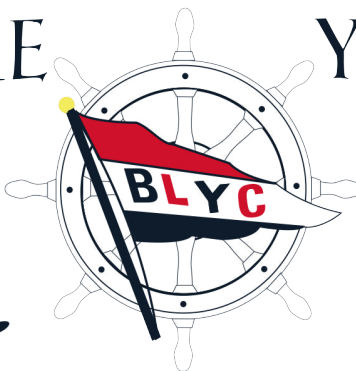


BUCKEYE LAKE YACHT CLUB

The LOG



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UPCOMING EVENTS

Supper Club

Don Beck
Friday, April 3

Karaoke

Cat & Howard
Saturday, April 4

Crab Races

Hosted by the BLYC Auxiliary
Wednesday, April 8

Commodores' Ball

Studio 3 Jazz Gallery
featuring Jeff Hersey
Saturday, April 11

Watkins Island Seafood Night

Lakeside Trio
Saturday, April 18

US Sailing Race Management Seminar

Saturday, April 25
8:00 am - 5:00 pm

Dinner/Dance

Folk/Rock Music TBA
Saturday, April 25

Spring Work Day

Sunday, April 26
Work begins at 9:00 am
Lunch & beverages for all who work!
KITCHEN CLOSED



COMMODORE CHARLES WADLEY

The Buckeye Lake Yacht Club was established in 1906 for the purpose of:

- ★ *Promoting Yachting and Aquatic Sports*
- ★ *Cultivation of sociability among members*
- ★ *Improvement of Buckeye Lake for boating purposes*

Our mission statement still defines the Buckeye Lake Yacht Club today. Regarding the recent developments of the lake level, the Buckeye Lake Yacht Club is committed to work with all those involved to help find a balance that includes public safety, environmental, recreational, and lifestyle concerns.

Once we know what to expect regarding the lake level, we will

make plans to move forward accordingly.

The Buckeye Lake Yacht Club has experienced many changes and challenges throughout the past 109 years. With strong membership support and participation, we expect to be here another 100 years.

The Board of Governors is working hard to continue the Yacht Club traditions and to provide the membership with great experiences at 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!

Commodore Chuck Wadley

MEMBERSHIP

- Governor Kara Mulvey

Hello All -

I'd like to welcome our new members this month:

John & Linda Wait

Kara Mulvey
Membership Governor

IN MEMORIAM

TED R. HOWARD
1938 ~ 2015

ENTERTAINMENT

- Governor Mark Severance

Robin Williams said, "Spring is nature's way of saying, 'Let's party!'" We've certainly had some great activities this winter. March featured the fantastic guitar and vocals of Brad Moore, AJ Angelo on Saint Patty's Day, dinner music with Dave Bott and the rockin' tunes of the Gem Tones. Sunday Euchre was great fun and the Speaker Series was one of the best ever. If you haven't been to the Club this winter, spring is saying, "Let's party!"

Spring entertainment kicks off with jazz and dance music with Don Beck on April 3 from 7:00-10:00 and Karaoke with Cat and Howard on April 4 starting at 7:00. Honor our current and past Commodores on April 11 with a dinner/dance featuring the Studio 3 Jazz Gallery. Music starts at 7:00. Our chef will be cooking some tasty creations. All are welcome for this fun evening! Buckeye Lake's own Lakeside Trio will perform on April 18 from 7:00-10:00 for The Watkins Island Seafood Night. Where have they hibernated since January? On Saturday, April 25 we'll have folk/rock music TBA. Call and make your reservations!

As we move in to May we'll celebrate Cinco de Mayo with "Red Wench" featuring Gayla Smith and Jamie Whetstone on May 2 from 7:00-11:00. Lots of great party music to sing along with! The Sunken Island Band (featuring BLYC members) will rock the joint on Friday, May 8th from 7:00-10:00. On May 23 the Jazz Gallery Project will play your smooth jazz favorites. Sunday May 24 take a dip in the pool and enjoy the music of The Groove Band (a Jeff O'Donnell favorite). We'll finish the month on the porch with Supper Club on Friday, May 29 with Don Beck and the music of the Lakeside Trio on May 30.

The Gatlins, Steel Away, The Jack, The Lords of Literature and Bad Influence are all on tap for summertime fun!

Come out and support your BLYC.

Mark Severance
Entertainment Governor

APRIL ENTERTAINMENT

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MAY ENTERTAINMENT

Cinco de Mayo - May 2

Red Headed Wenches

Supper Club - May 8

Sunken Island Band

Dinner/Dance - May 23

Jazz Gallery Project

Pool Party - May 24

The Groove Band

Supper Club - May 29

Don Beck

Dinner/Dance - May 30

Lakeside Trio

Easter Buffet

Sunday, April 5

Ham 🍷 Leg of Lamb 🍷 Vegetables
Mashed Potatoes 🍷 Rolls w/butter 🍷 Salad Bar

11:00 am - 5:00 pm



BAR & KITCHEN

- Vice Commodore David Luttenberger

The Buckeye Lake Yacht Club is proud to announce the promotion of Larry Enmen to Kitchen Manager. Larry has taken charge since Matt moved on and has done a wonderful job continuing our excellent cuisine while modernizing and organizing our kitchen. In addition, to support his efforts, Josh Daniels is now working part time in the capacity of Chef. We hope he will soon be able to return to full time. You can look forward to a continuation of excellent food and quality service at your favorite Club on beautiful Buckeye Lake.

We have a number of culinary delights to engage your appetite in April. On Saturday April 11th it is the one-and-only Commodore's Ball. Our Chefs have prepared a special menu to honor the Past Commodores and delight our members as a perfect accompaniment to the delightful jazz styling's of Studio 3. On Saturday, April 18th, it's off to the sea for Watkins Island Seafood Night and some of the best seafood between here and any coast. Do I hear a foghorn in the distance?

Some new delectable items for your interest:

- ★ You can find our weekly specials online under Gob's Mess.
- ★ While on our website, if you see highlighted events, click on them and the menus will open to whet your appetite.
- ★ Surprise! Our Chefs have changed the cut of prime rib; leaner, meaner and oh sooo good! Give it a try.

Don't forget, come in and take advantage of our Happy Hour drink specials, Wednesday-Friday from 4:00-7:00 pm. We will be offering specials on beer, wine and well drinks. Don't get left out of the fun! Be sure to call ahead to make reservations so we can be fully prepared to meet your needs.

We're Here to Serve!

David Luttenberger
Bar & Kitchen

DOCKS & RENTALS

- Governor Tom Baltzell

SPRING! Finally a break from winter... I'm actually writing this article from my deck and I can't tell you how absolutely wonderful it is to sit here in the sun.. Can you tell I'm done with winter? Lol!

Now on to Dock news...

As we all know, decisions will be forthcoming concerning our lake and what we may expect this boating season and in the future. Rebecca (in the BLYC office) and I have received many phone calls and e-mails asking what may be done concerning docking, boating and various water-related activities. My advice to everyone who's renting a dock from BLYC: "Do nothing until a final decision is announced." Once we (BLYC) have a definitive decision, I shall work with you, our dock renters, for the best possible solution. We are all in this together and we will work this out together!

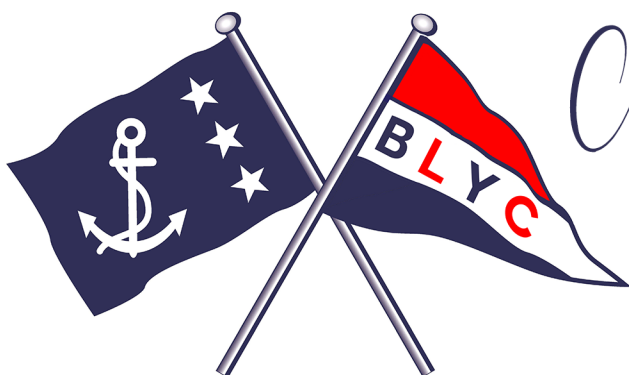
Lots of folks out and about the lake since the weather is milder. Reminder to always secure gates as you enter or exit. This helps to insure you and your neighbors' property remains protected. If you are renting space in the storage yard, please tag your properties and insure that you are in the correct location.

Finally, if you are in need of storage or a dock, have concerns, or just want to talk, please do not hesitate to contact me at hdbikeguy@insight.rr.com. Well, I do believe that's a wrap for this month.

Hope to see you at our Club,

Tom Baltzell
Docks & Rentals Governor

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



SATURDAY, APRIL 11

The Annual Commodores Ball is a semi-formal event hosted by the current Vice Commodore at which we recognize and appreciate those who have served our Club as Commodore.

**All Members are Invited and
Encouraged to Attend!**

Commodores' Ball

HONORING ALL BLYC COMMODORES

APPETIZERS

Shrimp Cocktail
Cocktail Sauce & Lemon

Spinach Artichoke Dip
w/ Pita Bread

DESSERT

Crème Brûlée

ENTREÉS

10 oz. New York Strip Steak
w/ Peppercorn Demi
Baked Potato - Vegetable

Grilled Salmon
w/ Rice Pilaf - Vegetable
topped with Stewed Mushroom

Fresh Herb Pasta
w/ Kalamata Olive
Sundried Tomato - Herbs
(Chicken may be added)

RACE & REGATTA

- Governor Chuck Gleich

The winter ice has melted away - time to start getting our boats ready for the sailing season! Over the past few months Governor McVey and P/C Steve Harris have set up a great start to the year...

- ★ April 25 we will be hosting a US Sailing Race Management Seminar at BLYC
- ★ May 30 we will kickoff the I-LYA Traveler Series with the BLYC Junior Regatta
- ★ Club racing starts May 31.

Come on out to the race shack join in the fun.

Get on Board!

Chuck Gleich
Race & Regatta Governor

LOOKING AFT...

The following is a reprint of a July 1980 "Did You Know..." article from then Club Historian, P/C Whitey Limes:

How Cranberry Marsh Came to Be

Cranberry Marsh, Bog, or Island, whichever you wish to call it, is a Sphagnum Bog. The definition of sphagnum, according to the Webster Dictionary is; 1) any number of related grayish mosses found in bogs; peat moss, 2) a mass of such mosses used to make fertilizer, to pack and pot plants, to make surgical dressings, etc. - to say the least, the writer has never seen any surgical dressings made out of moss!

The name Cranberry Marsh, Bog, or Island comes from the fact that it is overgrown with little creeping vines of cranberry. The writer has eaten some of these cranberries which were picked by Wm. "Bud" Sayre and preserved. The cranberries are a little smaller than those one can buy in the food markets at Thanksgiving time... So much for definitions and preliminaries.

The unusual thing about Cranberry Marsh is that normally a sphagnum bog will grow from the shore into the water. But, Cranberry Bog or Marsh is an island completely surrounded by water. How did this come about?

You will recall from an earlier article that, "the gouging, grinding, and bulldozing effect of the last ice age of glaciers" left a depression which eventually became the Big Pond and the Big Swamp. Cranberry Marsh was part of the Big Swamp. In prehistoric times it was much larger than it is now. It was here that early settlers and Indians stopped for food, clothing, dye, and medicine from the abundant crop of cranberries.

Between 1825 and 1830, an embankment was built at the west end of the Big Pond to create a lake to be a source of water for the new canal system. As the depth of the water increased, a portion of the bog broke loose from the bottom and rose to the surface, thus creating Cranberry Marsh or Island. At that time (1830), the Island or Marsh contained some 420 acres. It has deteriorated over the years due to wind, weather, wave action, ice, etc. to the present which is less than 19 acres.

Along with cranberries, there are many other plants on the Marsh such as poison sumac, orchids, toothed arrow-wood, sundew, chokeberry and cotton grass.

Cranberry Marsh, with its long and interesting history, has been a botanist's paradise. Recently, it was made into a wildlife preserve. It is the finest sphagnum Cranberry Bog remaining in Ohio. Every effort should be made to preserve it.

LEARN TO SAIL!

Each summer, BLYC offers learn to sail camps for children and grandchildren of members and their friends. Sailing Camp is a week of learning, confidence building, and FUN!

For more information, contact Governor Mac McVey or visit the Club website

2015 SAILING CAMPS

June 22-26 (5 days)

Members families - \$185/person; Non-members \$275/person

June 29-July 2 (4 days)

Members families - \$170/person; Non-members \$250/person

July 6-10 (5 days)

Members families - \$185/person; Non-members \$275/person

HOUSE & GROUNDS

- Rear Commodore Dave Lawrence

With another cold winter behind us, we eagerly look forward to warmer weather, longer days and spring cleaning. As most all of us will be doing spring cleaning at home, we must also focus on it at the Club! Sunday, April 26 will be our annual spring cleaning at the BLYC. We will start at 9:00 am and go to approximately 2:00 pm. As customary, coffee and doughnuts will be served in the morning and pizza and beer in the afternoon. It is extremely important to have a good turnout so we can get our Club ready for the season. All of the furniture for the patio and for the pool must be carried out from under the Club. We have the canopy to put up over the "bandstand", often a challenging task as attested to by veterans of previous spring clean ups, as well as the big umbrella by the pool. There are flower beds to tidy up and mulch to spread. The "bubblers" that reduce dock damage from the ice must be removed and power washed. These are just some of the outdoor tasks. Inside, we have somewhat similar tasks as we do at home. Windows, a lot of them, must be washed, walls must be wiped down, lights and fans must be cleaned, and so on. So if you are not into the "great outdoors," we have plenty to do inside! As with any job or task, the more people that we have helping, the less each of us have to do. When the turnout is good and we stay on task, we can be done by 1:00. If you can't come for all of it, please come for part of it. This is a very important part of being a good Club member - all pitching in together to make our Club a better place to come to and enjoy!

If you have any questions, please contact me through the Club website.

See you at the Club!

Dave Lawrence
House & Grounds



WATKINS ISLAND SEAFOOD NIGHT

SATURDAY APRIL 18TH

Seared Scallops

with Tropical Salsa, Blueberry Balsamic atop a Risotto Cake

Jamaican Shrimp Skewer

with Tropical Salsa

Surf & Turf

7 oz. Sirloin & Shrimp - Baked Potato - Vegetable

Clam Linguine

Fresh Clams in a Saffron Shallot Cream

Crusted Walleye

Baked Potato - Vegetable - Peppercorn Shallot Cream

New England Clam Chowder

with Salad Bar purchase

Key Lime Pie

COMMUNICATIONS

- Governor Rose McEntire

Happy Spring Everyone!

Did you happen to see Governor Severance's article?...

"Sunday, May 24, take a *dip in the pool* and enjoy the music of the *Groove Band* (a Jeff O'Donnell favorite)."

The water level in the pool will be just fine this year and the temperatures - just right for relaxing!!

Greg and I cannot wait to see you all around the pool again this summer! Keep an eye on the weekly news blasts, our website and the Log for up-to-date information on fun activities at the Club this summer.

Rose McEntire
Communications Governor

BLYC AUXILIARY

- Cherie Vandyne, President

COME OUT AND PLAY THE FIELD WITH THE BLYC AUXILIARY WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8

We are hosting the FIRST ANNUAL BUCKEYE CRAB RACES! This fun event is open to our BLYC members. Pick out your thoroughbred hermit crab for \$10.00 per person. Check-in time is 6:00-ish, with the first racers leaving the gate at 6:30. There will be the sounds of the Beach Boys and Jimmy Buffett all evening with a special menu and cocktails.

Sign up at the bar! We will have between 45-50 crabs. If we run short, crab partnerships are allowed. The winner of the final heat gets the cash prize!

We had a great turnout for our first meeting of the year considering that there are still lots of folks hiding out in warmer places. Chef Larry, Ginger, and the staff did a great job taking care of us while providing a bit of the old Irish hospitality!

Nancy Ball has volunteered to be our new Head Elf for the BLYC Children's Christmas Party. For many years, Carol Donnelly has dedicated herself to organizing and keeping this tradition alive. Thank you Carol!

Tim Ryan addressed the Auxiliary members with information regarding the lake situation. We would like to thank him for his ongoing dedication to not only BLYC, but to the entire lake area.

We have a margarita party coming up in May, a "progressive dinner" around the lake in June, and a Pool Party in July! And... don't forget the August fundraiser. This year its being hosted by Her Majesty's Service.... yes.... Bond, James Bond.

Linda Masone
Secretary

JUNIOR TRAINING

- Governor Michael McVey

Hello to all BLYC'ers....

Well, things are getting a bit interesting at Buckeye Lake. But, we in the Junior Sailing business are going to take it one day at a time and do everything we can to make it a positive learning and fun experience.

By the time you read this, you'll have attended our Spaghetti Dinner, **Italiano Night**, and had lots of fun! Thank You!


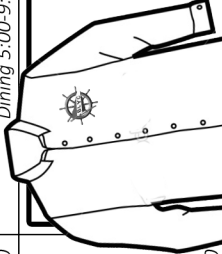
We have been selected to host an I-LYA Traveler Series regatta on Saturday, May 30. So come on out and have some fun cheering on the Juniors! This event will bring in boats from all over the region to race here at BLYC.

Elsewhere in this issue of the Log, you will find our 2015 Sailing Camp dates. Any questions, please contact me.

"Mac" McVey
Junior Training Governor

APRIL 2015

Reservations (740) 929-9941

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
5 Easter Buffet 11:00 - 5:00			1 Dining 5:00-9:00	2 Dining 5:00-9:00	3 Supper Club Don Beck 7:00-10:00 Dining 5:00-9:00	4 Karaoke Cat & Howard 7:00-10:00 Dining 11:00-9:00
	6 Easter Buffet 11:00 - 5:00	7 Dining 5:00-9:00	8 Crab Races Hosted by the BLYC Auxiliary 6:00 pm Dining 5:00-9:00	9 Board Meeting Dining 5:00-9:00	10 Dining 5:00-9:00	11 Commodores' Ball Studio 3 Jazz Gallery 7:00-10:00 Dining 11:00-4:00
12 Dining 9:00-7:00	13 Dining 9:00-7:00	14 Dining 9:00-7:00	15 Dining 5:00-9:00	16 Dining 5:00-9:00	17 Dining 5:00-9:00	18 Watkins Island Seafood Night Lakeside Trio 7:00-10:00 Dining 11:00-9:00
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www.buckeyelakeyc.com/pages/our-club/calendar.php

THE BLYC AUXILIARY PRESENTS...



Wednesday, April 8
6:00 pm

It's easy and **FUN**...You buy in, pick your crab and
race against your fellow BLYC and Auxiliary Members!
Cash Prize for the Winner!

STANDING COMMITTEES & APPOINTMENTS

Commodores Association	Commodore Don Harris	Classic Boat Regatta	Commodore Chuck Wadley
I-LYA Delegate	Matt Davis	Snowball Regatta	Commodore Steve Harris
Alternate	Commodore Don Harris	Annual Golf Outing	Paul Sanzone
Blue Gavel	Tony Durieux	Bob Dye Memorial Poker Run	Paul Sanzone
Fleet Captain - Sail	Commodore Don Harris	Commodores' Steak Nite	Commodore Greg Miller
Fleet Captain - Power	Commodore Joe Campbell	Good Neighbor Committee	Commodore Joe Campbell
Fleet Surgeon	Dr. John Vangilder	Classic Car Show	Mike Fornataro
Fleet Chaplain	Father Michael Gribble	Howard & Rosa Clark Scholarship Fund	Commodore Greg Miller Evan Miller
Parliamentarian	Rufus Hurst	Summer Sailstice	Commodore Steve Harris Commodore Tim Ryan
Historian	Commodore Steve Harris		
Insurance Committee	TBD		

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