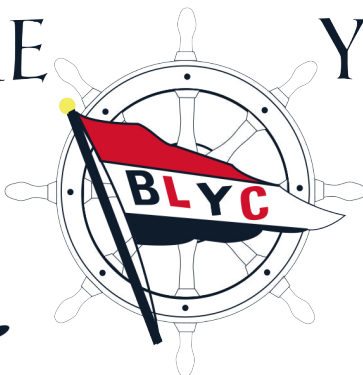


BUCKEYE LAKE YACHT CLUB

The LOG



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UPCOMING EVENTS

Supper Club

Friday, March 31
Eric Solomon

Euchre

Sunday, April 2
1:30 pm

Commodores Ball

Saturday, April 8
Dave Schubach's Big Band

Junior Sailing Work Day

Sunday, April 9
Racing Tactics Session
Noon - 2:00 pm

Children's Easter Egg Hunt

Sponsored by the BLYC Auxiliary
Saturday, April 15
2:30 pm

Supper Club

Saturday, April 15
Lakeside Trio

Easter Brunch

Sunday, April 16
10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Watkins Island Seafood Night

Saturday, April 22
Dave Bott

Spring Work Day

Sunday, April 23
Starts at 9:00 am
Free Lunch & Beverages
for all workers!

Dinner/Dance

Saturday, April 29
The Gemtones

Euchre

Sunday, April 30
1:30 pm



COMMODORE DAVE LAWRENCE

Greetings from the Bridge!

With April comes Spring! Take a good look around the lake and you will see some signs of spring that we have not seen in a couple of years. The lake has the look of renewed life, something that has happened nearly every year for the past millennium, but has been missing for the past couple of years. As the lake slowly fills toward a new summer level, our anticipation of being on the water fills our hopes of the return of the lake as a recreation source once again. As a Board, we are working hard to get as many members that want a slip to have one. Patience will be necessary as many of the docks are in ill repair and need some work to make them safe. Let's be realistic in our expectations of what the boating will be like. First of all, with the lower water level, many boats may need a step stool to step up onto the dock. Until we all learn where some of the shallow areas and obstacles are located, I would expect that boaters will go through more props than normal. So, it will not be

perfect. The way that I look at it, these are minor bumps in the road compared to no boating at all! I am excited! If you are interested in renting a slip, make sure to get your name on the list because we believe the demand will be high and the supply is limited.

There is a lot going on this month, so please get involved. There is a Junior Sailing work day on the 9th and our usual Club Spring Clean Up day on April 23rd. How long have you been a member and how many times have you come to Spring Clean Up Day? I have been to every one since becoming a member and would love to see some new faces this year. Also, the annual Commodores Ball is April 8th. This is a chance to honor the current Commodore and Past Commodores as well. This is a party for all of our members, not just Club officers. Please come out and celebrate this longstanding tradition with us.

I believe that we have turned the corner on a dark time in the history of the lake. We need all of you to use the Club to get us back on firm footing for the future. Your participation is crucial for us to reach our goal to be one of the best Clubs around!

See you at the Club!

Commodore Dave Lawrence

IN MEMORIAM

JOHN WATSON

1939-2017

JOE LOFINK

1932-2017

ENTERTAINMENT

- Governor Chuck Gleich

Don't be an April fool and be dismayed!

The April showers will fill our lake and we'll be boating once again. In the meantime, we have a wonderful spring entertainment schedule for your enjoyment.

We start the season with the scintillating **Commodore's Ball** starring the **David Schubach BIG Band** on April 8th. This is your chance to dress up and take your partner out on the dance floor. Saturday April 15th, come and enjoy our Club's own **Lakeside Trio** playing your favorite supper club music. On Saturday, April 22, Chef Josh has prepared a sumptuous seafood feast for **Watkins Island Seafood Night** accompanied by the piano stylings of **Dave Bott**, a lounge pianist with an endless stream of the music you want to hear. Finally, on Saturday, April 29th, back by popular demand, we bring you the four-part harmony sounds of the **Gemtones**. These guys are the real thing and can take you back to Smokey Robinson or forward to the Beach Boys with that perfect pitch musical style. There are always lots of exciting things happening at your Club, like the Easter Brunch on April 16th. Bring your kids or grandkids for breakfast and the beloved Easter Egg Hunt.

Don't forget Happy Hour — Wednesday through Friday from 4:00-7:00 — with drink and food specials every day. Also, don't forget euchre and bridge on Sunday afternoons!

Now with water in the lake, soon there will be boats plying the seas. If you are looking for fun and excitement there is no better place to be than your very own BLYC.

See you on the water!

Chuck Gleich
Entertainment

BLYC Sunshine Committee

Please keep Mary Muryn up to date on cards for members and their families you would like us to send. The Sunshine Committee is honored to forward well wishes, get well, and condolence cards to the BLYC family.

Mary's contact information is:
(614) 306-1741
marymuryn@gmail.com

Additional donors to the upstairs project...

THANK YOU

Dave & Beth Kessler
George & Kay O'Donnell
Chuck Wadley

JUNIOR TRAINING

- Rear Commodore Michael McVey

Hello to all!

Well...the possibilities are looking excellent for the BLYC Juniors being back on Buckeye Lake! We love it! It will be great to be on the BLYC front porch watching their beautiful sails gliding across our lake, tacking and gybing!

It's now official — the Howard and Rosa Clark Junior Sailing Scholarship Fund is now a division of the BLYC Junior Sailing, Inc. which is a 501(c)(3) corporation. Thus, all donations to the Scholarship Fund are tax deductible and, obviously, greatly appreciated! The Trustees of this division are Commodore Greg Miller and Evan Miller. Thank you Rosa! — This is a great feature of the BLYC Junior Sailing program!

I want to thank everyone who supported the Junior Sailors by participating in the Italiano Night. Between dinners and donations, we netted \$800. I want to thank the following Juniors and their parents for helping out that night: Michael and Matthew Davis; Katy, Susannah, Tami, and Vic Schroeder; Cora, Melodie, Scott, and Tori McVey-Steele; and, Suz and I.

Upcoming Events:

- **April 9th** — Junior Workday at BLYC, 9:00-Noon
- **April 9th** — Matt Fisher will speak on his Lifelong Love of Sailing & Key Racing Tactics — Juniors and Adults invited! Noon-2:00
- **May 7th** — Brent O'Keefe will speak on "Rules & Tactics of Sailboat Racing" — Juniors and Adults invited! Noon to 2:30 pm

I also want to thank Steve Harris for working with me on the Junior Sailing Survey of BLYC Youth. I wrote the survey and Steve set it up on Google! Thank you Steve!!! He's always a great supporter of BLYC Juniors. Please visit the BLYC website, click on "Juniors," then "Click Here" under the red "The 2017 BLYC Youth Interest Survey is LIVE" banner. If you have children, grandchildren, nieces & nephews, friends, etc., please have them participate... spread the word so that we may better serve the youth of BLYC.

**The 100 Years, 1917-2017, of Junior Sailing pins are in!
Get yours for only \$5.00!**

Thank You!

"Mac McVey"
Junior Training



**Do you receive
our weekly e-mail
newsletter?**

Sign up online at

www.buckeyelakeyc.com

Click on "Our Club" and then "e-News" to sign up

BAR & KITCHEN

- Vice Commodore Rose McEntire

April Showers bring May BOATS!!!! It looks like our rain dances are working and I am so excited about the thought of seeing my boat again, and seeing all of you out on the water!!! You can just feel the positive feelings in the air! We are starting to see some of our snowbirds showing back up at the Club — it is always fun to swap stories from over the winter! Welcome home!

April has a number of big events at the Club. I would really like to encourage you to come to the Commodore's Ball — this will be a beautiful evening and a great opportunity to recognize all of the hard work that our Commodore, Dave Lawrence, has done for the Club and to honor and recognize the work and leadership of all Past Commodores! Chef Josh has prepared an excellent menu for the evening and the music will be great for you to dance the night away.

Paul and I are gearing up for summer and making plans for the pool. I appreciate that many of you have offered your assistance in helping us making the pool a special place to be this summer. This will be fun! Thank you!

Chef Josh is working on our summer menu, which we will be ready to roll out at the beginning of May.

Spring is here! Let the fun begin!

See you at the Club! Happy Easter!!

Rose McEntire
Bar & Kitchen



Sunday, April 16
10:00-4:00

Easter Brunch

OMELETTE STATION
Ham, Sausage, Bacon, Crab, Tomato, Onion, Peppers, Spinach, Broccoli, Cheese

Breakfast Casserole • Bacon • Sausage
French Toast • Danish

CARVING STATION
Pit Ham • Roasted Leg of Lamb

Baked Ziti • Roasted Redskins
Green Beans • Mini Salad Bar

\$28 per person
Kids 12 and under - \$10
Kids under 3 eat FREE

DOCKS & RENTALS

- Governor Bill Muryn

We have a new dock request form online. You can access it through the BLYC website.

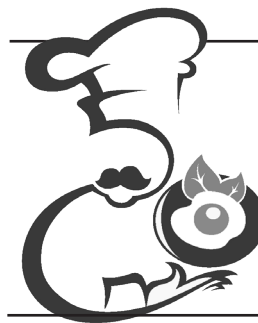
All of the club's accessible docks, those attached to the island, are spoken for and have extensive waiting lists. The waiting lists are posted on the porch. The other docks the club rents have been disconnected from the mainland as a part of the Dam remediation.

ODNR has approved our plan to build an access to the docks not attached to Watkins Island. We are currently I have no open spaces in area 300 but we do have several in Eastport area 200 if you are interested in reserving one.

We have 23 open spaces in the Eastport Boatyard.

I look forward to seeing you at the Club!

Bill Muryn
Docks & Rentals



**BREAKFAST
SERVED
EVERY SUNDAY
9:00 - NOON**

MEMBERSHIP

- Governor Mark Hedman

Please join me in welcoming our newest members of BLYC:

Valerie & Gary Mockus

Lisa & Michael Powell

Welcome Aboard!

We look forward to seeing you at the Club!

I encourage you to ask a perspective member (friend, neighbor or relative) to visit the Club. I would be more than happy to show them around and answer any questions they might have. So let me know how I can help us grow membership in 2017.

Mark Hedman
Membership

NOTICE TO MEMBERS:
Semi-Annual Meeting

**Sunday, May 7, 2017
2:00 pm**

WATKINS ISLAND SEAFOOD NIGHT

SATURDAY APRIL 22ND

APPETIZERS

New Zealand Mussels

Served chilled with Lemon and Tangy Vinaigrette
\$11

Crabcake

Jicama Slaw, Pickled Watermelon Radish
\$12

SALAD

Mixed Greens tossed with Walnut Dressing, topped with
Bleu Cheese, Avacado, Red Onion, and grilled Shrimp
\$13

ENTREES

Snow Crab Legs

Mashed Potatoes, Asparagus, Drawn Butter, Fresh Lemon
\$24

Halibut

Butter Poached, Spicy Cucumber, Frisee Salad, Dill Beurre Blanc
\$22

Steak & Mussels

Seared Strip Steak, Mussels in Fennel broth, Baked Potato
\$24

ENTERTAINMENT

Dave Bott

BLYC AUXILIARY

The BLYC Auxiliary resumes its regular meeting schedule on Thursday, April 13th. There will be tables reserved in the dining room for anyone who wants to join us for dinner. Susan Hite will arrive at 5:00 pm to greet those who want to have dinner prior to the meeting. The meeting will follow in the Fireplace Room at 7:00 pm. ***Please call the club to make your reservation for dinner.***

This meeting is extremely important because preparation for the annual Auxiliary fundraiser & summer party on August 26th has begun. We need all hands on deck for this important event. Please make every effort to attend and bring a friend.

The BLYC Auxiliary Easter Egg Hunt will be Saturday April 15th at 2:30 pm. Please contact Kathy Severance at severancemk@gmail.com or (740) 407-5836 for more information.

We want to extend a warm BLYC Auxiliary welcome to new & returning members:

*Nancy Brown • Lisa Stewart • Patti Greiner • Jean Graham
Nancy Brandon • Rebecca Roese • Bill Roese • Shelly Higgins*

As a friendly reminder, please support the club by adding BLYC Spring Work Day on Sunday April 23rd 9:00 am to your calendar if you are available. Many hands make light work and it helps the club get prepared for the summer season that we are all anticipating.

See you at the Club!

Jeff, Susan, Julie, & Gail
Your 2017 Auxiliary Officers

HOUSE & GROUNDS

- Governor Brian Thom

SPRING WORK DAY

SUNDAY, APRIL 23RD

Come one, come all! It's time to get our Club ready for the summer season! We'll get started with coffee and doughnuts at 9:00 am and finish up with lunch and beer a little after noon. There's lots to do to switch the facility over from winter mode to summer season and many hands make light work. Besides that, it's a great time! So join your fellow BLYC members and help out!

We've had a few setbacks in getting the new front steps installed and apologize for the delay. With a 104-year old building, you never quite know what you're going to get into when you start a project. But, progress has been made and I think that everyone will be pleased with the results.

There's always something to do to keep our facilities up to to the standards our members expect and deserve. If you see something in need of being addressed, please let myself or the maintenance staff know.

See you at the Club!

Brian Thom
House & Grounds



More Photos Online.....



CINCO DE MAYO

Friday, May 5

with

THIRD DEGREE SIDEBURN

LOOKING AFT

- P/C Steve Harris, BLYC Historian

50 Years Ago... April, 1967

In trying to decide what to write on this month, I went to my old standby... "what happened 'x' years ago?" Usually, looking at old issues of the *Log* gets me some ideas and off I go researching another tidbit of BLYC History. Well, April was a pretty busy month 50 years ago and BLYC then was a lot like BLYC today.

Clubhouse Gets an Aluminum Hull — It was announced in April, 1967 that the installation of the new aluminum siding on the Clubhouse was complete. I don't believe that its been painted in the time it's been up. I'd say it's held up pretty well. A bit of trivia... why is there no aluminum siding on the front porch? It remains wood siding to this day.



New siding being installed — 1967

New Cove Lighting — The Auxiliary announced that new cove lighting was being installed in the main lounge (fireplace room). Members Norm Yoerger and Paul Doritan were donating a great deal of their time to the install. I've written about Mr. Yoerger before. He was a well-known sign man in Columbus and made our BLYC neon sign on the front roof of the Clubhouse. Mr. Doritan's son, Vic, and his wife Carol, are still members today. Speaking of the cove lighting, it's seldom used anymore — it's awfully expensive to run neon lights. How cool would it be to replace it with LED lighting — maybe those that can be programmed with different colors to match the event? There you go coming up with more projects again Harris!

Jim Dressel Appointed Fleet Captain — In an effort to strengthen our racing program at BLYC, Jim Dressel, one of the top Lightning sailors in the U.S. at the time, was appointed Fleet Captain and undertook an effort to better coordinate the racing schedules of the various fleets and the Masters Cup (Club Championship). The Masters Cup was won by Marty Headlee later that year. Marty is our most senior continuous member of BLYC, joining 60 years ago in 1957. Today, coming off two years with essentially no sailing at BLYC, Governor Don Dick and P/C Gayle Fisher-Mulvey are leading a similar effort to see how we can best serve our members and rebuild our sailing programs once again. Jim went on to serve as our Commodore 14 years later in 1981. He is our most senior living Commodore. Speaking of Commodores, are you planning to attend the Commodores Ball on April 9th? It is always a great night at the Club. Come out and recognize those who have led our Club in the past, enjoy a great meal, and dance the night away to the sounds of Dave Schubach and his "Little" Big Band.

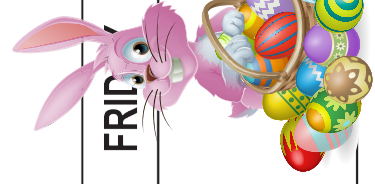
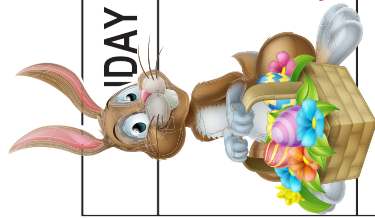


Jim Dressel, Nancy Dressel, & Gary Wilson — 1971

Fire in the Clubhouse — Early in the morning of April 13, 1967, the club steward, Mr. Norman, discovered one of the couches in the fireplace room in full blaze. A carelessly discarded cigarette butt was thought to be the cause. Fortunately, it was quickly extinguished and damage was minimal. Following that incident, the Clubhouse was routinely locked at night.

Want to learn more about what happened 100, 75, 50, 25, and 10 years ago at BLYC? Another reason to come to the Commodores Ball! While certainly not the highlight of the evening, my annual history pamphlet will be on the tables.

APRIL 2017



EASTER EGG HUNT

FRIDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Euchre 1:30 pm <i>Dining 9:00-7:00</i>	Club Closed	Club Closed	Club Closed	Club Closed	Club Closed	Club Closed
Junior Sailing Work Day 9:00 am - Noon Racing Tactics Session Matt Fisher Noon <i>Dining 9:00-7:00</i>	Club Closed	Club Closed	Club Closed	Club Closed	Club Closed	Club Closed
Easter Brunch 10:00 - 4:00 <i>Dining 9:00-7:00</i>	Club Closed	Club Closed	Club Closed	Club Closed	Club Closed	Club Closed
Spring Work Day 9:00 am - 1:00 pm BAR & KITCHEN CLOSED	Club Closed	Club Closed	Club Closed	Club Closed	Club Closed	Club Closed
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Saturday, April 15

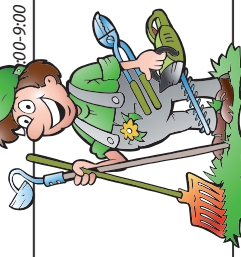
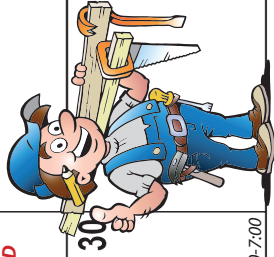
2:30 pm

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1 <i>Dining 11:00-9:00</i>	8 Commodore Ball Dave Schubach's "Little" Big Band <i>Dining 11:00-9:00</i>	15 Children's Easter Egg Hunt 2:30 pm Supper Club Lakeside Trio 7:00 - 10:00 <i>Dining 11:00-9:00</i>	22 Watkins Island Seafood Night Dave Bott <i>Dining 11:00-9:00</i>	29 Dinner/Dance The Gemtones 7:00 - 10:00 <i>Dining 11:00-9:00</i>
2	5 <i>Dining 5:00-9:00</i>	12 <i>Dining 5:00-9:00</i>	19 <i>Dining 5:00-9:00</i>	26 <i>Dining 5:00-9:00</i>
3	4	11	18	25
6 <i>Dining 5:00-9:00</i>	13 Board Meeting Auxiliary Meeting <i>Dining 5:00-9:00</i>	20 <i>Dining 5:00-9:00</i>	27 <i>Dining 5:00-9:00</i>	28 <i>Dining 5:00-9:00</i>
7 <i>Dining 5:00-9:00</i>	14 <i>Dining 5:00-9:00</i>	21 <i>Dining 5:00-9:00</i>	28 <i>Dining 5:00-9:00</i>	29 <i>Dining 5:00-9:00</i>

SPRING WORK DAY

SUNDAY, APRIL 23RD



Commodores' Ball



"Honoring all BLYC Commodores"

Saturday, April 8

All BLYC Members are Invited and Encouraged to Attend

MENU

APPETIZER

Beef Carpaccio

Thinly sliced Beef Tenderloin lightly seared and served raw with Caramelized Onions, Frizzled Capers, Dill, Creme Fraiche and Fresh Lemon
\$12

Crabcake

Lump Crab Meat, Roasted Corn, Herb Zucchini Spaghetti
\$12

SALAD

Roasted Onion Petals, Watermelon Radish, Mushroom & Red Pepper Ragout, Lemongrass
\$9

ENTREES

12 oz. New York Strip Steak

Grilled to order
Mushroom Bordelaise, Baked Potato, and Vegetable
\$23

Coq au Vin

(French Chicken)

Pan seared Chicken Breast simmered in a rich Brandy Sauce. Served over Linguine
\$16

DESSERT

Italian Lemon Cake

\$6

BOARD OF GOVERNORS

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Dave Lawrence

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Snowball Regatta
Annual Golf Outing
Bob Dye Memorial Poker Run
Commodores' Steak Nite
Good Neighbor Committee
Classic Car Show
Howard & Rosa Clark
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TBD
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