

# Buckeye Lake Yacht Club



# LOG

## FROM THE BRIDGE ☆ ☆ ☆

MARCH 1980

Many thanks to those of you who have responded to your dues notice. As you probably suspect, our club's cash position gets rather thin in the winter months. Your prompt payments really help, so keep those cards and letters coming.

The February week-ends have been pretty super at the lake. At times, it seems there has been as much activity at the club and on the lake as during some of the summer months. On the lake there have been ice boaters, snowmobiles, skaters, sledders, ice fishermen, hikers, cross-country skiers, motorcycles, and various other types of three and four wheel vehicles. The club sailing classes are well attended as many of our sailors are getting mentally prepared for the coming season. The gun club is going strong, and they invite you to join them on Sunday afternoons. So bundle up and come out.

The March Ice Breaker will be Friday, March 21st. Saturday, March 29, will be our annual Heber Party. Heber awardees are special people to our club. Come to the party and honor them by your presence.

Gov. George Rogers is working on the new club directory. If your address or telephone number has changed, please advise him accordingly.

The large aerial photograph of the club hanging in the hall to the Commodores Lounge was donated by Jack Montag. Smaller prints of this picture are for sale by the Ladies Auxiliary.

Hope to see you at the club -- soon!!

GALE ROSHON  
Commodore

# DID YOU KNOW ? ? ?

H.W. Limes

- . . . that the first annual dues of BLYC in 1906 was \$4.00. The initiation fee was \$2.00
- . . . that the first yacht to represent BLYC in an ILYA regatta was a sloop owned by Vice Comm. Caleb McKee in 1907 at Put in Bay.
- . . . that in 1907 the Club's By-Laws were amended to make the cost of becoming a new member, two shares of stock (10.00) in addition to the formerly required \$2.00 initiation fee and the annual \$4.00 dues. (Stock was 2 shares of the Buckeye Lake Building Company.)
- . . . that Ladies were welcome only on specially designated days.
- . . . that no gambling, intoxicants, or profanity were allowed on the premises.
- . . . that the Club officers were charged with enforcement.
- . . . that violators of rules were subject to loss of privileges, by word of mouth or in writing, until reinstated by the Board of Governors on grant of repeal.
- . . . that the first periodical of BLYC was called "The Buckeye Lake Drift"
- . . . that the island on which BLYC's Clubhouse stands, and which is known to most people today as "Watkins Island" was originally known as "Sunken Island".
- . . . that at the May meeting in 1909 the By-Laws were amended to "Allow Ladies, accompanied by members, to use the "Club house porch and island 'at all times'; but "Club rooms" were open to Ladies only on days set apart by the House Committee.
- . . . that Club Regattas on Sunday, were specifically forbidden.
- . . . that in Club recognized regattas or races, the skipper of the boat had to be it's owner and at least one member of the crew had to be a member of the Club.
- . . . that due to a typographical error, Comm. E.T. Wolfe was the Commodore of ILYA in 1937, not in 1963 as printed.



# ENTERTAINMENT

BLYC

GOVERNOR GEORGE RISING

Since BLYC was closed during the month of January there was no formalized social activity. It seemed as though everyone was saving up for a blast in February and that's exactly what the Sweetheart Ball on the 18th of February turned out to be. Who was responsible for such a good time?? None other than Bob and Mary Walters and their committee of Tom and Phyllis Flynn, Wally and Jo Grelle and Marie Doneff (John was too busy stuffing the ballot box). Mary spent many hours on the decorations which were absolutely terrific. The menu which was not published as it was to be a surprise was cornish game hen on rice and this was truly delicious. The music seemed to suit the moods of the people and after dinner the dance floor was filled with couples dancing to the music of Jack Hedges and the Music Makers. Commodore Gail Roshon drew the names of the King and Queen of Hearts. The Queen of Hearts was Gail Lemmon who was beautiful in her stunning dress. The King of Hearts was John Doneff (please refer to previous comments above). The turnout was the best we've had in recent years as there were about 90 in attendance. This was great considering the large number of BLYC members who foolishly go to the sunny south rather than enjoying the comforts of our northern winter.

To say the least it was a great party enjoyed by everyone. Many thanks to Bob and Mary for a wonderful evening.

What is next on the entertainment schedule -- several things. An Icebreaker is scheduled for Friday, March 21st and this will be the next to last for this season so let's have a good turnout for a fun evening. As you know, Wilbur and Custis Wuellner are chairing the Icebreakers. There was one on February 22nd but I can give no report on it as it took place after the Log deadline. But there is more for the month of March -- The Heber Award Appreciation Dance is coming up on Saturday, March 29th. Whitey and Helen Limes will be in charge of the dance. The menu features as the main course rouladin, potato (baked not once but twice) with other goodies on the side plus a parfait. A flyer in this Log will give you other details. Whitey will introduce the Heber Award recipients who are in attendance so that proper recognition may be given them. Unfortunately, the entertainment I had lined up cancelled out the night before the Log deadline and there was not time to line up a band before writing this. However, when the flyer is sent out in March it will contain the information on the band. In any event, let's all show our appreciation for what these fine Heber Award members have done to help make BLYC what it is today. I'll look forward to seeing you all on the 29th.

One other matter that should be brought to your attention is the fact that Lew Oliver plans to serve an Easter Buffet after church on Easter Sunday, April 6th.



Third Annual

# Heber Award Appreciation Dance

March 29<sup>th</sup>

Come out and honor those members who have received BLYC's highest award

Cocktails - 6:30 -

BLYC's special manhattans and martinis prepared by mixologist Conn Whitey Limes

Dinner -

8:00 -

Rolladon, Twice Baked Potato Perfection Salad, Broccoli with Cheese sauce, roll, beverage, mint parfait



Dancing -

9:00 -

With music provided by ???

check your Flyer for the name of the band!! The originally scheduled entertainment cancelled out the night before the Log Deadline!

\$ 6.00 per person

Reservations a must by Wednesday March 26<sup>th</sup>

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Helen Limes  
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Buckeye Lake



RACE

and

REGATTA

GOV. FRANK FOSTER

RACING AND SAILING CLASSES are well attended. Fifty-five people enrolled. This is certainly a well deserved compliment to George Fisher who is the principal instructor. It's also an exciting barometer of Race and Regatta activity level at BLYC this summer. All fleets are represented.

THE FOLLOWING RACING SCHEDULE is published as a proposal to solicit comments. Please give me your complaints or suggestions.

For all fleets there will be both regular summer series and special holiday weekend series for Memorial, Independence and Labor Day. Makeup races will be scheduled by the racing committee as time and weather permit following scheduled races. Two special events are the Ohio District Lightning Championships July 10-13 and the Power Boat Rally July 19. The Lasers will continue to have their informal, unofficial, (but fun) Saturday races as enough people show up. Following the Sunday races in June, Lew will offer carry out dinners except for a barbecue after the first Sunday race in June.

#### HOLIDAY WEEKEND SERIES

##### Lightnings, Highlanders, Lasers, Lidos and Ventures

Each long weekend is a five race series. The Long Distance Race, which is for all sailboats and for which a separate trophy is given, also counts as a race in the five race holiday series. The first Sunday race for Ventures and both Sunday races for all others in the holiday series also counts towards your regular summer series.

##### Memorial Day Weekend

Saturday, May 24	Two races
Sunday, May 25	Two races
Monday, May 26	Fifth and Comm. Metzger Long Distance Race

##### Independence Day Weekend

Friday, July 4	First and Comm. Williams Long Distance Race
Saturday, July 5	Two races
Sunday, July 6	Two races

##### Labor Day Weekend

Saturday, August 30	Two races
Sunday, August 31	Two races
Monday, Sept. 1	Fifth and Comm. Haggard Long Distance Race

MASTER'S SERIES, September 27, 28

REGULAR SUMMER SERIES  
Lightnings, Lidos, Lasers

First Summer Sunday Series, May 25, June 1,8,15,22,29. 12 races, 3 throw outs.  
Second Summer Series, July 6,13,(except Lightnings)20,27,Aug.3,10,17,24-  
16 races 5 throw outs.  
September Series, Aug. 31, Sept. 7,14,21. 8 races, 3 throw outs.  
Wednesday Series, June 4,11,18,25, July 2,9(second series on request of fleet).

Highlanders

First Summer Sunday Series, May11,18,25,June 1,8,15,22,29. 16 races, 5throw outs.  
Second Summer Series, July 6,13,20,27, Aug. 3,10,17,24. 16 races, 5 throw outs.  
September Series, Aug.31, Sept.7,14,21. 8 races, 3 throw outs.  
Wednesday Series, June 4,11,18,25, July 2,9 (more on request).

Ventures

First Sunday Series, May 11,18,25, June 1,8,15,22.  
Mini Cruise, June 29  
Second Sunday Series, July 6(2 races),13(2 races),Aug.10(2 races)Aug.17(1 race).  
Cruise break (no races) July 19-August 3.  
Both Sunday races of Independence Weekend also count in this series.  
Powder Puff, 3 race series, Aug.23(2 races), Aug.24(1race).  
Third Sunday Series, Aug.30,31, Sept.1,7(2 races),14,21. The first races  
on Saturday, Sunday and Monday of Labor Day Weekend all count as part of  
the third Sunday Series.  
Wednesday Series, June 4,11,18,25,July 2,9. 6 races, 1 throw out.

STARTING TIMES

Saturdays

Skipper's Meeting: 12:30. Starts begin 1:00 P.M. at staggered five  
minute intervals. Second race starts after all boats in fleet finish the  
first race. If enough Lasers request, they can instead race after the  
Lightnings.

Sundays

Lightnings

Skipper's Meeting: 10:30A.M.  
Start of races: 11:00A.M. and 1:30P.M.

Highlanders

Skipper's Meeting: 1:30P.M.  
Start of First Race: 2:00P.M.

Lasers

Skipper's Meeting: 2:30P.M. or immediately after Lightnings finish, whichever  
is later.  
Start of First Race: 3:00P.M. or 15 minutes after skipper's meeting, whichever  
is later.

Lidos

Skipper's Meeting: 1:30P.M.  
Start of First Race: 2:05P.M.

Ventures

Skipper's Meeting: 1:30P.M.  
Start of First Race:2:10P.M.

Wednesday Races

Skipper's Meeting: 6:30P.M.  
Staggered starts begin 7:00P.M.

Long Distance Races(Fridays and Mondays)

Skipper's Meeting: 10:30A.M.  
Start of First Race:11:00A.M.

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## **FACILITIES.....R.C. ED BALLENGER**

The docks have weathered well this winter due to the low water level and the mild weather temperatures.

I would like to give a special thanks to Comm. Wilbur Wuellner and Comm. Whitey Limes for their help with the docks and the new bubbler around the covered docks.

Also, thanks to Bud Sayre for his watching over and keeping the bubbler system working when needed on Area 8 docks.

Gene Hays rebuilt the compressor for the main club bubbler system and this winter it has been working like new.

Hats off to these men....they keep things working for us during the cold months so we can all enjoy them in the summer!

I talked to Mac Wood last week and everything is coming along fine with the 5 other docks we are going to recover. As soon as the weather gets a little nicer, he plans to drive the needed piling and install the new roofs.

There is some scrap lumber in front of the club from the old roofs and anyone wanting any for fireplaces, etc., feel free to take as much as you want.

Concerning dock assignments, I will make permanent reassignments for new docks the first part of May. This is the current list of those who are on the waiting list for docks. If I have missed anyone or if anyone would like to be added to this list, please let me know.

(The club has 2 rooms upstairs available if anyone is interested in renting. They make nice overnight sleeping quarters as well as a place to store equipment.)

Ed Ballenger  
423 S. Drexel  
Cols. Ohio 43209





## WAITING LIST FOR DOCKS

8-21-78	JACK BEESON	AREA 8
2-15-79	GALE ROSHON	COVERED
4-22-79	JOE CARRELL	25' 0'DAY
5-24-79	ED LEVISON	COVERED
6-14-79	WILLIAM RAY	AREA 8
6-15-79	ANTLE	COVERED
6-29-79	HENRY FALKEN	VENTURE
7-21-79	BILL GEIGER	VENTURE
8-20-79	M. HEADLEE	AREA 7
8-20-79	JOHN DONEFF	COVERED/OPEN 25'
8-21-79	JOE LONDEREL	VENTURE
10-6-79*	DON L. HARDY, JR.	VENTURE
10-8-79	RUSSELL CRIST	VENTURE
12-8-79	BILL GEIGER	VENTURE
1-2-80	THOMAS EISERT	VENTURE



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### Kitchen Report

Kitchen hours will remain the same in March, Friday 5 P.M. till 10 P.M. Sunday 10 A.M. till 5 P.M. Exceptions will be made on Saturdays and Sundays if plans are made in advance. Private parties available any day.

As many of you know inflation has skyrocketed and will affect the kitchen this year, the new minimum wage and the high cost of beef will force me to raise some of the prices, particularly the steaks. I will try to vary the specials on Friday nites to give you a variety of low price meals.

These specials will not be posted in March until I find out what I can reasonably buy. Starting in April I will have them in the Log.

When we open again on Saturdays I will try some new ideas. Each week will be something special, i.e. All the Spaghetti you can eat, Chicken in the basket, Oriental nite, etc. If I receive enough support for these I will keep it up thru the summer.

When racing season starts, for those of you who like to eat on your boat, call in advance, or let me know before the race and we will have takeout orders, such as Fried Chicken w/cold slaw and rolls, or Hamburgers etc. in carry out boxes for you.

Lets support your kitchen and not the fast food places.

Looking forward to a nice and busy season.

Lew.

ENTERTAINMENT AND EVENTS SCHEDULE

1980

	Governor George R. Rising, Entertainment
February 16, Saturday Sweetheart Ball	Band: Music Makers (Jack Hedges) Chm: Bob and Mary Walters
February 22, Friday Icebreaker	Chm: Wilbur and Custis Wuellner
March 21, Friday Icebreaker	Chm: Wilbur and Custis Wuellner
March 29, Saturday Heber Party	Ent: Broadway Show Time (Cabot & Heather Rae) Chm: Whitey and Helen Limes
April 18, Friday Icebreaker	Chm: Wilbur and Custis Wuellner
April 26, Saturday Las Vegas Nite	Ent: Enjoy the Golden Fleece Casino Chm: Dwight and Arthelda Haggard
May 4, Sunday Semi-Annual Meeting	Chm: Commodore Roshon
May 24, Saturday Commodore's Ball	Band: New Image (Gene Snelling) Chm: George and Marty Fisher
May 26, Monday Comm. Metzger LDR	Special Lunch
June 21, Saturday Commodore's Steak Fry	Ent: Boat Rides Chm: Dave and June Cox
July 4, Friday Comm. Williams LDR	Special Lunch
July 5, Saturday Independence Day Dance	Band: Tune Timers (Joe Lavinger) Chm: Wilbur and Custis Wuellner
July 10-13, Thursday-Sunday Ohio District Lightning Championships	Chm: Jim Dressel
July 19, Saturday Power Boat Rally	Ent: Mongolian Barbecue Chm: Gordon and Pat Forster
August 2, Saturday New Members Party	Band: Solid State (Wayne Martin) Chm: Bill and Diane Koman
August 30, Saturday Labor Day Dance	Band: Capital City Jazz (Joe Marlee) Chm: Ed and Judy Ballenger
September 1, Monday Comm. Haggard LDR	Special: Oktoberfest
September 20, Saturday Pre-Election Party	Ent: Introduction of Candidates & Families Chm: Mike and Joan Hein
September 21, Sunday Election and Annual Meeting	Chm: Commodore Roshon

October 4 & 5, Saturday & Sunday  
Snowball I

Chm: Greg and Sandy Alspach

October 11, Saturday  
Snowball II

Band: Music Makers (Jack Hedges)  
Chm: Greg and Sandy Alspach

October 12, Sunday  
Snowball II

Special Lunch and Presentation  
of Awards

October 25, Saturday  
Halloween Dance

Band: To be determined  
Chm: To be determined

November 8, Saturday  
OSU Band Party

Band: OSU  
Chm: Jim and Nancy Dressel

November 16, Sunday  
Awards Day

Special Lunch  
Chm: Gov. Frank Foster

November 21, Friday  
Icebreaker

Chm: To be determined

December 19, Friday  
Icebreaker

Chm: To be determined

December 31, Wednesday  
New Year's Eve Dance

Band: Solid State (Wayne Martin)  
Chm: To be determined

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## LADIES AUXILIARY



LADIES AUXILIARY MEETING WILL BE TUESDAY MARCH 11th., IT WILL BE A DINNER MEETING WITH HILDA LAHEY AS HOSTESS. COCKTAILS AT 6:PM. till 7:PM. DINNER FOLLOWING. ALL COME! WE WILL BE PLANING FOR THE UPCOMING YEAR, WE NEED NEW IDEAS. BRING A PROSPECTIVE MEMBER OR GUEST.

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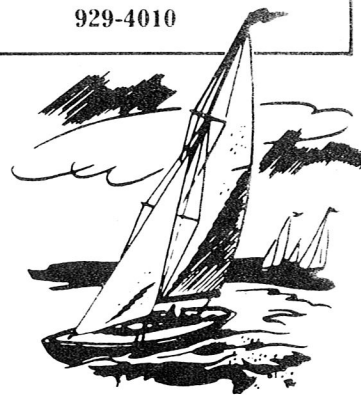
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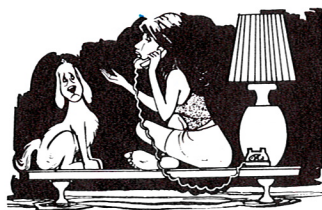
## IMPORTANT DATES

SUNDAY-MARCH 2, 9, 16, 23, 30  
SAILING CLASSES

MARCH 11, LADIES AUXILIARY  
DINNER & MEETING

MARCH 21, ICE BREAKER

MARCH 29, HEBER AWARD  
DINNER & DANCE



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