



Rendezvous By the Bay

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COMMODORE CHRIS ABRAHAM



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Happy Halloween

Please come down to the Club to see the how scary it has become.

Big thanks to **Marisa** (my wife) and her helpers **Margarita Torres, Betty Chung and**

Rudyard Vance for turning the club into the "Haunt" that is .

The Halloween party is **Saturday the 29th**. The Club

will be providing the main entrees. Members are

encouraged to bring a favorite side dish . There will be LIVE

MUSIC and a COSTUME CONTEST 🎃👻

Nominations for 2017 Board were held at the October General Meeting. See page 4 for more

info on dates to vote or mail in ballot options or contact,

Secretary Vickie Van Winkle.

I would like to thank Fleet

Captain Cary Ronan for putting on this years **Chris Banis**

Memorial Bike Ride... some of us rode more than others but all had a great time.

The Luau Galley Fund raiser was a great success with over 70

people in attendance. **Rear**

Commodore Kenney

Hallgren and Kathy

Villarasure along with all their Galley Helpers absolutely nailed

it. The food was amazing and

abundant. Thanks to **Betty**

Chung for providing music

throughout the afternoon

and **Brendon Doyle** for donating

his Hula Dance Winnings back to the Galley Fund !!!!

Port Captain Danny Ahern did another wonderful job coordinating all of the Clubs Fleet Weeks events with the Port, Navy and SF City agencies. **Port Captain Ahern** put in many hours making sure the Club looked its best and everything went off to perfection. **Assistant Port Captain John Mikulins** and **Member Alma Bishop** were there to help **PC Ahern** get it done!

See you at the Halloween

Party 🎃👻👍👍👍👍👍👍

I Love This Club !

Chris Abraham

Commodore

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YOU'RE INVITED TO A HALLOWEEN SCARE
COME AND JOIN US IF YOU DARE.

Sat. Oct 29th, 6:30 - 10pm

Live music, food*, & fun!!!!

*Main Entrée provided, bring a side Dish to share:



2017 BOARD MEMBER ELECTIONS!!



Election info on p.4



Vice Commodore Bruce Feldhamme



Greetings Members!

I am very happy to report that bar sales are up compared with last year. Club and private events continue to be the main factors. We are booked through the balance of this year. Our selections of wine, beer and spirits is awesome, as I am told by members and guests.

During the Giants playoffs in the early part of October. We were honored to have special guest, the owner of the Chicago Cubs! The Cubs beat our Giants fair and square, we wish them the best, for the remainder of the MLB playoffs.

Lastly, I can't say it enough, our volunteer bartenders do a terrific job!! Their honesty and integrity is off the charts. I recently came into contact with another local

club member who shared the "woes" of their bartenders. It just made me even more appreciative of our awesome volunteer crew! Bearing that in mind, thank you bartenders! We all love you!



Best Regards,

Bruce Feldhamme
Vice Commodore



Rear Commodore Ken Hallgren



First off all I would like to thank Kat and all the people who helped with Luau this past Sunday. Everything turned out great, with The combination of the Luau the Chris Banis Memorial bike run and Youth sailing program. Thanks to Cary and Bruce for organizing The bike ride, it was a very busy day that tuned out perfect. Thanks to Betty Cheung for providing the Hawaiian music. The next club Sponsored events are the Adult Halloween party on Saturday the 29th of October featuring the Aftermath band with member John Fulwood manning the galley that night. Menu to follow. The following day Sunday the 30th of October we will be hosting the kids Pumpkin carving contest. Pease sign up your kids or grandkids if you will be

attending. Vicky has a signup sheet posted on the bulletin Board so we know how many to plan for. Maryann has offered to do the party bags for the kids. Any who would like donate a pumpkin for the kids or carving utensils would be great. Food will be provided by myself and Commodore Chris Abraham.

Kenny Hallgren
Rear Commodore



Reserving "Use of the Club"!

When reserving the "Use of the Club", fill out all the proper paper work, include specific requests and the required checks. Do Not write on the calendar unless you get approval directly from me or one of my assistants. Just because the date on the calendar is open DOES NOT mean it's open! There may be other applications pending. Also, if we are out of pre-printed forms, **you can find the applications on our website:**

<http://www.mhpyc.club/rent-the-club.html>





Port Captain Dan Ahern



We had the privilege of hosting the USS San Diego and its LCU#1 landing craft at our club. We were on the news numerous times as you might have seen. Everyone associated with Fleet Week and the Disaster Response exercise Headed by the Port Authority was working at our club Sunday.: the USS San Diego, SF Port Authority, US Navy and Marines, SFPD, the Presidio Trust and many of their officers including, Us Navy Commander Jessie J O'brian. This years disaster response theme was " A major earthquake on the Hayward fault" .Our club is the major land sea bridge in case the bay area bridges and the infrastructure go down. The S.F. Port Authority is in charge of coordinating all of these activities. There were three major days Involved, Sun, Wed and Monday. During these

days there were numerous landing craft operations on our ramp, including unloading and loading of trucks on the LCU.. The Navy and Marines gave us a life ring from the LCU#1craft and various other items were exchanged between the club and the military. Breakfast and/or lunch was served over the three days. I would like to thank John Mikulin for volunteering countless hours over the last few weeks and Alma Bishop for her hours in the kitchen to make this all happen. There are some pictures included and John and I have plenty of pictures and stories to share.

As you know the storm season is closing in on us fast. We are in the process of repairing and winterizing the dock and the club. During inclement weather, we hoist

the gangway up and out of danger and can lower it for nice weather. The gangway is to be raised by the Port captain or his assistant only, NO EXCEPTIONS!.
Reminder: No overnight parking on the ramp area, additionally no parking on the ramp if not in attendance at the club.

Danny Ahern
Port Captain

How to handle CRUISE-INS

All boat "Cruise Ins" and/or dock reservations must be done through the Port Captain (Danny Ahern) or the Assistant Port Captain (John Mikulin). Upon arriving, the Boat's Captain must sign the log book. The log book is located in the podium under the member and guest sign-in book. No one shall write in it except The P.C., Assist. P.C and the boat captain. All advanced reservations taken by the Port Captain or the Assistant P.C. will be recorded in the log book by the Port Captain or Assistant Port Captain only! Additionally reservations take precedent over drop-ins for overnight stays only



Treasurer Margarita Torres



Hi Everyone,

I hope that you are all well and getting ready for the holidays starting with our Halloween party at the end of the month. My full financial report can be reviewed at the club, as it is attached to the minutes. Bar sales and ship store have been doing well all year. We are going to exceed last years year to date numbers in

both areas. Great job everyone, lets keep it up. The club will be busy over the next few months with parties and club events generating necessary revenue to keep our club a float and able to pay our bills.

An important note: Please do not write a post dated check at the bar. Please do not ask a bartender to accept postdated

checks. This creates problems for our money counters and extra work for all involved. Only an officer of the club can approve a postdated check. As always, it is a pleasure serving the club and I hope to see you all at the club.



Cheers,
Margarita

Youth Sailing Program*

Youth Sailing in Action>>



We are extremely happy to announce a new pilot program which will launch in the Winter of 2017 - **BVBC and MHPYC Women's Sailing Program**. The BVBC and MHPYC Women's Sailing Program is designed to specifically give adult women, of all ages and skill levels, the opportunity to learn to sail, or to refine previous sailing skills. Classes will take place inside the cove between the two clubs- (Pier 50 and Pier 54) where the water is protected and calm.

With our fearless ASA certified instructor, Eric Gloistein, the focus of our program will be placed on teaching and reviewing the fundamentals of sailing, as well as introducing students to some basics of racing. Key goals of the program include building confidence, ensuring that students are comfortable on the water, all the while gaining new sailing skills.

When : 2 weekends of Saturday and Sunday classes 12PM-4PM
 1) Jan. 28 and 29, 2) Feb 4 and 5 3) Make-up classes if foul weather Feb 25 and 26
Cost: \$100

Next Steps: **If you're interested in signing up for the Women's Sailing Program,**
 >>>please email: BVBC.MHPYC.youth.sailing@gmail.com
Include - your name, contact information, and title your email ATTN : Sarah (Women's Sailing Program)
 We will add you to our wait list and starting in November, we'll contact you with applications.
 PC Bridgette Carroll

2016 YACHT CLUB SCHEDULED EVENTS

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>EVENT</u>
Oct. 29th	5:00pm - 11 pm	HALLOWEEN PARTY
Nov. 12th	6:30pm - 8:00pm	GENERAL MEETING, Dinner & Tips for Charity:
Nov. 24	CLOSED	THANKSGIVING DAY
Dec. 10	5:30 - 10pm	GENERAL MEETING & CHRISTMAS PARTY
Dec. 11	12:00 - 3pm	COMMUNITY SENIOR LUNCHEON
Dec. 25	CLOSED	CHRISTMAS DAY



Next PICYA Delegate meeting
 Nov. 7th – Encinal YC, Delgate mtg. Contact PC Bridgette Carroll for info

Members & Friends have Fun at the Club!

Bathtub Regatta Fun



ALOHA FROM OUR RECENT LUAU FUNDRAISING PARTY!!



Hula dancing!



Best Dressed!



Hard working Cooks



Our Galley Crew..... made this beautiful feast! Mahalo!!

FLEET WEEK ACTIVITIES **Big Thanks** to Port Captain Danny Ahern and his asst. John Mikluin for an outstanding job in preping & coordinating the activities with the numerous organizations...Navy, Port, SFPD, Presidio!



LCD unloading multiple trucks for a convoy escorted by our SF Finest.... Day & Night! Blue Angels from our deck!!



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