

# Buckeye Lake Yacht Club



# LOG

NOVEMBER 1979

## FROM THE BRIDGE ☆ ☆ ☆

Our beautiful Indian Summer has come and gone. If you were unable to spend any time at the lake, you missed one of the most pleasant times of the year.

October was a busy month at BLYC. The first two week-ends, our sailors entertained their friends with our traditional Snowball Regattas. These events were again chaired by Gordon Forester. Thanks to him and to all the club members who assisted in the Regattas. We hope that those who worked had as much fun as those of us who enjoyed the parties.

The next Sunday was Workday. The weather really cooperated, and we were able to accomplish a major part of our goals. Again, thanks to all the participants. Space does not allow us to mention the names of all those who helped.

The final week-end of October was our annual Halloween dance. Although this has not occurred as of this writing, I am sure it will be another successful event.

Watch your mail for the announcement of OSU Band Party. This is an exciting, well attended event and will be on a limited, reservation only basis. So don't miss out! Make that call as soon as you receive the flyer.

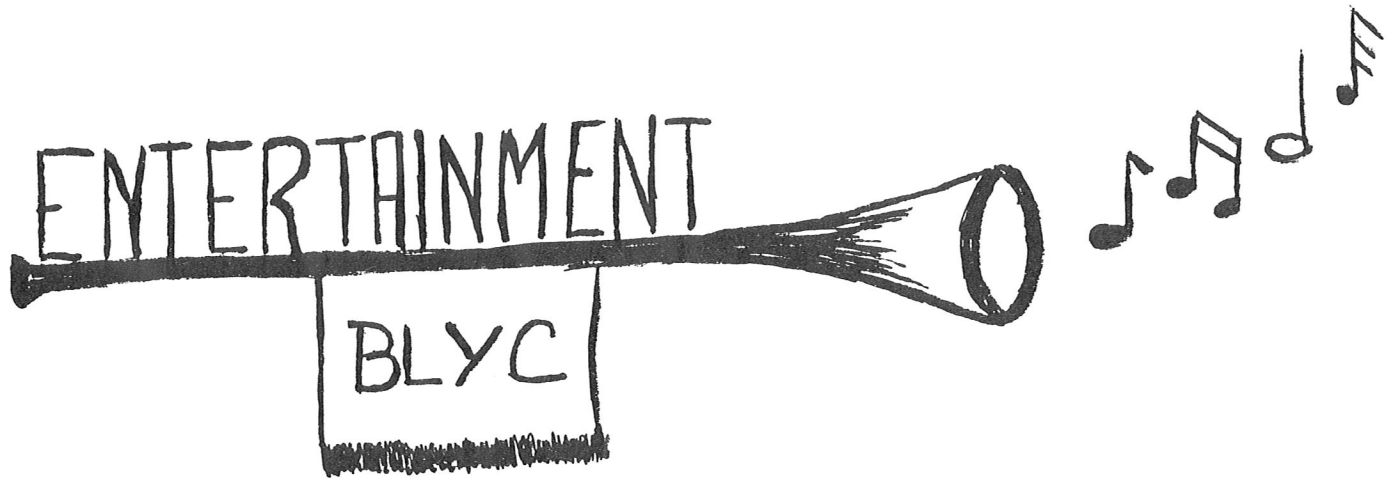
Also coming up in November is Trophy Day (Nov. 18) and our first Icebreaker. Check for details in this Log, and mark your calendar accordingly.

Considering the inflationary cost pressures that we are experiencing, the Board passed a modest \$15 dues increase for active members. This increase will not go into effect until February 1, 1980. Thus, by paying your next year's fees before this date, you can still enjoy the present rates. All other dues and facility charges will remain the same as last year. This gives us a rather tight operating budget, but we feel with a little luck, we will end the year in the black.

Don't forget to tell your friends about our special deal for new members. Dues paid now are paid until the first of May 1981.

Except for special events, the club will be closed Monday through Thursday during the winter season. However, please come out Friday, Saturday, or Sunday, and visit with your friends at BLYC.

GALE ROSHON  
Commodore



#### ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE

#### GOVERNOR GEORGE RISING

Snowball is over!! The Chairman, Gordon Forster, and his committees did a superb job. A Snowball Flag even graced the flagpole!! The Dixieland Band-what more need be said. They were great and the way the members were swingin' out there, they've gotta be back again. A lot of credit should go to our Commodore, Gayle Roshon, for lining up this fine outfit.

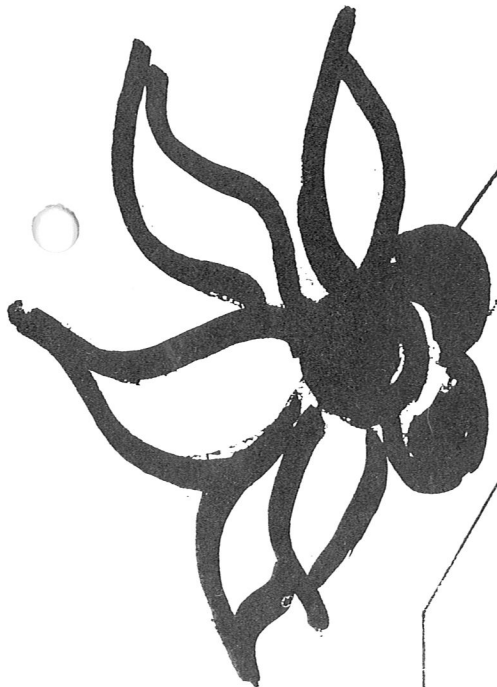
Now that the Snowball Weekends are over and they're going to start letting water out of the lake so everybody has a chance to walk on tree stumps for awhile (unless you think you can walk on water), some members may think - Gee! What's going on between now and next April.

Well!! I can tell you there's an awful lot that's going to be happening at BLYC. You say - What?? Just read on - and this is only the beginning!!

Saturday, November 10th, twenty, yes twenty members of the Ohio State Marching Band commonly known as the TBDBITL will be at BLYC to entertain you with music, snake dances, etc. Speaking of that - dinner is only \$5.00; however, there will be a cover charge of \$2.00 per adult payable at the door to provide the band with a pittance of money and a bit of beer. Please remember that the keg is for the BAND, not the members or their guests. We'll even post a sign in case you forget!!

Even though the Icebreakers are not a function of the Entertainment Committee, I wanted to mention them because they are such great fun. These dinner get-togethers start on Friday the 16th of November. Commodore Wilbur Wuellner will be in charge and if you have any ideas or suggestions, please call him at 928-0356. The Icebreakers start in November and there is one each month through April. They don't stop until the grass is coming up and it's time to start getting your boat stuff out of storage - so enjoy the good fellowship, the fun, the roaring fire - all those great things that go with an Icebreaker.

You may think this is all!! No way!! On Sunday, November 18th, there is an important gathering of BLYC members to honor their sailors. This is the time that those who have excelled in the various major races, fleet races, etc. receive their awards for jobs well done. There will be lunch at 1:30 p.m. followed by the presentation ceremonies. Let's all get out and give these sailors the support they deserve. They have done something for you all season by furnishing you the thrills of watching sailboat races. The least you can do for them is to give them a few hours of your time to say "thanks".



Nov 10

MARK YOUR CALENDAR  
DON'T MISS THE

# OSU BAND

20 members of the band will be at BLYC  
at 9:00 PM

\$2<sup>00</sup> Cover Charge to enter

Dinner Swiss Steak Buffet \$5<sup>00</sup>

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# AWARDS PRESENTATION DAY

NOVEMBER 18<sup>th</sup> 1:00 PM

Lunch will be served at 1:30

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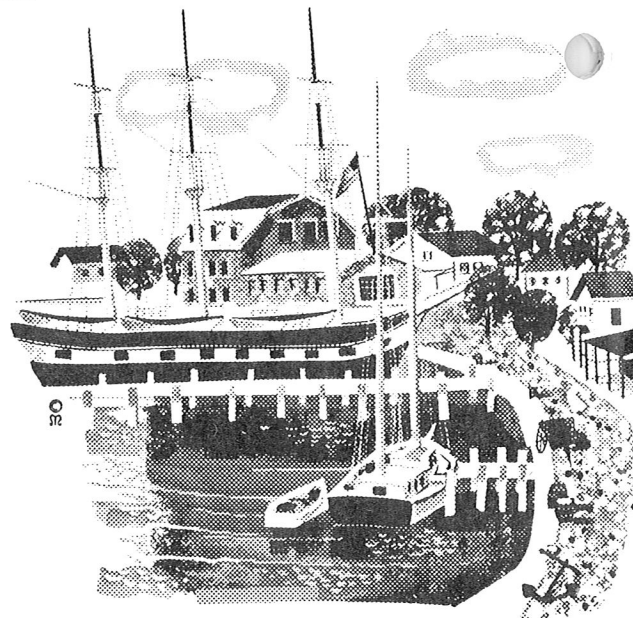


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## KITCHEN REPORT FOR NOVEMBER 1979

NOV. 2..PERCH TEMPURA....\$5.25	or MEAT LOAF....\$3.95
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NOV. 16..WHITING FISH.....\$3.50	or B.B.Q. SPARERIBS -
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Note: Effective Nov. 2, The Club Will Be Open Fri., Sat. & Sun.  
Only Thru The Winter Months.



## MEMBERSHIP-DIRECTORY

Gov. George Rogers

Three new members were accepted into BLYC at the October 10, Board of Governors meeting. Let us all welcome SAM POWERS, RICHARD WOLF and RUSSEL LEACH.

The following new member applications were recieved and will be considered at the next Board of Governors Meeting.

TOM EISERT sponsored by Jack Beeson and George Rising. Tom is a Video services coordinator with American Electric Power. Tom with wife Debra, son Robin and son Ryan reside at 2213 Lendale Dr. Lancaster, Ohio. They have a Venture and Tom is a member of the Cave Run Sailing Association of Lexington, Ky.

DONALD R. NEUBIG Sponsored by Don White and Comm. Robert Dye. Donald is a Buckeye Laker residing at 3624 Southbank Millersport, Oh and is married to Virginia. Donald is a Salesman for the Ohio Stakeand Barbecue Co. and is a member of the American Legion, Millersport Lions, the Ohio Association of Chiefs of Police is a Mason of the Scottish Rite and a Shriner.

DONALD L HARDY Jr. The sponsors are Phillip Ragno and Russell Christ. This Donald is a Program Analysis Officer in the United States Air Force. Donald resides with his wife Jean Marie, and daughters Christina Marie, 8, and Kimberly Ann, 6, at 1488 Krebs Dr. Newark, Oh. Don recently analysed his familys needs and programed them into acquiring a Venture 25. Don is a member of the American Philatelic Society, National Security Council, Institute of Navigation, the Air Force Association and the AGMC Officers Club.

JOSEPH W. LONDEREE The sponsors are David Miller and George Rising. Joseph owns a Venture and is in Industrial Management with the Lancaster Colony Corporation in Columbus, Ohio. Joseph resides at Rt. 7, Lancaster, Ohio, he is obviously interested in sailing but also likes bowling, cards and dancing.

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LOG-DIRECTORY-ADDRESS-CHANGE Please if you are not getting the Log or the flyers or the Directory information is not correct WRITE it on a letter, a post card, a piece of paper, an old hundred dollar bill and mail it to George Rogers PO.Box1791, Buckeye Lake, Oh 43008 OR BETTER YET save 15¢ and give it to me at the club or any other governor at the club, or leave it at the Bar for me, or just give it to any member who will get it to the club and leave it there for me. WARNING!! if you just tell me in person INSIST that I get a piece of paper and write the information down Then LOOK at it for correctness and legibility.

Any hundred dollar bills recieved will be donated to the BLYC capital improvement fund.

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### REGRETFUL NOTE-

OUR GOOD FRIEND FRED SCHOTT HAS PASSED AWAY AT HIS HOME IN FLORIDA, WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 24. SERVICES WILL BE HELD IN FLORIDA. HOME ADDRESS- MRS. FRED SCHOTT, A-49 SOUTH AMERS, WINDMILL VILLAGE, NORTH FT. MEYERS, FLORIDA 33903

## SNOWBALL CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

As the now past Snowball Chairman, I would like to report that the Snowball weekends were a success. The gods of wind blessed us and blessed us and blessed us both weekends.

For the work on these weekends I want to thank the following people: Hosts for Snowball one, George Fisher and for Snowball two, Jim Dressel; The race committee chairman Jack Besson; the protest committee chairman, Frank Foster; registration chairpersons, Patti Knilans and Peg Beeson; Snowball Flag Committee was chaired by MacRising; The Ladies Auxillary decorated under the direction of Diane Koman and Shirley White and constructed two super cocktail parties with the direction of Velma Lieberman and Debbie Bope; the flyer announcements were constructed by Tom Erickson, secretary; Bob Zeiher coordinated the launch and haulout with help from Larry Arnold and Bob Kuhn; Mike Hein and I selected and purchased the super trophies, and the members of the Buckeye Lake Yacht Club and U.S. Coast Guard Auxillary who cruised as crash and rescue boats. These are only a few of the people that made the weekends. To those people who contributed and I have not mentioned, I wish to send a special thanks. Lew Oliver and family did a splendid job under some catastrophic circumstances, particularly during the brown out. I thank him for his perseverance and good food.

We all had a good time.

Gordon Forster  
Snowball 79 Chairman

## Snowball Race Results

### 1st. WEEKEND

#### LIDOS

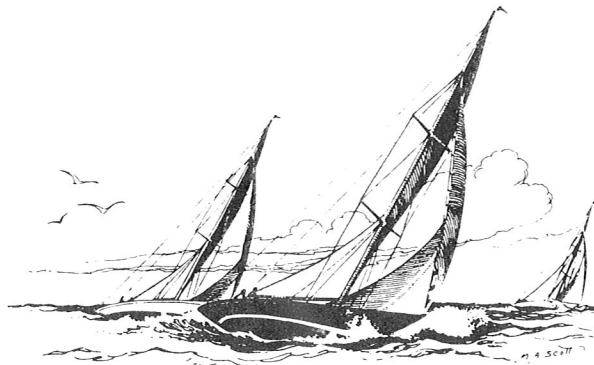
- 1st. Ed Hinton LYC
- 2nd. Dick Barty LYC
- 3rd. Jerry Jones BLYC

#### HIGHLANDERS

- 1st. Larry Cline Mount Clements
- 2nd. Jim Dawson HYC
- 3rd. Bob Caley HYC

#### LASERS

- 1st. Dan Dressel BLYC
- 2nd. Mike Hein Jr. BLYC
- 3rd. Wes Harnisch HYC



### 2nd. WEEKEND

#### LIGHTNINGS

- 1st. Bruce Goldsmith LGSC
- 2nd. Matt Fisher BLYC
- 3rd. Jim Dressel BLYC

#### VENTURE

- 1st. Tom Erickson BLYC
- 2nd. Gordon Forster BLYC
- 3rd. Frank Foster BLYC

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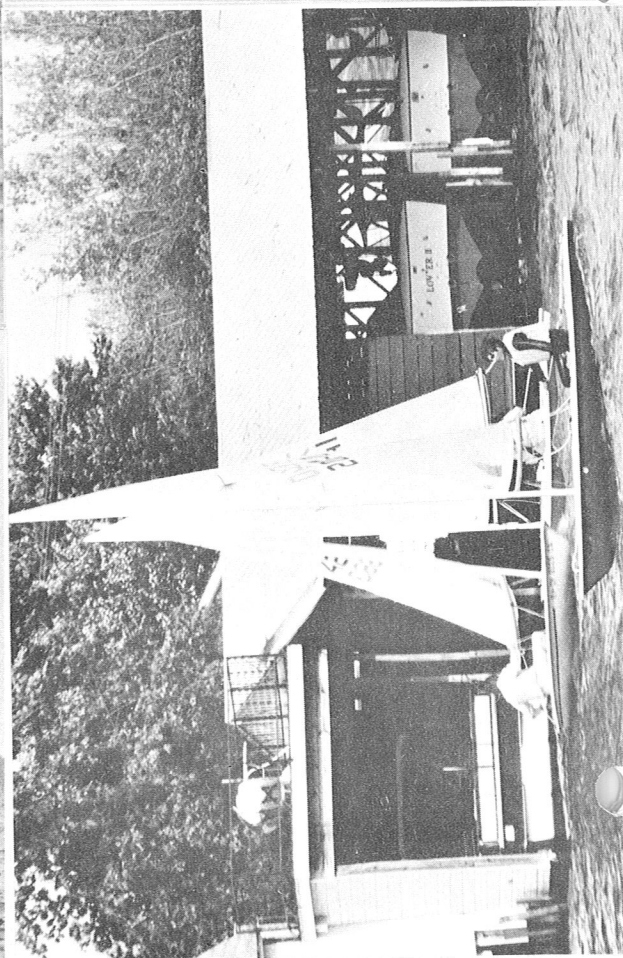
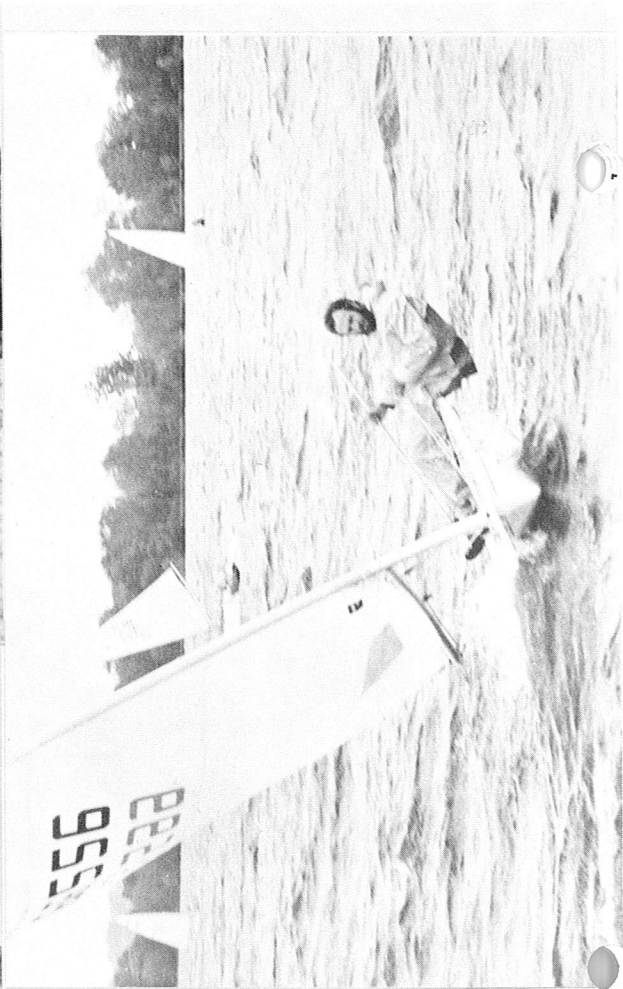
#### Class;

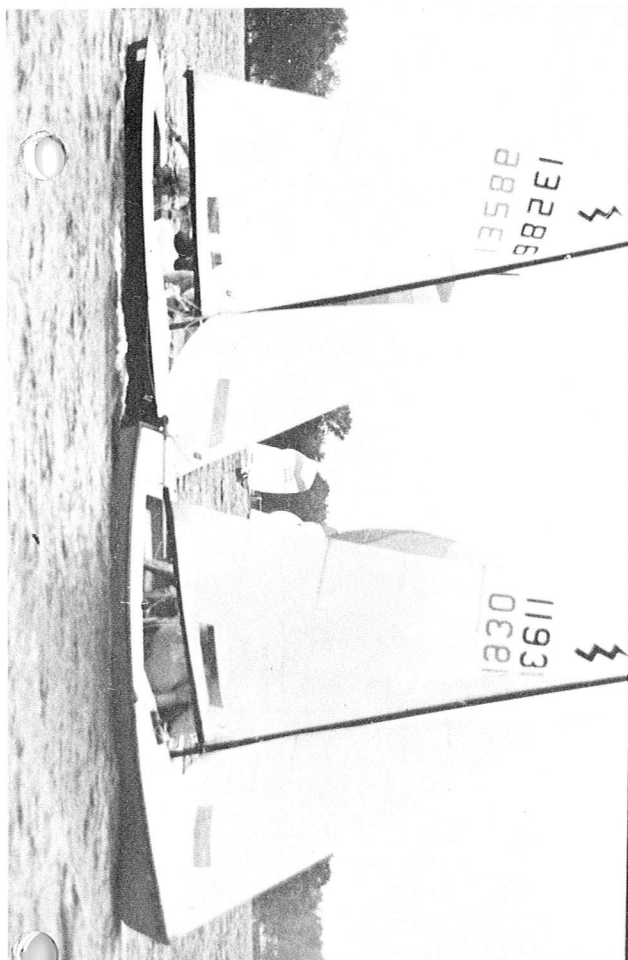
#### No. of Boats;

LIDOS	8
HIGHLANDERS	15
LASERS	12
LIGHTNINGS	18
VENTURES	12

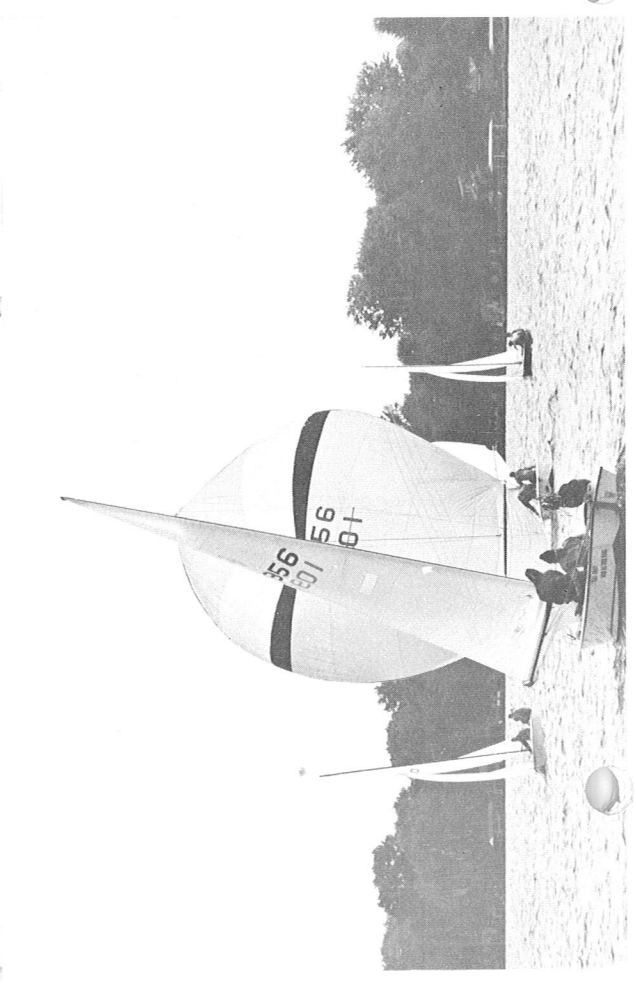
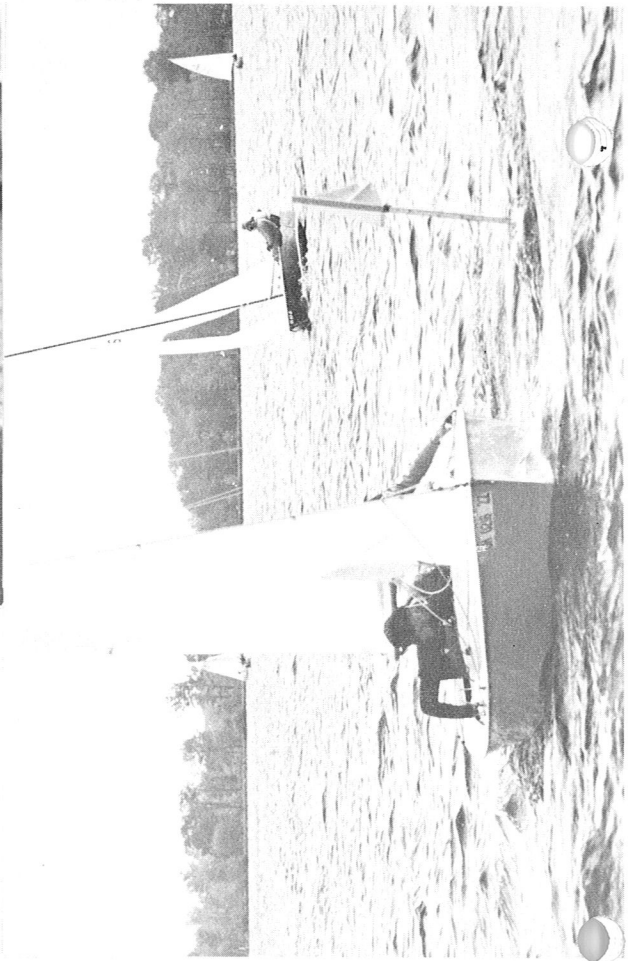




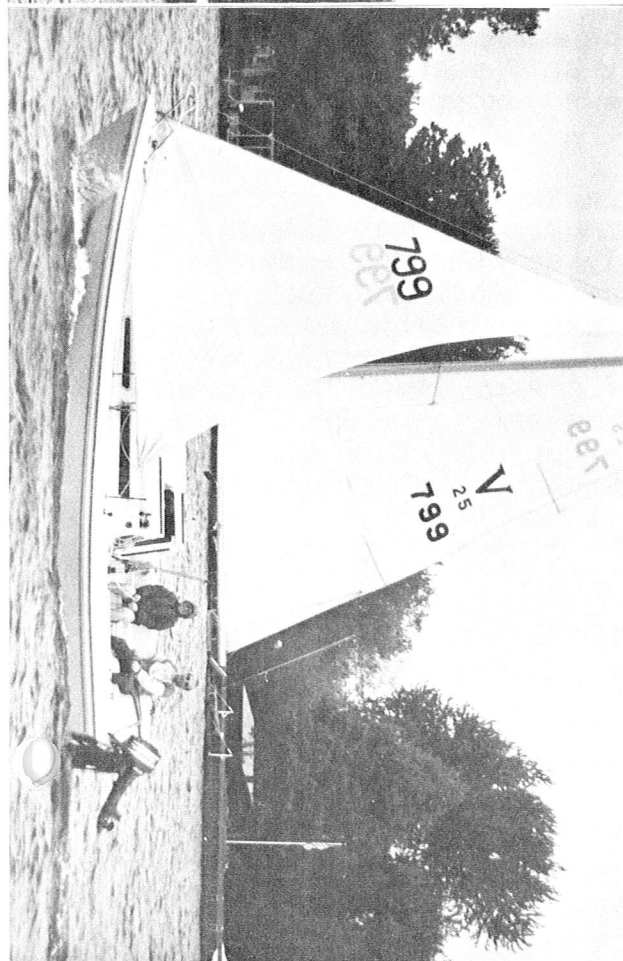
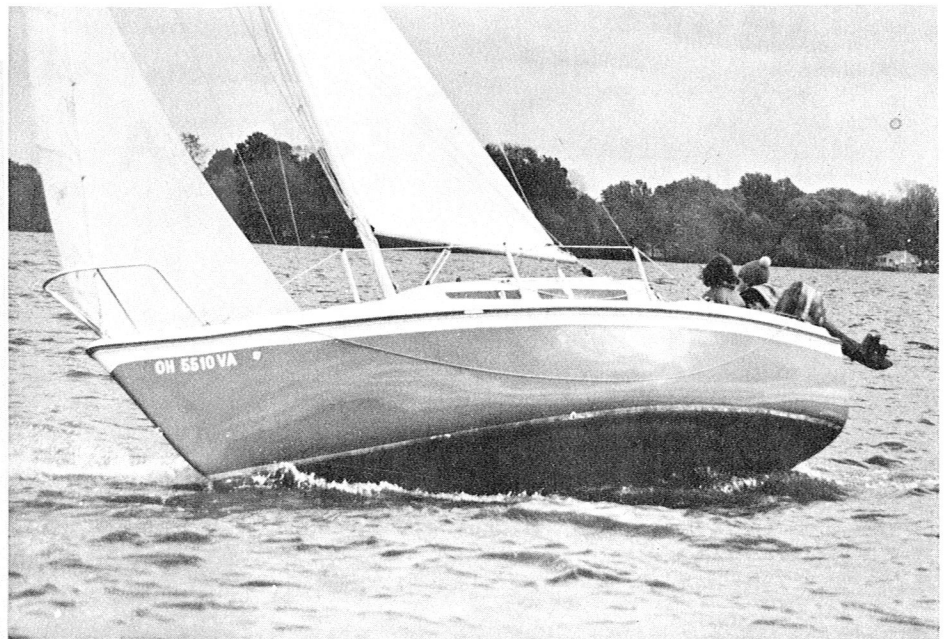












RACE

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REGATTA

GOV. FRANK FOSTER

RACING RULES AND TACTICS CLASSES will be offered again this Winter with Dave Miller as Chairman. The classes will include the basic rules and may start with more of a beginners approach. George Fisher has indicated a willingness to do some of the lecturing. The content of the course will have some subject matter in common with the course of last year, but will also have some different topics. We will report later on the details.

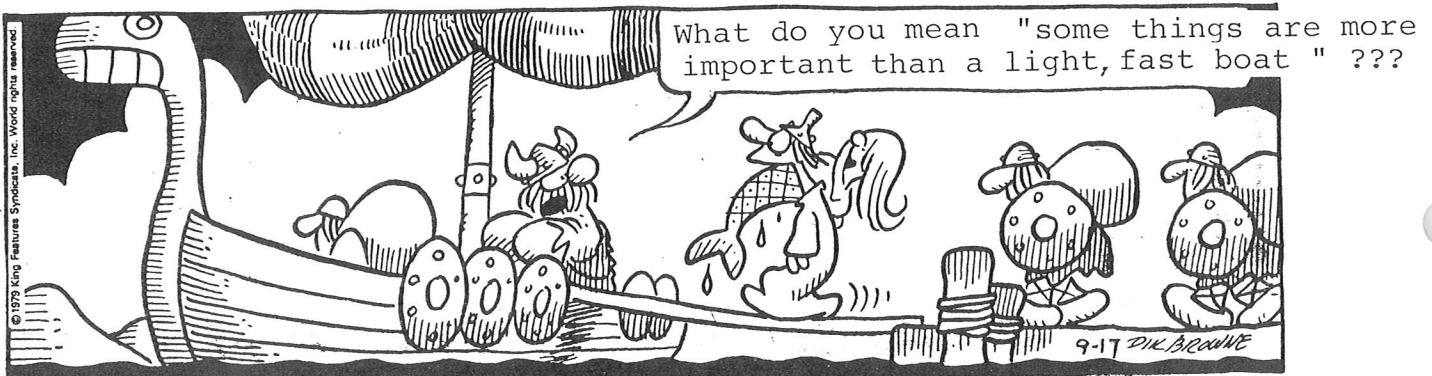
NEXT SUMMER is not far off. I am beginning to plan for next year's racing. Please give me your suggestions. I shall see to it that each fleet has a meeting and is scheduled to race at least on Sunday afternoons next Summer. If the fleets don't arrange a schedule, I will. Each member of each fleet needs to get better acquainted with the others and to know that whenever he or she comes to race, other will be there too.

THE 1980 SNOWBALL REGATTA will be chaired by Greg Alspach. Give him your suggestions now as well as your offer to help. This last Snowball was a delight to all who attended. Our Annual Regatta should be the crown jewel for all BLYC sailors.

JACK BEESON has agreed to be the race committee chairman for next year. Every note about racing at BLYC should thank Jack for his good work in the shack and this is no exception. Thanks for this last summer's efforts.

A BLYC PROTEST/APPEAL COMMITTEE for next year has been appointed consisting of two blue ribbon members, George Fisher and Jim Dressel who are recognized not only at BLYC but also nationally as being highly competent racing sailors and very knowledgeable in the rules. I will be the third member of that committee. All protests may be appealed to that Protest/Appeal Committee. Furthermore, in the absence of a Protest Committee after the race, that committee will hear protests at a later time.

A WORD ABOUT PROTESTS. Many sailors enjoy testing their skills against the skills of the other sailors who they admire and



# R and R CONTINUED

enjoy sailing with. The obvious way to test skills is racing. Competition is only fun, however, when everyone plays in accordance with the same set of rules. We all intend that but we all make an occasional mistake.

This is where protests enter the picture. There are those who want the rules strictly and accurately enforced. Others say they want to race "Just for fun" and not have racing be so "serious". However, when I hear these latter remarks I ask myself what they mean. Either we try to enforce the rules or we don't. The worst situation would be to enforce only some of the rules and only occasionally. If we don't enforce the racing rules, people have no reason to learn the rules and won't observe them. Then we get complaints.

It will be my policy, therefore, to enforce the rules as strictly and accurately as I am able. For that reason I am going to try to appoint a Protest Committee prior to each regular day of club racing as well as for all special races. Protests will be heard immediately after the races unless special circumstances dictate otherwise.

Occasionally a member becomes angry as the result of protests, sometimes with great emotion. While this is understandable after the emotion and strain of the race, it is hoped that the emotional aspect would be gone when the day of racing is gone.

I see two efforts which are required to prevent protests from becoming hostile. First is the maintenance of an orderly, fair and timely protest hearing free from outside influence.

The second effort is a modification of the attitude on the part of some. Referees or umpires are part of all sports competition. Unfortunately, with sailboat racing a referee cannot be out in a boat running up and down the course blowing whistles, stopping the action and passing out penalties. As a result we are stuck with protest committees. A protest should be viewed as a human effort to maintain fairness and equality in the game and to settle differences of opinion in a way which, although imperfect, is our best effort. Additionally, protests are an educational tool. Involvement in a protest proceeding does not make a skipper an evil person nor is it a test of whether that individual is honest or strong.

Hopefully in the coming year there will be no protests because everyone will be so knowledgeable that he or she will not make mistakes and if mistakes are made they will readily be acknowledged. However, if there are protests, I hope they are always viewed as an honest difference of opinion between friends to be resolved by an orderly and fair human effort. Obviously in most instances one skipper must lose the protest. I hope that he or she will always lose with the same sportsmanship, dignity and friendliness as he or she exhibits during the race.



## APPOINTMENTS

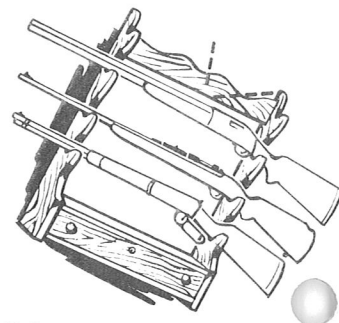
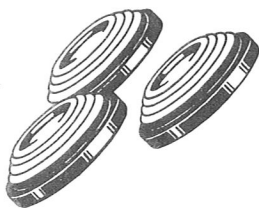
The Board approved the following appointments for the 1979-80 year:

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Fleet Captain(Power)  
Fleet Surgeon  
Fleet Measurer  
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SUNDAY NOVEMBER 4th. TRAP SHOOTING....

Sunday Nov.4th.Will be the first Sunday for Trap Shooting. Lets make this year a super season,with both Men & Women participating. In winter with not much going on come out to the Club and join in the fun.If you don't want to shoot have a Beer and watch or Pop-Corn over the open fire.....



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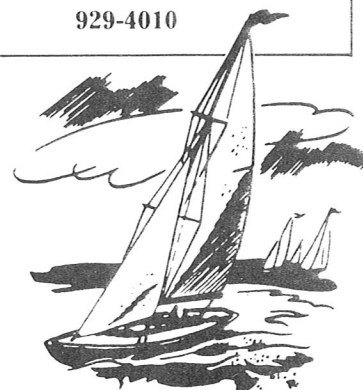
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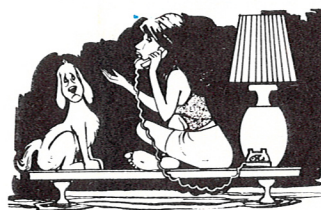
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NOV. 16- ICE BREAKERS

NOV. 18- TROPHY DAY



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