

FROM THE BRIDGE \$ \$ \$

December 1983

December is at hand. Things are moving along at the club. What a wonderful time all of us had at the O.S.U. Band party. Thanks Marty and Sue, Eddie Metzger and all the others who pitched in. Evenings like that make the club a year-round asset. Join us around the fire-place on an Icebreaker night or whenever you can.

The Board of Governors is hard at work planning and implementing programs for the year ahead. Some needed repairs and improvements on the clubhouse itself deal with safety, comfort, energy savings and appearance. More will follow on this as our plans and options materialize.



I would like to call to everyone's attention the generosity of Jane Keck who died on our election day, September 18th. Jane left the club \$3,000. in certificates of deposit, payable on death. She also left us \$1,000. earmarked for the Junior Sailors fund and the Ladies Auxiliary received \$1,000. We on the board will see that something special is done in Jane's name with the club and Junior funds and report to you when that occurs. Jane had many personal friends in the club and I know that she will be missed often as we have parties such as the O.S.U. Band party.

Planning ahead: invoices for dues, docks, etc. will be mailed in early January and due in February, so keep that in mind when you are working on the budget. Just an advance reminder.

Especially to those who I won't see until spring, but to all of our club family, I would like to wish a Joyous Christmas and the wish that the year 1984 sees you in good health, happiness and pleasant boating. The club members and Board of Governors have started my 1984 year off with a Trust that I hope to repay to you all year long.

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at

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1983

Complimentary bottle of Champagne per couple

6:30 Hors d'oeuvres and Cocktails

8:00 Dinner - Salad

Tenderloin Tips Bordelaise and Shrimp Scampi on Toast Points Dutchess Potatoes with Peas Rolls, Butter and Beverage Sherbert



NEW YEAR

9:30 - 1:30 - Dancing to the music of the Rick Monroe Combo

11:30 Hats and noisemakers to bring in the New Year

1:00 John's special breakfast - Sausage, Kraut and Cheese Souffle

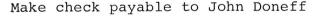
In order to give us all confortable seating with pleanty of room for dancing, we must limit our reservations to 160 people. Reservations will be taken on a first come first serve basis.

Please fill out the form below and mail with your check to: JOHN DONEFF, Box 867, Buckeye Lake, Ohio 43008.

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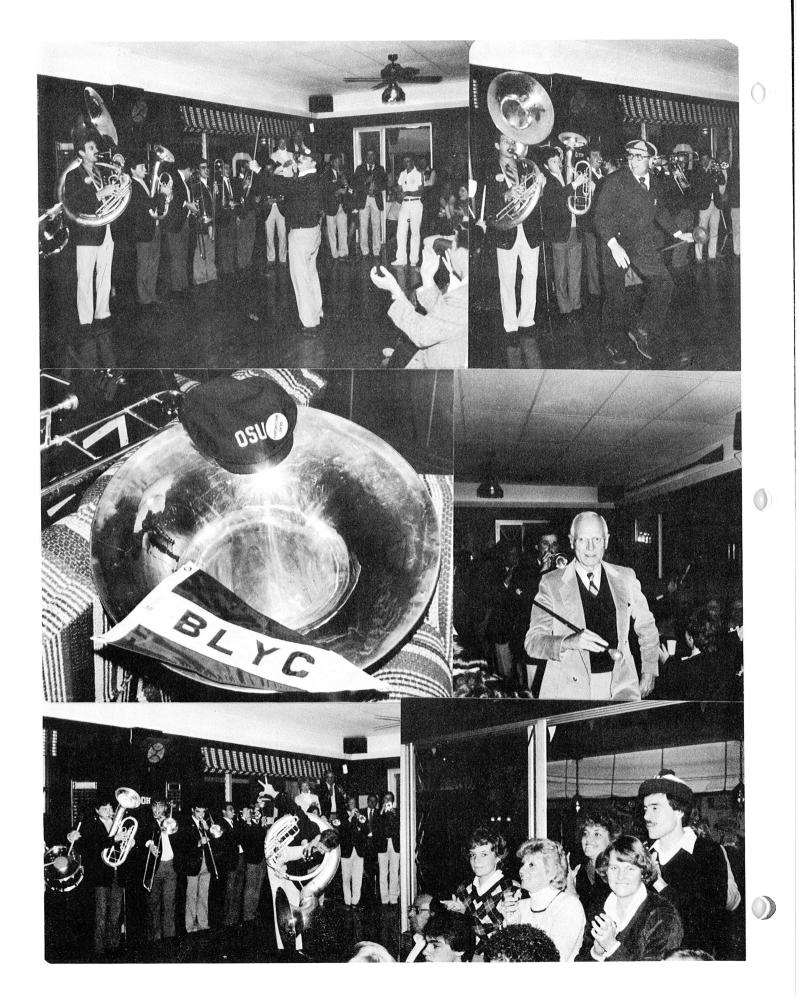
HAVE SOME FUN, SPREAD SOME CHEER; COME TO THE CLUB AND BRING IN THE NEW YEAR!





NAME	\$22.00
SPOUSE OR DATE	\$22.00
GUEST	\$25.00
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All reservations must be received by Monday, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1983.

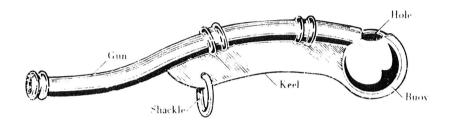


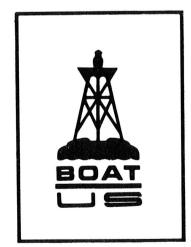
POOPDECK

Gov. Greg Alspach

Alice Rosebraugh wishes everyone at BLYC Season's Greetings and Best Wishes for the New Year. Alice will help us all get the new year off to a good start by once again providing free parking for all those attending the club New Year's Eve Party.

Several Boatswain's Whistles are still available from the Ladies Auxiliary Showcase. They were this year's crew trophy for the Snowballs and make excellent gifts.





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ATTENTION MEMBERS OF BOAT/US. As your annual membership dues come up, remember that BLYC has a group agreement with BOAT/US which guarantees us annual dues of only \$8.50. Simply correct your annual statement to \$8.50 and write "Participating Group Number 80671" on the form.

Any other club members who wish to join BOAT/US or wish additional information - forms will be available near the bulletin board by January 1, 1985.

COMING EVENTS

Dec.

Jan.

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11 Childrens Christmas Party
13 Ladies Aux. Christmas Party
20 Ice Breakers
22 Super Bowl Party

16 Ice Breakers

31 New Years Eve

The OSU Band Party November 12th was excellent and throughly enjoyed by all! We were really entertained with the presence of Bruce Hart, this years Drum Major, and 13 members of the marching band. It appeared they enjoyed this party as much as we enjoyed them.

We were honored by the performance of some of our members and their quests who were associated with the OSU band in previous years.

Dr. Jim McCreary, Drum Major in 1932 and 1933 performed for us and led all of us in "Script Ohio" throughout the club.

Sam Bates, Drum Major in 1963, gave all of us a thrill with his flaming baton act, plus various other performances.

Dr. Jack Evans, past OSU Band Director and guest of Dr. McCreary, led the band in several numbers including the "OSU Alma Mater".

Gale Roshon, gave us his famous plunger performance in full band uniform - complete with shoulder pad...or whatever. He hopes to someday set a precedence for replacing the old fashioned baton.

Every band needs a Pom Pom girl and we had one at our party. Gerry, a guest of Bob Boehm, did the honors.

Thanks to Ed & Cindy Metzger, and Randy & Patty Knilans for helping to make this party a great success. We really enjoyed Ed as MC. Also, a special thanks to Mike Jacobs for his help in obtaining this group.

The Halloween Party was held on October 29th and 68 people attended. Approximately one third dressed in costume. There were prizes for the scariest, most original, prettiest and funniest. The Walnut Ridge High School Dance Band played for two hours and they were excellent! I want to thank Rick Fulgham for his help in obtaining the band. Since there were so many positive remarks about the band, I am trying to line them up for the Commodores Ball.

Our next big event is the New Years Eve Party. Bill and Joan Ford will be host and hostess. See the special information in this log and be sure to send your check and reservations to John Doneff early.



SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11th 3:00 to 6:00p.m.



Bring a wrapped gift, marked for a boy or girl, to give to the L.E.A.D.S. Children.

BAR AND KITCHEN

V.C. Mike Jacobs

All activity at BLYC hasn't ended just because the warm weather has gone!

In addition to Ice Breakers the Gun Club has just started their season. Any member, wife, or sons or daughters of members are welcome to join or shoot as guests. Contact Don White, John Doneff, or any Gun Club member for information.

Ice boating and skating are other sports that can be enjoyed, weather permitting.

Don't forget that any member in good standing belonging to a service group, social group, etc. can arrange for a dinner meeting at BLYC. We feel our club has an impressive facility to host such groups. Contact John Doneff for all information.

JUNIOR TRAINING

Gov. Tom Erickson

RESTRICTED: FOR ADULTS ONLY

With the advance of the winter season, most of you are thinking about football, basketball, winter sports, or perhaps school and dating. The Junior Training program is the last thing on your mind. However, it is important to prepare ahead of time for the coming season. For example, the Sears Team is going to have a Thistle that is in first class condition. The boat is being returned to original condition by the manufacturer. Thanks to Marty Headlee for taking the lead in making our junior's equipment more competitive.

In a team sport all components of the team must be at their best level of preparation in order to perform at their optimum. However, I recall a comment made at on of the sailing rules and strategy programs conducted at BLYC in the past by George Fisher and Jim Dressel that the race winners are the ones that make the LEAST mistakes. By learning from your mistakes you increase the chance of becoming a success. It may take time, but time is going to pass whether you are working toward a useful goal or not. So you might as well start on your way and with the passage of time you will continue to make progress. But you must start on that path. The real winners in life are the ones who keep on trying.

(THE INSTRUCTIONS AT THE TOP OF THIS ARTICLE WERE INTENDED TO GET EVERYONE TO READ THE ARTICLE. HOPE YOU ENJOYED IT)

LADIES AUXILIARY

In the early '50s, the Past Presidents of BLYC Ladies Auxiliary organized a club in memory of one of their members who died of cancer. It was named the Marie Bogan Wood Cancer Ray.

In just a few years the Ladies Auxiliary lost more members for the same reason. It is now called the Fisher, Henery, Wood Cancer Ray.

We are a Ray of the Columbus Cancer Clinic. We make pads, bandages, caps, and anything they need for their Out Patients.

Our Ray has a summer picnic and at Christmas we donate money to the Ray in lieu of sending Christmas cards to our fellow members of Buckeye Lake Yacht Club.

There will be a Christmas tree on the wall of the main lounge at the Yacht Club. The name of each donor will be hung on the tree. See Helen Limes or any Past President for more information.

Your donations are tax deductible. We ask for your support for this worthy cause.

Also, the Ray is selling jumbo cocktail peanuts in one pound glass decanters as a money making project. They are \$4.00 each. Please see any Ray member.

The November meeting was held on the 9th, at the Club. Hostesses were Jane Langley and Lillian Kennel. A delicious meal was served by John. Watch for our newly upholstered sofas in the Lounge, one of our first projects this year.

The children's Christmas Party will be held on December 11, from three to six. Cookies and cupcakes are needed. If you can help, please see chairperson Debbie Lynch. If you can't be there, look for the cookie jar on the bar. Each child attending should bring a wrapped present for Leads.

The next Auxiliary meeting will be on December 13, at 6:30 PM at the club. Ladies attending should bring a \$5.00 gift exchange and canned goods for Leads. Don't forget the showcase items for Christmas gifts.

Ladies, have you paid your dues? They are \$10.00 and should be sent to Carole Donnelly, 4405 N. Bank Rd. N.E., Millersport, Ohio

MEMBERSHIP AND DIRECTORY

Gov. Bob Boehm

If you have a prospective member and need information or want to show them through the club facilities and I can be of service please contact me at 614-875-9011 (Office)

NEW MEMBERS WELCOME ABOARD

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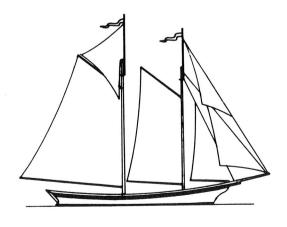
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- 13 Ladies Auxiliary Meeting
- 16 Ice Breaker
- 18 Champagne Brunch
- New Year's Eve 31 Party

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