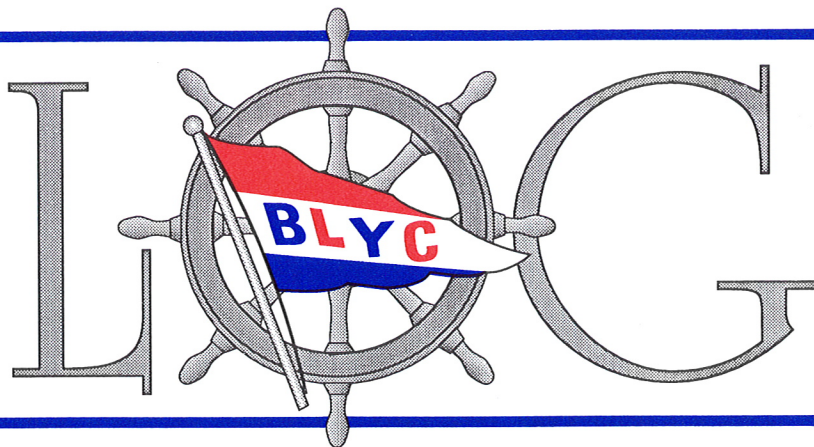


Buckeye Lake Yacht Club



FROM THE BRIDGE ☆☆☆

January, 2000 - Vol. 10 Issues 1



Commodore Howard Clark

Rosa and I would like to wish all of you a very Happy and Prosperous New Year as well as welcome you to the **New Millennium** and the Year 2000. The Club had a very successful Holiday Season with many seasonal parties. The BLYC staff, along with Michelle DeSantis and Jane Shriner, worked very hard to festively decorate the Club for the season. I am very hopeful the many members and guests that supported the festive Holiday functions truly enjoyed themselves.

As always, the Children's Christmas Party was a huge success. A special thank you to Jane Shriner, Michelle DeSantis, Mimi Geiger, Andrea Rogers, Marie DeSantis, and Becky Thompson assisting as Santa's elves and Rosa Clark as Mrs. Santa.

The Adult Christmas Party was December 10 with dancing to Montage.

New Year's Eve we welcomed in the **New Millennium** and the Year 2000 dancing to the MoJo Men.

The next log article will be in March. The following upcoming events should be noted:

January 07	Fire Place Fondue
January 15	Fish Fry Ice Breaker
January 30	Super Bowl Sunday
February 12	Sweetheart Dance
February 26	Greek Nite
March 04	Steak and Wine Nite
March 11	St. Patrick's Day Party
March 25	Canals of Venice

The 2000 Activities Calendar has been mailed to all members, Please refer to it for the days and hours of Club operation and all planned activities.

Happy New Year

Howard

Club Dining Hours

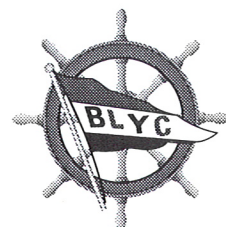
Monday, Tuesday - Closed

Wednesday, Friday	
5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.	Dinner
Thursday	
5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	Happy Hour
Saturday	
11:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Lunch
5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.	Dinner
Sunday	
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Breakfast
12:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	Dinner

Friday
January 7th
Fireplace Fondue
Happy Hour
Special Menu
Piano by
Michael Williams
6:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Saturday
January 15th
Fish Fry
Ice Breaker
Dancing with
Tony Monaco
8:00 to 11:00 p.m.

Sunday
January 30th
Super Bowl



Bar & Kitchen

Dear fellow BLYC members, Michelle and I wish you the best of health and happiness in this new year. All the millennium ballyhoo gives one a sense that this



Vice Commodore
Nick DeSantis

year is more special than all the rest and, like all new years, hold the promise of new hope! Let us make a simple resolution to see each other more at the Club this year. I know that's an easy one for a board member to keep, but it should be an easy one for all members, too. The great part of this resolution is that we all know if we keep it, we'll just be having all that more fun. Because that's what BLYC is all about. All the time and effort that we as members, board or staff put in—that's what it's all about. We are trying to make the BLYC an extension of our homes. Think of it as another living room, with the excitement of company coming all the time.

I've heard the BLYC referred to as the best kept secret in central Ohio. It's a secret we can all be proud to share with our friends, family and loved ones (hopefully, there is some intermingling of those groups).

This January and February we have some more great events planned with fondue night, Mike Williams at the piano, the All You Can Eat Fish Fry, Tony Monaco, Gourmet Saturday nights, and the Valentine's Dinner Dance. Please refer to the calendar and Rear Commodore Shriner's letter for details. There's something for everyone. We are all following Commodore Clark's prime directive—have fun and do it right. By the way, isn't Mrs. Claus the cutest? Actually all of Santa's helpers did a great job. Thanks again, Auxiliary!

Let's help each other keep this reso-

Entertainment

Welcome aboard for the month of January 2000 and the millennium. Hope your holidays were happy and merry and

safe.

Michael Williams Rear Commodore
Jim Shriner



and Tony Monaco were very entertaining and enjoyable. The Children's Christmas Party was a huge success as Santa passed out gifts to about seventy-five children.

Flaky the Magic Clown was very entertaining and he also caught the attention of the adults. I want to thank the Auxiliary for sponsoring the event. A big thanks to J.J. Jennie for his part in the annual event. A special thanks to Rosa Clark (Mrs. Claus) and the elves: Michelle and Marie Desantis, Mimi Geiger, and Andrea Rogers. Also, a big thank you to my lovely wife, Jane, for her organizational skills. Thanks also to Commodore Howard Clark and Governor John Geiger for their picture taking abilities.

I hope you enjoyed the group 'Montage' at the Adult Christmas Party and 'The MoJo Men' at the New Years Eve Party

The lineup for the month of January will be Michael Williams on Friday, January 7th then Tony Monaco for the 'Ice Breaker' on Saturday, January 15th. On Sunday, January 30th, will be the Super Bowl Party. More details on that later.

Looking to February will be the Sweetheart Dance with the 'Majestics' on Saturday, the 12th. On Friday, the 18th, Michael Williams will provide his wonderful piano music.

On Saturday, the 26th of February, will be the 'Night of the Aegean' 'Greek Nite' with dinner and dancing. I hope you enjoy the entertainment and the activities as much as we do. As always, I look forward to seeing you at the BLYC.

Off-Island Maintenance

Happy Holidays!

Under new business, nothing much to report. We have been working to finish up some projects already under way.



Governor Don Lemmon

Beginning with Eastport "the boat yard", we have started to remove trash and junk from that area. This is my second notice to tag your items or call me if you have anything stored in the boat yard that might resemble junk or trash to someone else, my number is 740 928-4343.

Parking lot: the grassy area to the right of our newly paved parking lot is off limits to everyday parking. This area will be used only as an overflow parking area for special events. Please do not park in this area.

Our goal is to make all off-island areas (including boat yard, parking lot, and surrounding areas) a place we can be proud of.

I have had suggestions to eliminate the grass in the boat yard and replace with gravel. This would be an expensive project. Your suggestions and help are appreciated.

We have done some work on the rentals: we had to use Roto Rooter to fix a long time leak and drainage problem, also had an electrician to repair some light fixtures and replace bulbs.

My goal as Off Island Governor is to make all Off-Island properties as neat and as well maintained as it is around our Cub,

Thanks again for your suggestions and help. Have a great holiday season.

House & Grounds

Many small and routine house and grounds projects have been completed since our last Log in December.

House and grounds repair and maintenance is a continuous process. Many things that are done often go unnoticed once completed, but need to be addressed on a regular basis to preserve the integrity of our facility and to avoid major expenditure in the future.

The Trustees approved a capital expenditure in December, which will hopefully be the first step in a process to gradually refurbish the Commodore's Lounge. As a result of the Trustee's approval to spend capital funds to cover part of the cost of new ceiling tiles, we are moving forward with plans to replace the tiles in the Commodore's Lounge, coat room entrance, and hallway. Hopefully, the tiles will be replaced before the new year. The tiles will match those currently in the bar, fireplace and dining rooms. We will not incur any outside labor expense to place the tiles. As a result of now having in-house staff maintenance capacity and expertise (Allen), it was determined that buying new tiles and having Allen install them was more economical than painting the current tiles, and would be a more aesthetically appealing. We are also replacing the two old wall lamps in the Commodore's Lounge with ceiling mounted track lights after the new tiles are installed. A member has agreed to pay for the preservation, framing and matting of the historical pictures now in the Commodore's Lounge by the door. We also would like to remat the Board pictures, and are considering new window blinds. Your input and suggestions regarding the



Governor John Geiger

Commodore's Lounge refurbishing project are welcomed

"Behind the scene" projects completed in December included the repair of a furnace, replacing the thermostat in the Commodore's Lounge, and replacing the disposal in the kitchen.

Hopefully, everyone had an enjoyable and safe Holiday Season, and don't forget the Club this Winter.

See you at the Club,



**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**

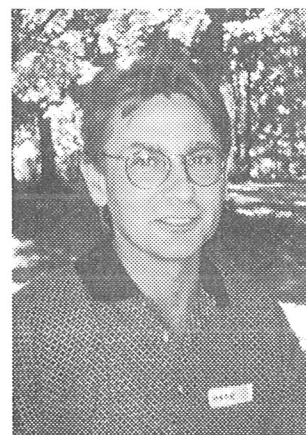


Membership & Directory

The response to the picture directory has been terrific. As this article goes to press, 136 members will have their pictures taken

at the Club for the new directory. For those of you who missed the sittings in December, there will be another opportunity the week of May 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th, 2000. We will announce sign-ups again in mid-March.

Two new applicants were approved for membership at the December 10th board meeting: C. Mark Russell and Harry H. Shaw III. Mark was sponsored by James Borden, Jr. and Steve McLane. Harry was sponsored by William Ruthford and Jerry Besanceney.



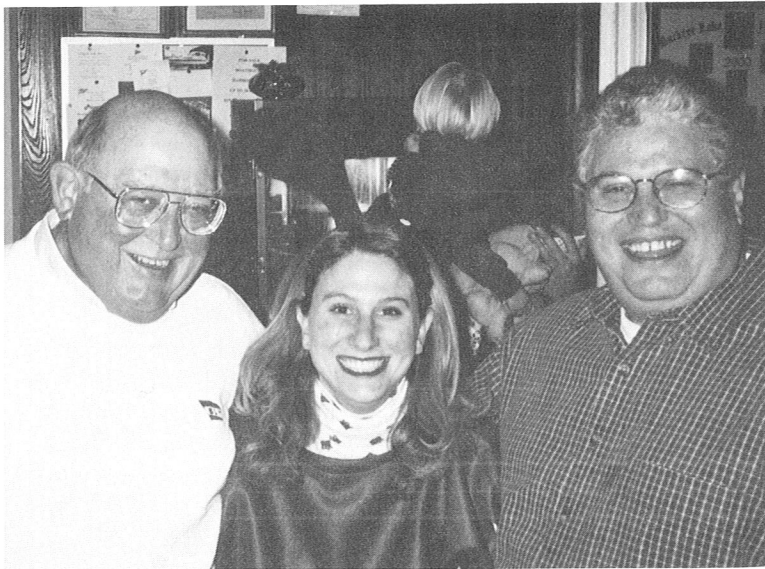
C. Mark Russell



Harry H. Shaw III

Have a Happy New Year!!!

Santa & Other Things



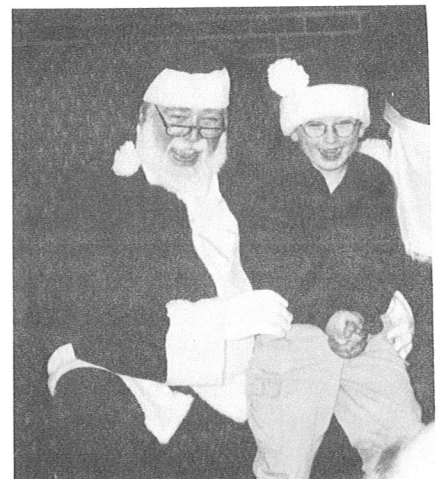
Commodore, Reindeer, Commodore



Jim McBride and David,
with dessert.

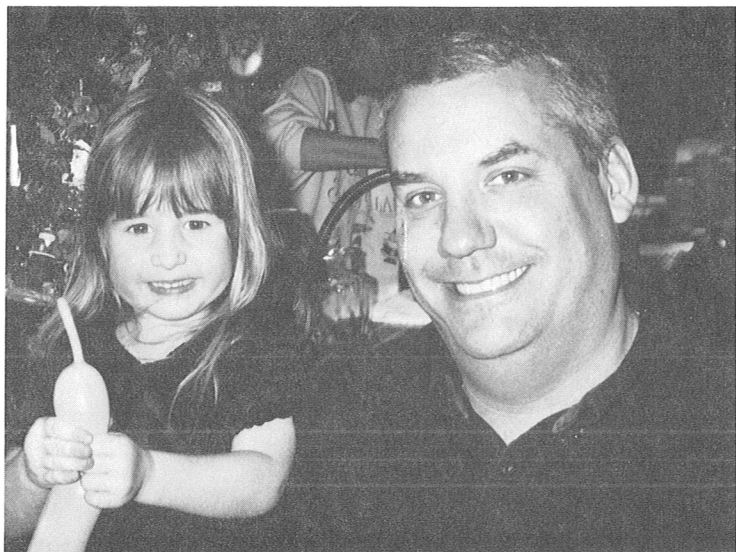


Jane and Gene Kenney



Happiness

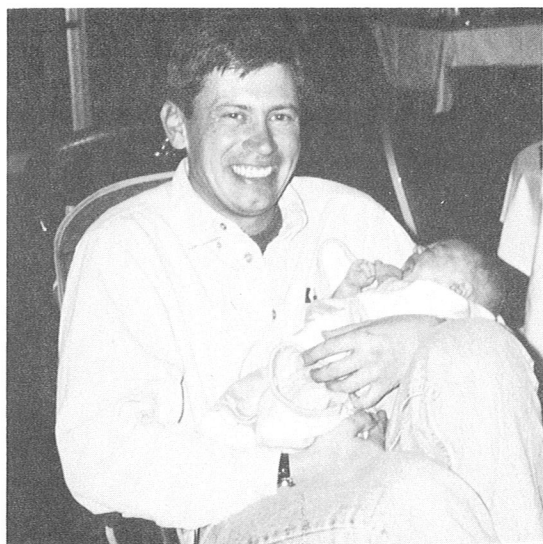
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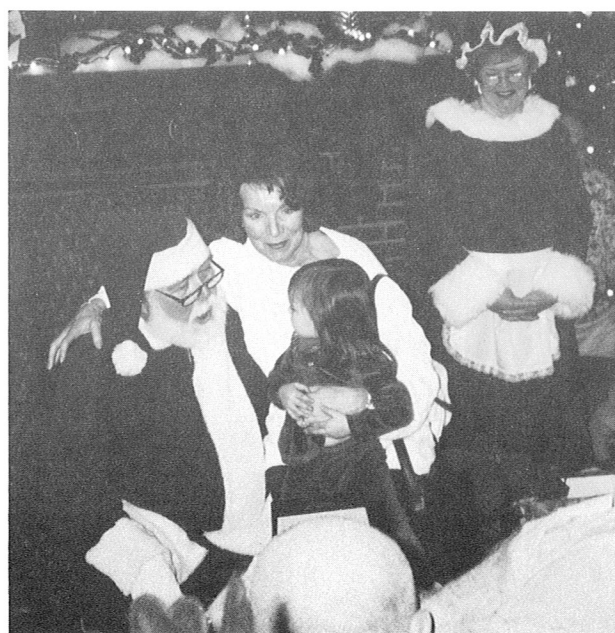
Jimmy Borden and
Beautiful Niece



Judy Bair and Grandson



Danny Knaul and
Little Bill MC



"And I want a Barbie doll
and a Pikachu, and..."

Around the Club



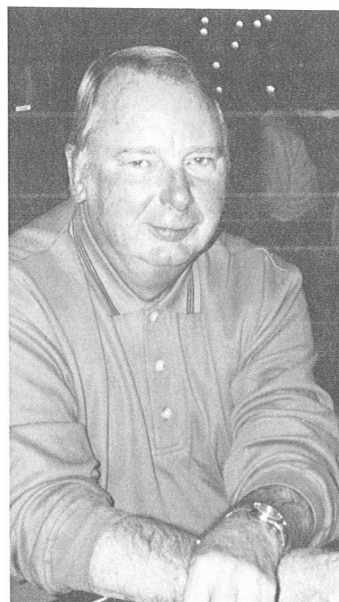
Patty and Gov. Mark



Mike and Cindy Kelly



Manny, Our Medal Winner



Bill Hoermle



Andrea and Michelle

JANUARY, 2000

Reservations
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Notes:						
2 Breakfast 10:00 a.m.-12:00 a.m. Open Dining 12:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. Family Sunday Special Dinner Price \$6.95 Plus Reg. Menu Kids 1/2 Price Trap Shooting 1:00 p.m. Start	3	4	5 Open Dining 5:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.	6 Happy Hour 5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	7 Fire Place Fondue Happy Hour Special Menu Michael Williams on Piano Open Dining 5:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.	1 New Year's Day Club Closed
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23 Trap Shooting 1:00 p.m. Start Family Sunday Special Breakfast 10:00 a.m.-12:00 a.m. Open Dining 12:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.	24	25	26 Snowbird Dinner Lexington Country Club Ft. Myers, Fl Open Dining 5:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.	27 Happy Hour 5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	28 Open Dining 5:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.	29 Open Dining 11:30 a.m.-9:00 p.m.
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The 1999-2000 Board
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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.

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**Photographer
& Editor**



Governor Jim Thompson

IMPORTANT DATES

January

7 Fire Place Fondue
15 Fish Fry Ice Breaker
30 Super Bowl Sunday

February

12 Sweetheart Dance
26 Greek Nite

March

4 Steak and Wine Nite
11 St. Patrick's Day Party
25 Canals of Venice

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: _____

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1999 B.L.Y.C Standing Committee Appointments

Antique Boat Regatta

Commodore Steve Schilling

Snowball Regatta

Bill McIntyre/Dan Knaul, Chairmen

Homer Tussing Memorial

'Tween The Trees Cruise

Jerry Boundy and Ken Keller

Bob Dye Memorial Poker Run

Don Lemmon

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