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## Buckeye Lake Yacht Club

MAY - 1969

FROM THE BRIDGE: With so much going on it is difficult to put in order of importance the events taking place...both past, present and future. A big observation of your Commodore is that the group of happy and 'spaghetti full' people at the Club on April 19th proves one thing: We have the most vigorous, thriving, dynamic Club around. It did my heart a great deal of good to see the FAMILY turn out for this night-out. We must make room for the children, and to see the evidence was truly most encouraging that there will be a Tomorrow for BLYC. It is the intention of your officers to see this image is implemented and continued. The climate is just right; and should be kept up at the current pace. I do not mean to sound trite, but this IS the Club of the future! Events are in the planning stage which will augment and enhance this supposition. When 170 people turn out for this type of occasion, it is most obvious that to just stop at this point would not be acting with vision. Many Thanx to everyone having a part of the 'action' on April 19th!!! While discussing young people, there will be an event on June 27 which will delight everyone. The Ohio Youth Choir will be on board to sing for us, and weather permitting will be arranged on the patio under the direction of Glenville Thomas. This should really prove entertaining and if you have never had the opportunity of hearing this group, you should not miss this one. Glen has travelled to Europe several times with this choir on tour, and to have them at our Club is quite an honor. All of us should make plans now to attend and give them a reception and the recognition they so rightly deserve.....Governor Embrey has asked that I supply a copy of my comments presented at the Spring Meeting for publication in this issue, and in re-reading this, your present Board of Governors at this time have only about three and one-half months to serve....the time moves so quickly when working with such fine men in the common purpose of dedication and cooperation which has been very much in evidence throughout the year. This also extends beyond the limits of the Board of Governors, as you, the membership, maintain the traditional BLYC fellowship at every turn!... Remember Father's Day - June 15th .....

Cordially,

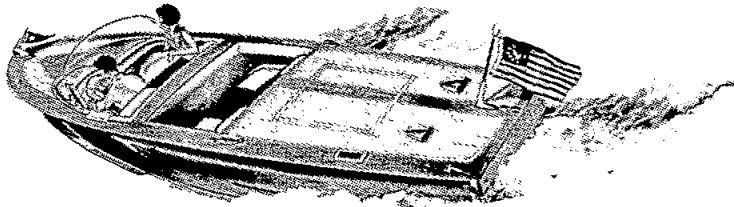
COMMODORE EDWARD C. METZGER

HOUSE COMMITTEE: A major change has been put into effect for anyone wanting to have a party and use the Club premises. This may be an organization to which our member may belong or one in which he is merely interested in. The Kitchen will have a supply of APPLICATIONS which MUST be completed by the sponsoring organization; and in the case of a BLYC member being associated with this other organization, a space for his signature as well as an officer of the other organization. THIS IS A STRICT REQUIREMENT, AND MUST BE SUBMITTED AT LEAST TWO WEEKS PRIOR TO THE DESIRED DATE FOR THE EVENT!.... The Club deserves to protect its property and govern the use of its facilities, and your Governors are taking every step possible to avoid any needless damage and conflict of dates in setting the times such parties might be taking place. The application has one space for a possible assessment of a SECURITY DEPOSIT if the case warrants. We must recognize this is really a fine place to have meetings, and the use of the property will be granted only to those groups which are worthy of being able to enjoy the beautiful surroundings which are the result of the membership paying their dues and the various Boards investing this money in maintaining and improving our property.

COMMODORE'S BIRTHDAY!! Glenville Thomas will bring us The Ohio Youth Choir on Friday, June 27, in special recognition of Commodore Ed's birthday. Mark this date on your calendar, and you will notice, it is indicated on the Club Calendar for your reference. One hundred young voices PLUS! We promise a truly delightful day! Don't miss this one!

COMMODORES' BALL 1969: "Once a Commodore, always a Commodore!" It was their night on April 12th. One of the best ever!!!..was heard all over the place. Encourage the term, and let us do away with the title "past" Commodore? These men had a big part of the molding of BLYC, and responsibility (envied by a very few) to bring us to the place we are in today! Thank you, Gentlemen! Everyone!

SAYRE BROTHERS MOVED! Bud has really arranged a fine display center in the previously known Friedman building along the towpath just East of their previous Sales room. Fran and Bud have all best wishes for a continuing service to many BLYC members for their assistance to boaters and anyone else when in need of help. Better see Bud for that work that has to be done. He always delivers a great job, and he has the most complete Chris Craft center in Central Ohio. Good Luck, Fran & Bud!



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BAR RULES: Word has reached us that the rule regarding gambling be emphasized, and re-stated. The December, 1968 LOG carried the complete By-Laws and Bar Rules which clearly state: "DO NOT CONDUCT ANY GAMES OF CHANCE or keep, display for gain or operate gambling devises." It is imperative that all rules be adhered to, as set forth. If you have any question about this, or any other rule....ask now to avoid any infraction of properly adopted rules & regulations!

THIS MONTH'S TIP-O-THE-HAT: goes to Dr. Charles E. Greiner, and his lovely wife, Bernice, for heading up the great, great spaghetti dinner party on April 19th. Many people shared the load of work, but Doc was General Chairman, and we all are in his debt for a wonderful night at the Club which will be long remembered!

MARTINI VI, VII, VIII, IX or X??: A few weeks ago, Commodore George Crites had some visitors from the North. Commodores Dale Dupler and Chris Lambrecht and Max Slaughter 'dropped in' to see Father Neptune! While cruising off the West Coast of Florida, they came upon a lost shrimp boat, and a very able navigator, Chris Lambrecht gave the proper directions and plotted the course for the poor soul to find his way home. Who made the sauce? Of course, the skipper of the shrimp boat left some of his catch with our boys, and Dale and Max did their level best to fill the void in the galley left by Woody Johnson, who could not make this particular trip. They experienced the beautiful close-up view of Tarpon tail-dancing and George was his usual gracious host. There were other fringe benefits. There was a side trip day-sailing in Earl Fisher's new Morgan sail boat. All the local boys are still talking about this visit, and are looking forward to the next time they can break away from the hum-drum every-day life, and escape to the sunny South!

RIO de JANEIRO!!! Johnny Biehn and his wife Peggy vacationed in January and told us of the beautiful spot on the globe. Sounded like Paradise. They had passed one spot which had a sign which they were unable to translate, which was a real fancy-looking place. Johnny then discovered it was the Rio Yacht Club, and went inside. He was greeted by some person who was apparently in charge, and Johnny made an effort to get through to him. Fortunately, the local boy spoke a little English, and looked at Johnny's membership card at BLYC, and looked back up at Johnny. The Steward then bowed at the knee, and said, "Consider this your home while in Rio, Please?" How about that???



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MEMBERS MOBILIZED: How about the front porch? We made quite a day at the Club April 27th. Every effort to complete the porch was made, but we just could not do so. Overheard: "Even if we paid for this, we would have missed all the fun of doing it ourselves!" Heine Cline cracked the whip on the porch job, Jim Dressel on the Flying Juniors and at the risk of missing someone who was there, these names were recorded, and we offer the regrets now, rather than after the fact, if we did not get your name listed:

Claude McGinnis	Paul Doritan	Max Slaughter
Harold Schilling	Whitey Limes	George Beck
Debbie Schilling	Steve Roshon	Jay Beck
Ed Metzger, II	Tom Boswell	Heine Cline
Paul Henderson	Jim Dressel	Jeff Metzger
Kenneth Merrill	Tom Gardner & Family	
Walter Rosshirt	Marty Headlee	Greg Fisher
Irene Schilling	Matt Fisher	Carolyn Cox
Christy Offenbergl	Gail Fisher	Mike Hickey
Edw. C. Metzger	Jack Beeson	'Ed' Schinn
Gale Roshon	Gene Hays	Jack Hickie
Joan Hein	Bob Baughman	Mike Hein
Earl Williams	Ed Ballenger	

.....and if you think the paint looks good on the porch, you should have seen Irene Schilling! (Also overheard: "Twice the cost/half the fun!")

DIRECTORY: The official Club Roster is now at the printers and will be mailed on June 2nd. We have attempted to bring this to you 'up to date', but if anyone of you have ever had a part of working on this kind of thing, you know as soon as it is prepared, it is out of date, right then! If you see a glaring error in the completed Roster, please bring it to the attention of Governor Embrey? Thank you!

FOUND DEPARTMENT: The clock which was in the Lounge, is being repaired by our good member, Jack Hickie. He was commissioned by the Commodore to make the repairs after Jack told him he would be glad to 'look at it'. Sorry about that, Jack!.... Speaking of articles 'lost & found', all items now on the coat rack will be stored in boxes for two weeks, then given the deep six. If you had anything laying around the Club over the Winter, please recover them, as they will be disposed of soon. Thank you!

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MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND

THREE BIG DAYS

Enjoy them with your friends at the Club!

FRIDAY - MAY 30

Long distance race - 11:00 a.m.

First Race Lightning Memorial Day Series - 2:00 p.m.

SATURDAY - MAY 31

Octopus Race - 1:00 p.m. This is a race with skippers only running the boats.

At 3:00 p.m. - Lightning's want all non-sailors to go out with them to learn first hand what goes on in sail boats. This is sure to increase your enjoyment as a spectator.

Also, at 3:00 p.m. - the Lightning Fleet will tap a keg of beer --- all invited!!!!

SUNDAY - JUNE 1

2nd and 3rd Lightning Memorial Day races - 10:30 and 1:30

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NEW MEMBERS

Steve Michaelis and his wife, Marilyn live at Hebron, Ohio. Steve is a pharmacist and owns Hebron Drug and Millersport Pharmacy.

Mr. Harry W. Davis and his wife, Andy live on the South shore of the Lake. Their address is Route 3, Thornville, Ohio. Harry is a recently retired U. S. Army Colonel.

Mr. Richard E. Maples and his wife, Janice live at 11732 Pine Road, Thornville, Ohio. Dick is Vice President of Bayer and Company, a printing firm in Columbus.

Frederick W. Rosser and his wife Lois, live at 68 North Harding Road, Columbus. Fred is a teacher at the Columbus Academy.

In addition, these three new names were posted for membership:

Charles J. Gates, a bachelor, lives at 5680 E. Livingston Ave., Columbus, Ohio. Charles is a salesman for See Zend, Inc. and is sponsored by Jud Ortman and Murray Headlee.

Mr. Leland Lothes and his wife, Bobbie Jo live at Harbor Hills. Lee is a contractor and is sponsored by Comm. Ed Metzger and Jack Hickie.

We have an application for non-resident membership. Allen T. Peters and his wife Linda are well known to members of the Club. His mother and father currently operate the kitchen and serve as Club Stewards. Al has been recently assigned to combat duty in Viet Nam.

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Dorothy and Pete Peters



Left to right: Winnie Ebert, Mrs. Ralph Baker, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Conner, Dutch Ebert



Left to right sitting: Christy Walker, Christy Offenberg, Judy Metzger  
Left to right standing: Dan Roshon, Jeff Cowden, Matt Fisher



Left to right: John Poe, Gladys Lawrence, Bea Dupler, Dorothy Slattery



Left to right: Bill Cowden, Bob Baughman, Fran Baughman, PC George Offenberg, Commodore Metzger

JUNIOR TRAINING: Buckeye Lake Yacht Club will again send a Junior Team of four members to represent our Club in the Sears Cup  $\frac{1}{4}$  Finals held at Put-in-Bay Yacht Club the 28th thru the 31st of July. The Team is comprised of (1) one skipper, (2) two crewmen, and (1) one alternate.

To participate in the above event, the Junior sailor must be 13 years old by May 1, 1969, and not older than 17 years by September 1, 1969. In order that we best choose the most proficient sailors, two complete try-out events are planned. The first three skippers of this try-out series of races will be chosen. The purpose of the above series is to choose the best three skippers only. The two crewmen and alternate are not involved at that time and will not be selected from this first try-out.

We will use our Flying Junior sailboats in a round-robin series of races. Each skipper will have one crewman. No spinnakers will be used in this series.

Those Junior sailors interested in the above try-out for skippers MUST contact Gov. Jim Dressel before June 1, 1969, to be eligible.

The selection of the two crewmen and alternate will be made from the second try-out series. Details of this series will be given the three winning skippers after each have qualified.

Please contact Gov. Dressel before June 1, 1969, if you are a Junior sailor and wish to try-out for skipper.

WOOLLEY'S 25th ANNIVERSARY: Ralph and Ella tell us they are asking all their friends at the Club to join them in celebrating their 25th Wedding Anniversary at a Keg Party. They have set June 7th, 1969, as the date, and invite you to come join in the fun and celebration: 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. Congratulations, Ella and Ralph!!!!!!!!!!

CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES: The members were requested to approve the changes in the Constitution at the Semi-Annual meeting held May 4, 1969. These changes proposed were mailed to the whole membership in the issue of the LOG prior to the meeting so all of you know about them. They were approved, and the Club Constitution will now be re-printed with the changes made a part. This will be prepared, and hopefully mailed out with the new 1969 Club Roster. We feel this now brings the instrument up to date with the times and number of members in the Club. Your questions are welcomed on any part of the revisions which were made. This revised Constitution is now effective, and all the changes approved are in full force and effect.

STATE DOCK TAX - 1969: The Governors were given a shock the other day by The State of Ohio! The dock taxes for our dockage has been running at \$810.00 for 1968, and \$830.00 for 1967. The present Budget (\$800.) was made up in October, 1968, in full accord with the Club By-Laws, and the schedule of fees and charges were made according to last year's dock tax. We were told that we owed Ohio \$1,079.50 this year!! This is as you see, a \$279.50 increase over our budget. Article V, Section 6 clearly states that these taxes imposed shall be due and payable in addition to and together with such fees, dues, rentals and other charges. Therefore, it has been the sad duty of the Treasurer to issue bills for those members renting facilities. This is only \$3.00 additional per slip/boat house.

PC C.E. SMITH: We will all want to take note of Commodore Smith's being hospitalized. He was confined to Mt. Carmel Hospital, Room 821, the latter part of April. Better check to see what the situation is at present before sending cards there. Hope you are feeling better, Commodore!

AGNES HAWKER: We all share in Cliff's loss of his wife May 7, 1969. Friends called at Eagan-Ryan Funeral Home in Columbus, Ohio to express their sympathy to Cliff Hawker.

COMMODORES' COMPOSITE PICTURE: We have available for your pleasure, copies of the picture Ken Merrill took of the Commodores on the front porch the night of their party, April 12, 1969. Those who posed for this picture will recall, and may want to order copies. Please contact Commodore Ed Metzger, and he will see that you can get one. W. W. Johnson developed this for us, and they will be available for a limited period of time, and at very reasonable prices. (Comm. Ed. - #224-8109).



Front, seated left to right: PC Dupler, Offenberg, C. Metzger, PC Fisher, Lieberman  
Standing, left to right: PC Williams, Lambrecht, Wilson, McGinnis, Shell, Holstein,  
Schwoerer, Davis, Mann

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A great celebration is planned for July 4. Watch your June LOG for details. But be sure to make plans to be at the Club.

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The Headlee's would like all Club members to feel free to use the steps on either side of their cottage while the sidewalk is torn up.



"It's a fact of life.....and common knowledge to all of us...including the Board of Governors....that problems arise which must be faced head on and situations occur that must be dealt with. Choices must be made continually in everyday living....and in the Board's conduct of Club business.....If you are driving out to the Club on the freeway, and some nut pulls out in front of you, you simply cannot continue in the same direction in which you had been driving. You must turn either left or right. Your sizing up of the situation will determine the course and timing of your turning the wheel, and it will only be a short time before you realize whether your choice was the correct one. ....Situations at the Club are rarely of this emergency nature, and our Board deserves commendation for the serious thought and full discussion given to Club problems....especially this year's bar 'hang up'. At times their commitment to get to the bottom of the problem and to avoid hasty action causes impatience in some. But in good time, exercise of judgement in the full light of every factor that can be uncovered is made.....and decisions will continue to be made in this fashion! The Board came into office with a known, tremendous obligation to make a decision that, however it went, would affect the whole complexion of the Buckeye Lake Yacht Club. This took courage!!! and a lot of work in putting together a concensus of the Club in the most acceptable way to run our bar. Losing two of the original Governors, Ken Merrill and Dean Volmer, put an added strain on the Board. They weathered this adjustment, and are proceeding in the administration of the Club effectively, with the vacancies filled by two good men -- Governor DeMary and Governor Embrey.

-- We welcome your criticisms. However, we also respectfully solicit your ideas for solution, or alternatives for our study and deliberation.

I thank this Board for their cooperation to date, particularly to S-T Beeson, for his untiring devotion to duty which he goes above and beyond! and we cannot now sit back and let the Club run itself all Summer. We will continue to take action required in the course of administering Club Affairs in your behalf. And you, the members, have our heartfelt thanks for your support and cooperation in helping us to keep this the finest Club anywhere!!!!"

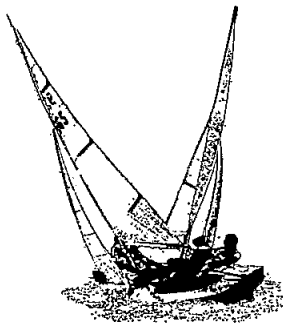
#### MEMORIAL DAY DANCE

May 31st - 10:00 p.m.

Chuck Selby and his orchestra will play. Many of you have danced to this band at the Dale. He always has a good show.

This will be on the Patio - weather permitting.

Guests - \$3.00 per couple



# June Calendar

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 Jr. Sailors MUST register See Gov. Jim Dressel, for try-outs.	2	3	4	5	6	7 Woolley's 25th Anniv. 2 til 5 pm Keg Party
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15  Father's Day!!	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27 Ohio Youth Choir Concert  Comm. Ed's Birthday!	28
29	30	JULY 1	JULY 2	JULY 3	JULY 4 <u>SAVE</u> See the June LOG for Details	JULY 5

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