

# BUCKEYE LAKE YACHT CLUB

## The LOG

July 2021 - Volume 102, Issue 10

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### Fireworks Party

Friday, July 2  
MEMBERS ONLY

#### Pool Party

Saturday, July 3  
Greg Johnson

#### Dine & Dance

Saturday, July 3  
Caroline & Dad

#### 4th of July Activities

See Calendar in this Log

#### Auxiliary Meeting

Thursday, July 8

#### Supper Club

Friday, July 9  
Shawna Corder

#### Golf Outing

Saturday, July 10

#### Dine & Dance

Saturday, July 10  
Barkley Zenoby

#### BLYC Car Show

Sunday, July 11

#### Supper Club

Friday, July 16  
Gayla Smith & Mike Nelson

#### Dine & Dance

Saturday, July 17  
Project Delta

#### I-LYA Junior Bay Week

July 18-22 - Put-in-Bay

#### Thirsty Thursday

Thursday, July 22  
Big Bad Stache

#### Commodores Steak Nite

Saturday, July 24  
Just Jazz Live

#### Supper Club

Friday, July 30  
Carr & Cass

#### Glitz & Glamour... an Evening with The Gatlins

Saturday, July 31



COMMODORE  
BRUCE AMES

#### Summer is in Full Swing!

As you can see by the number of upcoming events at BLYC, summer is definitely here and things are getting busy! Summer is a time that we all enjoy taking advantage of the many opportunities that BLYC membership offers. As such, it also becomes a time that we need to remind everyone of the rules regarding use of the Club as well. A few of those items are guests, parking, and reciprocity.

As a member, you are welcome to bring guests to BLYC. But, as stipulated in the By-Laws, guests are only permitted to visit *with the member*, and no more than three times in a calendar year. Please follow these rules so that we have enough capacity to serve all of our members and their guests. Some events, as you've no doubt noticed, are being restricted to Members Only. This so that we can all enjoy the great entertainment and activities that our dues provide for us at the Club.

Parking seems to be an ongoing issue and the Board is researching better ways to control it. However, in the interim, we need everyone to help with the situation so that all members

can utilize the Club. The BLYC Parking Lots are for members and their registered guests **ONLY** and only while using the Club facility and docks. *Overnight parking is not allowed.* Please do not use the lot for guests visiting your home or while visiting other nearby lake establishments. Too often, our lot is full and, at the same time, the Club is not. Towing signs are posted per Ohio Revised Code and, if necessary, we will be towing cars without passes. If you have a guest joining you at BLYC, you can now request a guest parking pass for them when you make your online reservation. Just look for the link in your confirmation email. A printable pass will be emailed to you by the Club Office.

One great benefit of BLYC membership is reciprocity with other Clubs. More information on this can be found on the website under "Membership" > "Frequently Asked Questions." We also offer reciprocal privileges to many other yacht clubs as well. However, there are sadly a few who have been abusing this privilege. While we welcome members of other yacht clubs, and we don't want to write "hard" limits on that privilege, if you know of someone who is using our Club frequently and is not a member of BLYC, please let a member of the Board know so that it can be addressed. BLYC, like all clubs, is for *our* members *first*.

Finally, the staff will be asking you for your membership number when you place an order at the Club. Please do not be offended or put out by this — it is necessary for our system to operate efficiently. In fact — you should proudly offer it... *membership has its privileges.*

Let's all work together and enjoy the summer months at the Club. They are, unfortunately, fleeting by nature.

#### See you on the water!

Commodore Bruce Ames

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## BAR & KITCHEN

- Rear Commodore Jeff Hamilton

### Happy Independence Day!

Summer is in full swing at BLYC! Besides celebrating our independence as a nation, we are grateful for all of the men and women who answered the call to duty and have defended our freedoms so that we can enjoy the little slice of heaven that we call Watkins Island. We can also celebrate that we are not in the same boat that we were in this time last year. There was so much turmoil last year, it is time to put that behind us and CELEBRATE!!

The best way to celebrate is by having a big party for the BLAAST fireworks. They will be on July 2<sup>nd</sup>. The Club will be all decked out and ready for you to have a wonderful evening. There will be a cookout with all of the fixings. We will have great entertainment from the Brass Tracks Band. Be ready to dance and have lots of fun. Please see the weekly e-News and newsletter for the menu.

Have you been to the BLYC pool or had dinner at the Club recently? If not, then you need to come see our new and returning staff members. At the pool, our new pool bartender is Patrick Ennis. We also have Christina Scheiderich as a new bartender inside. We have Dalaney Watkins as a new server and Joey Burke returning this year as a server. In the kitchen, Logan Hayes has been added to Chef Josh's staff. We have new bussers as well who include: Makina Wood, Konner Fox, Kait Cotterman, Sarah Wallenfelsz, Ryan Koske, Abby Toliver, Hailey Suver, and Jerrett Wardrip. We have 6 bussers returning from last year who include: Chloe Dyce, Kiara Hennessy, Megan Baker, Elisabeth Arnold, Jake Prestilleo, and Murray Robinson. Please welcome all of these new and returning staff members to the BLYC family. We can't function as a Club if not for all of these hard-working staff members. Rodney and Amanda have worked hard to get the staff ready for the busy summer season. I hope you are enjoying your service and your food.

Speaking of food, have you tried any of Chef Josh's weekly features and Supper Club menus lately? Chef Josh and his team have been putting out some amazing and tasty dishes. Don't forget that we are also offering dockside "Boaters To-Go" box lunches again this season. Just call-in advance to the Club and give us 15 minutes to get it prepared — our staff will deliver it right to your boat. How easy is that!?

I really appreciate all of the comments and feedback that you have been submitting. Along with myself, GM Rodney and Commodore Ames receive them and we all look at them. We can't make things better if we don't hear from you. I know I sound like a broken record but we need and appreciate your input. We already have the best place on the lake and we want to keep it that way.

I am excited for the summer season at BLYC. We all deserve it after the year we have endured. Looking forward to seeing you at BLYC! Let's make this summer memorable!

**Cheers!**

Jeff Hamilton  
Bar & Kitchen

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## ENTERTAINMENT

- Governor Brian Jones

### Happy 4<sup>th</sup> of July!

July is coming in with a bang with the fireworks on the 2<sup>nd</sup> with **Bass Tracks Band** playing from 7:00 to 11:00. On the 3<sup>rd</sup> from 1:00 to 4:00 **Greg Johnson** will be playing for a Pool Party and from 7:00 to 10:00 we'll have **Caroline and Dad**. Sunday the 4<sup>th</sup>, **Michael Doctor** will be playing from 4:00 to 7:00. **Shawna Corder** will join us on the 9<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 to 9:30 and **Barkley Zenoby** will be playing on the 10<sup>th</sup> from 7:00-10:00. On the 11<sup>th</sup>, don't miss the great **BLYC Car Show**. Mike Fornataro will be heading this event up again and running the car show this year. Please see Mike for any further information. On Friday the 16<sup>th</sup>, **Gayla Smith and Mike Nelson** will be playing from 6:30 to 9:30. Come out for fun and dancing with **Project Delta** playing on Saturday the 17<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 to 10:00. It's back! — **Thirsty Thursday** on the 22<sup>nd</sup> with **Big Bad Stache** playing from 6:00 to 9:00. On the 24<sup>th</sup>, Saturday night, **Just Jazz Live Trio** will be playing for the annual **Commodores Steak Nite** from 7:00 to 10:00. Closing out the week, Sunday the 25<sup>th</sup>, **John Schwab** joins us from 4:00 to 7:00. Friday the 30<sup>th</sup>, **Carr & Cass** will be playing from 6:30 to 9:30. Finally, on the 31<sup>st</sup>, the **Gatlins** return from 8:00 to 11:00 for the Auxiliary's Annual Fundraiser — **Glitz & Glamour**.

Brian Jones  
Entertainment

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## MEMBERSHIP

- Governor Rickie Sue Grunden

### Getting to Know Your Membership Benefits

There are many benefits to being a member of the Buckeye Lake Yacht Club besides enjoying the amenities of Watkins Island.

#### I-LYA and Reciprocity

BLYC is a member of the Inter-Lake Yachting Association, an organization of around 140 yacht, sailing, and boating clubs throughout the Lake Erie Region.

BLYC has been a member since 1907 and participated in the annual Junior Sailing Championships every year since their inception in the 1950s including hosting the BLYC Junior Sailing Regatta last month.

As a member of I-LYA BLYC is recognized by other Yacht Clubs throughout the USA. If you are traveling, you can check with our Club Office and have them request reciprocal privileges for you. You are issued a card at the time you pay your annual dues and receive your BLYC membership card. Usually, the reciprocity is for a specific period of time.

BLYC extends reciprocity to those who are members of other Yacht Clubs. These people are expected to show the same courtesy by having their Club notify BLYC of their planned visit to Buckeye Lake and our Club. They are considered OCCASIONAL GUESTS (Article VI. Section 1(b) and as such should not be a guest on premises more than 3 times in one year.

Rickie Sue Grunden  
Membership

## JUNIOR TRAINING

- Governor Mike Bruckelmeyer

We started June with an absolutely fabulous **I-LYA Traveler's Series Regatta** on June 5<sup>th</sup>. I would like to congratulate and **THANK** everyone who made this an exciting and memorable event for our Club and our guests. I don't know about you but I thought Steve Goodyear's boat made an **OUTSTANDING** Race Committee Boat! **Thanks, Steve!** We hosted 60 Junior Sailors and their guests and watched 47 sailboats competing in the kick-off of the I-LYA sailing season. We are still receiving compliments on your efforts. Be sure to watch the fabulous video of our regatta on the BLYC Facebook page shared by new BLYC Member Marnita Swickard. All I can say is **WOW!** And of course, **Thank You!** As usual, the Buckeye Lake Yacht Club set the standard for many years to come.

The **BLYC 2021 Sailing Camps** were a tremendous success! We are all so proud of our almost 70 young Sailors who learned the joys of sailing. Their excitement and confidence is contagious! A big **THANK YOU** to our Coaches, Susannah and Katy Schroeder and their Race Team Crew Bryor Burke, Zeb Loring, Kenzie King, Kyle Buckwalter and Ceci Dodd. You guys are great! I also have a special thank you to our assistant, Lily. We could not have done it without you!

Be sure to come out to the **Annual Pancake Breakfast** on **July 4<sup>th</sup>**. Our youth will be serving up a delicious breakfast before the Club's Flag raising ceremony. Breakfast will be from 9:00-10:30 am with the flag ceremony at 11:00 am. Be sure to watch out for the Pancake Race!

Registration for the **SCUBA Diving Discovery Class (July 10<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 am)** is open on the BLYC website. Space is limited and is for youth aged 10-18.

I hope to see you supporting and cheering for the BLYC Junior Sailors at the **I-LYA Junior Sailing Championship (July 18 - 22) at Put-In Bay**. Junior Bay Week is an exciting event where the BLYC Team will compete against other sailors from I-LYA member Clubs. Team Night is Tuesday. Be sure to let me know if you will be attending.

**Sail on Sundays** — BLYC Race and Regatta has a race scheduled every Sunday through the summer and the BLYC Juniors have been participating in these weekly events. The BLYC Juniors will be scored separate from the adults and awards will be given to the top sailors at the end of the season. We are working in a perpetual Trophy for the Winner of the Series.

Be sure to show your pride in our Club and help our Juniors Fundraising efforts by purchasing BLYC License Plates and Waterproof Phone Cases. Both items are available at the Club!

**Wow, what a Summer Sailing Season so far!**

Mike Bruckelmeyer  
Junior Training

## LEARN TO SAIL

Katy & Susannah Schroeder, BLYC's Junior Sailing Coaches, are offering private lessons to Club members who wish to learn to sail.

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# HOUSE & GROUNDS

- Vice Commodore Charlie Campbell

During the latter part of May into the first two weeks of June, the club has had to replace the hot water tank, ice machine, cutting surface/cold storage table, pool chlorine injector, and other maintenance needs. Just the four mentioned items cost \$20,000.

In 2010 an engineering firm, IBI, was hired to design and explain how to fix the West pier. This explanation was tabled and no fix occurred. Now fast forward to 2017.

Since 2017, we have been focusing our major expense items on preserving the club's infrastructure, mainly the outer perimeter, where the island meets Buckeye Lake. We started with the lake wall protecting the pool side. Although, without hesitation, anyone would have said, "fix the West pier first," many factors were considered by your BLYC Board of Governors prior to making the decision on where to start. Do the West Pier, do the back of the club, do the East side docks, do the pool side. We had IBI back, consulted with various club members, discussed options with Buckeye Lake wall/dock builders and held many meetings prior to making the decision of where to start. It appeared that our pool was headed into Buckeye Lake so the decision was made to start with the pool side. We realized that the cost to do the entire island was enormous. With this in mind, we prioritized and placed each fix into phases. Pool side was Phase I. Phase II the rear, III the East covered docks and Phase IV the front, East and West piers. At first, Phases II & III were separate but, after learning how much effort it took to get permitting for Phase I, we combined them. They became Phase II A & B.

When doing any work on ODNR property, we need a permit. ODNR defines property, "As the water in or the dirt beneath the water if it belongs to ODNR". Prior to the new ODNR dam we would go over to the ODNR Buckeye Lake headquarters, tell them what we planned to do and get it done. Now, we go over to the ODNR Buckeye Lake headquarters and request paperwork to start the permit process. This is a four-step regime, taking anywhere from one year to 18 months, to maybe get a permit or be turned down. We start with ODNR who has to approve the project. It goes to the top of

the ODNR hierarchy. They give us a letter stating we can proceed to the next level, the Army Corp of Engineers. The ACoE incorporates two other entities, EPA and National/Ohio Historical Society. All three have to issue, in writing, approval or what is needed to get approval. If no solution could be made to get approval the work can't start. There is a time limit that the ACoE permit is valid for. Our project must start within that time limit or we start the permit process all over.

The Board of Governors is now working on Phase II B, the East side covered docks. There are many issues that the Board of Governors have considered. It is always a consideration of who is affected when change is made. Sometimes, transparency seems to be neglected but, your Board of Governors thoroughly researches and discusses each item connected with a project. Every member is welcomed to offer an opinion, suggest better ways to accomplish the end goal and assist in anyway they can.

## Facts that led to the, "Why we are considering removing the East covered docks"

1. Erosion of club property. The Northeast corner of the covered docks has eroded approximately 20" in five years. Along the rotted wooden walkway erosion has taken 4" to 6".
2. Approximately ten years ago members tried to shore up the East covered dock shoreline with caged gravel. The cage is gone and gravel now makes a walkway at the bottom of Buckeye Lake.
3. The roof structure is old and needs replaced.
  - It leans towards the East
  - No maintenance has ever been done to ensure stability
  - It was not designed to hang boats weighing three thousand to six or seven thousand pounds.
4. Replacing the lake wall
  - According to the 2010 engineer's recommendation it should be galvanized interlocking steel sheet pile. Properly driven into the hard pan and using tie backs for stability. Its now eleven years later and still no fix.
5. The dock walkways are narrow and unsecure, "wobbly", from age, water, exposure to the elements, no maintenance, erosion and use. They pose a danger of collapse or a member falling into the lake.
6. Looks:
  - The club is a magnificent showcase, it is truly the "Gem of Buckeye Lake".
  - Our members like the way visible

changes are being made. Just ask them!

- Yes, looks do mean something, they mean we take care of what we have.
  - The covered docks do not display themselves well. In fact, they are downright ugly.
7. Consideration to responsible spending:
    - To replace the covering, roof structure, would be close to \$200,000 just for the roof.
    - The following is a short list of projects we are facing: This was explained during the Fall 2020 general membership meeting. All costs displayed in parenthesis are estimated.
      - Front, East & West pier replacement - (\$500,000)
      - Replace rear stairs (\$80,000)
      - Paint club (\$20,000)
      - Build garage (\$150,000)
      - New HVaC (?)
      - Pave more of the parking lot (?)
      - Fence around parking lot (?)
      - Additional support under club (?)
      - Pool - is in need of major work or replacement (\$200,000)
      - And the list goes on...
  8. To spend a considerable amount of money on a roof, prior to fixing the many issues we face, needs to be placed on a waiver. The answer is yes to delay a roof.

With the outlook of enormous expense, we still have daily, day-in day-out, expenses and unforeseen costs of doing business that keep the club open. This is why we do things by priority. However, our priority list is dynamic not static. We have certainly changed this list a dozen times. It takes money, timing, initiative, perseverance and forward thinking to make our dollars work the best for the club.

In closing, having been a firefighter for over 35 years I can attest to tradition and the way things have been. The BLYC Board of Governors respects the traditions, knowledge and skills passed along from sailor to sailor, member to member of this club. Each governor holds true to the commitment of representing the BLYC members in the best way possible.

Fixing the East lake wall and docks is another step in the preservation and stability of the island. When finished, the East docks will look great. They will continue to be the premiere places to moor water craft. New lake wall, electric to each dock, walkways will be steel framing with composite treads. When the governors finally vote they will do what is best for the club as a whole.

Charlie Campbell  
House & Grounds



## RACE & REGATTA

- Governor Bill Collinson

I am pleased to report that as of June 6 we were able to get our fifth race in for Sail on Sundays Spring Edition. The spring series will wrap up on Sunday June 20. The summer series will start on Sunday June 27 and I cordially invite all members to come out on those Sundays, have lunch on the porch and enjoy a day of racing.

I would like to remind all members of the Cardboard Boat Regatta to be held August 7. While I have had some inquiries, I am still looking to receive commitments from members to participate in this event. So band together, design and build your cardboard boat using cardboard, glue, duct tape and paint. Let's find out who the most able builder is on August 7. To register just email me at [williamxcollinson@gmail.com](mailto:williamxcollinson@gmail.com).

**Until next time...**

**Keep your Bottoms Wet and your Sails Dry**



Bill Collinson  
Race & Regatta



## COMMUNICATIONS

- Governor Barbara Hein

First of all, I would like to thank everyone for participating in the Commodore Bob Dye Poker Run. Thank you for donating and coming out to join in the fun and supporting our on the lake businesses. Thank you to The Buckeye Lake Winery, Port Smokehouse, The Island House, Papa Boos, The Boatyard, Flip Flops and of course the BLYC staff for their efforts.

Just a reminder to all, we do have an online Log. It is the exact same Log you receive in the printed form, in color, and available to all. All you need to do is go to our BLYC website and look for the clickable link to the Log. Older issues are also archived under the "Our Club" tab (recent) and in the History Archives. I am aware of the distribution issues in the printed form and I am working to resolve them.

As always, please send me your story about BLYC and send me your pictures.

**I look forward to talking to you soon.**

Barb Hein  
Communications

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## DOCKS & RENTALS

- Governor Greg Tobias

I hope everyone is enjoying the season so far — the weather seems to be cooperating. First off, a correction from last months Log. Guest docks are designated with orange tape rather than blue and yellow.

In our ongoing effort to deter the birds, Dory poles have been purchased and will be installed in an area of Eastport that has a very high bird concentration. We will see how effective the poles are before further expenditures of additional poles. Currently all docks are rented and waiting lists are necessary. Submit a dock request to be placed on the list. The request form is available on the BLYC website under "Our Club" > "Docks & Storage." Please indicate your dock location preference. We are currently having some issues with unauthorized use of our docks. If at any time you become aware of an infraction, please contact me, Toby Tobias, so that we can rectify the situation.

Toby Tobias  
Docks & Rentals

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## BLYC JUNIORS PANCAKE BREAKFAST FUNDRAISER



**SUNDAY  
JULY 4<sup>TH</sup>**

## BLYC AUXILIARY

### Happy Independence Day from the BLYC Auxiliary

Our annual Fundraiser/Auction/Raffle, July 31, Glitz and Glamour, An Evening with the Gatlins. Thank you so much to our 7 Sponsors, French Run Family Dental: Gaza and Jeanne Locsey, TLR & Associates Commercial Real Estate: Timothy L. Ryan, Waste Away Systems, LLC: Seth Ellington, SOLUTIONS Staffing: Peg Mativi, Edward Jones Investing, Coming to Buckeye Lake: Jim Ward, Keller Williams-Greater Columbus: Cat & Howard Everett Team Live, and Mr & Mrs. Michael Hickey. Auction and Raffle donations dropped off at BLYC by July 15 with notation of your name and contact information. Buy tickets at BLYC July 29<sup>th</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> (closing at 6:45). Raffle items setup at BLYC by July 29<sup>th</sup>. Tickets are \$20 for 1 chance, \$100 for 8 chances, \$200 for 20 chances. Place your ticket(s) on the item(s) you want to win. Dinner reservations are full (All BLYC members that were on the waitlist through June 15<sup>th</sup> have a confirmed reservation), please pre-order and pick your time for dinner through the on-line web link by July 24<sup>th</sup>. If you cancel after July 15<sup>th</sup> or do not attend on July 31<sup>st</sup>, there will be a \$25 per person donation added on your member account. Dinner 5:00 to 9:00 and purchase raffle tickets 5:00-6:45. Live Auction 7:00-7:45. Gatlins — 8:00-11:00.

#### Save the Dates and Join us:

##### Thursday, July 8

5:00 Pool Party begins, 6:00 Meeting/Dinner &  
7:15-8:45 Steel Drum music

##### Thursday, July 1

Glitz and Glamour Team meeting 5:30 to 7:30

##### Thursday, July 29

Set up Raffle Items for Glitz and Glamour 4:30 to 6:30

##### Saturday, July 31

Set up for Glitz and Glamour 9:00 am to 11:30 am

##### Thursday, August 12

Social/Dinner 5:00-5:30 Meeting 5:30-6:20  
Fun Adventure 6:30 to 9:00

##### Thursday, September 9

5:00 Social time 6:00 Elections/Meeting/Dinner 7:30 Celebration

If you would like to be a board member or committee chairman, Please contact Tracey Davis 2021 Auxiliary President at blycauxiliary@gmail.com or call/text 614-446-0131.

RSVP either online [www.buckeyelakeyc.com](http://www.buckeyelakeyc.com) or by calling the club at 740-929-9941. Make sure to notate that you are coming to Auxiliary. We look forward to seeing everyone! Please check the BLYC website under the Auxiliary tab, and the weekly e-News for the most up to date information.

**Together we make a difference at BLYC!**  
**Thank you for your continued support!**

Tracey, Stephanie, Jan, Kathy, Trinda, & Sue

# GLITZ and GLAMOUR

... an Evening with the Gatlins

## Saturday, July 31

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# LOOKING AFT

- P/C Steve Harris  
BLYC Historian

## Oldies-but-goodies float their boats

Just when life at the lake started to get "back to normal" after the dam remediation, we got hit with the pandemic. This year, it sure feels more normal again and one of the traditional highlights of our summer season, the Classic Boat Regatta, is going to be back in 2021 — Saturday, August 14. Began in 1981 as the "Wooden Boat Show," the Classic Boat Regatta has been a highlight of the summer at the Club and the lake. The following is an article that appeared in the *Columbus Dispatch* in August of 1998 about the event. Gus Schell (BLYC Commodore, 1951 and I-LYA Commodore, 1975) had just recently had his 1948 Chris Craft sedan, *Margus II*, restored. Gus was a staple of life at BLYC and I-LYA for many years and a mentor and good friend to a number of our officers during his time.

*BUCKEYE LAKE, Ohio - Carefully and methodically Gustav Schell untied the ropes securing his 50-year-old wooden boat to the dock in front of the Buckeye Lake Yacht Club.*

*The hot afternoon sun glistened off the freshly polished chrome and highly varnished mahogany as Schell prepared for a leisurely ride across Buckeye Lake on the Margus II.*

*A fellow sailor stopped by and offered some assistance - with a foot pulsing against the the dock - and a kind word.*

*"Boy she turned out pretty," Bill Reynolds said. "I saw her in the shop when they were working on her."*

*Schell, 85, smiled and continued untying ropes.*

*He's clearly pleased with his 22-foot 1948 Chris Craft Sedan now that it has been restored by Zimmerman Wooden Boat Works on McKinley Avenue in Columbus. Normally talkative about his treasure, Schell is tight-lipped when asked how much he spent to restore it to its former glory.*

*"I've put more into it than I can get out of it. But it will stay in the family," Schell said. "It was starting to show its age, and it needed revarnishing and reupholstery. The engine was pulled out and dry rot*

*replaced. You can expect those kind of things with a 50-year old boat."*

*Now that the work is finished, Schell is ready for some fun.*

*He is looking forward to competing in the 19th annual Buckeye Lake Yacht Club Antique & Classic Boat Regatta.*

*About 40 wooden boats are expected for the show at Buckeye Lake Yacht Club, said organizer John Sproat.*

*"People really take notice of old boats," said Jay Miller, vice president of the Buckeye Chapter of the Antique and Classic Boat Society. "In most cases, you're preserving a piece of history. There's nothing like riding in a wooden boat. The way it smells, the whole experience — there's nothing like it."*

*"Wooden boats require more detail on the finish and must be re-sanded and refinished every year. With fiberglass, you just wash, polish, and wax," said Sproat, a Columbus lawyer who skims across Buckeye Lake in a 1965 fiberglass boat.*

*Wooden boats tend to form dry rot, which is not a problem with fiberglass, Schell said.*

*"You get a soft ride out of wooden boats. They don't bang like fiberglass boats," Schell said as he revved the engine and slice through the water towards Sellers Point.*

*Although the boat can reach 30 mph, Schell said he prefers a slower pace.*

*"I just enjoy going slower," he said. "I don't enjoy going fast. You can only go so far on Buckeye Lake anyway."*

*Wooden boats, especially older ones, offer the thrill of the hunt for those seeking replacement parts, Miller said. Some enthusiasts spend as much as 4,000 hours restoring their boats, he said.*

*Others, such as Schell, pay someone to do the dirty work. Now he's ready to enjoy the fruits of those labors.*

*For the first time in years, Schell is entering his Chris Craft in the regatta. In the past, the boat had not fared well, mostly because it was old and worn out. "You have to keep them up and keep them clean," said Schell who joined the yacht club in 1941 and purchased this boat in 1964. "Every antique and classic boat owner cleans his boat whenever he has the chance, or has someone else do it."*



*After every outing, Schell maneuvers his boat into the dock. There he hooks the boat to a chain hoist and lifts it out of the water to protect the bottom from algae. A cover protects the boat from dirt and bugs. Looks count at the regatta, where boats will be judged on the condition of the finish and the engine. The more original, the better.*

*"Our show is special, because we have beautiful boats set in front of an old wooden yacht club that was formed in 1906," Sproat said. "All the boats in our show operate, and they will all be in the water."*

*While many of the boats are from Ohio, Sproat said he has received entries from California, Florida, Pennsylvania, and Michigan.*

*"People who have these boats want to go to shows," he said.*

*The regatta is the only time the public is invited onto the grounds of the yacht club, Sproat said. Entertainment will be provided, and food and refreshments will be available for purchase, he said.*

*"This is a private club, but our mission is to promote an interest in boating and boating safety," Sproat said. "This is a perfect opportunity for us to do that."*

In the fall of 2014, Gus' son Phil and I, along with everyone else in the covered docks, removed *Margus* from her slip so that the Club could perform much needed repairs to the covered docks and the east side of the island that winter. While the repairs were completed, sadly, the dam project hit before we could get her back in for the next season. After we finish up some much needed engine maintenance and soak her back up, we plan to have *Margus II* back in the water for this year's show.

I have worked to digitally remaster the 1998 *Dispatch* article and hope to have it on display in the Cupola Room upstairs later this summer.

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# JULY 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
<div><div><div>4th OF JULY</div><div>HAPPY</div><div>INDEPENDENCE DAY</div><div>OF THE BRAVE</div></div><div>Long Distance Race</div><div><b>Pancake Breakfast</b> Flag Raising <b>Michael Doctor</b> 4:00 - 7:00</div><div>Pool Bar 11:00-7:00 Dining 9:00-8:00</div></div>	<div><div>BLYC Juniors</div><div><b>Pancake Breakfast</b> 9:00 - 10:30</div><div><b>BLYC Flag Raising</b> 11:00 am</div></div> <div><div>Commodore Earl O. Williams</div><div><b>Long Distance Race</b> ~ 11:30 am</div><div><b>Michael Doctor</b> 4:00 - 7:00</div></div>			1	2	3	
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11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
Sail on Sunday - Summer	Clubhouse Closed Pool Open	Clubhouse Closed Pool Open	Clubhouse Closed Pool Open	Clubhouse Closed Pool Open	<b>Supper Club</b> Gayla Smith & Mike Nelson	<b>Dine &amp; Dance</b> Project Delta	
<b>BLYC Car Show</b>	Clubhouse Closed Pool Open	Clubhouse Closed Pool Open	Clubhouse Closed Pool Open	Clubhouse Closed Pool Open	Clubhouse Closed Pool Open	Clubhouse Closed Pool Open	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	
I-LYA Junior Bay Week @ Put-in-Bay							
Sail on Sunday - Summer	Clubhouse Closed Pool Open	<b>BLYC Sailing Team</b> <b>Picnic at Put-in-Bay</b>	Clubhouse Closed Pool Open	<b>Thirsty Thursday</b> Big Bad Stache	<b>Supper Club</b> Jamie Wells	<b>Commodores</b> <b>Steak Nite</b> Just Jazz Live	
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