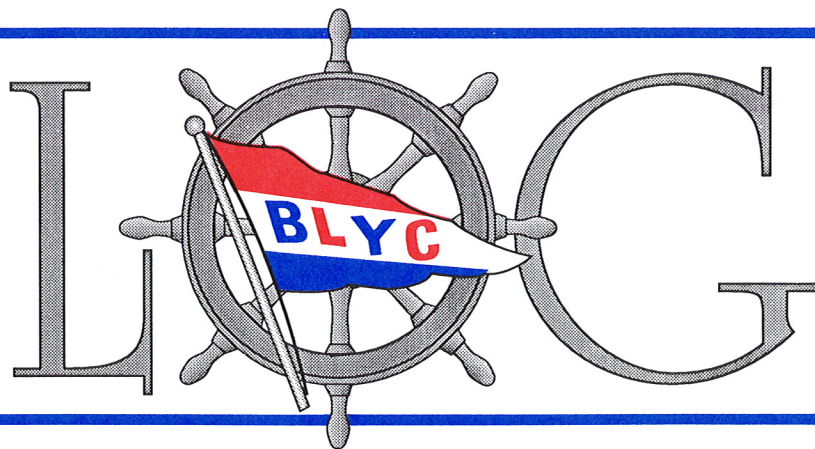


Buckeye Lake Yacht Club



FROM THE BRIDGE ☆☆☆

April, 1999 - Vol. 9 Issues 4



Commodore Tim Maite

Well, Spring is here and the Robins and Herons are home on the lake once again, but more important the "Snow Birds" are on their way home, too. **Welcome Back!**

The dock repairs are well underway and will be complete by the time it is boating season. I am pleased to announce that the Board has approved the purchase and installation of an automatic retractable awning for the pool bar. Also a new chlorinator will be installed in order to maintain the appropriate chemical mix for the pool water. I would like to thank Ed Levison for donating a "creepy crawly" to assist in keeping the pool clean.

April promises to be an exciting month at the Club. Spring events include an evening on the Titanic on April 10th. This promises to be an

eventful evening and dinner will include menu items prepared using recipes actually served aboard the R.M.S. Titanic. As this evening promises to be a unique event, it is necessary to make your reservations early so you are not left out. Also, don't forget Spring Work Day, Sunday, April 18th, the Springfest, Saturday, April 20, the Kentucky Derby Party, Saturday, May 1st and the semi-annual meeting, Sunday, May 2nd at 2:00 p.m. Wow! It didn't take long to get to May did it? And we are well into planning the summer events. Jerry and JoAnn Boundy and Ken and Mary Keller spent last weekend in Ohio River towns setting up the tentative itinerary for the "Tween the Trees" cruise scheduled for late July. Reservations for the Jr. Sailing Regatta at Put-in-Bay in July have been made and entertainment for our summer events scheduled. The busiest time of year is just beginning, and with the increased activities don't forget to make your reservations for dinners and parties early.

See you at the club,

Tim
Easter Greetings



The Auxiliary

Secretary Jane Kenney

Treasurer's report by Tracey Davis included current bank balances, profits and expenses of the membership raffle, children's Christmas party and the auxiliary Christmas meeting. She also stated we now have 61 paid members. Report filed for audit.

Pat Shade, Vice President, advised the members that Gary Helf, of Franklin Art Glass, must be out of town June 10. It was decided to switch the June and July programs. Please change your calendars... June 10 will be the Pool Party and July 15 we will visit Franklin Art Glass, have lunch in a private dining room at Lindy's, and tour German Village on our own.

Connie Rueckel, as requested at the November meeting, gave the results of her research for furniture for the fireplace room, with two styles suggested. Upon motion by Lois Holler, seconded by Maxine McBride, approval was given for purchase of six chairs (Chippendale style), area rug and glass topped coffee table for amount not to exceed \$5,000.

Ann Oliver suggested additional lounge chairs are needed for the pool area. She will investigate costs, matching present chairs, and report at the next meeting.

Next dinner meeting on April 8 will include a sing-along. Please make your reservations, and make note of change in the June and July luncheons as stated above.

Jane

Entertainment

Dear Fellow BLYC members, if I missed seeing you at the Club, let me wish you a Happy Easter.

Hopefully, winter has been banished and spring will start us on the way to a fun summer.



Rear Commodore
Nick DeSantis

Enchanted April is upon us and some enchanting events are planned for your enjoyment. On April 10, the long awaited voyage of the Titanic takes place. The musical styles of the legendary Eddie Pollina Band will transport us back in time to a more elegant age. The Club will be elegantly transformed through the talented efforts of our Manager, Linda and our Chefs, Hans and Charles, into a fantasy evening that Molly Brown would envy. You can do your part by attending in period costume and suspending belief long enough to pretend that you are aboard that ill-fated ship on a voyage back in time. Don't miss this one; it will be talked about for years!

On April 24, we revive our great Springfest. Hans will prepare the German feast as only he can do, and the music of Mike Farenkopf will surely delight. Willkommen and Bienvenue!! Ein Prosit to one and all!! Enjoy what has become a classic event here at the BLYC.

As you make reservations for these and all other events, please remember to make your smoking preference known as well as your seating preference. Above all, please show understanding. Due to limitations, your table may sometimes be moved later in the evening to accommodate dancing or quarters may be cramped. Above all, remember we are all friends here, all trying to do our best to have a good time. Don't ever let something silly get in the way!! As my father used to say, you don't know how

much time you got so enjoy it—only he said it in Italian and nobody knew for sure how to translate it!!

Check the Club calendar for future events. Make your reservations early—Mothers Day, Commodores Ball, Arnett Howard, just to name a few!

Hoping to see you at the Club,
P.S. Norm Tyack is here on April 16th!

Norm Tyack

From The Manager's Desk

Linda Goodman

The Great Blue Heron has returned to the Lake—so it must be Spring!

Things are getting busier around the Club—the talk around the bar on Sunday afternoons is turning from Trap Shooting to Sailing and the Calendar looks very full—so it is time for everyone to start checking their Spring Calendars for all of the upcoming events. Easter is early this year, April 4, and it is traditionally one of our busiest days of the year. April 10 is our "New" party for this season.

We will revisit "The Titanic"—please make your reservations as it will be a limited seating party. Early response has been very good. This will be the one party you won't want to miss this year—we have many surprises in store as well as great food and entertainment.

There will be some new things for you to look forward to in the coming months. In response to the recent survey, we will be open for lunch from May 26 through Sept. 6—both dining

room and pool bar will be serving lunch starting at 11:30 Wednesday through Sunday. We will be featuring a "Deli" type menu with sandwiches and salads, as well as an extended "Pool Menu" this year.

We have some exciting new plans for the pool bar this year that I think you will all enjoy. In addition to the new menu—we will have full bar service, frozen drinks, music, (a great new awning for shade) and live entertainment on selected Sundays.

If any of you have high school or college-age students looking for summer jobs—please keep us in mind. We will be adding additional staff for summer.

I'm looking forward to seeing all our snow-birds return from Florida, and for the docks to soon be filled with boats again—come join us soon for dinner—reservations appreciated!

Happy Easter to all!

Linda

P.S. Don't forget the Derby Party, May 1st. It's more fun than being there.

Club Hours

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday - Closed

Wednesday

5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Dinner

Friday

5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Dinner

Saturday

11:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Lunch

5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Dinner

Sunday

9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Breakfast from the menu

11:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Lunch and Dinner

In Memoriam
George Rogers

Passed away Tuesday, March 16, 1999

Race, Regatta, Jr. Sailing

It appears as though

spring has finally sprung!

Now it's time to properly kickoff the 1999 sailing season at BLYC.

All sailors, both racers and pleasure sailors, are invited to join us at the Club on Friday, April 20, for **Sailor's Night**. The purpose of this evening is to get everyone together to start off the sailing season right. We will dine together at the Club, discuss events for the 1999 season (both racing and non-racing events), introduce racing rules and procedures to those new to the sport, and enjoy the fellowship of fellow sailors. The survey sent out to all sailors earlier this year has provided us with some great ideas and we hope to have a fun-filled and exciting year. Please call Linda and her staff at the Club to make your reservation. We will dine at 7:30 p.m. See you there!

Here are some dates for upcoming sailing events:

- April 30 - Sailor's Night
- May 9 - **First Sunday Afternoon Race**
1:30 p.m. Skippers Meeting;
2:00 p.m. start (Weekly every Sunday thereafter - same times)
- May 31 - Commodore Edward C. Metzgar long Distance Race
- June 14 -18 - Junior Sailing Camp Week #1 - Beginners & Intermediate
- June 21-25 - Junior Sailing Camp Week #2 - Advanced
- June 28-July 2 - Junior Sailing Camp Week #3 - Intermediate & Beginners (Advanced that couldn't make Week #2)

Junior Sailing Camp is one of the best activities that BLYC has to offer. During the camp, sailors learn the basics of sailing, sailing terminology, racing techniques and strategy - all while making new friends at BLYC. Juniors, which



Governor Steve Harris

include teenagers, must be at least 9 years old sometime during the 1999 calendar year. Each participant should bring to camp his or her own life jacket, deck shoes (white sole) and swimsuit. While the enrollment deadline is the first day of camp, class sizes sometimes have to be limited -prompt registration will insure a place for your Junior. A registration form is included in this issue of the Log. Registration fees are \$100 for children/grandchildren of BLYC members (\$90 if more than one sailor in a family) and \$125 for children of non-members (\$115 if more than one), Make checks payable to Buckeye Lake Yacht Club. Mail registration and checks to:

Steve Harris
3535 Sellers Drive

Millersport, Ohio 43046

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (740) 928-1763 or via email at sgharris@ascenture.net

I hope to see everyone at Sailor's Night, April 30.

Other notes:

- *The Junior Sailing Banquet will be held on Thursday, July 8 instead of Saturday, July 10 as previously reported.*
- *Any Juniors wishing to race at the ILYA Bay Week at Put-in-Bay this summer - ILYA has some new rules this year that may affect our sailors' eligibility. Contact me ASAP so that we can assure your eligibility to race this year.*

Registration Form - 1999 BLYC Sailing Camp

Member's Name: _____

Address: _____

Home Number: _____ Office Number: _____

Name and number of person to contact in an emergency: _____

Name of Sailor	DOB	Level	Can Swim?
1. _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
2. _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
3. _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Levels: (Adv)anced, (Int)ermediate, (Beg)inner

Please note any current medical condition. (Ex. Diabetic/major Allergies)

Please indicate desired dates: Beginner level/Intermediate level Advanced
☐ June 14-18 ☐ June 21-25

Beginners & Intermediate (Advanced that couldn't make week #2) ☐ June 28/July 2

Camp meets from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. A complete itinerary will be sent to pre-registrants

House & Grounds

Hello, all of you fellow BLYC members.

It has been a long winter and spring is finally here, although there is

still snow on the ground as I write this article, lol (laugh out loud).

I hope you have had a good start to the year. I thought that I might share a couple of personal highlights from the last two months. The first two weeks of January provided an extended Christmas vacation for my 4 elementary school-age children, as Mother Nature closed down not only schools but also many businesses. On January 23 I was elected the 1999 President of the Columbus Mortgage Bankers Association, Then for 10 glorious days in February, Patty and I vacationed to southwest Florida on Sanibel Island and Fort Myers. It was great to get away and enjoy the wonderful outdoors without having to wear heavy outer garments.

Anyway, here we are back on wonderful Watkins Island and all is well as we prepare to send the Basketball Buckeyes to the Sweet 16 in Knoxville.

The Clubhouse and grounds have survived the effects of winter, although we did experience a couple of frozen water pipes in January. Thank you to that anonymous member who discovered the busted water pipe by the poolside restroom and reported it so



Governor Jim Shriner

that it could be fixed in time without any serious consequences. Also, thank you to Dan Knaul for his help in hanging some new light fixtures and replacing the door closer (courtesy of Commodore Steve Schilling) on the door to the coat room.

We are currently in the process of getting bids for the landscaping and grass cutting services.

Spring Work Day is scheduled for Sunday, April 18th at 9.00 a.m. This is an excellent opportunity to roll up your sleeves and help get the Clubhouse ready for the summer season. If you have never been to Work Day, you sure should give it a try. It is not a hard labor camp (lol), but rather a time to put a little work equity into the Club. After all, what else are you going to do on a Sunday morning in April—it is too cool yet to play golf, too early to cut the grass, the March Madness Basketball Tourney is over, and you're just itching to get outside and do some work. Your own personal residences can wait. Come on out to the Club, bring your tools and enjoy the camaraderie of your fellow members as we get the Club ready for summer. For those of you that need a little bit more encouragement, there will be a complimentary lunch and an ice-cold keg of beer!!!

Have a Happy Easter!

Mark

Rentals & Docks

Welcome aboard to all

our new members for the 1999 season. To all our members, welcome to another season of sailing, boating, swimming, fishing, and the opportunity to use and enjoy the activities at the BLYC.

We have hired Complete Marine Construction to renovate and replace our docks that were in need of repair. Complete marine construction had the lowest bid and have been working on the project for many weeks.

Also, I want to remind you about our Spring Work Day on April 18, starting at 9:00 a.m. Remember, Hans and Charles prepare a great meal in the afternoon.

I have been processing the dock assignments and the storage lots at Eastport. If you don't have a dock assignment from last season and you want to be placed on the waiting list, please contact me at the Club and I will have you complete the appropriate form.

Have a great spring and I look forward to seeing you at the BLYC.

J. Shriner

*Group picture of some of our members who spent their New Years in South Padre Island, Texas. L to R. Henry Bell, Alan Doulton, Carolyn * Herb Caulder, Marianne Groff, Joe & Ro Miller, Rick Groff, and Steve & Jennie Romine.*



St. Patrick's Party



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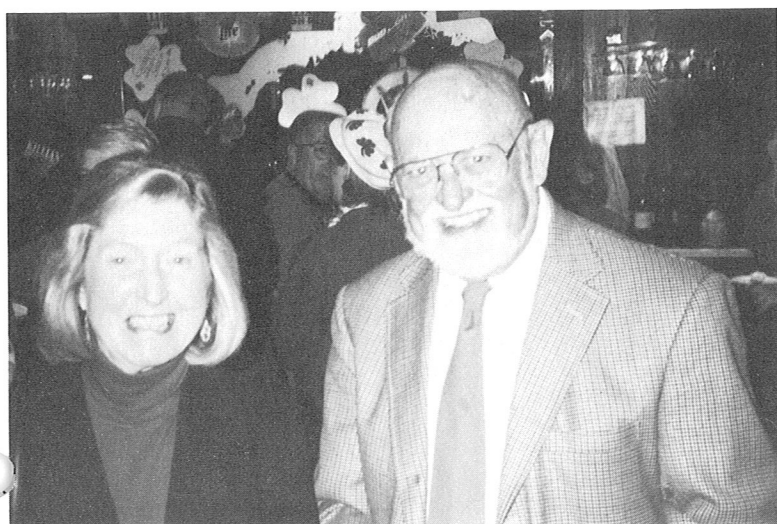
MARIE DONEFF & SCOTT CROSSMAN



AMY WOLTERS STEVE HARRIS



JIM & JO ANN FEDOR NANCY BROWN



JOYCE DEWEY ALBRIGHT



THE SHANERS

St. Patrick's Party



NICK DESANTIS LINDA GOODMAN



GEORGE & MARTY FISHER



JOHN DONNELLY



TOM & PHYLLIS FLYNN

JIM FEDOR



NICK DESANTIS JANE SHRINER
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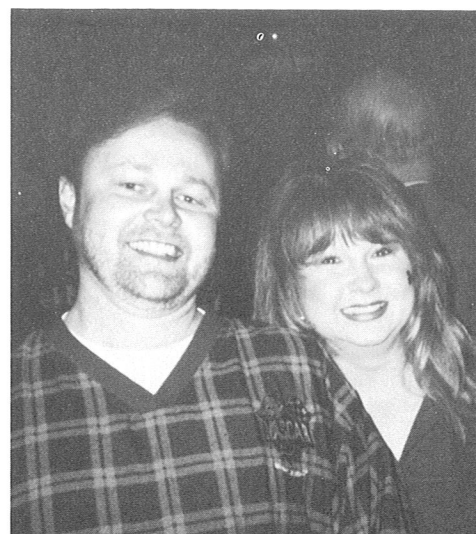
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St. Patrick's Party



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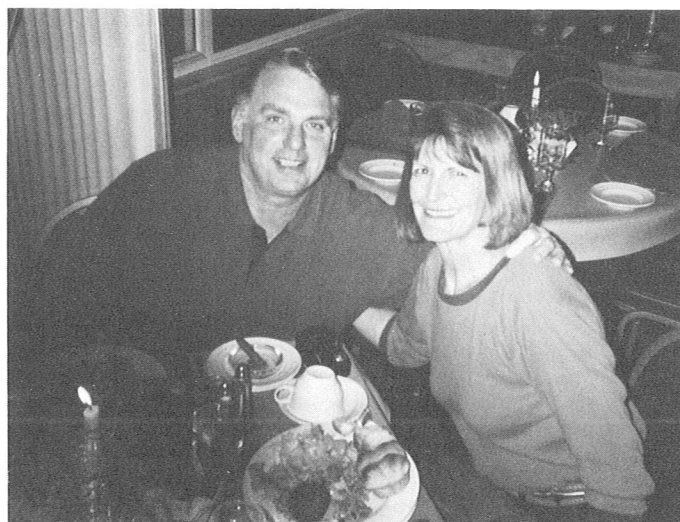
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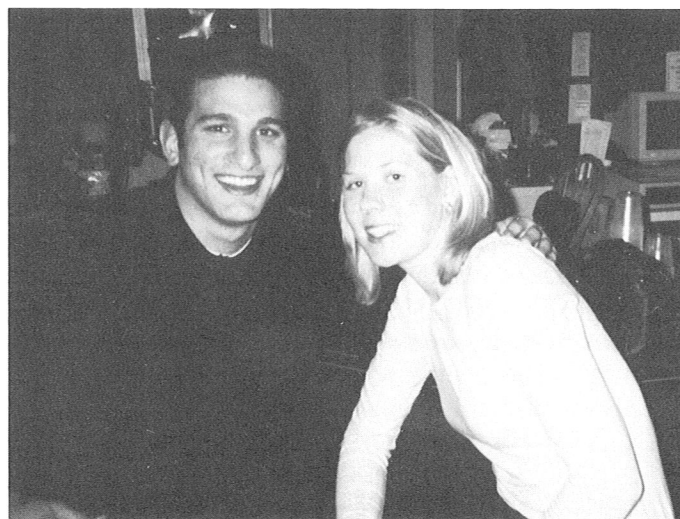
HOWARD & ROSA CLARK
JIM SHRINER



JOHN & SHARRON MEIGHAN



JUDY BAIR RICK REUCKEL



NICK DESANTIS, JR & AMY



Aboard the Dawn Princess Cruise

First Row: Sandy Foster, Packy and Sherry Sheeran, Babette and Dwight Joseph
 Second Row: Frank Foster, Dot Best, Rosa Clark, Martha Maite, JoAnn Boundy and Jane Kenney
 Third Row: Don Best, Howard Clark, Tim Maite, Jerry Boundy and Gene Kenney
 Forth Row: Frank Foster IV and Andrea Rogers. (Not pictured are Bob and Dell Koch)

The Club members pictured above had the opportunity to cruise the Southern Caribbean Sea from January 30th to February 6th. We embarked at 11:23PM on January 30th on a Westerly course following the coast of Puerto Rico for the Mona Passage which separates Puerto Rico and the island of Hispanola. The ports that were visited were Aruba, Grenada, LaGuaira (Caracas), Dominica, St. Thomas and San Juan. It was an experience we will all remember sharing with each other and most of us will cherish. We shall sail together again. Watch for upcoming Club cruises.

Attention Yacht Persons

Sunday trap shooting at BLYC

We start each Sunday at 1:00 p.m. (weather permitting)
12 gauge trap loads are available at the Club

SAILORS NIGHT

FRIDAY APRIL 30, 1997

Come join us for an evening of fun & fellowship to kickoff the 1999 season!

Information on 1999 activities will be available at this time.

Cocktails - 6:30 p.m.

Dining - 7:30 p.m.

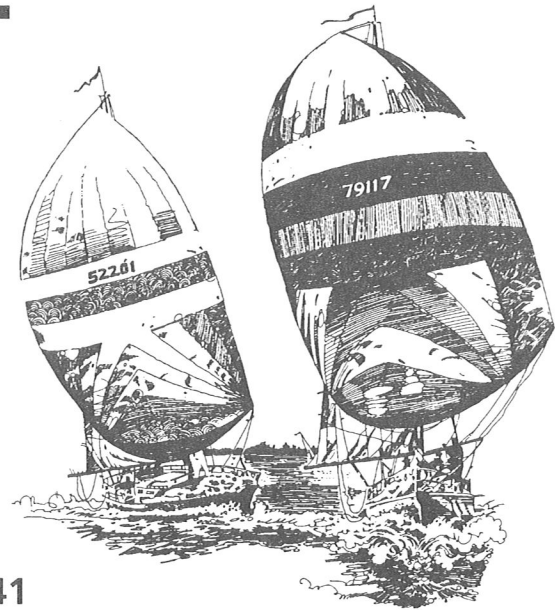
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For more information contact:

Gov. Steve Harris - (740) 928-1763

sgarris@ascenture.net

Make your reservations at the Club 929-9941



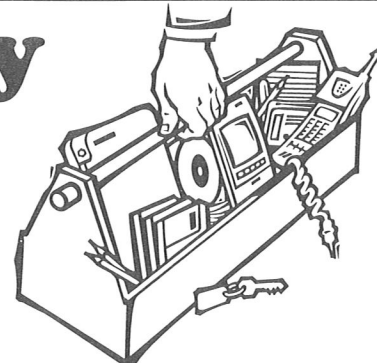
Spring Work Day

Sunday, April 18

9:00 a.m. Start

Bring your Tools!

Lunch and Keg of Beer provided.



PLANNERS ANNOUNCE 1999 "TWEEN THE TREES" CRUISE

On a day when winter's last major snowfall threatened to close the city of Portsmouth, Ohio, Buckeye Lake Yacht Club's intrepid planners of the "Tween the Trees" cruises were checking out accommodations at the Shawnee State Park Marina and Portsmouth's Holiday Inn. It was the second of two days required to visit all the launch ramps, gas docks, overnight accommodations and marinas that will figure in this year's renewal of the "Tween the Trees" Cruise.

Scheduled for Friday through Sunday, July 30 through August 1, the event will actually begin Thursday afternoon, July 29, when participants will splash their boats in Marietta, Ohio before moving their car/truck and trailer rigs on to Gallipolis. Special ground transportation will return the captains to

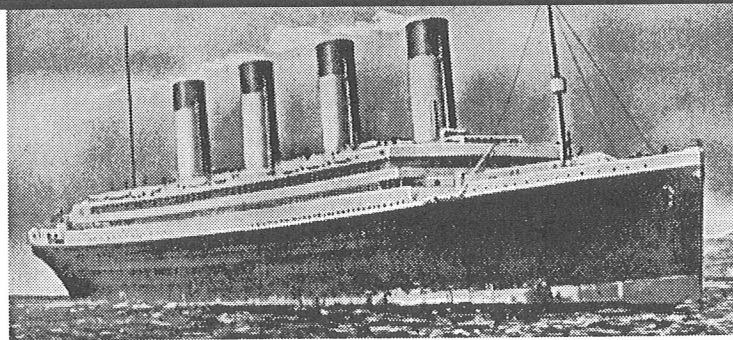
their boats in Marietta. They will spend Thursday night with their crews at the Best Western Motel.

Friday, it's down the Muskingum River and out onto the Ohio River for the start of the fourth of the current set of cruises' five legs, which are taking our brave fleet the entire length of the Ohio River from Pittsburgh, PA to Rising Sun, IN. Begun in 1996, the current cruises will conclude in Rising Sun in the year 2000.

Friday night will be spent in Gallipolis and Saturday it's on to Portsmouth and a great celebration banquet at the Holiday Inn to which all BLYC members are invited. Following breakfast on Sunday, the fleet will return to Gallipolis where all boats will be returned to their trailers.

Planners Jo-Ann and Jerry Boundy and Mary and Ken Keller report that they cannot remember a cruise that will enjoy better accommodations than the one planned for this summer. All BLYC captains are invited to join this outstanding summer event, and all sizes and shapes of boats are welcome. Last year's fleet ranged from bowriders to cruisers.

For captains unable to put out with the fleet on Friday morning, arrangements can be made to join up in Gallipolis. For further information, or to register your boat and crew for the cruise, call Jerry Boundy at 614-221-4402 or Ken Keller at 614-846-8761.



Sailing from
BLYC

Once in a Lifetime Cruise!
R.M.S. TITANIC
SATURDAY, APRIL 10TH

The Captain's Reception starts at 6:30 p.m.

*(Meet the Commodore during the Cocktail Hour
with Hors 'D Oeuvres)*

Dinner with the Captain at 7:30 p.m.



**Cruise Ship
Dress Code**

Tux Or Titanic Era
(Optional)

*A great time to wear
those white slacks and
blue blazers!*

**Entertainment with the
Eddie Pollina Band at 9:00 p.m.**

**Cost Per Person \$20.00 (Tax And Tip Included)
Early Reservations Necessary as Seating is Limited.**

(740) 929-9941

Captain Edward J. Smith



APRIL, 1999

Reservations
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Notes:				1 1st Day of Passover April Fool's Day	2 Good Friday	3
4 Easter Sunday Easter Dinner Reservations Only 11:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m.	5	6	7	8	9	10 Open Dining 11:30-5:00 p.m.
11 Breakfast 9:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. Open Dining 11:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.	12	13	14	15	16	17
			Board Meeting Open Dining 5:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.	Ladies' Auxiliary Meeting 6:30 p.m. Cocktails 7:00 p.m. Dinner	Norm Tyack on the Piano Open Dining 5:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.	Ice Breaker Titanic Party Cocktails 6:30 p.m. Dinner 7:30 p.m. Dancing (Eddie Pollina Band) 8:30 p.m.
18 Spring Work Day Kitchen Closed	19	20	21	22	23	24 Open Dining 11:30-5:00 p.m.
25 Breakfast 9:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. Open Dining 11:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.	26	27	28	29	30	Springenfest Cocktails 6:30 p.m. Dinner 7:30 p.m. Dancing 8:30 p.m.
			Open Dining 5:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.		Sailors' Night Open Dining 5:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.	

The 1998-1999 Board
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Commodore Frank Foster IV

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.

Return Service Requested

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**Photographer
& Editor**



Governor Bill Quinn

IMPORTANT DATES

April

- 4 Easter Sunday Dinners
- 10 Titanic Party
- 18 Spring Work Day
- 24 Springfest

May

- 1 Kentucky Derby Party
- 2 Semi-Annual Meeting
- 9 Mother's Day Dinners
- 16 Sailboat Racing 2 p.m.
- 23 Commodores' Ball

Change of Address

☐ For the winter ☐ For the summer

☐ For a short time ☐ For Good

The following is the address my mail should be sent to, effective: _____

Name _____

Street Address _____

City, _____ State, _____ Zip _____

Mail To: BLYC, P.O. Box 867, Buckeye Lake, Ohio 43008 **or Fax To:** 740-929-2123

1999 B.L.Y.C Standing

Committee Appointments

Antique Boat Regatta

Commodore John Sproat

Snowball Regatta

Bill McIntyre/Dan Knau, Chairmen

Homer Tussing Memorial

'Tween The Trees Cruise

Jerry Boundy and Ken Keller

Bob Dye Memorial Poker Run

Don Lemmon

Fleet Surgeon Dr. Richard Walters

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