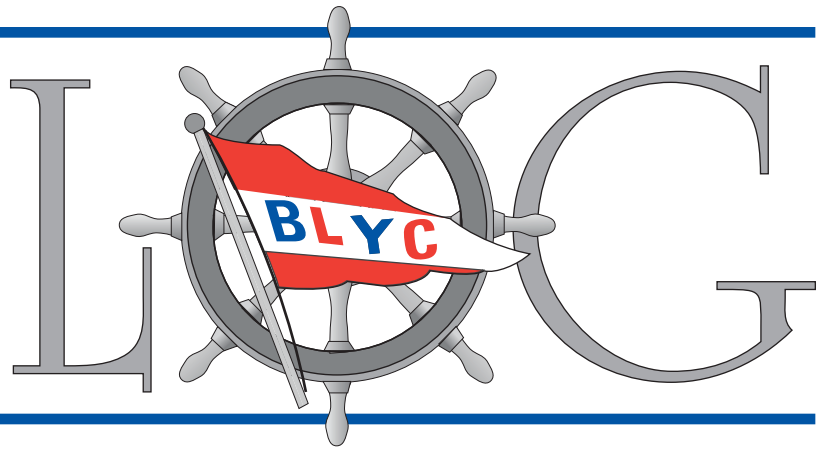


Buckeye Lake Yacht Club



FROM THE BRIDGE ☆☆☆

December, 2013 - Vol. 22, Issue 10



Commodore Tim Ryan

'Tis the season, Merry Christmas, Happy Holidays and Happy New Year Everyone!

I trust that everyone had a great Thanksgiving. This is a great time of the year for gathering with family and friends. It is also a wonderful time to gather at the Club. Ginger and the staff have done a great job of decorating and Matt has some fabulous food preparations. December is going to be a busy month at Our Club, plenty of parties and great entertainment.

Please call ahead for reservations during this beautiful Holiday Season

Club Office & Dinner
Reservations (740) 929-9941
Fax Line (740) 929-2123

The Board along with the Trustees have approved the 2014 Budget and we all have worked hard to consider all phases of the Club's operation and to find ways to save money, make money and still give the Members a quality product.

We have budgeted money for some necessary repairs to docks, facilities, and capital improvement fund. There will always be some unexpected problems arise during the year that will need to be addressed but we have tried to anticipate and save so we will be prepared if that happens.

See you at the Club!!
Tim

Bar & Kitchen



**Vice
Commodore
Chuck Wadley**

Winter has arrived. It may be cold outside, but it is warm and inviting at the club. The atmosphere at the club is always extra special during the holiday season. Make your reservations now for the Christmas and the New Years Eve Party.

Chef Matt, Ginger, and the staff are working hard to provide you with great food, drinks and service. Please help them out by calling ahead for dinner reservations and providing your member number when being served.

Happy Hour is 5-7 pm on Wednesday & Thursday, and 4-7 pm on Fridays.

The kitchen is open for dinner at 5pm on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Come in and enjoy your Club!
Happy Holidays

Chuck Wadley,
Vice Commodore / Bar & Kitchen

Cooking Classes at the Club! Yes, you read that right, BLYC cooking classes with Master Chef, Matt!

Matt has cooked up a series of eight Sunday afternoons January thru April, where you can explore new cooking ideas, get some great recipes and have fun with your friends at the club. The menu of classes are listed under Entertainment. Registration will be limited to 30 people per session. Attend one or if you choose to attend the entire series – you will save!

**www.facebook.com/BuckeyeLakeYachtClub
www.buckeyelakekeyc.com**

ENTERTAINMENT NEWS: BLAST – THE HOLIDAYS ARE HERE!

And where do you want to spend the holidays to get the maximum fun this season? Right here at the BLYC.

We've got it all; dancing, tail-gating, Xmas fun, Christmas caroling and New Year's Eve! "The weather outside is frightful, but inside it's so delightful." Just look what Santa has in store for you:

Friday 12/6/13 – (7:00 – 10:00) Super Supper Club Dinner/Dance with Dave & Friends (Formerly Tommy Butch Duo) Dave McMahon was the keyboard player for Tommy Butch and now has his own group. Jazz standards, smooth jazz, during dinner and dance music later. This group has it all.

Saturday 12/7/13 - (TBA) Tailgate Party BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIP Come and party with your tailgate friends! Happy hour beer and tailgate food – Yum!

Saturday 12/14/13 - (7:30 – 11:30) Adult Christmas Party with the Eddie Polina Band. Get out your Christmas colors and your dancing shoes for the annual BLYC adult Christmas Party.

JANUARY ENTERTAINMENT:

Friday 1/4/14 (7-10PM) Supper Club with The Lakeside Trio

Saturday 1/11/14 (7-10PM) Parrot Head Party with D.J. John.

Thursday 1/16/14 (7-10PM) Speaker Series with Tony Lisska; The cathedrals of Europe on the big screen.

Saturday 1/11/14 (7-10PM) Wine Tasting by Chef Matt; Jazz Guitar by Mark Williams (Marcel)

Thursday 1/23/14 (7-10PM) Speaker Series with The Buckeye Lake Winery

Saturday 1/11/14 (7-10PM) Dinner/Dance with Jim Harris

Thursday 1/23/14 (7-10PM) Speaker Series with Bob Masone; BREAKING BAD; America's Addiction to Legal Drugs

COOKING AT THE CLUB WITH CHEF MATT:

WHEN: Select Sunday afternoons from 2:00 – 5:00 pm January through April at Buckeye Lake Yacht Club

COST: \$40 per person, \$75 a couple, entire series of 8 classes \$280 per person (savings of \$40)

Register with the Club for one or all – space is limited, 30 attendees maximum.

HOW IT WORKS: Matt will demonstrate a basic, moderate and advanced recipe or skill, focused around each class topic. Attendees will taste each recipe and leave with recipe cards and new skills to WOW friends and family.

January 12 - Class #1 Appetizers and Party Favorites: Let go of the barbeque weenies - start out the new year stepping up your party appetizers. Learn how to slice, dice and prepare mouthwatering delights that will really make your get-together one that guests will talk about for a long time.

January 26 - Class #2 Champagne Brunch and More: Get ready for weekend guests now, with Chef Matt's take on Sunday brunch. Attend this session and learn proper egg preparation to amazing brunch specialties.

February 9 - Class #3 Sweet Treats for your sweetie: Nothing says "I love you" like a homemade desert, mousse, or maybe even Chef Matt's secret bread pudding recipe. Attend this session and be set for Valentine's Day.

February 23 - Class #4 Successful Seafood: Take the guesswork out of cooking seafood. Grilled, baked, pan seared or poached – learn these techniques to successfully prepare your own seafood and fish.

Eddie Polina has one of the nicest dance bands around. Make your reservations early; you don't want to get left out in the cold.

Friday 12/20/13 – (6:00 – 9:00) Christmas Caroling Party with Dave Bott. Come in and sing our Christmas heart out to the wonderful piano styling's of our very own piano lounge player, Dave Bott.

Thursday 12/31/13 - (7:30 – 12:30) New Year's Eve Party with The Majestics. The best New Year's party anywhere! Fabulous food, fabulous friends and the music of the The Fabulous Majestics! Enjoy Chef Matt's special Christmas dinner menu, and, when the New Year's ball drops, champagne, pork and sauerkraut to ring the New Year in. This party is always a sell out, so make your reservations early!

NEW EXCITEMENT: The Winter Speaker Series is almost here. We have a host of wonderful speakers ready to entertain you with amazing facts and breath-taking images, all on the BIG, BIG screen!

Entertainment

**Rear
Commodore
Dave
Luttenberger**



From the cathedrals of Europe to the assassination of JFK, Lewis & Clark, wine making, Indian Mounds and drug addiction, we're breaking bad at the BLYC. If that weren't excitement enough, Chef Matt is going to feature a different BLUE PLATE SPECIAL for every show. Umm, Umm, Good. Let that warm the cockles of your heart.

So come on down to your one and only Buckeye Lake Yacht Club and enjoy the winter fun. We're your place for ENTERTAINMENT all season long.

WE AIM TO ENTERTAIN!

As docks and rentals go, December is the time to wrap up the previous year and lay the ground work for the next year. That is what we have been doing.

In a change of policy, we are going to have renters sign a "Rental Agreement" as was done in the past. We believe that this will protect the Club's interest as well make sure that all members understand and are aware of the policies and laws that guide the rental procedures. A committee recently met to determine what should be included in the agreement to make sure that the Ohio Revised Code, as it relates to the Ohio Dept. of Natural Resources, is being followed as well as the By-Laws of BLYC.

One such law is the that dock renters must have insurance on the watercraft that is being moored at the dock.

Docks & Rentals

Governor Dave Lawrence



I mention this now to give renters plenty of time to procure such insurance. I realize that most people would have insurance anyway, but as with motor vehicles, some do not.

Another consideration is the fact that the ODNR's rental agreement is from March 1 until November 1 and is NOT for the entire year. These are a couple of examples of things that will be included in the rental agreement that will be sent to all renters for next year.

A reminder that any request for dock rentals must be in writing, which the form can be found on-line or at the BLYC. Also, if you go to the Club website, click on "Our Club, then "Docks and Boatyard" you can see dock maps of the different areas. Remember that if you do not want to rent a dock or rent storage in the boat yard for next year, please let Rebecca in the Club office or me know so you won't receive an invoice for rental fees. We do have a limited number of docks available as well as storage space in the East Boatyard. There will be more information in the January log.

Remember, the Club is open for business during the Winter so come out and support the Club. I hope to see you there!

See you on the docks!

Auxiliary News

The November meeting of the Auxiliary was held at the BLYC with dinner ordered from the menu. Commodore Ryan stopped by the meeting to talk about the coming year.

Thanks to everyone that brought in a bottle of booze for our booze basket raffle. The drawing for the booze basket will be at the Adult Christmas Party. Jewelry will be sold by Sondra Ballenger at the Adult Christmas Party. Half of the proceeds from the sale of the jewelry will go to the Auxiliary. Thanks Sondra for your generosity. We will also have a table of Showcase items for sale at the Adult Christmas Party. We currently have a lot of inventory in our Showcase, so we are asking each Auxiliary member to sell/buy two items from the Showcase before the Holiday Season. New items for the Showcase will be arriving soon.

50/50 tickets were sold at the Beat Michigan party by Karen Baltzell. We plan to sell 50/50 tickets at a lot of the upcoming BLYC functions. If you plan to attend an event and would be willing to sell 50/50 tickets, please let us know.

The BLYC Membership Drawing will take place at the New Year's Eve Party. Information on this drawing will be mailed and emailed to everyone this month. Also, flyers for the drawing will be available at the BLYC. The cost is \$25 for a chance to win BLYC membership dues of \$725.

The elves are busy getting ready for the Children's Christmas Party on Sunday, December 15, at 2:00 p.m. This is always a fun time for our children and grandchildren. Pictures will be taken with Santa and each child will receive a gift. Anyone willing to volunteer to make cookies would be greatly appreciated. Please contact Carole Donnelly if you have any questions, 740-928-6393.

In order to keep things moving this year, we have decided to have Auxiliary meetings over the winter months. We will keep you posted on the upcoming schedule of meetings.

Our next meeting will be our Christmas Party on Thursday, December 12, at 6:30 p.m., with a \$10 gift exchange. The Millersport Show Choir will be entertaining us with Christmas music.

Please mark the date of Saturday, August 23, 2014, on your calendars for our fundraiser with entertainment and silent auction. Items for the silent auction can be dropped off at the BLYC anytime.

If you haven't paid your dues yet, they are \$25 for the year. Please drop off or mail a check to the BLYC Auxiliary.

Thank you for your support of the Auxiliary.

Gail Beck
Secretary/Treasurer

**KEEP UP TO DATE
ON EVERYTHING BLYC**

It's all there 24/7 at
www.buckeyelakekeyc.com

As we welcome in the colder months and holidays, along comes the snow as well. I hope everyone has a safe winter!

I will do my part to keep the club as safe outside as possible. It is very expensive to have the parking lot plowed, it is scheduled to be done only when we have two inches of snowfall or greater. The walkways and sidewalks will be shoveled and salted with less snowfall.

Please feel free to email me about any areas that need attention, and I will get it fixed ASAP karamulvey@yahoo.com

I want to upgrade the televisions in the bar to purchase a larger flat screen and I'm turning to the membership for help, since this was not a planned part of my budget; This will make watching games, seeing the scores, etc., that much easier.

I'm trying to raise \$600 to be able to purchase the television and a swivel back bracket to hold the flat screen. I will have a collection jar at the bar, please speak with the bartender.

Thanks so much! Happy Holidays!

House and Grounds

**Governor
Kara Mulvey**



Race & Regatta

**Governor
Tom Baltzell**



Ahoy,

Since my last Log article what a change at the lake! Winter has made an early appearance and it shows. Buckeye Lake is quiet, peaceful and so very beautiful this time of year. The docks are empty and there's not a Sailboat mast to be seen. All boats are tucked away, boaters and sailors are enjoying a well deserved rest.

But wait, what's that I hear? Laughter, music and great conversation, all resonating from BLYC.. It may be quiet on the lake but at our Club it's not! What a month of entertainment, events, great food and drink specials! Ginger and Matt, great job!

RearCommodore Luttenberger, what an outstanding array of entrainment events this past month. David, your love of and dedication to our Club is evidence week after week by the entertainment and special events you provide our members. I'm sure I speak for many, THANK YOU!

Race and Regatta News:

As I stated in my last log article, we shall have our first Race and Regatta meeting January twelfth at two pm. During this meeting we will discuss the function our newly formed Race and Regatta committee, adding a Wednesday evening racing series and scheduling various races. Also, establish a time line for rehabbing the Club pontoon, whaler and improving the appearance of the "Race Shack". Determine equipment replacement needs (all things pertaining to racing) over a three year period and fund raising to off set the cost. Sailors and anyone interested in sailing or our sailing program please plan to attend. Lots of work ahead, we certainly can use your help and input!

Congratulations John Strassman. The International Sailing Federation (ISAF) recently voted at it's annual meeting to appoint John Strassman of Milwaukee Yacht Club to be an International Race Officer (IRO) . Earlier this year US Sailing nominated John for the position. John as been certified as a US National Race Officer since 2009. Some of you may remember in 2011 John was our PRO when BLYC hosted the Interlake Nationals. Again, Congratulations John!

That's it for this month so in closing let me leave you with a couple things:

Sailing Book of the Month: The Nautical Companion: A glossary of sail terms by T.K. Medernack (great Christmas gift)

Nautical Term: Airs - A measurement of wind speeds.

Have a blessed Thanksgiving and a very merry Christmas,

See you at our Club,

Tom

Membership

**Governor
Jeff Lyons**



Please join me in welcoming the following new members at BLYC:

**Theresa Jackson
Christopher Hebert
Andy Buechel**

"e-Newsletters" are periodic emails to the membership with information on upcoming activities and events at Buckeye Lake Yacht Club.

Sign up @ buckeyelakeyc.com select e-news on the "Our Club" menu and follow the directions on the registration form.

DECEMBER

Reservations (740) 929-9941

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Dining: 9 a.m. - 7 p.m.	2	3	4 Dining 5 -- 9 pm	5 Dining 5 - 9 pm	6 Dining 5 - 9 pm	7 BIG TEN Championship Game Dining: 11:30 am - 9 pm
8 Dining: 9 a.m. - 7 p.m.	9	10	11 Dining 5 - 9 pm	12 Board Meeting Auxiliary Christmas Party Dining 5 - 9 pm	13 Dining 5 - 9 pm	14 Adult Christmas Party Aux jewelry sale Eddie Polina Band Dining: 11:30 am - 9 pm
15 Aux Kids Christmas Party Dining: 9 a.m. - 7 p.m.	16	17	18 Dining 5 - 9 pm	19 Dining 5 - 9 pm	20 Christmas Carols Sing Along Dining 5 - 9 pm	21 Good Neighbor Christmas Party 1pm Dave and Firends Band Dining: 11:30 am - 9 pm
22 Dining: 9 a.m. - 7 p.m.	23	24	25 Merry Christmas club closed	26 club closed	27 Dining 5 - 9 pm	28 Dining: 11:30 am - 9 pm
29 Dining: 9 a.m. - 7 p.m.	30	31 New Year Eve Party with the Maestics 7pm	Happy New Year club closed	club closed		

FREE BLYC MEMBERSHIP DUES DRAWING

(Drawing is \$725 for 2014 BLYC Membership Dues)

Sponsored by the BLYC Auxiliary

The Drawing will be at the BLYC New Year's Eve Party.

(You do not need to be present to win)



Please complete the bottom portion of this page and drop it off or mail it with a check for \$25 to the BLYC Auxiliary.

Thanks for your support of the BLYC Auxiliary.

Sign me up for the BLYC Membership Dues Drawing (worth \$725)

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Amount Enclosed: \$25.00 per coupon

Please drop off or mail this coupon with \$25 to the BLYC Auxiliary before the New Year's Eve Drawing. Additional coupons are available at the BLYC or on the BLYC website. You do not need to be present to win.

BLYC Auxiliary
5109 North Bank Road
P. O. Box 867
Buckeye Lake, OH 43008

Adult Holiday Party 2013

Starters

Lobster-Crab cake
Roasted Tomato Aioli
Fingerling Potato salad
\$10.99

Winter Caprese

Roasted red Peppers, Fresh Mozzarella
Balsamic reduction, Olive Oil, Micro greens
\$5.99

Smoked Salmon Mille Feuille

Layers of house Smoked Salmon, Puff Pastry,
Micro greens, Horse Radish Crème Fraiche
\$8.99

Entrees

Grilled Ohio Strip steak
Gorgonzola, Ricardo sauce
Baked Potato and Asparagus
\$22.99

Half Roasted Chicken Pan Jus

Chive Whipped Potatoes and Green Beans
\$14.99

Orange-Horseradish Crusted Grouper Citrus Buerre Blanc

Chive Whipped Potatoes and Asparagus
\$18.99

Herb Roasted Pork Loin Cranberry Chutney

Chive Whipped Potatoes and Green Beans
\$14.99

New Years Eve Party 2013

Dinner Menu

Appetizer

Chef Matt's Lobster Slider
Brioche Slider Bun, Smoked Tomato Aioli,
Micro Greens

Salad

BLYC Wedge Salad
Wedge of Iceberg lettuce, Parmesan Chive
Dressing Hose Made Bacon, Cherry tomato
Crumbled Buttermilk Blue cheese

Entrée

Filet and Jumbo Shrimp
Grilled 5 oz filet, and Two Butter Poached
Shrimp
Roasted fingerling Potatoes, and Asparagus

Dessert

Chocolate-Grand Marnier Bread Pudding
Honey Strawberry Coulis, Toasted Almonds
Mascarpone Mousse

Dinner Starts Promptly at 7:15 pm

Around Midnight

Roasted Pork and Sauer Kraut

\$55.00 Per Person

(Tax and gratuity Not Included)

Please call ahead for reservations, so we may serve you better.

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The 2013-2014 Board

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5109 North Bank
Watkins Island
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Buckeye Lake, OH 43008

IMPORTANT DATES

Auxiliary Christmas Party

Thursday, December 12

6:30 pm

\$10 Gift Exchange

Adult Christmas Party

Saturday, December 14

Eddie Pollina Band

BLYC Auxiliary Jewelry Sale

Children's Christmas Party

Sunday, December 15

2:00 pm

Sponsored by the BLYC

Auxiliary

Christmas Carols at the Club

Friday, December 20

Dave & Friends

Saturday, December 21

CLUB CLOSED

for Christmas

December 25 & 26

New Year's Eve Party

Tuesday, December 31

The Majestics

Reservations Required

CLUB CLOSED

January 1 & 2

Friday, December 20

2013 Standing Committees

Commodore's Association	TBD
I-LYA Delegate	Commodore Steve Harris
Alternate Commodore	TBD
Blue Gavel Commodore	Commodore Steve Harris
Fleet Captain	Commodore Don Harris
Power Fleet Captain	Commodore Joe Campbell
Fleet Surgeon	Dr. John VanGilder
Fleet Chaplain	Fr. Mike Gribble
Parliamentarian	TBD
Historian	Commodore Steve Harris
Insurance	Commodore Al Wing and Mark Scarrett
Audit Committee	TBD
Gun Club	John Doneff
Financial Planning Committee	Commodore Gayle Fisher-Mulvey
Perpetual Fund	TBD
Antique Boat Show	Vice Commodore Chuck Wadley
Snowball Regatta	John Watson
Annual Golf Outing	Paul Sanzone
Bob Dye Memorial Poker Run	Paul Sanzone
Commodores Steak Fry	Commodore Mike Jacobs
Good Neighbor Committee	Commodore Joe Campbell
Classic Car Show	Mike Formataro
Howard & Rosa Clark	Commodore Greg Miller, Evan Miller
Scholarship Fund	

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A MERRY BLYC Auxiliary's
Christmas Children's Party

Sunday, December 15th, 2013

Mr. & Mrs. Santa will Arrive at 2:00 pm

Gifts

Pictures

Punch & Cookies

Story Telling & Singing

Until Santa Arrives

No Age Limit

The Club will be serving a Limited Breakfast until 12:30 pm

From 12:30 pm until 3:30 pm they will be serving a Buffet

Featuring assorted Adult and Children's Favorites

\$15.95 for adults

\$6:95 for children under 12

Children under 3 eat for free!

Tax and Gratuity are not included

