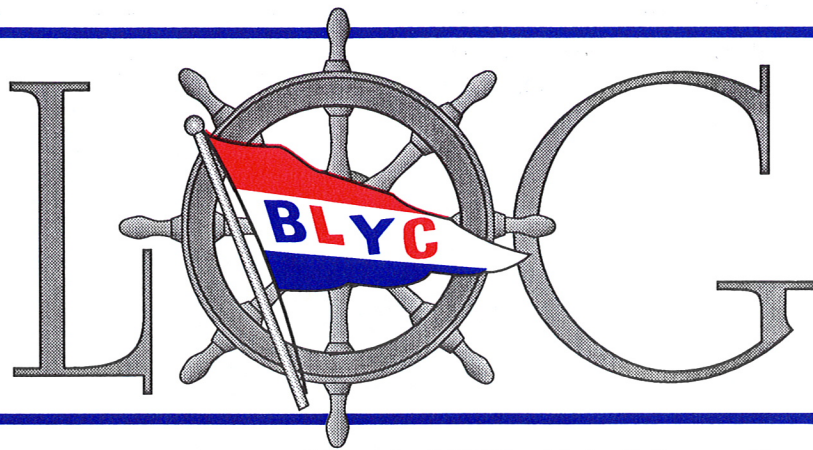


Buckeye Lake Yacht Club



FROM THE BRIDGE ☆☆☆

March 1997 - Vol. 7 Issue 3



Commodore Fred Wright

Spring

March is here! This means that spring is just around the corner! For Buckeye Lake Yacht Club members this is the beginning of the boating season. I can tell you that the Governors' meetings and efforts are becoming gelled and you can anticipate a great time at the Yacht Club this spring and summer. We have just had an extremely successful Valentines Dance with 144 present, and Vice Commodore Frank Foster IV has lined up a

great group of spring and summer events.
Don't Miss The Good Times!

B.L.Y.C. Caribbean Cruise & Snowbird Dinner

Yacht Club members and friends aboard. The last scheduled Florida Snowbird Dinner will be at Ballenger's Restaurant in Ft. Myers on Sunday, March 9, 1997. Call Ed Ballenger for reservations if you would like to attend (941) 466-2626.

Another Gift To The Club

Dwight Joseph (Governor—1994) presented a computer graphics art picture of the Greater Buckeye Lake Region to the Yacht Club at the Board of Governors' meeting on February 12th. It is hanging above the fireplace and will be there for at least the next month for your viewing. One of the things that has historically made this Club great is the dedication and unselfish contributions, such as this, of our members. Throughout the history of our Club, members have donated many worthwhile items. Dwight, we all thank you for your generous gift!

Bud Sayre

We were all saddened by the death of Bud Sayre, another one of those members who had contributed to the B.L.Y.C. and the community all of his life. In fact, he and Zenna made possible our new beautiful bar, made of solid mahogany. Bud was loved by all members and will be greatly missed.

Kitchen Committee

One of the concerns of myself and the Board of Governors is the lack of use

of the kitchen and bar facilities on Saturdays and Sundays. The attendance on Wednesday and Friday nights is great! The kitchen committee is working hard

and evenings. You will be seeing the results of these efforts soon. If you have any suggestions, please call Club Manager John Geiger, Governor Dick Manifold, or myself.

See you at the Club. Bon appétit!

General Manager's Corner

John Geiger

Again, I want to thank everyone who has called for dinner reservations since our last Log for quarter hour seating. It is still O.K. to request seating on the hour and half hour, but quarter hour intervals have helped us tremendously expedite the

flow of orders through the kitchen. Our wait and kitchen staff are working together to provide you with the highest level of convenience and service that is possible and should be expected in a private club.

Currently, our Club Restaurant Staff consists of Hans Kamphowe, our executive chef (who makes everything happen); Naomie Bush, Han's assistant cook (and housekeeper); Charla Hilbert, kitchen assistant; Demetra Ford, head server and dining room coordinator;

Trinda Gore, server; Cathy Hull, server (and bookkeeper); Nick Grise, kitchen and house service; Jackie Ghiloni, assistant server; and Charlie Hughes, kitchen/dining room/house service. Not all of

Manager's Corner continued

established for enhanced dining service would not be possible.

Our Club Bar Staff has not changed. We have been attempting to schedule on-duty hours to maximize our cost efficiency, and at the same time, provide the quality service that you have been accustomed to in the past. Andrea is coordinating our bar service, as well as, closing almost nightly. Her skills related to our computer are invaluable. Andrea's assistance with other Club services can not be appreciated enough. Other Club Bar Service Staff includes the familiar faces of Leslie Churchill and Dean Grace. Without Leslie and Dean being available as needed on busy nights and for parties/events, we could not provide you with the continuity of service that a private club should offer.

Many things go into making an enjoyable evening at the Club, both before and after an evening of open dining, party or event, that often go unnoticed. Planning and preparation are essential to our success. Without a unified, team oriented staff, successful parties such as our February Sweethearts Ball would not be possible.

Starting In March we are going to test a program of **Coupon Incentives** to attract more of you, and your guests to the Club more often. Please note Tim Maite's article (acting Bar and Kitchen Governor while Dick Manifold is recovering from surgery).

We are going to offer one-half price Sunday lunches and dinners with coupon and the purchase of one full-priced menu entree or Sunday Special of equal or less value. Likewise, we are testing a program of item discounts. **Coupons Are Available In This Log** for the one-half price entree special and a 25% discount on both daily special appetizers and desserts. Coupons are not applicable on Easter Sunday, and must be presented to your server prior to ordering. Coupons cannot be duplicated (must be original Log coupon), and will not be available at the Club. Clip them now, put them in your billfold/purse, or

Dear Members:

Have you ever been introduced to fellow Club members only to find that minutes later you have forgotten their names? Do you wish you had a tool to use outside the Club which would enable you to reach new members? Would you like a keepsake from our Club that will last for years?

Because we want to bring our Club family closer together, we have arranged for a color pictorial directory to be published. Each of you is important to us, and we want you and your family to appear in our directory.

Do you find that you don't have time to make a second trip to the Club so that you can select your portrait for the directory? This is no longer a problem with Olan Mills' new Video Image Proofing System. The new system enables you to have your portrait taken and view your proofs at the same sitting by utilizing computer generated images. This saves you valuable time and speeds up the production of our new directory.

And, by having your portrait taken and viewing your proofs, you will receive a complimentary color directory and 8 x 10 Natural Color Portrait. It's our way of saying "Thanks!" Of course, if you have additional portrait needs, you will be able to choose from various portrait packages at special savings.

This directory will be a valuable tool for the Club, and we want all of our members to participate. Our goal for participation is 100%, and we're counting on you to make it happen! Your directory will be a treasured keepsake and an excellent source for addresses and telephone numbers.

*Stop by The Club to select a day and time that would be convenient to you for your picture session or call The Club - 9294491 and ask for John, Cathy, or Andrea to reserve your time and day. **Do Not** leave your reservation time on the recorder. If no one is available to accept your call, leave a message regarding the best time to return your call.*

Photography Dates and Hours

Thursday - May 1st - 3:00 p.m. - 9:20 p.m.

Friday - May 2nd - 3:00 p.m. - 9:20 p.m.

Saturday - May 3rd - 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

car so you will have them when you visit your Club in March.

The key to keeping a moderate price policy in both the Club Restaurant and Bar is an enhanced and stable level of business. Simply stated, the more members and their guests who take advantage of our dining and beverage services, the easier it is, and will be, to operate the Club on a break-even basis, and at the same time offer quality food and beverage services at moderate prices. Each day of operation requires certain fixed costs that must be incurred regardless of daily sales levels in both the restaurant and bar. Wholesale food and beverage prices continue to rise. We have experienced an increase in both open

dining and party attendance. Hopefully our coupon program will help us continue to grow. Hope to see you more often, and pledge to continue offering quality food and beverage services.

Please Call Early For Easter Sunday Dining On March 30. Refer to our Easter menu printed in this Log.

Dick, hope to see you at the helm again soon. Wishing you a speedy and full recovery from your surgery.

See You at the Club,



Membership & Directory

I am happy to tell you our membership continues to grow. At our Board Meeting of February 12, 1997, we approved one new member and reviewed the application of six potential new members. If all are approved, our new membership will reach 20 by the end of this month.



Rear Commodore
Tim Maite

Let's not forget our **Rush Party** prior to our ice breaker 50's party, Saturday April 12, 1997, from 5:30 to 6:30 in the Commodores' Lounge. Complimentary Hors D' Oeuvres and beverages will be served for prospective members and the member who brings them.

Remember, continued success of our Club depends on our membership. Please, if you have a prospective new member, bring them to our **Rush Party** or have them contact me at The Club or call me at 928-6116.

Very Important

Membership Directory: Those of you who were unable to have your pictures taken for the directory in December, should mark the dates of May 1, 2, and 3 on your calendar. These dates have been secured for your photographs to be taken for our new directory. This will be your **Last Opportunity** to have your pictures taken for the directory. *(Please see the new directory article.)*

For those of you who don't know, our Bar and Kitchen Governor Dick Manifold will be on sick leave for about six weeks to recover from a hip replacement. I'm sure all of us wish him well and a quick recovery. During his absence, I will be assisting him in his duties. Dick and I would like to share with you some exciting news.

Effective in March, for a period of one month, we will be promoting The Club Restaurant with a coupon pro-

gram. We hope all of you will take advantage of this promotion. Please see the General Manager's Corner (John Geiger) for detailed information.

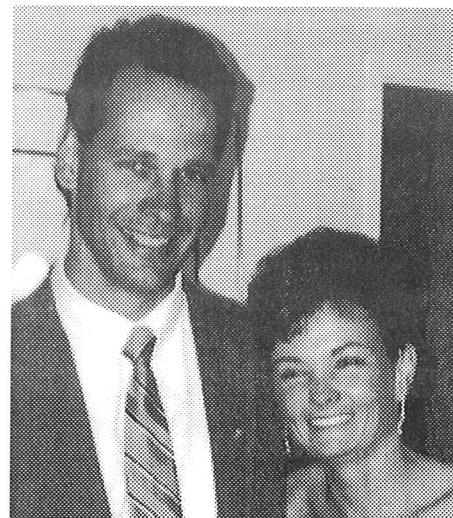
In addition to regular club hours, in May The Club Bar will be open Monday, Tuesday and Thursday serving drinks and sandwiches from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. The final details will be compiled and you will all be advised. We all feel both of these programs will better serve you as members and allow the B.L.Y.C. to be more member friendly. Remember for both of these programs to be successful, your participation is necessary.

Thank you for your assistance. See you at the Club.

John

The 1997 Board approved the following new member at their February 12, 1997 meeting.

"WELCOME ABOARD"



Ron Adams and Tracy

Six new applications were reviewed by the 1997 board on February 12, 1997.

Name	First Mate	Sponsor	Second
Michael Burke	Imogene	Jack Holmes	Al Wing
Bill Linde	Sue	David Miller	Jack Maier
Trevor Gamble	Carolyn	Richard Doyle	Larry Pasley
Marshal Thompson	Kathy	Tony Caito	Frank Foster
Andrew Loring	Barb	Matthew Davis	Frank Foster
Robert O'Neil	Alexa	John Sproat	Jerry Besanceney



Easter Sunday Menu



served from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Easter Salad Bar

Roast Prime Rib au jus, Baked Potato	12.95
Fresh Fried Chicken w/Dressing & Mashed Potatoes	7.95
Grilled Salmon Filet, Fresh Dill Sauce, Baked Potato	10.95
Broiled Jumbo Prawns, Garlic Butter, Baked Potato	14.95
Baked Ham Hawaiian, Au Gratin Potatoes	8.95
Surf & Turf, (Prime Rib & Prawns), Baked Potato	14.95

Children's Dinners (10 & under)

Choice of Ham or Chicken	4.95
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Free Dessert with every Dinner!

Parties of eight or more, one check please!

Easter Dinners served by Reservations only.

Limited Seating each half-hour

Dock Waiting List As Of January 1997

Request Date	Covered Docks
01-25-82	1. Karl Kumler
05-23-84	2. Guy Brown
06-20-84	3. William George
01-14-85	4. John Blair
03-13-86	5. Tim Ryan
02-28-87	6. Dan Kerr
06-01-89	7. Joe Kerr
02-04-90	8. Wayne Farnsworth
02-19-90	9. Steve Schilling
02-19-90	10. Greg Miller
02-10-91	11. Jeff Kircher
10-04-92	12. F. Foster IV
12-15-92	13. George Makey
02-04-96	14. Tony Caito
05-22-96	15. Ron Harris
10-27-96	16. John Geiger

Request Date	Open Docks
07-24-88	1. Bill Ray
06-13-91	2. Nick Mast
10-06-92	3. Joe Miller
05-19-93	4. Mike Johnson
06-10-93	5. Roger Sluder
08-15-93	6. Fred Taylor
10-23-93	7. Thomas Erickson
12-11-93	8. Herb Caulder
02-01-94	9. Dave Miller
02-15-94	10. Dan Demary
03-09-94	11. Jeff Tilton
03-20-94	12. Richard Baker
04-13-94	13. Michael Evans
04-29-94	14. Loren Briggs

05-22-96	31. Ronald Harris
07-15-96	32. Dave Thomas
07-26-96	33. Klaus Krajenski
09-27-96	34. Michael McNulty
10-20-96	35. Tim Thimmes
12-01-96	36. Girard Besanceney
01-11-97	37. Bob Lehman

Anyone with questions please contact
Howard Clark.

Home Phone: (614) 246-4231
Office Phone: (614) 653-0311 ext. 276

Ladies' Auxiliary

This month we resume our monthly meetings. This month it is Tuesday, March 11th, at 6:30 p.m.

A delicious dinner is planned and after dinner we will discuss various projects ahead. After our business meeting, we will play cards. Please bring cards and plan on a table with your friends. Invite guests and let's have a fun evening.

There will be tables set up for the evening.

Plan to attend this important meeting.

Make reservations now!!!

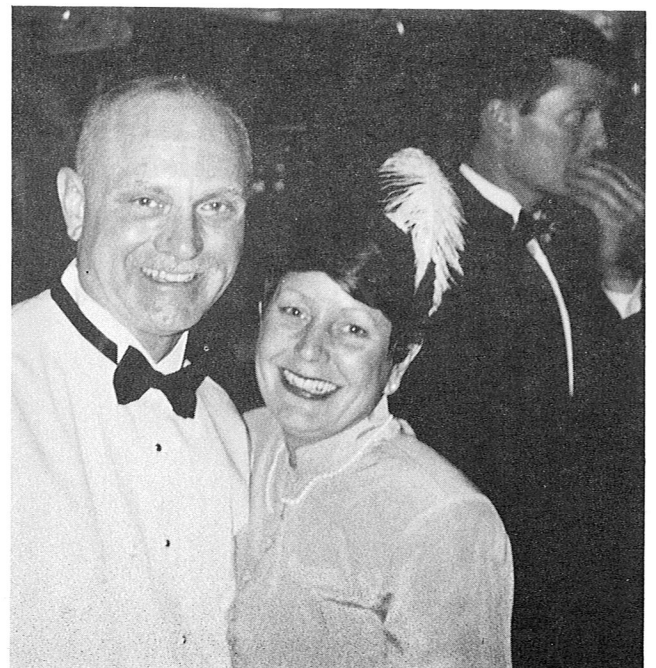
Snow Birds Article

The BLYC Snowbirds met for the 1st party of 1997 at Fort Myers Beach's Ballenger Restaurant and Seafood Gallery on January 23, 1997, about 4:30 p.m. Ed Ballenger met us at the door, and welcomed us into his famous eatery. Present were past Commodores Gale Roshon and Wilbur Wuellner, Bill and Rosemary Findley, Mac and Joan Wood, Bill and Tommie Geiger, Jim and Julie Cooper, Jim and Betty Schaller, Mark and Pattie Yerke, Ken and Barb Wohlfarth, Fred and Carol Taylor and guests Bob and Fay Offenbacher, Wilbur and Custis Wuellner and guests John and Bea Goetz and Teresa Cooper. Guests are welcomed when accompanied by a member of the BLYC.

After everyone was served cocktails, we ordered from the menu and were served a delicious dinner. After rounds of picture taking, we all learned to know each other more closely and laughed, talked and enjoyed ourselves.

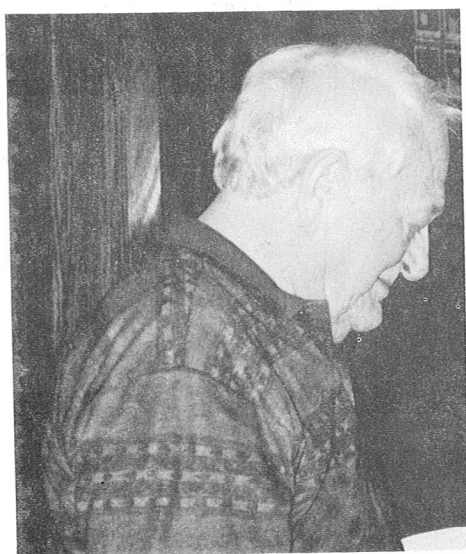
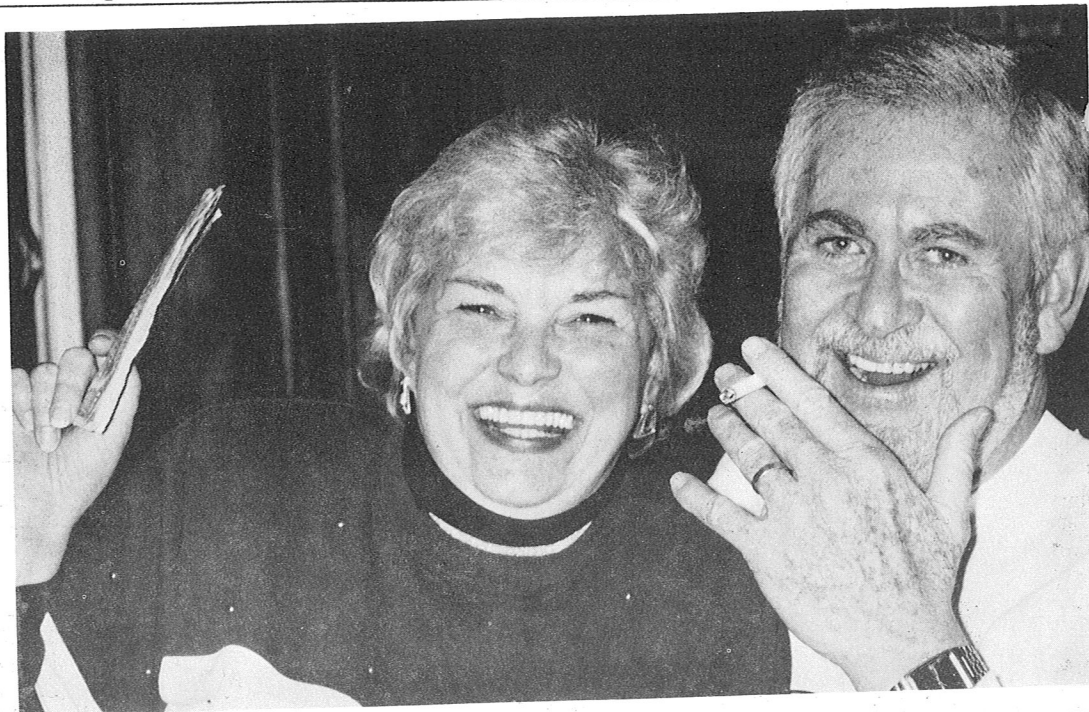
The next party of the BLYC Snowbirds will be Tuesday, February 18th. We all will be looking forward and anticipating seeing many new faces at the upcoming party.

Your appointed Chairman,
Wilbur Wuellner

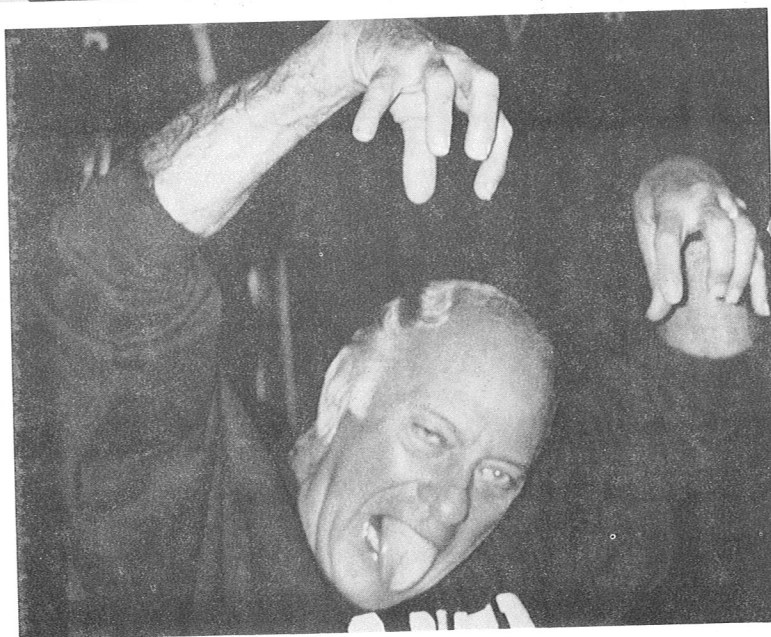


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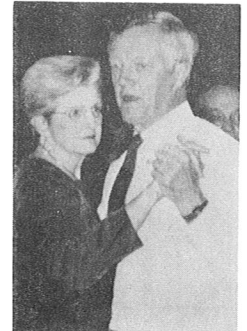
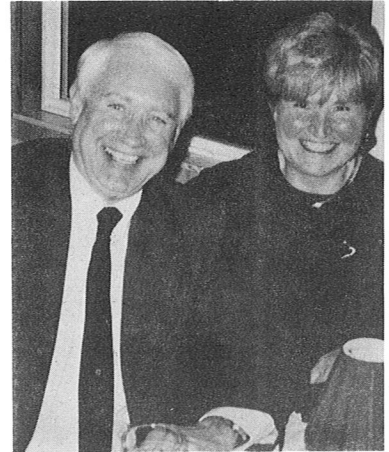
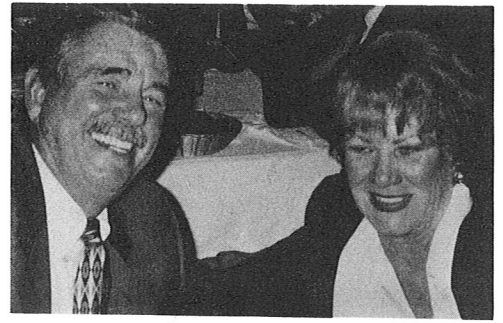


Grandpa Foster Won Too !!!

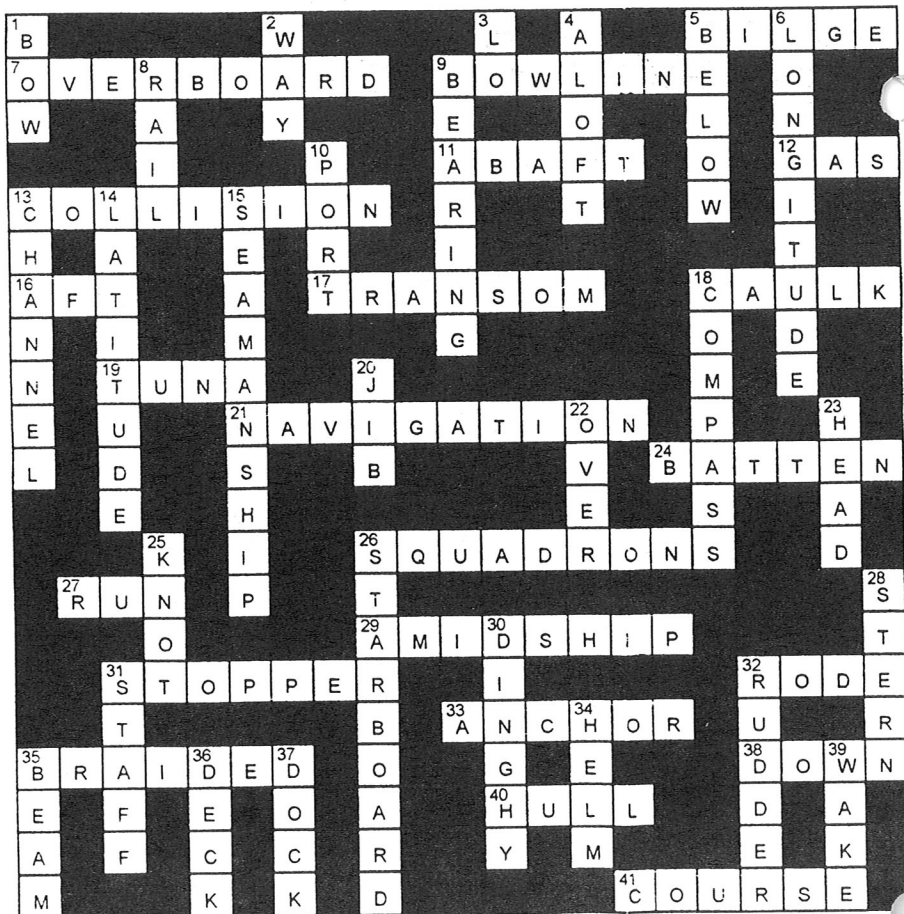


Norb's reaction to NOT winning





PUZZLE ANSWERS



SUNDAY LUNCH/DINNER DINING COUPON

B.L.Y.C. Member

March 1997

This Coupon Entitles You to the Purchase of One Regular Menu Entree or Sunday Special at One-Half (1/2) Price With the Purchase of One Menu Entree or Sunday Special. One-Half Priced Entree or Special Chosen Must Be of Equal or Less Value of Full Priced Selection.

Coupon must be presented at time of purchase. One coupon per member from Log, duplicates not available. Not valid any day except Sunday, and not valid Easter Sunday, March 30.

Name:

Date of Redemption:

APPETIZERS

B.L.Y.C. Club Restaurant/Bar

Coupon Series #1

March 1997

Members present this coupon any Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, or Sunday (excluding Easter Sunday, March 30) and receive a 25% discount on any daily special appetizer during the month of March, 1997.

No other purchase required. Menu appetizers are not included as part of this coupon discount offer.

Coupon must be presented at time of purchase. One coupon per member from Log, duplicates not available.

Name:

Date of Redemption:

DESSERTS

B.L.Y.C. Club Restaurant/Bar

Coupon Series #1

March 1997

Members present this coupon any Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, or Sunday (except Easter Sunday, March 30) and receive a 25% discount on any daily special dessert during the month of March, 1997.

No other purchase required. Menu desserts are not included as part of this coupon discount offer.

Coupon must be presented at time of purchase. One coupon per member from Log, duplicates not available.

Name:

Date of Redemption:

Progressive Euchre Night Schedule Saturdays



March 1 & 22, April 5 & 19

\$2.00/person entry fee

(all money goes to prizes, amounts of prizes
depends on the number of entries)

The game will start promptly at 8:00 p.m.
and ends promptly at 10:30 p.m.

We would like to urge everyone to have dinner at
the Club ahead of time, but if you do,
please call ahead for reservations.

We recommend no later than 6:30 p.m.
for dinner to allow you to join us
at 8:00 for the game.

Host & Hostess for the Euchre Nights
will be Gene & Jane Kenny

Sat., March 1, 1997 Candlelight Steak & Wine Night

Steak Specials that include
a complimentary glass of wine.
Regular menu also available.
Normal Dining hours.

Reservations Required - 929-9941

April 12th

50's Party



6:30 p.m. Hors D' Oeuvres and Cocktail Hour
7:30 p.m. Buffet Dinner

Mixed Salad, Chicken Fingers, Yankee Pot Roast, Fish &
Chips, Vegetable, Roll & Butter, Coffee or Tea and Heav-
enly Hash Ice Cream

8:30-11:30 p.m. Bourbon Street Band

Wear your best 50's attire!!!

\$12.50 per person, tax and tip included.
Reservations 929-9941

Rush Party, prior to 50's Party
5:30-6:30 p.m in the Commodores' Lounge
Complimentary Hors D' Oeuvres and
Beverages for prospective members
and the member who brings them.

Saturday, March 15, 1997

St. Patrick's Day Party

Social Hour w/Hors D' Oeuvres

6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Buffet Dinner 7:30 p.m.

\$12.50/person Tax & Tip Included

Mini Salad Bar

Boiled Beef in Horseradish Sauce

Cabbage Rolls, Parsley Potatoes

Corned Beef & Fresh Vegetables

Chocolate Mint Cake

Roll, Butter & Coffee



John Sproat DJ
from 8:30-11:30 p.m.

Reservations Required - 929-9941 - Limited Seating

March 1997

For Reservations at Club
Call 929-9941

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Upcoming Events						
Sunday, April 20th Saturday, April 26th	Work Day Ladies' Auxiliary Fund-raiser Wine Tasting Night - Tickets available soon.					BLYC Cruise Open Dining 11:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. CANDLELIGHT STEAK & WINE
Saturday, June 7th	Jazz Fest, featuring two bands for the price of one, Yum Bambe and the Majestics - Tickets available soon.					Progressive Euchre Night → 5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. 1
Friday, June 27th	Danger Brothers - Tickets available soon.					
B.L.Y.C. CARIBBEAN CRUISE 1997 - GRANDEUR OF THE SEAS ROYAL CARIBBEAN LINE • B.L.Y.C. CARIBBEAN CRUISE 1997 - GRANDEUR OF THE SEAS ROYAL CARIBBEAN LINE •						
Breakfast 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Open Dining 11:30 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. TRAP SHOOTING 1 p.m. Start 2	3	4 Open Dining 5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.	5 Open Dining 5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.	6	7 Piano Music Open Dining 5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.	Open Dining 11:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. 8
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23 Palm Sunday Breakfast 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Open Dining 11:30 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Easter Sunday Dinner 11:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. Children's Easter Egg Hunt Bunny arrives - 2 p.m. 30	24	25	26 Open Dining 5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.	27	GOOD FRIDAY 28 Piano Music Open Dining 5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.	Open Dining 11:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. 29

The 1996-1997 Board
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Governor Wayne T. Lee
 Log

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 Bar & Kitchen

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Governor Bill Quinn
 Off-Island Maintenance

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Commodore Al Wing
Commodore Steve Schilling
Commodore Marque Debenport
Commodore John Sproat

The BLYC attempts to send get well cards and/or flowers to any member or member of his immediate family who is sick. Please let the Club Manager know if there is someone whom we need to wish well.

Also, in the event of a Member's death (or that of a member of his immediate family), please provide the Club Manager with whatever information you can as expediently as possible so we can respond accordingly.

IMPORTANT DATES

March

- 1 Candlelight Steak & Wine
- 1 Progressive Euchre Night
- 11 Ladies' Auxiliary Meeting
- 12 Board Meeting
- 15 St. Patrick's Day Party
- 17 St. Patrick's Day
- 22 Progressive Euchre Night
- 22 Fish Fry
- 23 Palm Sunday
- 28 Good Friday
- 30 Easter Sunday Dinner
- Childrens' Easter Egg Hunt
- Bunny arrives at 2 p.m.

April

- 1 April Fools Day
- 6 Day Light Savings Begins
- 8 Ladies' Auxiliary Meeting
- 9 Board Meeting
- 12 50's Party
- 20 Spring Work Day
- 22 Passover
- 23 Secretaries Day
- 26 Ladies' Auxiliary Fund-raiser
- Wine Tasting Night

1997 B.L.Y.C Standing Committee Appointments

Snowball Regatta
 Emil Klein, Chairman
 Steve Schilling, and Governor Bill McIntyre.
Homer Tussing Memorial
 'Tween The Trees Cruise
 Bob Yerke, Chairman, Jerry Boundy
Bob Dye Memorial Poker Run
 Don Lemmon, Chairman
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Commodore Don White, Chairman
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 Tom Flynn, & Bob Brussee

Gun Club

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