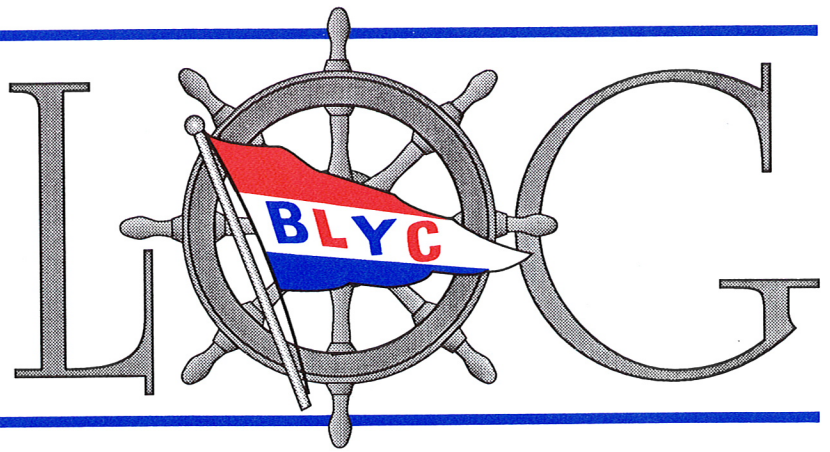


Buckeye Lake Yacht Club



FROM THE BRIDGE ☆☆☆

March, 2001 - Vol. 11 Issue 3



Commodore Nick De Santis

Dear BLYC members, March winds are blowing, the flowers' bulbs are sprouting (I am a florist), and the sun is shining on a regular basis again. Soon it will be the best time of year at Buckeye Lake. It takes a lot of preparation by the Board and by the staff to make things run as smoothly as they do here at the Club. A little help from the members is always appreciated. For example, remember to make reservations for dinner and for events. Make sure your dues are all paid up, and above all, make plans to be at the Club more. The more you're there, the more you want to be there.

Speaking of things happening at the Club, the work on the new docks is progressing nicely. The construction company (Commodore Frank Foster IV and crew) have pulled out thousands of pilings, 3 Dodgem cars and literally the

kitchen sink. It is more than the usual job to construct these docks but the board is confident that Frank is the man to do it! Good job, Frank!

Gov. Geiger has many exciting events planned this year. Vice Commodore Shriner has the chefs strutting their stuff and Rear Commodore Thompson has the Club spit and polished for the coming season. Make sure you consult the calendar and the flyers and make plans to attend our events. We have a special evening coming up for a BLYC Night at Scioto Downs. You won't want to miss that one, even though it isn't at the Club. It's sure to be special, thanks to the good offices of Commodore Ballenger. Make plans to win a lot of money and to have a typical BLYC good time.

Make sure you read all the other Governor's articles as they all spend a lot of time on their creative writing.

See you at the Club,

Bar & Kitchen

As we approach Spring, welcome to the Month of March and the Ides of March. All you early birds are probably busy commissioning your ships, big and



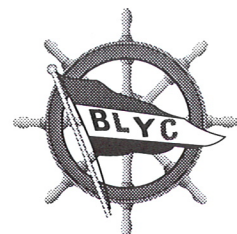
Vice Commodore
Jim Shriner

small, for another year of boating on beautiful Buckeye ocean or other bodies of water to be named later.

To those who don't know the Club is losing Jenny as our Bar Manager. Jenny has taken a position with Cherry Valley Lodge as a manager. I will miss Jenny's presence at the Club and I certainly wish her the best in her new endeavor. Good luck Jenny!

I want to thank Charles and David for keeping the kitchen going during Hans and Betty's vacation trip to Germany in January. David, our manager, is also an Executive chef. Hans served up a wonderful surf and turf menu Saturday night for the Valentines sweetheart dance. Paul Clark band entertained some eighty members and guests. Thank you Nick and Michelle for those beautiful flowers.

One of the special functions is the St. Patrick's dinner dance on Saturday, March 17th. John Sproat and the Majesties will entertain us, always a treat. John Geiger has many more activities planned for March, so please check John's article for those activities and dates. Once again a reminder to make your reservations with David, and as always I look forward to seeing you at the BLYC.



Entertainment

Winter is going

well, your BLYC is open, warm, and we're having a good time. Our Sweetheart Dance with the Paul Clark Band was well attended. Paul, "you know what we like"! Paul Clark fans get ready, in addition to the March 31 Beach Party, Paul's Band will be playing for the Commodore's Steak Fry on June 16, a Midnight Swim-Pool Party on July 7, and the Snowball Ball on October 6. Mark your calendars.



Governor John Geiger

However, **Spring** is on its way (could you speed it up Commodore), and our spring, summer, and fall entertainment calendar is taking shape. A complete schedule will appear in the April Log.

Please note the following entertainment schedule March 3rd through April 21st. (menus and pricing - see displays)

March 3, Saturday (new)

The Tony Monaco Trio
Canals of Venice (Dining)

Special Menu 5-9:00/Dancing 8:30-11:30

March 9, Friday - Gayla Smith

Open Dining

March 17, Saturday

The Majestics (John Sproat)
St. Patrick's Day Party
Cocktails 6:30
Irish Buffet 7:30
Dancing 8:30-11:30

March 23, Friday

Norm Tyack (he's back again)
Open Dining

March 31, Saturday (new)

Paul Clark Band
Beach Party
Prizes for the Best Summer/Beach Dress
Individual & Group
Cocktails 6:30
Caribbean Buffet 7:30
Dancing 8:30-11:30

April 7, Saturday (new)
Retro Rokit Band
Country & Western Night
Line Dancing
(Special Guest Singer?)

Prizes for the Best Country/Western
Dress - Individual & Group
Whiskey Hour and Snacks 6:30
Chuck Wagon Buffet 7:30
Dancing and Kicking 8:30

April 21, Saturday (new)

Tony Monaco Trio
New York Nights
A Big Apple Night
Reservations A Must

(Theater Tickets Not Included)

Rush Party 5:30-6:30
Five Course Dinner 6:00-8:30
Dinner Music & Dancing 7:30-10:30

Don't forget your reservations for
Easter Dinner - Sunday April 15th. - see
menu in this Log.

See you at the Club,

Membership & Directory

To all my
fellow
B.L.Y.C.

Members, here
we are in March
finally with the
"In like a lion
and out like a



Governor Mark Russell

lamb." We'll all hope the lamb part starts as soon as it can. I'm not sure if you noticed in the February activities calendar that there was not a monthly Board meeting. At this month's Board meeting we will have the second reading for Steve and Terri Beck. All though the Club is keeping great events on the calendar we have held up on some possible "Rush Party" dates.

At this point Governor John Geiger and myself have gone over some of the up coming entertainment scheduled and

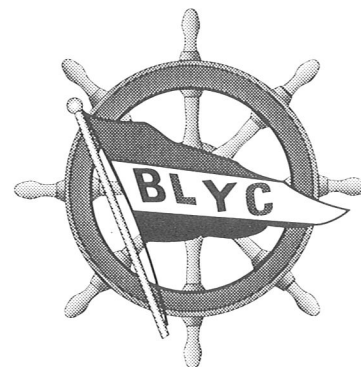
have come up with dates. This year we are taking several events and coordinating **Rush Parties** with them. We have picked some fun evenings that will have a good crowd but, not overwhelming for possible new members. Bring a prospective member with you and the Club will help you entertain them and have some cocktails and hors d' oeuvres on us.

Our first **Rush Party** will take place April 21st with Ice Breaker New York Nights. This evening starts at 6:30 with cocktails, dinner and dancing for the whole Club. Our **Rush Party** will be earlier in the Commodore's lounge from 5:30 to 6:30.

In June we will take advantage of the Commodore's Steak Fry. That night our dinner is 5:30 to 8:00. With entertainment from 6:30 to 10:00 p.m. The **Rush Party** will be 4:30 to 5:30 with our prospective members having cocktails and some hors d' oeuvres before the main events.

Again in July we are taking advantage of the U. S. O. Night at the Crystal Ball Room. This evening you'll be able to invite your guest to open bar from 5:30 to 6:30 in our Commander's lounge. This will give you a little time to have any questions answered by the governors.

Please take advantage of our **Rush Parties** to help possible new members feel at home at B.L.Y.C. And if you have any question please feel free to call me 614-239-0143. Thanks and see you at the Club.



If you get a chance wander by,

Jim Thurston



Rear Commodore
Jim Thompson

The Snowbirds Dinner at Lexington Country Club in Ft. Myers, Florida was held on January 17, 2001. This was the largest group we have ever had in attendance. We numbered seventy this year. Wouldn't this be a joy for Wilbur Wuellner?

Imagine the surprise on everyone's faces when our Commodore Nick DeSantis and Michelle, Vice Commodore Jim. Shriner and Jane came in. We knew ahead of time that Past Commodore Howard Clark and Rosa had made reservations, but to see the three of them come in—in uniform—really was a treat. Everyone was thrilled to see them and so happy that they had taken the time out of their busy schedules to come down to be with us.

In addition to those mentioned above, we had our “resident” Commodore Chris Lambrecht and Margene as well as Sally Baker whose father Dr. H. K. Harris was Commodore in 1946 and Joan Hein whose husband Mike was Commodore in 1974 and Bob Dye, her father, was Commodore in 1975.

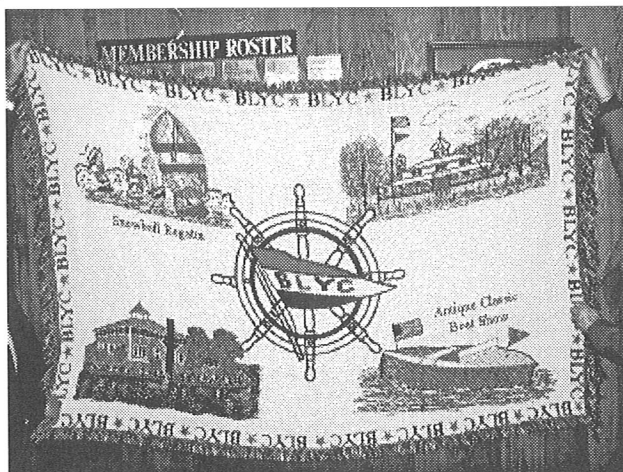
An enjoyable evening of “catching up” with one another, and partaking of a delicious meal and promises to come back for the next one on March 14, 2001 kept us there until quite late. (You might notice the difference in the date

!!BLYC Throws are in!!

The cost is \$53.25 (\$50.00 plus tax of \$3.25)

If you would like to place an order please sign the sheet at the Club (on the top of the showcase) or call Terri Gatton at 740-929-2446.

Please don't forget the Auxiliary Meeting, March 8, 2001, Cocktails 6:30, Dinner 7:00 p.m.



that appears on the calendar - it was a mistake on my part). We hope that any of you who happen to be in southwest Florida in March can come and join us. We'd be happy to see you. For reservations, call Barb Wofflfarth at 941-437-1496 or Mickey Schneider at 941-415-4857.

See you all in the Spring.
Mickey Schneider

Rentals & Docks

Dear BLYC members, just wanted to give you a quick update on the new dock construction at Eastport. We are still removing old will be starting or begin assigning d get closer to com

See you at the club,

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Governor Dan Knaul

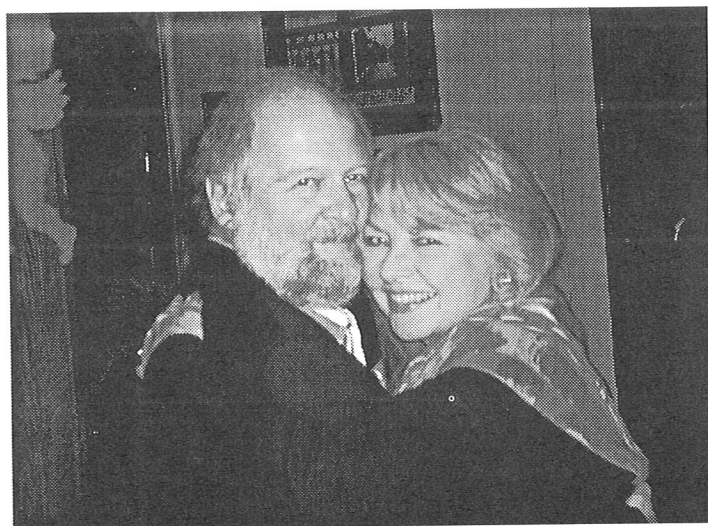
Dear Buckeye Lake Yacht Club Members,

I have accepted a position at Cherry Valley Lodge as their new Dining Room Manager. I am taking this opportunity as a welcome change in my life. I will miss everyone here and have greatly enjoyed my time at BLYC. The people here are like no others I have met, you have become my good friends and some I consider family. I would like to thank the board of governors and their wives for being so supportive in this move.

Buckeye Lake Yacht Club members are very special people, and I would like to thank you all for your friendship and making this a great place to work. I hope good things happen for the Yacht Club in the future. It's been a pleasure working among all the great people here.

Sincerely,
Jenny Smith

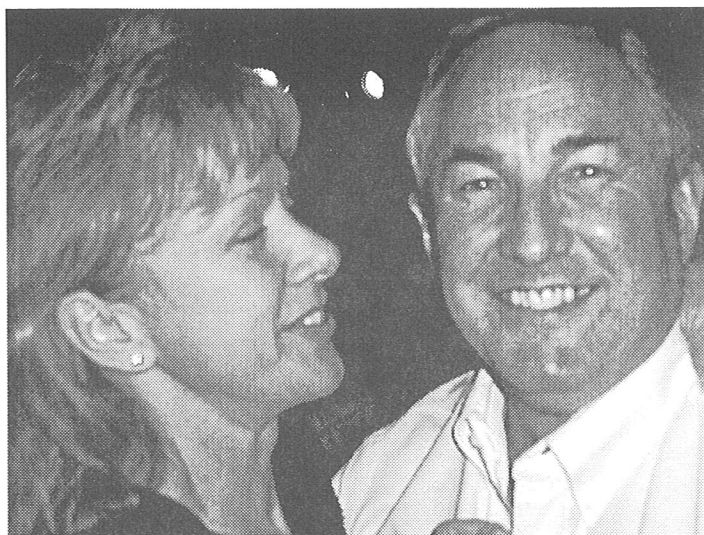
Good Luck Jenny!
We'll miss you!

Sweetheart Dance*Buckalews and friends**Dave Evans and friends**Fred and Judy Bair**Guest performer - Tom Shain**Harris', Baldwins and friends**Jim and Becky Thompson*

Sweetheart Dance



Joni Campbell - Dave Evans



K. Jones



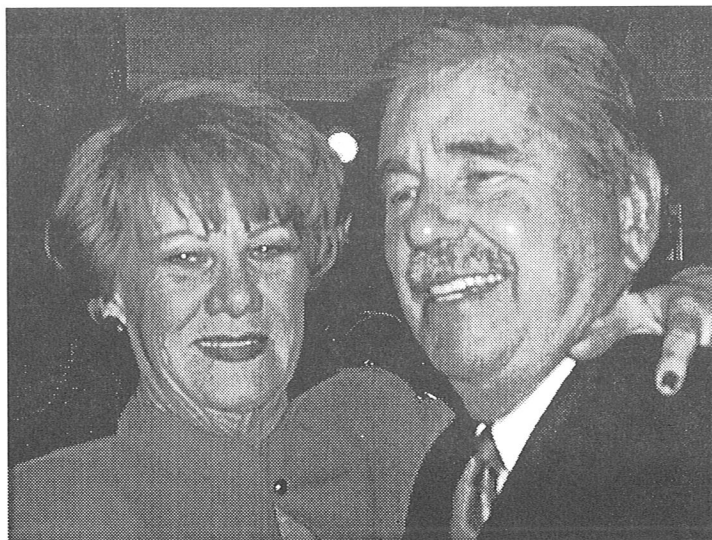
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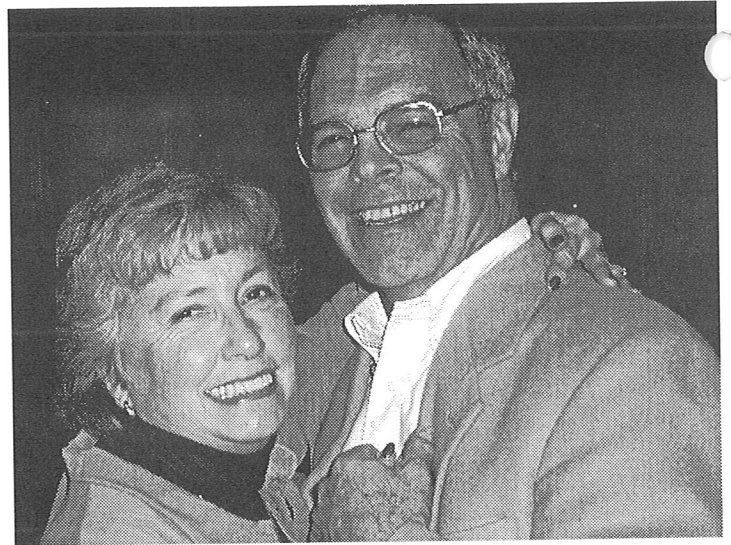
Marie Doneff and friends



*Nick and Martha and Tim and Michelle or is that
Nick, Martha and Tim, and Michelle*



Phyllis and Tom Flynn

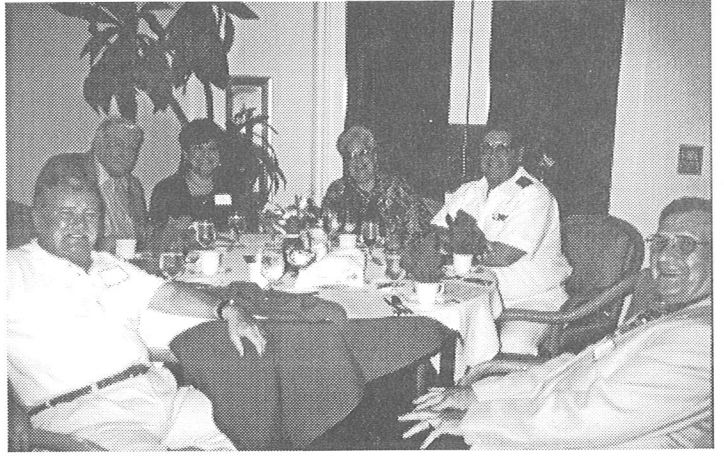
Sweetheart Dance*Russells - Geigers - Davis'**Sandy and Bob Baldwin**Sweethearts**Thanks to our BLYC Team**The Becks**The Mingyar Family*

Sweetheart Dance



The Paul Clark Band

Snowbirds





Easter Dinner at the B.L.Y.C.

Sunday, April 15

Menu (served from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.)

Fresh Fried Chicken w/Herb Dressing and Mashed Potato	9.95
Prime Rib au jus with Baked Potato	14.95
Baked Ham w/Pineapple Sauce, Au Gratin Potatoes	9.95
Broiled Marinated Porkchops with Baked Potato	10.95
Garlic Pepper Grouper with Baked Potato	11.95
Beef and Sausage Lasagna w/Garlic Bread	9.95

Children's Menu (10 years old and under)

Chicken Dinner	4.95
Ham Dinner	4.95
Lasagna Dinner	4.95

All Easter Dinners include Soup & Salad Bar, Vegetable, Roll & Butter and Dessert

Easter Sunday Dinner by Reservations Only! — Limited Seating per 1/2 Hour

Please Call Early 740-929-9941

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



St. Patrick's Day Party

Saturday, March 17th

6:30 p.m. Cocktails & Hors D' Oeuvres

7:30 p.m. Irish Buffet

*Corned Beef & Cabbage, Boiled Red Potatoes, Irish Stew, Cabbage Rolls,
Beef Brisket w/Horseredish Sauce, Potato Soup & Salad and Chocolate Mint Cake*

Dancing 8:30-11:30

\$11.69 plus tax & tip — \$14.25 inclusive — Call 929-9941 for reservations



Beach Party

Saturday, March 31

6:30 p.m. Cocktails & Hors D' Oeuvres

7:30 p.m. Caribbean Buffet

**Junkanoo Chicken, Jamaican Jerk Pork, Lemon Cous Cous,
Plantation Shrimp Rice, Buccaneer Beef Roast,
Baked Blue Lagoon White Fish, Three Island Fruit Salad,
Spanish Roasted Vegetables and
Coconut Creme with Passion Fruit Sauce**

8:30 p.m. Dancing w/ Paul Clark Band

\$16.42 plus tax & tip — \$20.00 inclusive — Call 929-9941 for reservations



COUNTRY & WESTERN NIGHT **SATURDAY, APRIL 7**

6:30 p.m. Whiskey Hour and Snacks

7:30 p.m. Chuck Wagon Buffet

**Tex Mex Cole Slaw, Country Fried Steak, B.B.Q. Chicken,
Smoked Beef Brisket, Ham n' Beans, Corn Bread,**

**Pulled B.B.Q. Pork, Over Roasted Potatoes, Green Bean Casserole,
Cheddar Biscuits and Bread Pudding with Vanilla Sauce**

8:30 p.m. Dancing on the Patio to the Retro Rockets

12.73 plus tax & tip — \$15.50 inclusive — Call 929-9941 for reservations



MARCH. 2001

Reservations
(740) 929-9941

BLYC

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Notes:						
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

Open Dining 11:30-5:00 p.m.				Happy Hour 5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	Open Dining 5:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.	Open Dining 11:30-5:00 p.m.
Canals of Venice Special Menu 5-9 p.m. Dancing Tony Monaco 8:30 p.m.				Board Meeting Auxiliary Meeting 6:30 p.m. Cocktails 7:00 p.m. Dinner Happy Hour 5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	Gayla Smith - Piano Open Dining 5:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.	Open Dining 11:30-5:00 p.m.
			Snowbird Dinner Lexington Country Club Ft. Myers, FL 5:30 p.m. Open Dining 5:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.			St. Patrick's Day Cocktails 6:30 p.m. Buffet 7:30 p.m. Dancing-Majestics 8:30 p.m.
Trap Shooting 1:00 p.m. Start						
Breakfast 10:00 a.m.-12:00 a.m. Open Dining 12:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.			First Day of Spring			
Trap Shooting 1:00 p.m. Start					Norm Tyack - Piano Open Dining 5:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.	
Breakfast 10:00 a.m.-12:00 a.m. Open Dining 12:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.						Final Four Weekend
Trap Shooting 1:00 p.m. Start				Last Happy Hour 5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.		Beach Party Caribbean Buffet Cocktails 6:30 p.m. Buffet 7:30 p.m. Dancing-Paul Clark Band 8:30 p.m.

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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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Governor Tom Shain

IMPORTANT DATES

March

- 3 Canals of Venice**
- 8 Board Meeting**
- Auxiliary Meeting**
- 9 Piano - Gayla Smith**
- 17 St. Partick's Party**
- 23 Piano - Norm Tyack**
- 31 Beach Party**

April

- 7 Country & Western Night**
- 12 Board Meeting**
- Auxiliary Meeting**
- 15 Easter Sunday Dinner**
- 21 New York Nights**
- 22 Spring Work Day**

Change of Address

- ☐ For the winter ☐ For the summer
- ☐ For a short time ☐ For Good

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