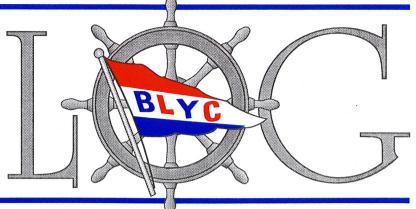
Buckeye Lake Yacht Club



FROM THE BRIDGE ☆☆☆

From the Bridge

To all my fellow BLYC Members, July has been a very good and busy month for the Club. We had weather that made events at the Club good and with the Club's Members, one to remember.

Our Fourth of July week turned our fantastic in spite of some weather problems. All of the weekend events went off with some last-minute changes that kept us on our toes. Our Club had such a nice 100-year theme blended in with this year's BLASST celebration. The fireworks show that was put together was one of the best I have ever seen. A special thanks to Tory Wolfe and all the BLASST Committee for every thing they did this year.

Our Centennial Formal Dress Ball was just a wonderful evening to tie in another Centennial event into the celebrations we set up this season. Commodore Al Wing and Michelle DeSantis did such a fantastic job planning and making this one of the best parties you could have asked for. I want to thank Fritz, Troy and all the Staff that put a lot into making the evening perfect. All the food, entertainment, Member Dress and fun with Commodore Jim Thompson as MC made this Centennial event great.

I-LYA Junior Bay Week this year was a little different. Besides the Junior Sailing Team, Sailing Governor and coach going up to Bay Week, our Club's Commodore Steve Harris was the Chairman over the entire I-LYA Junior Bay Week. The Junior Sailing Team attending this year was Halle Harklau,



Commodore Mark Russell

Kara and Gwen Mulvey, Austin Miller, Fritz Schilling and Evan Miller. They had Coach Ben France and Commodore George Fisher at their side along with Junior Sailing Governor Will Price and wife Paula. This Club has to really be proud of the racing your Team did and their performance at Bay Week.

This year, with Commodore Harris being Chairman of the Regatta, the Members really jumped in more than ever to make this year as smooth as possible. Just to give you an idea of what it takes: You have from Sunday check-ins to Friday check-outs, you have Registration, Boat Inspection, Launching and Retrieval, Protest and all the race committees, Ship Shape inspections, Safety Boats, Lunch Boats, Photo Boat, Race Committee Boats, Banquet Setup – just to name some of the things our Club was involved with this year. Even this year's Club picnic was different with BLYC hosting team sailors

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from two other clubs and many I-LYA Flag Officers and Junior Sailing Committee Members. With Chef Troy and Fritz putting out a great spread for all to enjoy.

This year's I-LYA Junior Bay Week and Regatta and our own Club functions would not have happened so well, if we did not have such good Club participation. It is really hard to THANK all of the Members that helped in one way or another, but ...

Thank You to Stone and Donna Parker and grandson Carl, Matt, Tracy, Michael and Matthew Davis, Joan Hein, George and Marty Fisher, Gus and Phil Schell, Gail, Tom and Ivan Mulvey, Connie and Commodore Steve Schilling, Governor Don and Sue Harris, Commodore Greg, Karen and Mallory Miller, Patty Harklau, Phil and Carolyn Harden, Vice Commodore Ray and Ruth Ann Kent, Commodore Jim and Becky Thompson, Commodore Nick and Michelle DeSantis, Commodore Jim and Jane Shriner, Bill and Diane Koeman, Commodore John and Mimi Geiger and my wife Chris.

I am sure I forgot a name or two, but this gives you an idea of the kind of great Members that gave the entire week, or even just a couple hours, to make this year's Junior Bay Week such a success. Chairman Steve Harris has a lot of good friends and thanks again BLYC for pitching in.

During the middle of Bay Week, your Board of Governors and Trustees have their monthly Board meeting on PIB at the Crew's Nest. I want to thank all of the Board and Trustees that were able to attend this year. It has been a

From the Bridge continued great year working with these guys and thanks Howard Clark and Jim Shriner for the meeting place at the Crew's Nest. Nice place, but we really do have it good at our home port of BLYC!

The last weekend of July we had the Auxiliary Style Show before we got into the month of August's events and shows. Make sure to see Governor Phil Harden's Log article for Laua and New Member Recognition and other entertainment. Also this month, check all the details for the Antique and Classic Boat Show, Commodore Bob Dye

Poker Run and the Ice Cream Social sponsored by the Auxiliary for Centennial Event No. 5. There are lots of things for Members in August and all the details are in your Log by Governor Dave Stewart.

As we get to the middle of summer, the Club has formed a Nomination Committee again for the upcoming elections on September 17, 2006. I hope we have some male and female Members that would like to help on the Board of Governors to keep this Club running well into its next 100 years. If

you have any questions or are interested in running, let us know. You can talk to any Board Member, Flag Officer, Commodores Nick DeSantis, Jim McBride or myself. We need a couple good members to run, even if it's just for one good two-year term.

In my closing thoughts, take advantage of the good times and friends this August and come out and enjoy yourselves. See you around the Club.

LYC Bar & Kitchen Wanted: Your Input On Bl **Bar and Kitchen**

I hope everyone is enjoying the summer and all of the functions at the Club. We have certainly had great weather for all of the events. The Fourth started out a little overcast and rainy but eventually cleared up and we had a wonderful day. Let's hope the remaining events are as fortunate.

I understand that a few Members are not happy with the number of private parties we have scheduled at the Club. This is unfortunate because these parties are necessary to keep the Club solvent. Our total membership does not support the Club enough to balance

the budget. We have a small core group of Members who attend on a regular basis and another group who come a little less frequently, however there are some who come very infrequently and



Vice Commodore Ray Kent

these are the ones who could help our bottom line if they attended the Club more. If everyone would try to get more Members out it would certainly help

the Club.

Fritz and I are working on a schedule of times of operation for the Club. This schedule will be posted so that everyone will know our hours of operation. We have had some question in the past and the times in the Log are not always correct as it compiled so far in advance.

Remember, we are here to make things better for all Members and we need your input to do this. We want to hear from you, good or bad.

See YOU at the Club.

BLYC's Reputation Growing – Here And On L

House & Grounds

Joni and I just returned from Putin-Bay where we enjoyed a wonderful picnic for the junior sailors and their parents and friends. BLYC Club manager Fritz and Chef Troy did a great job of preparing ribs, chicken, and all the fixings. Thanks to both of you for your efforts. The Buckeye Lake Yacht Club is beginning to attract a lot of attention from other clubs and even the residents of South Bass Island. While taking a break at the state park the evening of the picnic I overheard the neighbor across the street remark to his wife:

"Yep that's the Buckeye Lake people, they always bring a crowd with them."

While we were in PIB the Eastport property was spruced up with the addition of gravel on the bank next to the water's edge. For years this piece of property has been overgrown with weeds. The Board of Governors decided to add enough large size gravel to make the area more attractive. Stop down and take a look.



Rear Commodore Joe Campbell

The 4th of July celebration was outstanding. Governor Phil Harden was able to put together a flyover that has been missing for several years now. The jets traversed the length of the Lake and then turned at Thornport and lit up the afterburners. The planes roared right over the top of the BLYC flagpole. They were so low that the turbulence blew Governor Laskowski's hat right off his head.

Thanks to Vice Commodore Ray Kent we were also pleased to have an honor guard of U.S. Marines raise the flag for the Club. When Old Glory started up the flagpole the notes to the Star Spangled Banner rang out across our public address system. Little did we know that we had selected the extended play version of the National Anthem! I'm not sure that many of those in attendance had ever heard the second verse to Francis Scott Key's most famous song, but it didn't bother the Marines at all. They stood at attention and held their salute until the last note. It was a very impressive ceremony and J hope we have them back every year.

Hoe Campbell

Junior Bay Week Re-Cap

WOW! What a great week! When I was first asked to be the chairman for the 2006 West Marine I-LYA Junior Regatta at Put-in-Bay (Junior Bay Week) I was very excited. That excitement was quickly followed by a feeling of great terror of how I would get the job done and who I would rely upon to do the work. While an honor for me personally to be asked to chair this year's event, it is also a great honor for our Club and I am proud to say that the members of BLYC stepped up, pitched in, and made things run very smoothly. Your support meant a lot to me personally and really made the difference for the 173 Junior Sailors who participated. Thank you!

The contributions to the regatta from our Club members were many and varied. I would like to take this opportunity to thank those members who made this year's Junior Bay one of the

- Helping with launching and re-Svery of boats - Stone Parker, Bruce Pfahl, Soc Goumas, Carl Swick, Ian Mulvey, Mark Russell, Greg Miller, and of course the King of the Launch Ramp - Matt Davis. Matt and his crew not only set a new launching record this year (90 boats in 29 minutes), but, talking with others in I-LYA, I think that Matt's been appointed launchmaster for life.
- Helping with room inspections for the Shipshape Trophy and Banquet Set-up - Ray and RuthAnn Kent, Phil and Carolyn Harden, Nick and Mi-

chelle Desantis, Becky Thompson, and Fritz Reiterman. Thanks guys!

- Helping with registration and manning the Regatta Desk throughout the week - Sue Harris, Donna Parker, and Joan Hein.
- Parking trailers for over 100 boats on Sunday - Don Harris.
- Taking care of rooming assignments at the hotel - Becky Miller and Patty Harklau. This is one job each year that can be the biggest hassle and it seems that nobody wants. It was great to have it covered by two very professional and thorough people
- Driving support boats on the course throughout the week - Phil Schell on the Judges' Boat and Don Harris on the Photography Boat.
- Helping out with sponsorship for the event - Steve Schilling of Master-Lock, Joni Campbell from State Farm Insurance, Gus and Phillip Schell of Schell Scenic Studios, and all of our members who have made donations to the Inter-Lake Yachtsmen's Fund. Without sponsorship, it would not be financially possible for Junior Bay Week
- Helping out on "B" Course Race Committee - Tracey Davis and Joan Hein.
- Serving the Regatta as a Judge and member of the Protest Committee - George Fisher.
- Stone Parker not only for his work at the regatta with launch and recovery, the tag board, etc. but especially for keeping me going, reminding me to

relax and enjoy myself, and for being there when I needed to vent or just forget about things for a bit and re-charge my batteries. True friendship is rare - THANK YOU!

- Tracey Davis for all of her hard work. Without Tracey's help with registration, checking the PO box daily, helping to get all of the information into the computer, and acting as the other half of my brain when needed, there is NO way that I could have maintained my sanity and kept things together. Tracey's "behind-the-scenes" work was extensive and invaluable.
- Finally, to Will Price, Ben France, the sailing team parents, and our team: Fritz Schilling, Evan Miller, Austin Miller, Halle Harklau, Gwen Mulvey, and Kara Mulvey. It is unfortunately often the case that the chairman's Club causes the most problems at Junior Bay. This was definitely not the case this year! You guys sailed well, worked hard, and represented yourselves and the BLYC in the best way possible. Thanks for making our Club look great!

My sincere apologies if I missed anyone. It was a busy and frenzied, yet extremely enjoyable week. On behalf of the 173 sailors and 21 Clubs who participated and the entire Inter-Lake Yachting Association and it's officers, Thank you BLYC for you hard work and efforts to make Junior Bay Week 2006 one of the best ever!

> Steve Harris, Chairman 2006 West Marine I-LYA Junior Regatta at Put-in-Bay



Reserve A Piece Of BLYC History



Club Member Tony Lisska, with the help of many fellow Members, has been working diligently on a book that will celebrate our Club's Centennial year - "An Illustrated History of Buckeye Lake Yacht Club." The book will be a leatherette-bound hardback with a complete overview of 100 years at BLYC. It will include many photos, both historical and current. It will be fabulous keepsake and a wonderful addition to your Fee table.

Photos for the book will be taken during events of this year and many will also be included. Therefore, it will be offered after the September 30 event. Although we do not have a final price yet, we are asking you to reserve your copy by filling out the form to the right.

	Please reserve copy (copies) for me.
	Name:
No.	Phone:
	Drop off at the Club, or mail to: BLYC Centennial Committee, P.O. Box 1592, Buckeye Lake, OH 43008.
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A Little More Wind Needed For Sailing

Race and Regatta

In my July Log article I mentioned that we had one race on Sunday, June 4; but, I failed to give the results. We started five (5) cruisers and and two (2) one-designs.

Cruiser results were:

1st - Ryan Russell

2nd - Stone Parker

3rd – Jim Owens.

Nate Owens was the only one-design to finish.

Sunday, June 11, was another "windless" day; but, we did get one race in (again). We had three (3) cruisers and three (3) Flying Scots. After a one-half hour delay we started the race with a raging wind of 2.2 mph.

We had a fairly short triangular course that we thought we would sail twice around; but, before the start we decided to shorten to one lap. One lap took almost 55 minutes for the slowest cruiser. The results were:

1st - Don Harris

2nd - Russ Green

3rd – Jim Fortuna.

Flying Scot results were:

1st - John VanGilder

2nd – Frank Laskowski,

3rd - Walter Grubb Sr.

The cruisers weren't interested in going again. The Flying Scots, however, were game and we did start another race. After about 25 minutes they were nearly half-way to the second mark and going no where rapidly; so, we abandoned the race.

Wednesday, June 14, was probably one of the best days we've had for sailing so far this season. Guess what?! We were scheduled to run a power boat race. This was the long anticipated "Bang And Go Back" race. We had seven (7) antique wooden power boats register for the race. Boats were entered by Chuck Bendig, Stu Brooks, Mark Boyd, Steve McLane, Zena Sayre, Harry Shaw III and Steve Schilling. At the "pre race," we stressed that this was a re-creation of past races at the Club and the important things were safety and

having a good time.

After the balloon release we had all boats on the water and in the area of the start line. We used the automated sequence



Governor Don Day

system that we use for all of our sailing events and we had a good start. Rick Groff (our "go back" signal boat) set a long course and it was exciting to watch the boats go west, all turn at nearly the same time; and, head back towards the Club.

The spectators were fantastic. I'm sure we were at maximum capacity. They lined the docks and filled the porch to watch the race. This was probably one of the best events that I've been involved with since I became a Member. At the award ceremony at 8 p.m., every boater mentioned. What a great event it was and what a great time they all had participating. Perhaps we should consider doing this every five (5) years, or so?

I've got to say "thanks" to my helpers: Tracey Davis, Sally Day, Russ Green, Ron Hupman and Will Price. Rick and Maryann Groff (and crew) were my "go-back" boat on the water. Greg Miller was our official photographer.

"Riders" (one in each boat) were Joe Campbell, Phil Harden, Don Harris, Steve Harris, Ron Hupman, Ray Kent and Frank Laskowski. Thanks to Will Price for the use of his shotgun.

We did not have a "winner". All entrants were presented the same "participant' plaque (with space for a 5 x 7 picture). A picture is now available and I am attempting to get it to all participants.

Sunday, June 18, we measured the wind at a consistent 15-20 mph. A couple boats were willing to sail; but, we were unable to muster a "fleet." After a couple half-hour delays we ended up abandoning for the day (again).

Sunday, June 25, we clocked the wind at 0.0 with gusts up to 2.0 mph. Again, after a couple of half-hour delays we ended up abandoning for the day. One good thing though, Captains Bob Snow and Bill Reynolds presented their boats for the first time this season. These boats will enable us to at least have a "fleet" available for the balance of the schedule.

Sally and I have located the Commodore Earl Williams Trophy. This is the trophy representing the Fourth of July long distance race. The trophy was on display July 4. We've managed to locate all three (3) long distance race trophies. My plan is to purchase a wall plaque for each trophy and to record each years winner on it. The Club has some beautiful "old" silver trophies and we are attempting to display them appropriately. Check out the trophy case in the fireplace room.

In addition to the Comm. Earl Williams Trophy we also discovered the Walter Knapp – "Bringing Up The Rear" Trophy. Apparently this was another July 4 award. We will be reviving this award.

July 2, we finally we had a nearly perfect day for sailing. While the number of boats racing was a little disappointing we did have a cruiser "fleet" and we did complete three (3) races.

Race #1, the results were:

1st - Bill Reynolds

2nd – Ryan Russell

3rd - Don Harris

Race #2, the results were:

1st - Bill Reynolds

2nd – Ryan Russell

3rd – Don Harris

Race #3, the results were:

1st - Bill Reynolds

2nd – Ryan Russell

3rd - Don Harris

After three "tough" races all participants were ready to call it a day.

Thanks to Sally, Pam Green, Steve Harris and Ryan Russell for their assistance.

July 4, after a soggy morning (and

27th Annual



August

Friday, 11th - Saturday, 12th and Sunday, 13th

SHOW PROGRAM

(Non-Judged Participants Welcome)

Friday, August 11, 2006

3:00 to 7:00 p.m. Registration 3:00 to 7:00 p.m. Launching

6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Front porch refreshments 5:00 to 10:00 p.m. BLYC open for dinner buffet

7:00 to 10 p.m. Entertainment

Saturday, August 12, 2006

8:00 to 10:30 a.m. Continental breakfast 7:30 to 10:30 a.m. Registration at BLYC

8:00 to 10:30 p.m. Launching at Sayre's and Buckeye Lake Marinas

9:00 to 10:00 a.m. Judges Forum

11:00 a.m. Judging

11:00 to 3:00 p.m. Poolside bar and luncheon grill

Noon to 11:00 p.m. Entertainment 5:00 to 10:00 p.m. Dinner Buffet

Sunday, August 13, 2006

9:00 to 1:30 p.m. Brunch

1:00 p.m. Awards presentation

9:00 to 4:30 p.m. Hoisting at Sayre's and Buckeye Lake Marinas

near cancellation) we did manage to set a moderately long triangular course and have our first long distance race of the year. We placed the windward mark between Onion and Journal Islands. This placement, in addition to a jibe mark near the south bank, was hentice the skippers to sail between journal and the south bank. It worked! All of the boats took this route. Being a long distance race all classes competed (with handicaps). The winner was John

VanGilder in a Flying Scot. Second place was Bill Reynolds in a cruiser followed by Bob Snow in a cruiser, also. The "revived" "Bringing Up The Rear" award went to Chris Reynolds in a Thistle. In Chris's defense he finished third in scratch time; however, he was sailing the boat with the greatest handicap and his adjusted time moved him to last place. Thanks to Russ Green, Bill Reynolds and Steve Harris for their help.

I've tried to make this report as short as possible; so, that's all **\text{ill next}**

Due to space limitations, Governor Will Price's Article will run in the Sepetember Log.

— Editor

Make The Most Of Summer At BLYC Events

Entertainment

Can you believe, August has arrived here at the Lake. Time goes quickly when you're having fun!! There are a lot of activities this month and we hope everyone will come out and enjoy the lake and the Club.

Saturday, August 5th is the LUAU AND NEW MEMBER RECOGNITION. Let's all come out to welcome our new members and enjoy an evening of fellowship. Cocktails at 6:30 p.m., dinner at 7 p.m. and dancing with the every popular MAJESTICS begins at 8 p.m. So, get out those grass skirts, Hawaiian shirts and dresses. All of you who have been to the luau before know what a great evening this is. RESER-VATIONS PLEASE!

THE ANTIQUE & CLASSIC BOAT SHOW is the weekend of August 11. Friday night will be a Buffet Dinner from 5-10 p.m. and there will be refreshments on the porch from 6-8 p.m. DR. DAN will entertain from 7-10 p.m.

Saturday, August 12, is a big day. Launching at Sayre's Marina and Buckeye Lake Marina starts at 7:30 a.m. There is a continental breakfast from 8-10:30 a.m. Boat judging takes place at 11:00 a.m. The poolside bar and luncheon grill will be open from 11-3 p.m. Entertainment begins at noon and ends with the PAUL CLARK BAND, who will be here from 7-11 p.m. There will be a dinner buffet from 5-10 p.m.

Sunday, August 13, begins with brunch from 9 a.m.-1:30 p.m. The Awards Ceremony begins at 1 p.m. The committee has been working hard on this event so come



Governor Phil Harden

out, support them and see these beautiful boats.

Friday, August 18, JIMMY HAR-RIS returns with his keyboard and vocal stylings. Jimmy always provides an evening of great entertainment. Come out to dance and sing along or just sit and enjoy the music.

The COMMODORE BOB DYE POKER RUN will be held Saturday August 19. This is a fun event. Bring your boat and your friends (or bring your friend's boat) for a day of fun on the lake.

Sunday, August 20, DEAN NEAL will again provide music poolside. We have had a lot of positive feedback regarding Dean, so if you haven't spent a Sunday afternoon at the pool this is your chance for sun, fun and good entertainment.

Saturday, August 26 the Auxiliary is sponsoring A Day of Family Fun. This is a day-long event designed for everyone, young and old. The day begins with a breakfast buffet (crayons provided at the tables for the kids) and

includes activities from 1-4 p.m.

Activities include face painting, a three-legged race, swimming pool games, bingo, beanbag toss and a pie-in-the-face toss. From 4-7 p.m. is a dinner buffet and the day ends with an ice cream social and sing along with Dr. Dan. Bring the kids and grandkids (or borrow a kid). This is a day to spend with your family.

As always, there is sailboat racing on Sundays, so come out and support our sailors.

September begins with a Supper Club evening with Michael Sutherland performing Friday, September 1. Mark your calendars and make your reservations for this special event.

I would like to thank Marie, Michelle and Nick DeSantis and Don Day for their help in getting the Club ready for the Fourth of July celebration. We appreciate all your hard work.

A special thank you to Harry Shaw for his help in securing the July 4 fly-over. It was spectacular. Thanks Harry!!

Please note: the Blue Heron Ball has been cancelled for this year due to the Ohio State-Texas football game.

We've had good times this summer and as the summer begins to wind down, we hope everyone will come out for the August events.

See you at the Club.

Ship Hauden

Bob Dye Poker Run Saturday, August 19th



Members and Guests

10:30 — 11 a.m. Registration at BLYC
T-shirts available at sign-up while they last
(later arrivals can get a sheet at the bar)
Stops include Port Lounge, Woody's,
Copper Penny, PaPa Boo's,
Smitty's and Island House
6 p.m. All Boats In

Stop at every location (by boat, car, bike or swim) and draw a playing card.

The bartender will write down your card and initial.

Last card will be drawn at the Yacht Club.
Prizes awarded on best 5-card poker hand
in order till prizes gone.

Prizes and Fun

For Prize Donations Contact Steve Romine

740-653-3505

Practice Safe Boating



Centennial Event #5
Presented by the Auxiliary





Chairperson of the Day - Michelle De Santis



10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Breakfast Buffet Crayons will be provided on the tables

1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Activities



Three legged race

· Bean bag toss

· Swimming pool games

· Pie in the Face Contest

· Bingo

4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Pinner Buffet \$15.00 inclusive, Children aged 6-10 - \$8.00, Under 5 - Free Fried and Baked Chicken, Baked Beans, Potato Salad, Rolls and Fresh Fruit (menu subject to change)

5:00 p.m. Historic Vignette of Auxiliary Auxiliary President Ruth Ann Kent



· Ice Cream Social

· Sing along with Dr. Dan





An All-American Weekend At BLYC

Activity Abounds During Busy Independence Day

What a weekend to be at BLYC, and to celebrate our nation's birthday!

The Club was certainly one busy place throughout the Independence Day weekend. Activities got under way early Saturday morning as the BLYC hosted a Traveler Series Junior Regatta. The wind was up and the sun was shining as boats from clubs throughout Ohio participated in this successful event.

Shortly after the Junior Sailors finished their busy day at the Club, the adults took over that evening for the annual Pool Party. With warm temperatures and refreshing breezes as the order of the day and night, Members enjoyed the tunes of the Paul Clark Band while dancing the night away.

Sunday and Monday saw considerable activity around the pool and dock-sides, as the famous Ohio heat and humidity made its presence known. Severe thunderstorms rumbled through the area late Monday afternoon and threatened to wash out the annual BLASST fireworks display directly opposite the Club, but fortunately skies cleared near dusk and the lake was again filled with hundreds of crafts of every description. Many Club Members commented, however, the best view was from the front yard or front porch of BLYC.

The wet stuff returned with a vengance on Tuesday, July 4, and kept most folks indoors throughout the day. But supportive Members braved the elements that morning to enjoy the annual Junior Sailing Pancake Breakfast. The current Board and a strong contingent of Commodores gathered at mid-morning for the annual raising of the flag ceremony, complete with a Marine color guard performing the honors. A scheduled flyover by a pair of F-16s was initially scuttled due to poor visibility, but the jets did make their appearance in early afternoon with a spectacular side-by-side flight across the length of the lake.

Thanks to all who came to the Club over the weekend and enjoyed Independence Day weekend there.



ABOVE: Once the rain subsided, Members and guests began gathering on the front lawn of the Yacht Club for the colorful display.

RIGHT: Fireworks over the water to celebrate the Fourth of July – does it get any better than that?

BELOW: The Marine Color Guard, along with the Board of Governors, salute the flag while the national anthem is played.

FAR RIGHT: The Commodores also stand at salute during the flag raising ceremony.







The first Independence Day Junior Sailing Regatta at BLYC was an overwhelming success.



Another table of satisfied Junior Sailing Pancake Breakfast attendees.





Jenny and Steve Romine (left) enjoy the Junior Sailing Pancake Breakfast along with John and Sue Watson. The cold and rain outside made the hot pancakes and coffee extra tasty.



We would like to thank Club member Tory Wolfe and the BLASST group for the fantastic fireworks show.

And a Special Thanks for including the BLYC Centennial Celebration.

We did have a BLASST!

The Centennial Committee, Commodore Mark Russell, the Board of Governors and the members of the Buckeye Lake Yacht Club.

Centennial Events

Events #3 and #4 Keep The Party Going!

The BLYC Centennial Celebration is a party 100 years in the making, and it just keeps getting better! Since the last edition of the Log was mailed, two more Centennial events – #3 and 4 out of six scheduled for the year – were held. And both were a wonderful celebration of the history and fellowship that make our Club so special.

Event #3 – Cocktail Party At Buckeye Lake Museum

A brief summer shower could not drown enthusiasm for Centennial Celebration #3. Members and guests arrived at BLYC for a brief but enjoyable limousine ride to the Buckeye Lake Museum, where tents and tables were erected in the parking lot to accommodate the large crowd on-hand. Commodore Steve Schilling was chair of the event, and he and the rest of the Centennial Committee ensured that all in attendance had plenty to eat and drink while enjoying music from the Jack Gorham band and walking through the museum at their leisure.

As the official program began, Commodore John Geiger gave an overview of the Club's history from 1946-1966. Commodore Mark Russell then provided a few additional comments and announced the big event for the evening – the unveiling of the BLYC display case that will be a permanent addition to the museum. Filled with burgees, trophies, publications and more memorabilia from our Club's past, the display case will be a point of pride for BLYC for years to come.



Generous amounts of hors d'oeurves and reprints of famous Buckeye Lake scenes from the past adorned the shelter outside the museum.





ABOVE: Commodore Bob Boehm admires the new display case that is now part of the permanent museum display.

LEFT: Joan Hein and Mason [grandson of Joe and Joni Campbell] let a bundle of balloons loose.

RIGHT: A luxury SUV limousine transported Members between BLYC and the museum.



Celebrate Our History



Winners of the Centennial Dress competition



Commodore Fred Wright and his lovely bride Ruth relax on the porch.



Rick and Marcia Henderson strike a stylish 1920's pose.



Commodore Mike Jacobs gives the Centennial Vignette.

Event #4 - Centennial Ball

An elegant evening of period dress, dining and dancing rekindled memories of years gone by during July's Centennial Ball.

The evening opened with a historical vignette from Commodore Mike Jacobs covering years 1966-96. After Commodore Russell gave a few introductory remarks, guests participated in the Grand Promenade and Costume Judging. Attendees were encouraged to dress in clothing representative of any era in the Club's history, and Members responded with an incredible turnout! Awards were presented to ten couples representing each of the ten decades.

Following a sumptuous meal prepared by Chef Troy, Commodore Al Wing, Chairperson for the event, offered a few remarks and a Champagne Toast to the Club.

Attendees then enjoyed an evening of dancing to the sounds of Dwight Lennox, along with a delicious chocolate fondue fountain.

A heartfelt thank you to all Members who helped make this special event extra special!

The next Centennial Event will be the Family Day of Fun on August 26.

Centennial Notes

Your Chance To Make History... In New Centennial Book

Here's an opportunity to celebrate 100 years of BLYC, and to be remembered as a supporter of our Club for years to come! All Members may now purchase a 1" tall x 7" wide banner ad at the bottom of a page in the 100-year book (similar to the black strip you see on the front cover of this issue of the Log, but about twice as tall).

Please send a check in the amount of \$100 for each banner ad you would like to have in the Centennial coffee table book, along with your personal message. The banner ad can include a photo as well as any message. Your message can be up to 85 words.

Checks should be made payable to "BLYC Book" and mailed to Centennial Committee, P.O. Box 1592, Buckeye Lake, OH 43008.

Table Theme Party A Fantastic Success

What a special night for all Members to participate and attend our second annual Theme Table event. All participants did a fantastic job of decorating, dessert making, and turning the fireplace room into a fantasy of color and imagination. The judges for the evening were Merve and Janet Barthelow. By category the winners were: Most Outstanding: "The Roses," Michelle DeSantis

Best Dressed: Lisa Stewart Best Decoration: 100 Anniversary Group Best Dessert: Phyliss Flynn

After a delicious dinner, Ruth Ann Kent opened the meeting with a moment of silence in memory of Mary Doh. Ruth Ann thanked all members for participating in the table top event, and then asked for the minutes of the last meeting to be read. Minutes were approved as read by Phyliss Flynn and seconded by Sue Harris. Ro Miller gave the Treasurer's report. It was approved by Michelle DeSantis and seconded by Shelly Higgins.

The speaker for the evening was Pam Reid from the "Friends of the Buckeye Lake Library." Pam explained the need for support of our local library and reported that the library is asking for support by means of a coupon book fund raiser.

Ruth Ann turned the meeting over to the leader of each table to describe the table's theme. Thanks to all who worked so hard and were so creative. It was a night to remember.



Michelle DeSantis and her table won Most Outstanding Table – "The Roses".



Lisa Stewart was tabbed "Best Dressed" in her 40's attire.



The crew from the "Best Decoration" table stand behind their sturdy (and beautiful) craft.

Our next meeting will be the annual Style Show—this year on Saturday

July 29, 2006. Don't miss it! See you there, Terri Beck

AUXILIARY NOTES

On July 9, the Commodores Association and BLYC Auxiliary joined together in having a Hog Roast and Cake Walk. When you try anything new you never know how the response may be, but everyone who attended thought the food was great (especially the pulled pork). With the Commodores walking around promoting the sale of the desserts, along with the music provided by Unsung Heroes, was a great way to spend a Sunday afternoon and evening.

Commodore Nick DeSantis and myself would like to thank all the ladies who baked and provided the wonderful desserts. We may need to make this an annual event.

We have started our annual oneyear free BLYC membership raffle by selling tickets at the Club. Joni Campbell is in charge of selling the tickets. This is a great way to have your dues free for 2007 at the cost of \$5 per ticket. Come out and support the August Fun Day held on August 26. We will have games for the kids and adults plus plenty of good food and ice cream.

Hope your enjoying the summer. See you at the Club.

> Ruth Ann Kent President



Revised Date For Snowball

Please note a slight revision has been made to our sailing schedule for October. The annual Snowball Regatta will now be held during the first weekend of October – October 7-8.

The Fall Finale for the Thistle fleet will remain as scheduled, October 21-22. Please mark these dates on your BLYC calendar and come out to enjoy the last sailing of the season.

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BLYC Happy To Welcome 2 New Members

Membership

What a great week we had at the I-LYA Junior Bay Week Regatta, chaired by BLYC's very own, Commodore Steve Harris.

The new member applications of George Hadler and Frank Murphy were approved at the July meeting of the Board of Governors, which was held at The Crew's Nest on Put-In-Bay. Welcome to both George and Frank.

Also having their first reading were the applications of David Raponi, Judy Vela, Scott Evans and Denny Freudeman. These are posted on the Club bulletin board, and we anticipate final approval at the August meeting.

I strongly encourage all new members, both approved and pending, to

make reservations for the AN-NUAL LUAU PARTY, to be held on Saturday, August 5. This is one of the Club's nicest and best attended events each year. You will receive a



Governor Don Harris

special welcome and introduction to the general membership.

Lastly, there was a falsehood in last month's article. The printer promised receipt of our directories by July 4. Well, they didn't arrive, and, as of this writing (July 24), still haven't. The newly promised absolute deadline for

receipt is July 31, so (hopefully) you capick up yours at the Luau.

Don

There's No Such Thing As a Free Lunch... But You Can Have A Free Dinner (and Drinks)!

When you sponsor a friend to become a full active member of BLYC, upon their acceptance into the Club, you are eligible for a one-time credit of up to \$100 for an evening of food and drinks. Have your new members join you or treat your wife to a night on the lake. Ask Fritz or any Governor for more details.

September 2006

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
NOTES:					1	2 Northern Illinois at OSU Jr. Sailing Sail-offs 9 a.m.
				Lunch 11:30 a.m2:00 p.m. Open Dining 5:00 p.m9:00 p.m.	Supper Club Michael Sutherland Cocktails 6:00 p.m Dinner 7:00 p.m. Show 8:00 p.m.	Pool Bar 11:30 a.m6:00 p.m. Open Dining 11:30 a.m10:00 p.m.
3 Breakfast 10:00 a.m1:30 p.m. Open Dining 5:00 p.m7:00 p.m. Pool Bar 11:30 a.m 5:00 p.m. Poolside Dean Neal	4 LABOR DAY Long Distance Race 11:00 a.m. Start	5	6	7	8	9 OSU at Texas Open Dining 11:30 a.m5:00 p.m. Pool Bar 11:30 a.m6:00 p.m.
2:00 p.m 5:00 p.m. Sailboat Racing 2:00 p.m. Start Junior Sailing Spaghetti Dinner	Food Available 11:00 a.m6:00 p.m. Pool Bar Open 12:00-6:00 p.m.		Open Dining 5:00 p.m10:00 p.m.	Board Meeting 7:30 p.m. Open Dining 5:00 p.m9:00 p.m.	Poster Night Dave Bott on Piano 7:00 - 10:00 p.m. Open Dining 5:00 p.m10:00 p.m.	
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17 Kitchen Closed Elections & Porch Picnic 9:00 a.m.:1:00 p.m. Annual Meeting 2:00 p.m. Auxiliary Meeting 2:00 p.m. Commodore's Reception 4:00 - 6:00 p.m.	18	19	Open Dining 5:00 p.m10:00 p.m. 20 Open Dining 5:00 p.m10:00 p.m.	Open Dining 5:00 p.m9:00 p.m. 21 Open Dining 5:00 p.m9:00 p.m.	Speeches 8:30 p.m. 22 Top Cat Karaoke 7:00 - 11:00 p.m. Open Dining 5:00 p.m 10:00 p.m.	Open Dining 11:30 a.m10:00 p.m. 23 Penn State at OSU
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August 2006

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- 6 Sailboat Racing
- 10 Board Meeting Auxiliary Meeting
- 11 Antique & Classic Boat Show Dr. Dan 6-8 p.m.
- 12 Antique & Classic Boat Show Paul Clark Band 7-11 p.m.
- 13 Antique & Classic Boat Show Sailboat Racing Beck & Ditto 1-5 p.m.
- 18 Jimmy Harris 8-11 p.m.
- 19 Commodore Bob Dye Poker Run
- 20 Dean Neal Poolside 2-5 p.m.Sailboat Racing
- 26 Family Day of Fun
- 27 Sailboat Racing

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