

BUCKEYE LAKE YACHT CLUB



LOG

JUNE 1970

SPEND THE DAY AT THE CLUB JULY FOURTH ! ! ! !

Entertainment for all ! Boat parade - Theme: AMERICAN HISTORICAL EVENTS
DANCING under the stars (we hope) to CHUCK SELBY

ANOTHER DATE TO REMEMBER! July 23, 1970 - SCIOTO DOWNS NITE
(see this issue for details/reservations!)

FROM THE BRIDGE: The Auxiliary Corn Roast and Variety Show was a huge success. The delicious corn was again donated by our generous friends, Alma and George Crites. One hundred thirty members and their wives enjoyed the buffet of corn, hot dogs, potato salad, Sliced tomatoes and green onions.....Laverne Hill needs an extra word of thanks for the show. She made the clever Hawaiian costumes for the Guys and Dolls and taught them the dance they did, while Gus Schell sang the Hukilau. Lil Wilson and Gladie Lawrence were Co-Chairmen.....

Dale Lawrence was a suave "M.C." as he made the various introductions. Lil Wilson pantomined Johnny Ray's "Glad Rag Doll" and what a doll she was! Linda McAllister showed a remarkable memory with her recitation of "Patch Work Quilt". 'Doc Woodward, Catherine Woodward and Helen Corne brought down the house with their Hawaiian comedy skit. While Gussie sang, Lil Wilson, Gladie Lawrence, Ginny DeMary, Martha Schell and Velma Lieberman came on and danced the Hukilau. Then LaVerne Hill with uli uli's (feathered gourds) did the Hawaiian Hula, it was all so professional and very lovely. Last but not least, Charlie Hill, Ernie Wilson, Gus Schell, Woody Johnson, Pete Burns and Earl Williams as Hawaiian chorus boys showed us how the Hukilau shouldn't be done.....
Need I add that it was a great evening?

Anyone want a raccoon??? We have one in our Nation Annex, he is a friendly little fellow and gives one fair warning when he is around by thumping on the walls....he must have heard that Murray Headlee made me of gift of him, because at 3:00 AM, I awakened to find him sitting on the outside of my window, leering in at me....believe me! It was quite disconcerting.

*We do hope you will forgive us for pulling your leg, so to speak, with this month's FROM THE BRIDGE. Some of us will recall these events of just ten years ago taken with great liberty from the articles written for the LOG by none other than our friend, Maxine Yoerger. From the above, anyone who missed the Corn Roast and Variety Show in 1960, REALLY missed something! Her better half is quite a guy too. We have him to thank for many, many things around the Club which he was so instrumental in making possible.

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We love our Commodore and we knew he would understand, but now back to the seriousness of the business on hand:

FROM THE BRIDGE

The safety of the club's members and their families is one of the most important concerns of the Commodore and the Board of Governors. Our Club Regulations, as well as Ohio State Law, requires children under 12 who are around water to wear Coast Guard Approved Life Jackets; therefore, every member who brings children on the island and on its docks shall see to it that their children wear Approved Life Jackets to abide by the Laws of Ohio and our own Club Rules. The Commodore has instructed each Governor to remind any violaters to comply immediately.

Gene Hays, our good member, gave me a newspaper clipping by H. I. Phillips that states that "The active head of a Yacht Club is called a Commodore. Further, a Commodore is a cross between a humidor and a matador; he keeps damp like a humidor and throws bull like a matador". Must be some other commodore he refers to, I sez.

It's really delightful at the Club at this time of year - lots of breeze, cool and refreshing and, what's even better, lots of members and their families and guests. Meals seem to keep getting better and better as evidenced by ever increasing patronage of our dining room.

So many have asked me "How much money must an Applicant for Membership in our Club attach to his application?" Here is the answer, "The check should be for \$129.00 which includes the initiation fee and dues."

Ray Walker
Commodore

LADIES AUXILIARY

We could get used to having meetings twelve months out of the year at our own Yacht Club -- Dorothy's meals are getting better and better. The 34 members and 2 guests attending our June meeting enjoyed every minute of it. For the benefit of all who missed out on her cooking, our July 15th (Wednesday) gathering will again be held at the clubhouse at noon, hostessed by Laura Mosgrove and Jane Keck.

Our Ways and Means Chairman, Ginny DeMary, gave a pre-card party report, which has since turned out to be a smashing success. One hundred and twenty-seven ladies attended, enjoyed another of Dorothy's feasts, and played cards to win one of the lovely center-pieces adorning each table. Grand slams squeals pierced the air periodically, but the most piercing cry of joy had to belong to May Heigle, a friend of Judy Ballenger's mother -- would you believe she went home wearing a mink cape? The weather was a little warm for furs, but she didn't mind a bit!

We all applaud Ginny for masterminding such a fun and successful event, but President Sue Metzger and Ginny also wish to thank all the many gals involved in helping to make the card party what it was: Judy Ballenger, Pat Ottenweller, Joan Hein, June Jacobs, Nancy Dressel, Helen Limes, Carolyn Beeson, and Sue Rollit.

Several new faces were seen at the meeting, among them Bobbie Jo Lothes, Addrey Hinkle, and Annette Lawler, new members; also Dorothy Slattery and Marian Petersilge, whom we are glad to see again.

In advance notice -- the Past President's dinner will be held Thursday, August 20 at the Yacht Club, starting at 6:30.

HOSPITALITY

Report from House Chairman.....V. C. Murray Headlee

The past month has been busy around the Club. The crowds have been good and the Kitchen and Bar busy. The T.G.I.F. nights have had very good crowds. There will not be a T.G.I.F. celebration on Friday, June 19, because of the OICYA regatta but they will resume on the 26th. Your favorite drink - half price 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. - all you can eat - \$2.00. Come out and enjoy a nice evening with your friends.

NOTEWORTHY

Gun Club News.....by R.C.-H.W.Limes

The week-end of the 23rd and 24th of May was a very eventful one for the members of the Buckeye Lake Yacht Club Gun Club. Saturday evening, May 23, was spent at the Yacht Club enjoying an excellent dinner served up by Mrs. Dorothy Peters and her very good staff. Following the dinner the Trophy presentation took place at which time the following trophies were awarded: Runner-up Ladies High Average, Jane Merrill; Ladies High Average, Francis Baughman; Runner-up Men's High Average, Gene Hays; Runner-up 200 Shoot, Earl Williams; First Place Men's High Average, Steve Michaelis; Club Champion, Gene Hays. Congratulations to the Winners!! Those of us less fortunate have something to strive for.

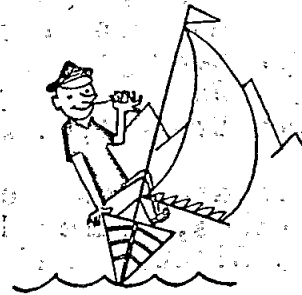
On Sunday, May 24, the members of the Gun Club drove to Edgar Wolfe's "Buckeye Hunt Club" for an afternoon of shooting and fun. During the afternoon, and in between rain storms, there were 10 lines of 16 yd. trap shooting; 3 lines of 27 yd. trap shooting; and 4 lines of skeet shooting. All of this, plus Ed Wolfe's hospitality, made for an afternoon and evening of FUN. A special thanks to Mr. Edgar Wolfe for inviting the BLYC Gun Club to his Hunt Club.

Perhaps this Fall when the shooting season starts we will see your face on the Firing Line. Think about it, and do something about it!

Have Fun
In The Sun!

FLEET ACTIVITIES

SAILING.....Gov. Ivan Rollit



We were well represented in the Niagara Frontier Regatta in Buffalo the weekend of the 13th. Jim Dressel edged out all comers for first place, and Matt and Greg Fisher tied for 15th. Terry Ottenweller did well for his first try at a "foreign" regatta, ending up well in the middle. Congratulations to all of you.

Our thanks go to Carolyn Beeson for her many hours of stitching to make our new Race Committee flags. They'll be waving in your honor the first time out!

The O.I.C.Y.A. coming up this weekend promises to be a gala event. The results will be posted in the next log, and I'd like to thank all those who have already volunteered to help with this event. We're well represented in the Lightening and Highlander Classes and the Lidos are coming on strong.

SPOT LIGHT

Dock Maintenance.....R.C. H. W. Limes

Progress has been made on repairing the docks and more will be made in the immediate future. It may be of interest to some that the yellow dock lights around the docks in front of the Club will be connected to an electric eye so they will remain lit during hours of darkness; also there is the possibility of installing mercury arc lights around the basin.

It has come to my attention that some boat owners are cooking on the cat walks between the various slips, both in front of the Yacht Club and in Area 8. This Practice Must Stop Immediately!! This is dangerous in many ways. To name but two: fire on wooden docks and the explosive power of gasoline in the tanks of boats.

There is an Ohio Law which states: "Children 12 years old and younger MUST wear life jackets at all times when around water." Please let us comply with this law so that no tragedy comes to the BLYC.

PLAN AHEAD

"A NIGHT AT THE RACES"

At Fabulous SCIOTO DOWNS, Ohio's Showplace of Racing

Thursday, July 23, 1970, you are invited to a Cocktail Party at the Administration Building just north of the grandstand as a Guest of Charlie and Laverne Hill from 6:00 to 7:00 P.

Several members are Stock Holders and have passes. Those who are not, will receive admittance to the Club House; compliments of the management of Scioto Downs.

Choice seats will be reserved for those who wish to have dinner and watch the warm up of the Race Horses---"What a Beautiful Sight".

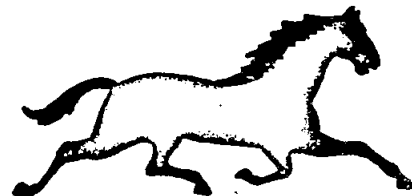
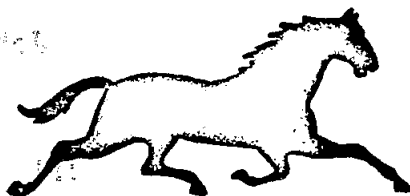
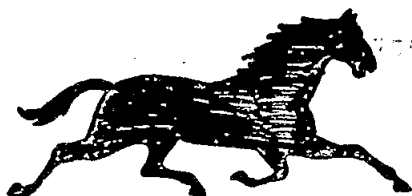
For reservations please call your Chairman not later than Tuesday, July 21, 1970.

"A real exciting night of entertainment".

Ernie Wilson - Chairman
228-3535

Lillian Wilson - Co-Chairman

P.S. - Cocktails 6:00 to 7:00 P.M.



ANCHOR LINE

..... by Suzi Rollit

BLYC has three masters of mixology: Nancy Dressel, Ginny DeMary and Joan Hein. You should watch them behind the bar----- unfortunately, they are not for hire.

About that Buffalo trip...aren't those customs officials nice people?.....Dates to remember: Thursday, July 23, is Buckeye Lake Night at Scioto Downs...all members are invited to be guests of Charlie and Laverne Hill at a cocktail party, and enjoy dinner and racing afterwards.....Last notice: July 11 is the Cancer Ray's Beer Bust at Schell's cottage.....Our Juniors have been working hard...have you noticed the transfiguration of the boathouse at Area Eight? Matt and Greg Fisher, Jeff and Eddie Metzger, Terry Peters, Steve Roshon, Christi Offenberg, Carolyn Cox and Gail Fisher supervised by that all-time greatest of supervisors, Eddie Metzger, Sr., painted for hours (and I'm sure their mothers soaked clothes in turpentine for hours).....Terry is also a great-white-bat-hunter.

Sherlock Holmes has been our honored guest recently.. surveying the scene of the crime: our portable bar "ran away". We trust he'll find many clues and soon apprehend all 1,480 suspects.....We're waving goodbye to the Sherrits who are leaving for a tour of Tokyo, Japan July 3, and saying welcome back to the Greiners. They've been in San Antonio visiting their daughter, Carol.

P.S. - Will someone tell those Ballenger boys not to dump their boat while their mother's working at a card party?

NEW MEMBERSHIP

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP:

Richard S. Knilans (Lorna M.)
Empl.- Ruhling Claims Serv.
Sponsor-Ernest Wilson
2nd.- George Benedict

John Frank Wieber (Janet)
Empl.- Faultless Golf Prod.
Sponsor-David O. Cox
2nd.- M. A. Headlee

Charles R. Swick (Patty)
Empl.- Automative Services, Inc.
Sponsor-Don Clark
2nd.- J. C. Beeson

NEW MEMBERS:

-Paul E. Lorms, Sr.-

P. D. "Pete" McClure

Clarence J. Houck

John Bobst

WELCOME ABOARD!!

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"A very unusual flight. We left right on time -- weren't hijacked -- weren't stacked up -- and arrived on the dot."

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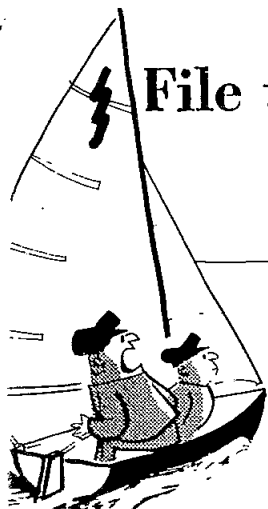


"Irma, you're just supposed to kick the tires!"

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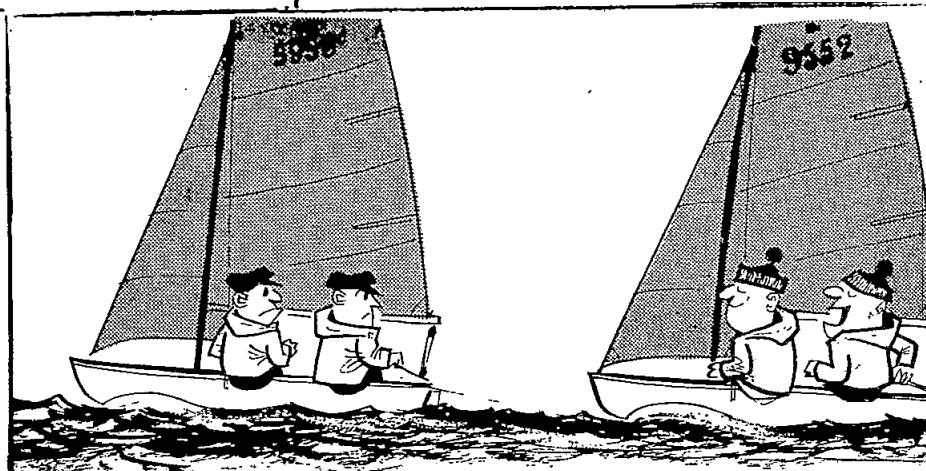
'Mast abeam? You're never mast abeam.'



'I'm improving. I finished in time to attend the prizegiving.'

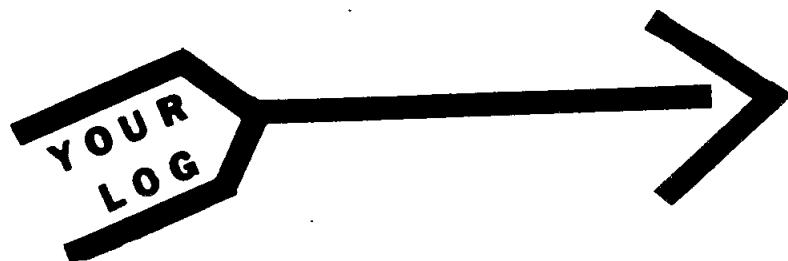


'Oh no, Mr. Barr, not another new boat.'



'I do have an overlap—on that bucket you happen to be towing.'

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