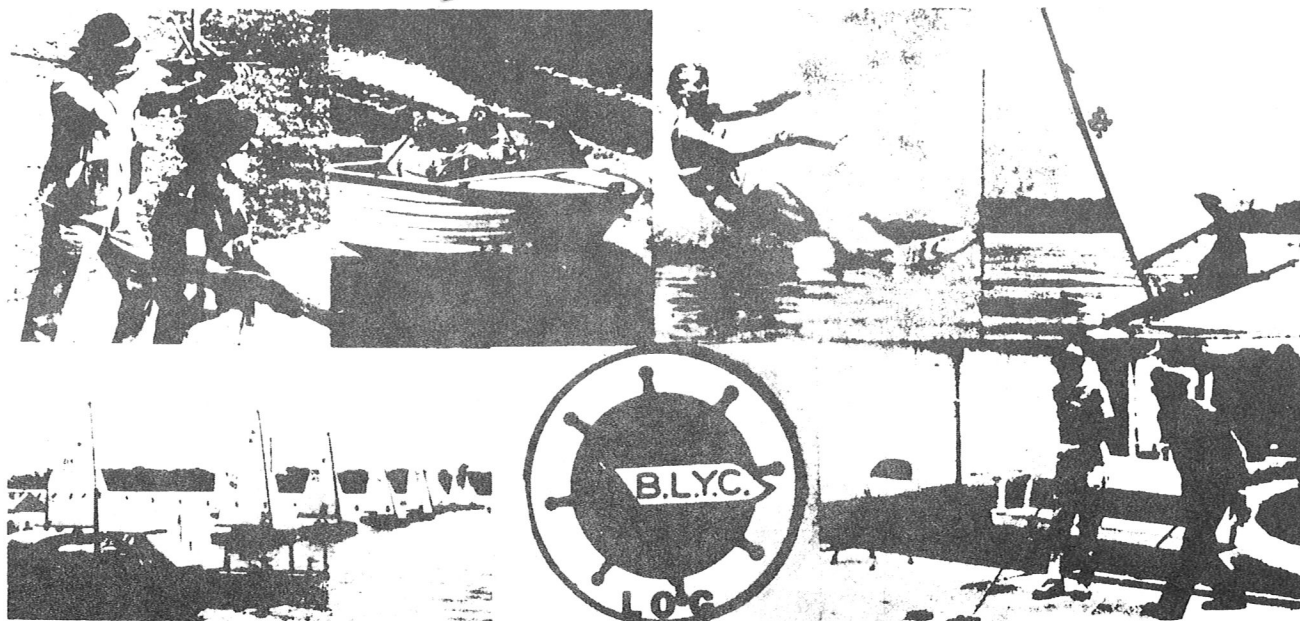


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## BUCKEYE LAKE YACHT CLUB

MARCH 1970

FROM THE BRIDGE - The various committees are busy with plans to make our members as happy with our Club as possible.

For instance, some very practical guidelines have been reviewed by the Board for use by Jack Beeson, the Governor in charge of facility assignments. These involve "Slip Swapping" between members, and "Vacant Slips". These two areas have been problems in the past, and it is hoped that the guidelines explained elsewhere in this log will make things somewhat better.

The Dock Committee, with Whitey Limes in charge, is busy with its planning of the new East Dock. More about this in the near future.

The Entertainment Committee, with Governor Paul Henderson in charge, has completed its plans to make the Commodore's Ball on April 11 the best ever--and that is a big order. At this dance, all of us have an opportunity to honor the Commodores of the Club, who have served us so well in years past. Save April 11th for this affair - you will enjoy it.

New member applications are being received by Governor Bill Cowden. Nowhere can \$129.00 (the initiation fee plus dues to May 1, 1971) buy membership in as fine a club as BLYC. If you have friends who you think would make good members - sign them up. They will enjoy us as we will enjoy them.

Don't forget Booster Tickets still give a member his money's worth, and more, for all the dances yet to come, and the Club benefits at the same time. Even if you don't dance, get your Booster Ticket - help the Club- and come on over and enjoy the fun.

Our Ladies Auxiliary President, Sue Metzger, and her committee are making some plans for May 2nd that you want not to miss. I can't tell you more at this time - but save May 2nd for one of the highlights of the year at our Club. The Ladies always do it right.

Ray Walker, Commodore

ICE-BREAKERS 1970 - The ice broke and faded away. The ice boats are stranded on the bank, and Spring is almost here. At least there will be no more upsets, spills or dunkings. We hope!

Certainly hope that the "Flu" bug didn't hit your home the way it hit ours. We had a real good siege of it and can very well do without it for a long, long time. Both in bed at the same time, (in different bedrooms), and when one was up, trying to take care of the other. I lost ten pounds of weight and Winnie lost her voice for three days. I guess that it is true that some good must come from any evil. Violet, our black Persian, had a heck of a time trying to take care of both of us.

To many of you that have not attended one of our get-togethers -- try to make that special effort to attend March 20. No special attractions, no politics, no speeches. Just good conversation, friendship, good food, and the pleasure of being in the company of other club members, who are some of the finest people in the world. You will enjoy and appreciate it.

Dorothy has a very good menu planned for our March 20th meal. Pete will serve the drink your choice at the Club's usual moderate price, and I will be roaming around trying to remember everybody's name. I am human, and have many weak habits. Remembering names is the weakest. Sorry about that, I'm still trying. If I have offended anyone in this respect, please forgive me.

The schedule remains the same:

Time - Social Hour - 6:30 p.m.  
Dinner - 8:00 p.m.  
Cost - \$3.25 per person (Includes appetizers and dinner)  
1.75 for children 12 or under  
Dress - Blue jeans, slacks, shorts, or whatever you choose.  
Any mode of dress is OK

One short note of remembrance -

The sudden and tragic death of Ted Jones has left a void in Winnie's and my life that will never be filled. We had been friends for many, many years. He was always thoughtful of others, reverent and concerned for the welfare and well-being of all his friends. Good sailing, Ted, in that sea beyond, and we will look forward to seeing you again. We extend to Georgie and her family our most heartfelt sympathy, and assure you that Ted, in his present world, is still with us here in our world. I know that all Club members that knew Ted share our sorrow.

Hope to see at least 70 friends at the dinner March 20. As I announced at the last dinner - IT WILL BE SPRING.

We extend our welcome to Doris and Bob Dye, our newest Towpath property owners. When is the official "House-Warming"?

Howard Glenn

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FACILITY ASSIGNMENTS - Occasionally certain problems come up pertaining to the equitable assignment of slips. To more clearly define the guidelines which the Facility Assignment Governor will follow, the Board requested me to form a committee to set these rules down in writing. This committee was composed of Governors Dressel and Ballenger, PC Metzger and myself. These rules were formally approved at the March board meeting. We hope they will result in an equitable slip assignment method and avoid any confusion that may arise in the future.

SWAPPING OF SLIPS: The swapping of slips will be handled as if they are 2 new assignments. Each slip involved in the swap cannot be subject to another member's prior request which is on hand at the time the Governor in charge is notified in writing of the proposed swap. If the instituter of the swap wants another slip, he must submit his request in writing for a slip in that area. This same procedure must also be followed for the other slip involved. If no member is waiting for either slip, then the swap may be approved.

SLIPS WHICH ARE VACANT FOR AN EXTENDED PERIOD OF TIME: All boats must be launched by JUNE 1st or the governor in charge has the right to TEMPORARILY re-assign the slip. A rental charge will be made to the temporary occupant of the slip on a pro-rata basis, and the permanent owner of the slip will be charged the annual rental for the consideration of his still having the right to the slip at any time. If the permanent owner of the slip does not launch his boat by the following JUNE 1st, the governor in charge shall have the right to PERMANENTLY re-assign the slip. Both the temporary and permanent re-assignment of the slip shall be made at the discretion of the governor in charge who shall take into consideration any extenuating circumstances.

Governor John C. Beeson  
Facility Assignments

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