

Buckeye Lake Yacht Club



LOG

JULY 1979

FROM THE BRIDGE ☆ ☆ ☆

The view from the bridge is beautiful again-- we have covered docks now and you can see the boats moored there. You can see through the docks to the lake beyond from the ground level. From the Commodore's lounge the view to the east is roof and sky, one can see the length of the lake by looking southwest. The low roof over the Casto-Dressel-Knapp area will be left flat to retain the view from the lounge and porch.--Area "8" (the venture dock) is getting some reinforcing piling and new stringers where needed.



The board of Governors has created a standing committee to administer the collection and distribution of funds loaned to finance the covered dock project. Note holders will be paid from the dock rental receipts on a lottery basis and 8% interest will be paid from capital improvements funds.

The kitchen is just about finished now, and the new section of the dining room is being used. Carpets and decorating are the next project there.

The Commodore's Steak Fry was an outstanding success as usual. One hundred ninety four members and guests were served and many were able to eat and drink on the porch and patio in as much as the weather was "super". The fourth of July will be a real Yacht Club function with the long-distance sail boat race for boats of all classes--food will be available all day--come and join the fun.

Don't forget the July 7 dance and the July 21 perspective members party.

Juniors--don't forget sailing camp July 16-20 9 am to 4 pm, or advance racing clinic July 23-27 or LADIES CLASSES--July 17,19,24, and 26 in the evenings. Contact Tom Greiner, 23 W. Whittier St., Columbus, OH 43206, or Will Petersilge, 856 Shoreham Dr., Newark, OH 43055.

See ya,

YOUR COMMODORE

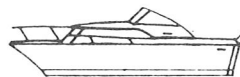
CARL L. PETERSILGE



BAR & KITCHEN NEWS

As many of you may know, Lou Reuter has tendered his resignation to accept a new position. During the period Lou has been with us, he has worked for the betterment of our club in good times as well as bad. The last few months, he has helped us to design and build our new kitchen facilities while still trying to provide kitchen service under adverse conditions. We are grateful for his cooperation during this period. You never say anything about Lou without thinking of Willie. Her friendly nature, ready smile, interesting stories, special delicacies, and good service will be missed. BLYC wishes them well in their new position, good health, and smooth sailing with fair winds.

Your board has appointed a search committee and drawn some parameters for a new operator. As of the date of this writing, we have some good prospects and hope to conclude our search as soon as possible. We plan to keep the club open during our regular summer hours and to provide regular bar and kitchen service. All parties and special events will be held as scheduled.



Gale Roshon

JULY KITCHEN SCHEDULE

Sun 1 PARADE (Rain 4th)	Mon 2	Tue 3	Wed 4 LONG DIST. RACE	Thurs 5	Fri 6 REGULAR MENU	SATURDAY 7 4th July DANCE & PARTY
8 RACES	9	10	11 LADIES AUX. LUNCHEON	12	13 REGULAR MENU	14 REGULAR MENU
15 RACES	16	17	18 RACES	19	20 REGULAR MENU	21 PROSPECTIVE MEMB'S PARTY
22 RACES	23	24	25 RACES	26	27 REGULAR MENU	28 REGULAR MENU
29 RACES	30	31				



RACE COMMITTEE

GOVERNOR GEORGE RISING

There has been quite a lot of on-lake sailing since May 20th and this report will cover sailing through June 19th.

The big event was the Commodore Edward C. Metzger Long Distance Race held on Memorial Day. There were 22 boats that participated including 10 Ventures, 5 Lasers, 3 Lightnings, a Thistle, a 470, a Lido and a Raven. There was good wind and as a result the first boat crossed the finish line in 68 minutes. The Portsmouth Handicap System was used to determine the order of finish. Tom Erickson in his Venture nosed out Jim Dressel in his Lightning by 2 seconds. Third was Dan Dressel and his Sears team in the BLYC Thistle.

As far as the Lightning Fleet is concerned they have not had an on-lake race yet but they did participate in the Long Distance Race. They have been very off-lake. The Highlanders assure me they are getting organized and will be racing shortly.

The Venture Fleet had a 3 race Memorial Day series including the Long Distance Race. The series was extremely close with Tom Erickson and Phil Ragno both ending up with 8 $\frac{3}{4}$ points. However, Tom wound up ahead of Phil in 2 of the 3 races and thus took first place. Phil of course was second followed by Jeff Wagner (9 $\frac{3}{4}$), Gordon Forster (10) and Dave Miller (11) - only 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ points separated the first five boats. There were eleven ventures that competed in the series - a real fine turnout.

The Wednesday Venture series presently has 9 boats participating and 3 races have been sailed. Gordon Forster, Phil Ragno and Jeff Wagner have each won one race. The present leader is Gordon Forster with 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ points, Jeff Wagner and Phil Ragno each have 8 $\frac{3}{4}$ points with Jeff in second place as he has placed ahead of Phil in two of the races.

The Venture Sunday series #1 will conclude on Sunday, June 24th. Series #1 is being raced on the Portsmouth Handicap basis and the results of the two races sailed June 17th could be changed when the handicaps are applied. However, taking this into account and the fact that there are still two throwouts permitted the standings after five races show Gordon Forster in first place with 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ points, Dave Miller in second with 18 points and Phil Ragno in third place with 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ points. There have been eleven boats which have sailed in at least one race of the series with Gordon Forster getting 2 firsts, Phil Ragno 2 and Bob Zeiher 1. Again participation has been excellent.

The Laser Fleet has also gotten three of their series underway. However, only one race has been sailed of the Wednesday night series and only one of the Saturday morning series. Three different boats participated in each of these with Dave Crist taking first on Wednesday, May 30th and Willy Petersilge taking first on Saturday, May 26th. The Sunday afternoon series started with three races on June 17th with Willy Petersilge coming across the finish line first each time for 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ points. Phil Schell and Mike Hein both have 11 points but Phil is in second place by virtue of placing better than Mike in two of the three races.



As far as off-lake results are concerned we have two Lightnings sailing in the Lightning World Championships in Dallas. Jim Dressel and his crew of wife Nancy and Greg Fisher are in one boat while Matt and George Fisher are in another. Unfortunately, the results will not be in by the Log deadline of June 20th so they will be published in the August Log.



Matt Fisher had some bad luck in the Olympic Pre-Trials when his boom broke during one of the races and he was forced to take a DNF. He still managed to take 8th place in spite of this. The Trials that count are next May.

The Leatherlips Yacht Club Wind Shift Regatta consisting of five races took place on June 8th and 9th. Eighteen Lightnings participated. Dan Roshon with Gail Fisher among his crew took fifth overall. In the B Division Terry Ottenweller with his wife Pat and Randy Knilans crewing finished second, while Mike Hein finished third.

Willy Petersilge will be in Milwaukee the weekend of June 24th for the U.S. Youth Championships. He will be racing a Laser. There will be six races with around 85 boats entered. The winner will go to Italy for the World Youth Championships in the fall.

On June 2nd and 3rd there was a Lightning regatta at St. Marys, Ohio. Five races were scheduled but only four were sailed and two of these were drifters. Jim Dressel with his crew of daughter Amy and son Dan took first place. The Ottenwellers and Randy Knilans also participated in this regatta which drew about 17 boats.

On June 9th and 10th a Lightning regatta was sailed at the Wawasee Yacht Club at Syracuse, Indiana. There were five races and guess who won - Jim Dressel naturally with his regular crew of wife Nancy and Matt Fisher.

So much for now - more to come in the next Log.

BUCKEYE LAKE NEWS



The Civic Association and BLYC have settled on Sunday July 1, 1979 for the annual Independence Day Boat Parade. (Rain date is July 4,) The theme is "HAPPINESS IS" _____? . Six Trophies will be awarded.

The Parade will start promptly at 2:00 PM from the staging area west of Sellers Point. The parade will proceed East in front of North Bank, past the Yacht Club, Hunt's Landing and to Harbor Hills where it will disband.

The trophies will be presented at the BLYC with the winning numbers posted facing the lake and also North Bank.

FLARES

Come out on the 4th of July and wctch the Lake get Lit Up. (Thats watch) The Flares along the shore are scheduled to be lit at 9:30 PM. The lighters can get lit at any time subject to their own discretion.

The membership and officers of BLYC were saddened by the loss of member HENRY " ED " SHINN. Our sympathy is extended to his family.



PROPOSED NEW MEMBERS

KATHE, Bernard C.

Bernard is in the electrical contracting business with United Electric of Circleville, Inc. He is currently affiliated with the American Legion Post 134, Elks Club No 77 and the International Sporting & Leisure Club.

Bernard is married. His wife's name is Mary Lou and they have a 25' Carver for boating fun.

KUHN Robert L.

Bob is a research Specialist Engineer with Dow Chemical. He is married to Bernice, belongs to the Kiwanis Club of Newark and has a 25' Venture.

The Kuhns reside at 1224 Howell Dr. in Newark, Ohio

LEVISON Edward

Ed operates the Army Navy Store on Main Street in Zanesville, Ohio. Ed belongs to the Elks Lodge and also the Zanesville Country Club. He and his wife Rachel, reside at 1200 Parkview Dr. in Zanesville, Oh.



This man claims membership in BLYC and even offers a drink to any member he has not met at a BLYC party. Find him he may buy you a drink.



Directory Corrections and Changes

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209 East State Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215

258-0664

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13444 West Bank,
Millersport, Ohio 43046

366-6320

From: Patti Greiner, Secretary
B.L.Y.C. Ladies Auxiliary

July 1979

The B.L.Y.C. Ladies Auxiliary met at the Club for the June 20th meeting, we would like to thank Martha Schell and Jean Ludwig for a delightful afternoon. Our next meeting will be July 11, it will be a luncheon meeting, at the Club.

Marie Doneff was Chairwoman for the Porch Sale - thank you for the fine job. Mary Walters was Chairwoman for the Card Party thank you for all the efforts, it was enjoyed by all. Neither job was an easy task, but both were well done and we appreciate your time and efforts.

Any ladies interested in beginning sailing classes ??? There will be a ladies class on July 17, 19, 24 and the 26th the time will be announced later. The Classes will be held in the evenings and the instructors will be George Fisher, Jim Dressel and Willy Petersilge. Any interested ladies contact Willy Petersilge or myself - If you'd like to learn to sail you'll never have better instructors. Don't let the names scare you - they're really nice and patient guys and understand everyone has to learn somewhere.

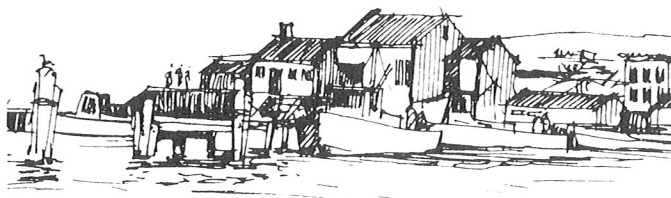
Cards will be sent for the July Meeting, hope to see you then.



Hostesses for the July 11, Luncheon are

Diane Koman	344-9280
Joan Hein	486-5120
Gladys Travis	929-1792

Please come and enjoy the fellowship. RESERVATIONS by Sunday July 8, 1979.



FACILITIES

GOV. ED BALLENGER

If you have been to the club recently you are aware that our old covered boat slips have been replaced with a new modern covered dock facility. Work is progressing rapidly, and by the time you receive this Log, we hope everything will be completed.

Also, extensive repair work has been done on existing docks and the needed repairs for area 8 are scheduled shortly.

Dock assignments are posted on the front porch bulletin board and anyone requesting changes, please let me know.



Junior Training
Gov. Tom Greiner

July 1979

The Sears Cup Quarter Finals will be held at Put-In-Bay July 30th through August 2nd.

The dates for our Junior Sailing Camps have been set, please advise me or Willie Petersilge as soon as possible of your interest.

Beginners and Intermediates

July 16 thru 20 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P. M.

Advanced Racing Clinic

July 23 thru 27 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P. M.'

Ladies Classes

July 17, 19, 24, 26th Evenings, time to be
announced later. **

The Course Outlines:

* !!!!LATER!!!! 6 PM till DARK

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Beginners and Intermediates:

* EQUIPMENT REQUIRED Juniors and Ladies

Nomenclature

* Life Jacket, Tennis Shoes or Top Siders, and
* of course a swim suit.

Boat Handling

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Technique of sailing

* COSTS (Add \$10.00 For Non Members)

Rules of the Road

* LADIES \$35.00

General Racing Techniques

* JUNIORS 1 per family \$40.00

Emergency Actions

* 2 per family \$75.00

Plus on and off shore activities

* 3 per family \$100.00

***** for more ask the commodore

Advanced Racing Clinic:

Advanced Racing Rules, Tactics and Boat Handling *****

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Sailing Instructor: Willie Petersilge

Ages 8 thru 18 Juniors

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Name- _____ Age _____

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Phone _____

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Send to Tom Greiner
23 W. Whittier Street
Columbus, Ohio 43206

Or Willy Petersilge
856 Shoreham Road
Newark, Ohio 43055

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 When the excitement,
 frustrations, (and
 work) of the Boat
 Parade, Boat Races, Fire-
 works, cooking and entertain-
 ing are over, why not take time
 to relax and enjoy yourself at the
 Independence Day Party on July 7th.
 Have a fine dinner and dance under the stars
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INDEPENDENCE DAY

PARTY AND DANCE

SATURDAY ----- JULY 7th

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Cocktail Bar	7:00 p.m.
Dinner	8:00 p.m.
Dancing	9:00 - 12:00 p.m.

Dinner Menu: Roast Round of Beef
 Mashed Potatoes
 Vegetable
 Rolls and Drink
 Dessert

\$ 7.50 per person

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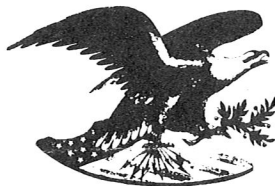
Your Hosts - Wilbur Wuellner & Custis
 Ray Sherman & Martha
 Bill Hoermle & Carrie
 Don White & Shirley
 & Catherine Woodward

Reservations can be made until July 5th,

Please call:

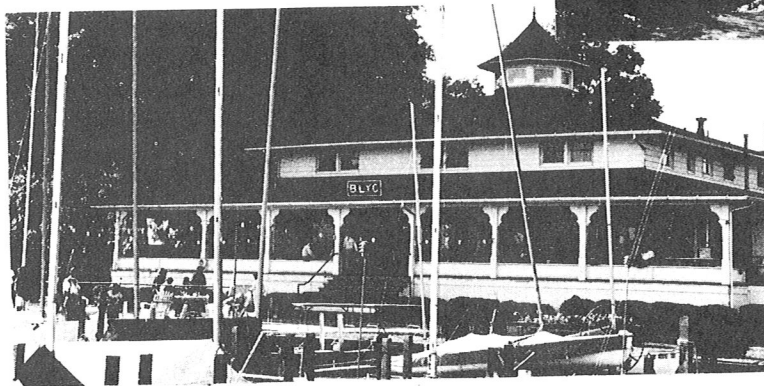
Shirley White -----	Lancaster -----	467-2429
Carrie Hoermle -----	Columbus -----	231-2598
Custis Wuellner ----	Newark & Buckeye Lake ----	928-0356

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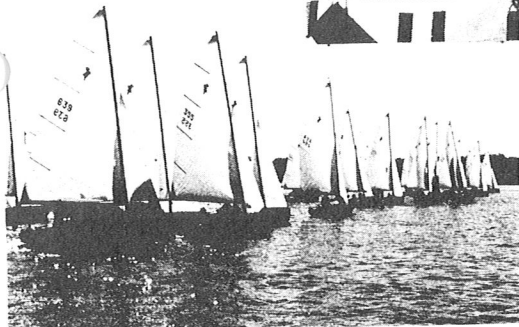


Venture Sail Numbers and Owners for the benefit of the race watchers ashore.

153.....Ragno	1155.....Knorr
571.....Alspach	1157.....Arnold
726.....Foster	1300.....Wagner
799.....Forster	1483.....Erickson
1025.....Zeihner	1493.....Reising
1122.....Hedges	1821.....Miller



A big thanks to the four daring Venture sailors who volunteered to brave the elements of Buckeye Lake and give sailboat rides to any adventurous party goes at The Commodores Steak Fry. Sail numbers 153, 799, 1122 and 1483.



COME TO THE PICNIC

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Gov. Foster
planning his July
4th racing tactics



ENTERTAINMENT

Gov. FRANK FOSTER

JULY MUST BE BUCKEYE LAKE YACHT CLUB MONTH. So much is going on that I suggest you bring your family and friends and live on your boat or someone else's for the entire month of July.

On July 4 we celebrate July 4 with a restful and relaxing day of Independence with no planned activities except for the availability of free beer, compliments of Commodore Bob Preston, and sailboat races. Come and relax with your family on Wednesday July 4th and see if you can accomplish nothing but relaxation. The Boat Parade may also be that day if it is rained out the previous Sunday.

On July 7th we celebrate July 4th with an Independence Day Party and dance featuring the band of Al Myers. Wilbur and Custis Wuellner chair this event. The decorations are ready. I hope you are too. See elsewhere in this Log for details.

On July 21 we hold our INVITATIONAL BOATING RALLY AND PROSPECTIVE MEMBER PARTY. This is a new event. Bring anyone who might be a prospective member. A rally for boats under power will begin at 2:00 P.M. for members and prospective members. Prizes will be awarded. The party will include Free Cocktails 6:00 - 7:00 P.M., Buffet Dinner at 7:00 and Dancing to the Mark III Band from 9:00 - 12:00. Gordon and Pat Forster will plan the rally and Ed and Judy Ballenger are chairing the party with the good help of Terry & Pat Ottenweller. See the flyer to be mailed later for more details.

THE COMMODORE'S STEAK FRY, I have heard, was a huge success. While my son's baseball game prevented my attending, I am told that there was a new record attendance for recent years. It's exciting to see participation up to some 160 people at the Commodore's Ball and some 170 at the Commodore's Steak Fry. Special thanks and appreciation to Dave and June Cox who chaired this event so effectively. Also, thanks to Phyllis Rogers who organized the boat rides. Particular thanks to the many steak fryers and steak eaters.

IT IS SAD to hear of the resignation of Lou and Willy. They have been true friends of BLYC who served us with blood, sweat and tears as well as love and concern. They can be proud of their contribution to the increased participation in many club activities.

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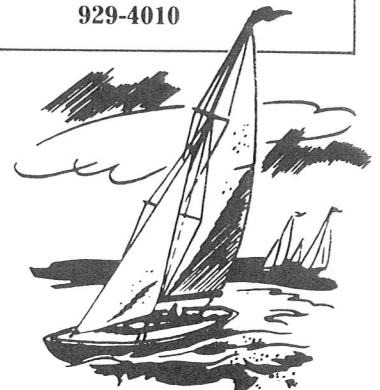
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JULY

1979

- 1 Independence Day
Parade
- 4 Long Distance
Race
- 7 4th July Dance
- 11 Ladies Aux.
Dance
- 14 Fisher, Henery,
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- 21 Prosoective
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