there is real close competition for it.

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We are also indebted to Roundy Sproat for building a wonderful gun rack for the front porch for safety purposes. No guns are allowed in the Club, under strict safety rules, and Roundy's rack has been a great help. Roundy also keeps the Towpath clear of snow with his snow-blowing machine and on week ends like last week when we had eight inches, this is really something.

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The Coast Guard Auxiliary is starting a six-week training course in basic seamanship at the Armory in Newark on February 3. For more information call any member of the C.G. Aux. or P/C Pete Burns and Heine Cline.

Tiny Koenig has not been seen around the Club much lately because he recently became Manager of the F.A. Kohler Co. branch office in Lima, Ohio. His address is 12000 West Robb, Apt. #2. Hope Tiny can make it back occasionally.

Earl Fisher and Bert McAllister have both been in the hospital recently getting their tickers regulated. Both are out, and living normally. C. E. (Smitty) Smith underwent heart surgery on Wednesday, January 12. Apparently, did the BeBaKey procedure to patch up his aorta with nylon. All is going well for Smitty. He is in Mt. Carmel, room 547, and would appreciate hearing from his friends. Has a telephone in his room too. We all wish him a speedy recovery and a quick return to Buckeye Lake and the Club.

Carrie Morgan has been under the weather we understand, but is now back on her feet.

When you go to the gate of the Club and hear a rat-a-tat-tat, if you look to the north, you will see Murray Headlee up on a ladder putting insulation in the apartment to be used this summer by LaRae and Ed Peters (formerly occupied by Slim and Harry Nation). Murray is doing over the whole shebang.

Highlander Fleet News - Gil Martinez

The Buckeye Lake Highlander Fleet will hold its annual meeting Sunday, January 30, at 2:00 PM at the yacht club. Dean Volmer, Highlander Fleet Captain, extends an invitation to all Club members to attend. Plans for the 1966 season, with special emphasis on programs for new sailors will be discussed. This is an excellent opportunity for those members interested in sailing to have their many questions discussed and answered.

Notice from the Secretary-Treasurer

Please put in the next issue of the Log an item to promote the sale of ZIPPO lighters. They will have the Club Burgee on them and also will have BUCKEYE LAKE YACHT CLUB inscribed. We will have four kinds available: Regular with brush finish, "Loss Proof", Slim and Table. Watch for them soon in the lounge display case. These are the famous lighters which last and last and last, and now we have them personalized for our very own Club!!! You can yuk it up; this is the general idea, anyway. (Editor: Yuk, Yuk!)

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*      ROUND and SQUARE Dancing      *
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*      Paul Smith and his Orchestra    *
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*      With SQUARE CALLER              *
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*      Saturday Night - February 5    *
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*      9:00 til (?)                    *
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The following persons were accepted as new members of the Club at the last Board meeting: WENDELL G. BUTLER, Box #3, Bladensburg, Ohio. Wendell is a drilling contractor and was proposed by Paul Smith and P/C Ernie Wilson; OTIS HARRIS (Rena), 162 McNaughten Rd., Columbus. Otis is in the insurance business and was proposed by John Titus and Earl Fisher; FRED MOSSGROVE (Laura), 911 Pleasant Ridge Ave., Columbus. Fred is a realtor and was proposed by Les Newkirk and R/C Russ Luchtenberg.

We already have six new members during this administration. The Commodore has set 35 as our goal, so let's everyone not only THINK of a friend who would make a new member, let's do something about it. Call Gene Hays or Ed Metzger for application blanks. The more members, the more fun and the more facilities.

We regret to report that Jack Steele has resigned from the Dept. of Natural Resources and has joined the U.S. Corps of Engineers. We are glad Jack has a better job, but we hate to lose him at the lake. He was doing a great service here. A new superintendent has not yet been appointed. Mr. Williams, who formerly served under Jack, is Acting Superintendent.

Effective April 1, the parking in the Rosebraugh lot will be 25¢. We feel that Alice and the family have been most cooperative with the yacht club for many years and the Board of Governors has gone on record as attesting this reasonable price. This is 25¢ per day, with in and out privileges, and we hope that any grumbling -- if it needs be -- will be to the Commodore, Vice or Rear.

The Lightning skippers have been conducting a first-rate class in sailing instruction. Thanks to Andy Thomas, it is being held in a nice, warm, comfortable classroom in a building adjacent to his office on West Spring St. It is meeting every second Thursday for ten meetings, about four of which have already been held. There were about 56 people in the first two sessions, including such Buckeye Lakers as Dean Volmer, Dave Reynolds, Gil Martinez, Bob Spitz, Sam Hays, Jimmy Dressel, Jack Titus, and others which fail to memory. George Fisher is teaching the class and he is always most interesting, as well as humorous in presenting the many difficult jams that face a skipper in a race.

We wish to express our thanks to P/C Earl Williams for the Governor's pictures on the picture page.

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*      COMMODORE'S BALL  --  AT THE CLUB      *
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*      Saturday Night - February 26           *
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*      9:30 till (?)                          *
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*      $5.00 Per COUPLE                       *
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*      Flowers for the ladies - Board of Governors *
*      and Past Commodores requested to wear black *
*      tie - Dress optional. Come early and have *
*      dinner at the Club.                    *
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Also, would you please add the following two social events to the 1966 calendar published in the December Log.

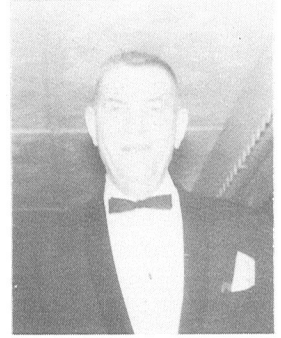
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 Jane & Ken Merrill - Paul Belhorn & Date (4th Row) Joann Downey, Chet DeMary -  
 Ted Jones, P/C McGinnis - Gov. Gene Hays (5th Row) You tell me who and we'll print  
 in next Log - Woody & Annabelle Johnson, Chet & Ginny DeMary (6th Row) Gus Schell,  
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