

UPCOMING EVENTS

BLYC "Tailgate" Party Saturday, October 1 OSU v. Rutgers

> Supper Club Friday, October 7 Second Story

71st Annual Snowball Regatta October 8 - 9 at Alum Creek

BLYC "Tailgate" Party Saturday, October 8 OSU v. Indiana

BLYC Book Club Wednesday, October 12 6:30 pm - BLYC Library

BLYC "Tailgate" Party Saturday, October 15 OSU @ Wisconsin

Supper Club Friday, October 21 Lakeside Trio with the Girlfriends in Therapy

BLYC "Tailgate" Party Saturday, October 22 OSU @ Penn State MEMBER POT-LUCK

> Fall Work Day Sunday, October 23

Adult Halloween Party Friday, October 28 HB7

BLYC "Tailgate" Party Saturday, October 29 OSU v. Northwestern



COMMODORE DAVE LAWRENCE Greetings from the Bridge!

I am excited to be starting my term as the 104th Commodore of Buckeye Lake Yacht Club! For those of you who are newer to the Club, my experience on the Board has been as a Governor and a Flag Officer with responsibilities for Race & Regatta, followed by Docks & Rentals, House & Grounds, and, last year, Bar & Kitchen. I also support and volunteer with Junior Sailing and adult sailing here at BLYC. I believe these experiences have prepared me for leading this great Club, although many of the 103 to go before me believe nothing can prepare you for this job! There are always challenges ahead and this year is no different. The dam remediation, water levels, and keeping the Club open will demand our focus for the entire year. For the past couple years, we have been meeting with ODNR. This will not change. We believe that we worked together well in dealing with contractors and ODNR in keeping our doors open. Why mess with success? The biggest reason that I am optimistic about the coming year is our outstanding Board of Governors for 2017! I believe that this will be one of the best Boards with which I have been associated - what a great group of caring, capable, and dedicated individuals! Also, we hope to have committees to support each Officer in his or her job. As I will

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do all year, I encourage the membership to get involved in running the Club.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Past Commodore David Luttenberger for a great job leading us through difficult times. He definitely has set the standards by which future Commodores will be judged - exemplary leadership, unquestionable dedication, utmost integrity, communication skills, and, his most important attribute, his unparalleled love of BLYC! While working on the Board for five years and serving as his Vice Commodore, our relationship went from friend to brother. He is a special person who did a special job! From the very beginning, I realized that our club is made up of fun, friendly, caring, giving individuals. One of the things that P/C Luttenberger would often say was that he believed any member could come to the Club, sit down with people whom they don't know, have a good conversation and a great evening! This is one of our strengths and why I have been committed to this Club! An example... Not long after Lady Laura and I joined, we came to dinner on a Friday night and sat in the dining room at a two person table that backed up to the fireplace. After we finished dinner, two couples sitting along the window said, "You guys are new, aren't you? Would you like to join us?" Not knowing anyone, we welcomed the opportunity. We had a wonderful evening and were very impressed with the friendliness and fell in love with the Club. The two couples whom invited us over? — David Luttenberger & Jan Bass and Mike and Karen McVey. From that table, some five or six years ago, came two Commodores and our Rear Commodore! Coincidental? I don't think so! As Paul Harvey used to say, "And now you know the rest of the story!"

This is what makes this Club so special quality, caring members who look at other members as friends and treat them as such. This is why I am here today. Come join with me this year in making this the best Club anywhere!

See you at the Club!

Commodore Dave Lawrence

ENTERTAINMENT

- Governor Chuck Gleich

Autumn has arrived but there are still plenty of reasons to come to the BLYC for an evening with friends, food, and fun. A special thank you to *Howard Everitt* and the great musicians that joined him for the Rock and Roll Jam. Howard always invests a lot of energy and personal resources in planning this event. Thank you!

The Rutgers Scarlet Knights will travel to OSU on Saturday, October 1 with kick-off at 1:00. The staff will have special tailgate All of the club's accessible docks, those attached to the island, food and drinks at every tailgate. Come celebrate another Buckeye win! Arrive early and decorate a table. On October 7, Second Story will be providing entertainment. The acoustic trio always plays your favorite tunes. The Buckeyes return to the field on Saturday, October 8 to take on the Indiana Hoosiers. Game time TBA. The Bucks play the Wisconsin Badgers on October 15. Kick-off is scheduled for 8:00 pm. The *Lakeside Trio* featuring David Hogrefe, Steve Harris, and Matt Coombs — will provide Supper Club music on Friday, October 21. The Trio will bring along *The Girlfriends in Therapy* — Misty Conner, Julie Whetstone, and Julie Bruckelmeyer — to provide some special tunes. The Buckeyes return to the field on Saturday, October 22 to take on the Nittany Lions of Penn State. Buckeye Nation is alive and well at the BLYC!

The Club's annual Adult Halloween Costume Bash is scheduled for Friday, October 28. This will be a spooooooooktacular even with haunting drinks and food. Prizes will be given for the BEST costumes — best group costume, scariest, funniest, and best overall. The evening features *HB7* — Southeast Ohio's Premiere Rock and Roll Band. Get ready to boooogie the night away. Anyone willing to help decorate the club for this event should contact the entertainment governor. This party is like a graveyard . . . where people are dying to get in, so make your reservations early. Finish off the month on October 29 as the Buckeyes take on the Northwestern Wildcats — 5:30 kick-off.

Football action continues on November 5 when OSU takes on the Nebraska Cornhuskers. The Sunken Island Band will bring the party with them on Friday, November 11 for a night of great music and dancing. The Bucks travel to challenge the Maryland Terrapins (they better have pretty hard shells) on Saturday, November 12 — Game time TBA. November 19 the team hits the field in East Lansing to take on the *Michigan State Spartans* -Game time TBA. Look for more Supper Club entertainers in the next issue of The Log.

Howard Everitt and his Buckeye Band entertain for the Buckeye Bash on Friday, November 25. Hang on Sloopy!!!!! The evening is always a special treat with your favorite Buckeye tunes and a few surprises.

As I transition to this new role of entertainment, I would like take a moment to express my thanks to our phenomenal BLYC Maintenance staff — Chuck, Trent, and Cindy. You guys were great to work with this year! Our new House & Grounds Governor is Brian Thom. Please join me in welcoming him and supporting him in his efforts on behalf of BLYC. **Cheers!**

Chuck Gleich Entertainment

DOCKS & RENTALS

- Governor Bill Muryn

The boating season, which never really started, is coming to an end. I would like to remind everyone who is storing property in the boatyard that it is your responsibility to maintain your equipment. There are some boats that have torn covers, etc. Also, if you want to store a boat in Eastport, please check with me to see what spots are available.

are spoken for and have extensive waiting lists. The waiting lists are posted on the porch. The other docks the club rents have been disconnected from the mainland as a part of the dam remediation. As such, they are not useable.

The board is still working on a plan to access the docks not attached to Watkins Island. I have no open spaces in area 300, but we do have several in area 200 if you are interested in reserving one.

We have no garages available for rental and 20 open spaces in the Eastport Boatyard.

I look forward to seeing you at the Club!

Bill Muryn Docks & Rentals



Please Note: The kitchen will close at 8:00 pm on this evening. Bar service will be available throughout the game



LOOKING AFT

- P/C Steve Harris, BLYC Historian

The BLYC Log...

Some of you may have noticed, although I suspect that many have not, that we suddenly jumped from Volume 25 to Volume 98 with this month's issue of the *Log*. This certainly begs the questions, "What's up with that?" and likely, "Has Harris lost his mind?"

Poring over the myriad of documents pertaining to our Club's history that we are archiving upstairs (Thank you P/C Frank Foster for saving all of this!), I recently came across an issue of the *Log* from November of 1929. I shared a picture of it on Twitter a few weeks back and also have a scan of it available for those who are interested — just email me and I'll share.

That got me thinking, we can't possibly be only at Volume 25 of this publication. Upon further research, I discovered in Kyle Armstrong's *Story of Buckeye Lake Yacht Club* that, "In September of 1920 *The Buckeye Lake Yacht Club Log* became the Club's regularly issued official publication." At some point in our history, this information was lost and I suspect that we started over at Volume I in 1992, when the "masthead" (cover graphics) were changed — the only reference to the "new" numbering system I can find doesn't show up until July of 1996 with "Volume 6, Issue 7." Of course, then we changed the masthead again in 2015, so maybe this should only be Volume 3?

I think that I'll stick with Armstrong's information and go back to what we believe to be the *true* longevity of this Club publication.

Incidentally, do you know name of BLYC's *first* regular publication (prior to the Log)? Started in 1908, it only lasted six or seven seasons.

Free beverage at BLYC courtesy of your Club Historian if you can give me the correct answer

BAR & KITCHEN

- Vice Commodore Rose McEntire

Happy Halloween! October is my favorite month — the weather is crisp and the colors are absolutely beautiful! There is no better place to enjoy the fall breeze, the sunsets, and the beautiful tree colors reflecting on the water than at *your* Yacht Club!

As I am gearing up for my new responsibility of Bar and Kitchen, I am working with Chef Josh on a new fall/winter menu and working with Larry and Paul to make sure that your every visit is enjoyable!

There are many events coming up in October. We are having great turn out for the OSU games — be sure to mark your calendar for October 22^{nd} — the OSU vs Penn State game — we are having a pot-luck! So, start thinking about your favorite tailgate food to bring and share. If you want to bring sweet treats to share for any of the games, they are welcome. But please do not bring other food to the games unless it is designated as a pot-luck game — Thanks!

The Halloween Party will be a lot of fun and we will have a very ghoulish menu that will satisfy even the hungriest of monsters!

Home for the Holidays! Do you have the clan coming home for Thanksgiving? Let us help take some of the work off of you for the weekend — bring your family out to the Club for happy hour and dinner. We are also an excellent stop on your way home from shopping on Black Friday — have an adult beverage and check off your shopping list.

Reservations are always appreciated!

The Club will be closed on Thanksgiving, so that our staff can enjoy the holiday with their families.

I will see you at the Club!

MEMBERSHIP

- Governor Mark Hedman

Greetings! My name is Mark Hedman and I am your new Membership Governor. I am honored to serve in this position and to have the responsibility of growing this club with the assistance of all our great existing members.

October is an excellent time to talk to your family, friends, and neighbors tabout joining the Yacht Club! We are in our 2017 fiscal year, so they can join now and enjoy the Club for the remainder of 2016 and all of 2017!

We are gearing up for all of the fall, winter, and Holiday festivities. They won't want to miss out on all the fun!

Keep an eye out for information on the upcoming, 2nd annual New Member Rush Party! This is sure to be a good time!

See you at the Club!

Mark Hedman Membership

HOUSE & GROUNDS

- Governor Brian Thom

Fall Work Day will be held on Sunday, October 23rd. We will begin at 9:00 am with coffee and doughnuts. Pizza and beverages will be provided afterwards for all who come out and help. There's a lot to do to put things away from the summer season and to prepare the Club for the winter months. Many hands make light work! Come on out, spend the day with your fellow BLYC members, and help support *your* Club!

There are a lot of exciting projects coming up this year — from much needed repairs in the kitchen, to the project upstairs, to the many improvements that the Auxiliary is helping us with.

I would like to thank Chuck Gleich for his hard work last season and I am looking forward to working with the Board, the members, and our maintenance staff — Chuck, Trent, and Cindy — to continue to make BLYC the best facility on the lake!

abership I look forward to seeing you on the 23rd!

Brian Thom House & Grounds





http://buckeyelakeyc.com/pages/our-club/photo-gallery.php

Congratulations Commodore Lawrence and the 2017 Board of Governors

BLYC AUXILIARY

The BLYC Auxiliary (aka the fun, quartermaster and capital campaign arm of BLYC), founded in 1941, has evolved over the years to encompass members, their spouses, partners, and family.

Our primary purpose is to support our Club through improvements of the facilities and by fostering the growth of BLYC community spirit. Thanks to the generosity of so many members, we are looking forward to the installation of new foyer carpet that will welcome members into BLYC, up the central staircase, and extending into the new Cupola Lounge, installation of a new awning over the east stairs & accessible lift, replacing the flooring in the formal dining area, and considering funding other projects this year.

We look forward to partnering with the Board of Governors and to hosting great events for our membership. A warm and heart felt Auxiliary thank you is extended to all of our volunteers, members, donors, and auction participants that do so much to make our club a better experience for all to enjoy — you are the cornerstone of our BLYC community!

We welcome new and returning members! Your energy and ideas are key to making the BLYC community grow and thrive. Auxiliary membership is only \$25 per year, per person and we encourage all members and couples to join together in support of our Club. Your dues drives improvement projects within the club and we welcome your attendance as your schedule permits. Our next meeting is October 13th. Gathering hour/cocktails/dinner typically begin at 6:00 pm and the meeting is at 7:00 pm.

Please join us in expressing heartfelt thanks to our two outgoing board members — V.P. Anna Pyle and Secretary Kathy Severance — for their tireless service to the club and a fun year of events, including the return of the Children's Easter Egg Hunt, and culminating with the Hard Hat Hop fundraiser. Initial estimates for the 2016 fundraiser set a club record. Thank you! Please also join us in welcoming our incoming board — President Jeffrey Hamilton (this year's Hard Hat Hop Chairman), Vice President Susan Hite, Treasurer Gail Beck, and Secretary Julie Whetstone. E-mail links are already available via the Auxiliary

section of the website should you wish to reach out to the officers with suggestions or questions about membership.

In the spirit of sharing, we welcome all BLYC members, friends, and family to please consider bringing in a bag of candy or small donation by check (payable to the Auxiliary — "Trunk-or-Treat" noted in the memo line) in early to mid-October to benefit the local Buckeye Lake Trunk-or-Treat event. Your kind donations help to provide a safe & happy Halloween event for local children. With so many families in the Buckeye Lake area participating in Trunk-or-Treat, consideration is under way for preparing hot dogs for people participating in this year's event to compliment hot chocolate and other treats prepared by other area organizations. Please also join us in thanking the house staff for their tireless service during the Hard Hat Hop fundraiser, hot summer weather, election weekend, and into the holiday season.

Finally, please join us at the Club's Fall Work Day. It's a fun time to meet your fellow members and help to keep our Club looking great while keeping the 2nd floor renovations on schedule! Coffee & doughnuts are provided at 9:00 am with work following. There will also be lunch and beverages provided for all who help.

Your 2016-17 Auxiliary Board Jeff, Susan, Gail, & Julie

COMMUNICATIONS & FINANCE

- Governor Mark Pyle

Greetings BLYC members!

As we begin a new year we will continue to explore ways to enhance your communication experience. To stay up on the lastest news at the Club, please like us on Facebook, follow us on Twitter, and sign up for our weekly "e-News" email newsletter (signup on website).

The finance committee is currently preparing the 2016-2017 budget. This effort includes identifying key projects to be completed over the upcoming fiscal year, preparing for the recently unpredictable dock rental income, member use of the bar and kitchen, and estimating how many new members are expected to join the Club. As those who attend the Annual Meeting are aware, last year we were able to save the Club a substantial amount of money by reviewing our insurance coverage and changing carriers. Over the next month we are also planning to review our banking relationships.

See you at the Club!

Mark Pyle Communications

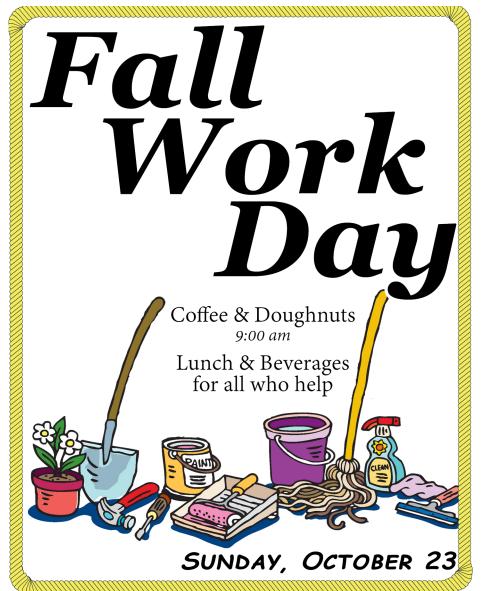


Last year, in addition to participating in our regatta, ACSA instituted a new trophy to encourage competition and camaraderie between our two Clubs. This trophy, the "Snow Fox," is awarded to the boat with the best overall combined finishes in the two events. The inaugural winner was BLYC's own *Tan-tar-a*, skippered by Don Harris with crew David Luttenberger, Larry Haggart, and John Albrecht. Word has it that Alum Creek sailors are gearing up and trying to take the trophy away from BLYC this year!

ATTENTION ALL BLYC SAILORS COME OUT AND RACE!

Let's keep the "Snow Fox" Trophy at BLYC!

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STANDING COMMITTEES & APPOINTMENTS

Secretary/Treasurer Fleet Captain - Sail Fleet Captain - Power Fleet Surgeon **Fleet Chaplain** I-LYA Delegate Alternate Parliamentarian Historian **Finance Committee**

Governor Mark Pyle Insurance Committee Commodore Don Harris Commodore Joe Campbell Doctor John Vangilder, MD Father G. Michael Gribble Matt Davis Commodore Don Harris Rufus Hurst Commodore Steve Harris Governor Mark Pyle. Chair Governor Donald Dick Commodore Gayle Fisher-Mulvey Commodore David Luttenberger

Governor Michael McVey

Commodores Assoc. Blue Gavel **Classic Boat Regatta Snowball Regatta Annual Golf Outing** Bob Dye Memorial Poker Run Commodores' Steak Nite Good Neighbor Committee Commodore Joe Campbell **Classic Car Show** Howard & Rosa Clark **Scholarship Fund**

Commodore Steve Harris Tony Durieux Commodore Chuck Wadley **Commodore Steve Harris** Larry Enmen TRD Commodore Greg Miller Mike Fornataro Commodore Greg Miller Evan Miller

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Governor Bill Muryn Docks & Rentals

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