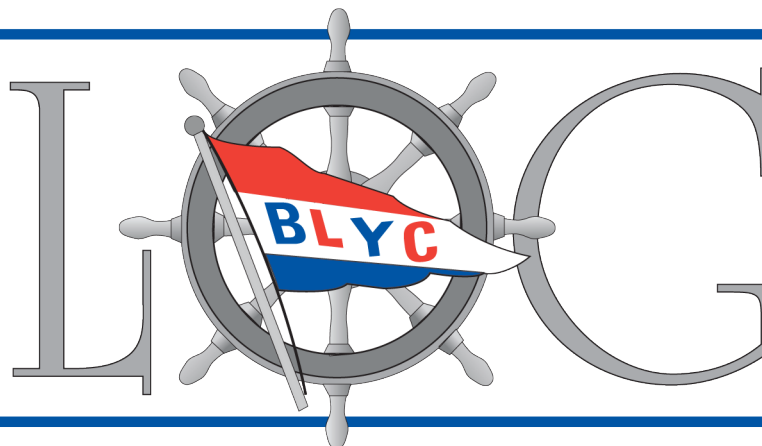


Buckeye Lake Yacht Club



FROM THE BRIDGE ☆☆☆

December 2014 - Volume 24, Issue 3



COMMODORE
CHARLES WADLEY

Tis the season; to enjoy the holidays at the Buckeye Lake Yacht Club. The club house is very inviting with the holiday decorations, and a warm fire in the fireplace. Check the club calendar and plan to attend an evening of entertainment or just come up for a quiet dinner in the dining room.

Ginger, Chef Matt, 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.

I hope that you have noticed the newly refinished floor in the bar area. Special thanks to the BLYC Gun Club, John Doneff Chairman, for funding the project.

I would like to ask the members to keep BLYC employee, Josh Daniels,

and his family in your thoughts and prayers. Josh was injured in an auto accident, while he was on his way to work at the Club. The Club is accepting cash and check contributions to help Josh through this difficult time.

The Board of Governors are working hard to continue the Yacht Club traditions and to provide the membership with a great experience at the BLYC.

The Governors' areas of responsibility are listed on the back of the Log. If you have any questions or comments, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Come in and enjoy your Club!

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

Commodore Chuck Wadley

Josh Daniels Benefit

Sunday, December 7
1:00 - 5:00 pm

Spaghetti Dinner

\$10 - Adults; \$5 Children

Raffles - 50/50 Drawings
Donations Accepted

Entertainment by:
Cat & Howard

BLYC Auxiliary's Children's Christmas Party

Sunday, December 14, 2014

Mr. & Mrs. Santa arrive at 2:00 pm

Gifts

Pictures

Punch & Cookies

Storytelling & Singing

The Club will serve a limited breakfast until 12:30

From 12:30-3:30 we will have a buffet featuring
Adult and Children's Favorites

\$15.95 for Adults

\$6.95 for Children 12 & under

Children under 3 eat for free

Tax & gratuity not included



GOOD NEIGHBOR COMMITTEE

The Buckeye Lake Yacht Club Good Neighbor Committee invites you to participate in our annual Christmas Party for the children of the Buckeye Lake area. This is our 11th year and we need your help to make it a success.

Each year we provide a party including Santa, Christmas goodies, and gifts for the children. Here's how it works... the committee asks club members to sponsor a child for \$50. L.E.A.D.S selects needy families from the area and each child provides us with a Christmas wish list. The \$50 limit is to insure that each child receives the same amount of support. Members may sponsor more than one child. No Club funds are used for this project. Every penny comes from the generous donations of our members.

This year, the party will be held on Sunday, December 21st at 2:00 pm. Members are, of course, invited. The committee has taken the liberty of honoring one of our best friends this year. In his memory, the event is now known as "**The Dwight Joseph Children's Christmas Party**"

Each year, he made the promise that he wouldn't let his emotions take over... and he always failed. Seeing the retired Columbus Police Chief with tears running down his face, the adults had to look away. Like Joe, you'll never forget the looks on the faces of these kids. Without your help, many of these families would not be able to afford Christmas gifts for their children.

Contact P/C Joe Campbell or visit the BLYC website for more information

jcampb11@columbus.rr.com 740.687.0634

Checks, made payable to the *BLYC Good Neighbor Committee*, can be mailed to:

Buckeye Lake Yacht Club
P.O. Box 867
Buckeye Lake, OH 43008

ENTERTAINMENT

- Governor Mark Severance

**Be merry all, be merry all,
With holly dress the festive hall;
Prepare the song, the feast, the ball,
To welcome merry Christmas.**

~William Robert Spencer

Holiday gatherings at the BLYC are sure to put you in the Christmas spirit. Make your reservations now for the annual **Adult Christmas Party** scheduled for **Saturday, December 13**. STUDIO 3 featuring Bri Holland will provide the music. Check out Bri at <http://www.briholland.com/>.

On **Saturday, December 20th** sing-a-long with **Jamie Whetstone** at the keyboard playing your favorite Christmas selections. Merry Christmas!!

On **New Year's Eve - Party down with The Majestics!** The band plays a wide variety of jazz, blues, Motown and old time rock 'n roll that will have everyone hitting the dance floor. If you haven't heard The Majestics go to their website <http://themajesticsband.tripod.com/> Make your reservations early and ring in 2015 with your friends at the Club.

Don't forget the Big Ten Championship Tailgate Party on Saturday, December 6. Time and teams to be announced.

Several members are interested in playing Progressive Euchre on Sunday afternoons in January and February. Please put your name on the list at the bar so that we can gauge the level of interest.

JANUARY ENTERTAINMENT

"It's Five O'clock Somewhere!" Forget the winter cold by taking a trip to Margaritaville at the **Parrott Head Party** on **January 10th** with DJ Randy Cobun. Come enjoy food and drink specials! Dress in your favorite Buffett-wear!

Wine is constant proof that God loves us and loves to see us happy.

- Ben Franklin. Sip a little vino and listen to the solo guitar work of Mark Williams on **January 17**.

Dine and dance to jazz and blues standards, hard-hitting funk tunes and the original compositions of **The Jazz Gallery Project** on **January 31**.

Don't forget the **BLYC Speakers Series** - back for another year - beginning in January. Visit the Club website for schedule & information.

Cheers!

Mark Severance
Entertainment

FREE BLYC MEMBERSHIP DUES DRAWING

(\$750 for 2015 BLYC Membership dues)

Sponsored by the BLYC Auxiliary

Drawing will be held at the New Year's Eve Party

(need not be present to win)

Please drop off at the Club or mail along with your check for \$25 made out to the BLYC Auxiliary

Extra forms are available at the Club on and on the website

Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____

BLYC Auxiliary
5109 Northbank
P.O. Box 867
Buckeye Lake, Ohio 43008



Saturday, December 13

Featuring Studio 3

Dinner Served 5:30 - 9:00 pm

Appetizers

Shrimp Cocktail

Six Succulent Shrimp Served with
House-Made Cocktail Sauce

12

Chef Matt's Grilled Bacon

Honey-Bourbon Glaze, Corn Relish,
Cheddar Grits

10

Entrees

Slow Roasted Sirloin

Cabernet-Crimini Mushroom Glaze
Roasted Fingerling Potatoes & Asparagus

17

Pan-Seared Grouper

Lemon-Thyme Beurre Blanc, Crab Relish
Whipped Potatoes & French Beans

18

Citrus-Rosemary Roasted Turkey

Natural Jus, Cranberry Mostarda
Roasted Fingerling Potatoes & French Beans

14

Zucchini & Crimini Mushroom Ragout

Served over Whipped Potatoes

10

BLYC AUXILIARY

The November meeting was wonderful! We had a great turnout, signed up five new members, and enjoyed a delicious meal and great service. Michelle Desantis took time from her busy schedule and made several beautiful fall floral arrangements that were drawn for. Thank you Michelle! We're sending one of them to Josh in the hospital as a "We miss you" message.

Our booze basket is ready and looking for a home. It contains eight bottles of high-end spirits to lift yours! Ask any bartender or server for tickets - 6 for \$5, 13 for \$10, and 30 for \$20. If you see any Auxiliary Board member - ask them too. It's such a large basket, we'd be more than happy to come to your house and help drink it if you win. The drawing will be held at the Adult Christmas Party on December 13th. You do not need to be present to win.

It's also time for the Auxiliary's Free Membership Drawing. We will be drawing the winner at the New Year's Eve Party. Coupons are \$25 each. Enter as many times as you like. You can pick up a flyer at the Club, cut out the one from this Log on the adjacent page, download it from the BLYC website or the weekly e-News blast, or find one in your December mailing. Again, you don't have to be present at the drawing to win.

A big Auxiliary HUG goes out to Brian Kemp. He was our 50/50 winner at the Halloween Party and donated his winnings back to the Auxiliary! This will help us with the Commodore's wish list for this year.

The Auxiliary would like to wish all of our members and their families **HAPPY HOLIDAYS!**

Linda Masone
Secretary, BLYC Auxiliary

DOCKS & RENTALS

- Governor Tom Baltzell

By the time you receive this, Thanksgiving has past (hope you all had a wonderful Thanksgiving) and now we are looking at Christmas and a New Year.. How can time go so fast?

Not lots going on with Docks and Rentals this time of year so allow me to put out a couple reminders for you:

- ★ If you are storing your boat in our Eastport Storage area, please tag it with your name.
- ★ If you are renting a dock and have not completed a BLYC Dock Agreement please contact Rebecca at the Club (office) or me to insure one is sent to you with your Dues Notice.
- ★ If you are renting a dock, space in the storage area, or a garage from BLYC and you would like to cancel, please contact Rebecca so you will not be billed. Again, if you have any questions, contact me.
- ★ If you need a dock, storage space in our Eastport yard, or a storage garage, we do have some of each waiting for you to rent. Do not hesitate, as I said earlier "time is movin' fast".

Before you know it we will be putting our boats in!

Well, not much left to say except a big thank you to all the covered dock renters for removing your boats by the first of November. I know for some it was rather challenging but you got it done and again, THANKS!

Finally, any questions, contact me at 740.739. 2906 or hdbikeguy@insight.rr.com

See you at our Club, (for those who are away for winter, Merry Christmas and a wonderful New Year!)

**Working together for a common purpose
results in a better BLYC**

Tom Baltzell
Docks & Rentals

JUNIOR SAILING

- Governor Michael McVey

In the last four years we've gone from 2 to 4 to 6 to 9 Travelers Series Jr. Racers (6 at Bay Week). We've had as many as 62 in our camps; from as far away as Washington D.C., West Virginia, and Pennsylvania.

Our members have children and grandchildren and sometimes nieces and nephews who can benefit from our setting at BLYC and from all the talents of our membership. As I have said before, the Jr's can gain many experiences and learn many skills in categories such as responsibility and accountability, safety, social, planning and organizing, marketing, communications, flexibility/adapting...and have fun doing them.

To help ensure success we've filed for 501(c)(3) status (which means all donations are tax deductible) and we've got a "business plan" with 11 primary points: Race Coach, Instructors & Instruction; Race Team Equipment & Logistics; Camp Equipment; Racing Safety & Camp Power Boats; Security & Risk Management; Juniors' Room (upstairs at BLYC); Marketing; Fundraising; Financials; Youth Board & Other Youth Activities; and, Annual Schedule.

Each of these 11 points have a team with a Team Lead to achieve the goals within each point. This increases participation across our membership. We held a meeting with the membership (everyone received an invite; telephone, emails, "email blast", and The Log) to communicate what's going on.

The points cover items to ensure protection/maintenance of equipment, responsibility and accountability of the youth and adults, solid curriculum for our camps, purchasing of equipment (sail boats, safety boat, rigging and safety equipment), increased participation, and the raising of money to do all these things. If you'd like a copy of the plan just let me know.

We even set up sponsorship levels:

1. Regatta = \$2,000
2. Thistle = \$1,000 to \$2,000
3. 420 = \$500 to \$1,000
4. Laser = \$100 to \$500
5. Friends of BLYC Jr. Sailing = up to \$100

To date we have raised about \$8,000 with one in the Regatta levels, two in the thistle level, one in the 420 level and a few "Friends". And, we have quite a few who have committed - we just have to confirm the levels. Please join in.

Lots of things to do to make BLYC Junior friendly and a place to grow!

"Mac" McVey
Junior Sailing



Dinner Starts Promptly at 7:15 pm

First Course

Dragon and the Phoenix

Ginger-buttered Prawn and Soy Chile Chicken
Citrus-Ginger Emulsion - Sweet Soy Reduction

Second Course

Mixed Greens Salad

Julienne Carrots, Beets, Chevre Crouton, Roasted Garlic Sherry Vinaigrette

Entree

Surf & Turf with a Twist

Slow-Braised Beef Short Rib
Zinfandel Demi-Glace
Lobster Whipped Potatoes, Roasted Asparagus

Dessert

Flourless Chocolate Torte

Strawberry Coulis
Grand Marnier Mousse, Pistachio Dust

Midnight

Roasted Pork Loin and Sauerkraut

\$55 per person

(tax and gratuity not included)

Reservations Required

(740) 929-9941

RACE & REGATTA

- Governor Chuck Gleich

I hope everyone has their boats in storage for the short winter. Sails are flaked and lines are stored. Put stabilizer in your fuel tank. Run the engine out of fuel. Check your rigging.

Now is the time to take inventory of needed equipment for next season. Life vests, first aid kits, oars, tow lines and cup holders.

Thanks go out to all who helped take out six sail boats and placing them into the boat yard. We should all work together when it comes to sailing and boating. Ask your fellow members for help.

Let's get on board for next sailing and racing season!

Chuck Gleich
Race & Regatta



COMMUNICATIONS

- Governor Rose McEntire

DID YOU KNOW...

... that by going to the Buckeye Lake Yacht Club web page, you can send an email to any one of the current Governors? Click on the "Contact Us" tab at the top; then click on "Board of Governors," and by clicking on any of our names – you will be presented with a box to send us an email! Let me know if you have any questions or problems.

DID YOU ALSO KNOW...

... that by clicking on the box in the upper left corner scrolling box of the Web Page, when it says "Click Here to get the latest news...." you can sign up to receive a weekly News Blast about activities at the club? (You can also select e-News from the "Our Club" menu)

HAVE YOU NOTICED...

... that from the web page, if you click on "Our Club" and then on "Photo Gallery" you can see up to the minute photos of fun activity at your Yacht Club?

I wish you and your families a very Happy Holiday Season!

Rose McEntire
Communications

BAR & KITCHEN

- Vice Commodore David Luttenberger

Greetings from the BLYC bar and kitchen. We have many exciting dining events lined up for you in December. We will have special menus for the annual Christmas Party and the annual New Year's Eve party. Make reservations early, *these events will sell out*. We have had a lot of demand for a vegetarian menu and Matt is happy to announce that a new vegetarian special menu will be ready for roll out in the beginning of December. We are also preparing a new desert menu - - - including carrot cake (Yum!)

SADNESS: As some of you may have heard our Sous Chef, Josh Daniels was seriously injured on his way to work on Sunday morning, 11/9/14. He was sent to Grant Hospital where he underwent a number of emergency surgeries. The entire staff misses Josh and prays for a speedy recovery. Because it is possible that he could be out of work for an extended period time this will almost certainly be a difficult financial time for Josh, his wife, and their two small children. We will be taking up a collection for Josh's family to help them through this difficult period. Contributions can be given to Ginger while you are at the Club, or you can mail a check in to Rebecca at the Club. Please indicate that it is for the *Josh Daniels Recovery Fund*. **Thank you for your support.**

I have been working with Ginger to create a higher level of service for our members. This will involve training programs and a stronger management presence. If you feel your servers are taking care of your needs please let them know. If you are unhappy with your level of service, please let Ginger or myself know and we will try and meet your needs. We want you to enjoy your dining experience at the Club. One of the most important things you can do to help us enhance your dining experience is to **MAKE RESERVATIONS!** This helps the Chef to determine how much food to prepare and Ginger to properly staff to take care of your needs. Proper staffing also helps us control our expenses, which is another benefit to members. Help us, and we'll help you. Reminder - Come in and take advantage of our Happy Hour drink specials, Wednesday-Friday from 4-7pm. We're here for you, our members, at your home away from home, the BLYC. **We aim to serve!**

David Luttenberger
Bar & Kitchen

COMING SOON

New & Exciting
Merchandise in the BLYC
Auxiliary Showcase

HOUSE & GROUNDS

- Rear Commodore Dave Lawrence

Well, Thanksgiving has come and gone. Whether you went over the river and through the woods or just stayed at home, I hope you had a special holiday! As we move into the final month of 2014, House and Grounds continues our mission to address the "3 Rs" of improvement: repairing, refurbishing and replacing. One finished project is the hardwood floors in the Club bar. Much of the finish under the chairs was worn off and dirty looking. The floor was stripped and refinished and looks marvelous! If you have not seen the flooring since it was finished, I invite you to check it out and see why we have received many compliments. This actually was made possible by the now defunct Gun Club. After many years and a great winter tradition of skeet shooting, the EPA shut down the the Gun Club because of the lead shot (even though the Club promised to use steel shot, which many were using anyway). When the club was disbanded, there were funds still in the treasury and President John Doneff, upon finding the need for funding of the floors, donated the money to accomplish this. Thanks, shooters! In our master plan, we are also looking to refinish the floors in the fireplace room.

We had the carpet cleaned in the dining room, hoping that if it were cleaned it would look good enough to last another year or so. However, like officiating football, "after further review, the ruling on the previous play has been overturned." Some stains did not come out and the seams are frayed, so we decided that we will replace the carpet. By the time you read this Log, we will have the third estimate and, hopefully, definite plans to finish installation before the holidays. We also have three bids for a new pool heater, three bids for a new ice machine in the kitchen and three bids for the cupola (the "light house" on top of the club.) We also have some bids for insulating beneath the club and fixing the back steps. This may not sound very exciting to some, but the thought of one of the most storied clubs in a several state area getting the attention that it so deserves motivates me to continue working hard to accomplish this. If any members have time, resources or financial support to donate to make our club better, please contact myself or any other board member or trustee. As always, suggestions continue to be welcomed.

FUN FACT: The bar in the Club lounge is made of decking from classic wooden Chris Craft boats. It was donated by Sayre Brothers Marina, which was one of the first Chris Craft dealers in the United States! **See you at the Club!**

Dave Lawrence
House & Grounds

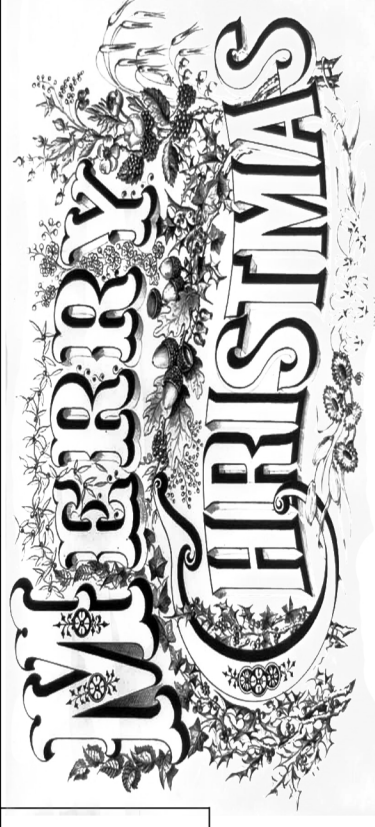


BACK FOR 2015....
THURSDAY EVENINGS - 7PM - JANUARY-MARCH
Buckeye Lake Yacht Club
SPEAKERS SERIES

DECEMBER 2014

Reservations (740) 929-9941

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6 Tailgate Party Big Ten Championship <i>Dining 11:00-9:00</i>
7 Josh Daniels Benefit 1:00 - 5:00 pm <i>Dining 9:00-7:00</i>	8	9	10	11 Board Meeting Auxiliary Meeting <i>Dining 5:00-9:00</i>	12	13 Adult Christmas Party Studio 3 featuring Bri Holland <i>Dining 11:00-9:00</i>
14 BLYC Auxiliary's Children's Christmas Party <i>Dining 9:00-7:00</i>	15	16	17	18	19	20 Christmas Carols at the Club with Jamie Whetstone on piano <i>Dining 11:00-9:00</i>
21 Good Neighbor Christmas Party for needy area children <i>Dining 9:00-7:00</i>	22	23	24 Christmas Eve CLUB CLOSED	25 Christmas Day CLUB CLOSED	26	27 <i>Dining 11:00-9:00</i>
28 <i>Dining 9:00-7:00</i>	29	30	31 New Year's Eve Party The Majestics	<i>Dining 5:00-9:00</i>		



www.buckeyelakeyc.com/pages/our-club/calendar.php

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Vice President Sue Wadley
Secretary Linda Masone
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IMPORTANT DATES

I-LYA Fall Meeting

Holiday Inn - Westlake, OH
December 5-7

Benefit for Josh Daniels

Spaghetti Dinner
December 7

Tailgate Party

Big Ten Championship
Saturday, December 6

Adult Christmas Party

Studio 3
Saturday, December 13

Children's Christmas Party

Sponsored by the BLYC Auxiliary
Sunday, December 14

Christmas Carols @ BLYC

Jamie Whetstone on piano
Saturday, December 20

Dwight Joseph Children's Christmas Party

BLYC Good Neighbor Committee
Sunday, December 21

CLUB CLOSED

Christmas Holiday
December 24-25

New Year's Eve Party

The Majestics
Wednesday, December 31

STANDING COMMITTEES

Commodores Association	Commodore Don Harris
I-LYA Delegate	Commodore Steve Harris
Alternate	Matt Davis
Blue Gavel	Tony Durieux
Fleet Captain - Sail	Commodore Don Harris
Fleet Captain - Power	Commodore Joe Campbell
Fleet Surgeon	Dr. John Vangilder
Fleet Chaplain	Father Michael Gribble
Parliamentarian	Rufus Hurst
Historian	Commodore Steve Harris
Insurance Committee	TBD
Classic Boat Regatta	Commodore Chuck Wadley
Snowball Regatta	Commodore Steve Harris
Annual Golf Outing	Paul Sanzone
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Commodores' Steak Nite	Commodore Greg Miller
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