

WEST COAST YACHT CLUB

LETTER FROM COMMODORE

JIM MCNAMARA

Ahoy WCYC:

First, a big thank you to Rear Commodore Blake Campbell and Tracy Imsland for the effort on the February Valentine's dinner; a great time was had by all. Thanks also to Vice Commodore Ed Sicard and Mindy for pitching in and making it a characteristically wonderful evening; and thanks to all who attended. It was a terrific event, and I hope all enjoyed themselves.

For those who were unable to attend, we did have several new and prospective members join us for the dinner. I think that they all felt welcomed, and look forward to them taking the next steps toward membership. It is very encouraging to see an uptick in membership at the beginning of the year. Thanks to all of our members who are reaching out to fellow boaters and helping to grow our WCYC Family.

Got to thinking yesterday about our club, and like all yacht clubs we are steeped in TRADITION. I had the opportunity to spend time with Senior Staff Commodore Mike Lindstrom and Junior Staff Commodore Jay Gill as Senior Staff Lindstrom passed on the large Sawhorse which has a plaque with the names of every person who has served WCYC as Commodore. It is humbling to read the names and dates, and to realize that our Club has been in existence since 1931: Herbert Hoover was President, the "Star Spangled Banner" was adopted as our National Anthem, gasoline was \$.10/gallon, and the reigning America's Cup yacht was the USA ship "Enterprise," having defeated "Shamrock V" from Northern Ireland in 1930. How far we have come, and our WCYC has been there through it all.

So let's relish in our history and tradition, and keep paying it forward. And maybe 86 years from now, someone will be holding the Sawhorse with the Commodore names and be grateful for our participation in and our stewardship of the club, which holds in its memory so many great folks, friends, stories and experiences.

Thank you for allowing me to service as your Commodore.

Fair Winds and Following Seas,

Jim McNamara

March 2017

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Board Meeting scheduled for Saturday, March 18 @ 17:15

March Club Dinner immediately following at 1800

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LETTER FROM OUR REAR COMMODORE

BLAKE CAMPBELL

Greetings WCYC members,

It was a pleasure organizing the February "Hearts Club" dinner at Gemmell's this past month! We had a turnout of 35 + people and fun was had by all. We had new members and prospective members attend as guests. We're already looking forward to our March dinner this month at Marie Callendar's Restaurant and Bakery in San Juan Capistrano on the 18th! Please check your email for an Evite!! □ Looking forward to this year's cruising season so come to our March Dinner and meet some new folks or bring some folks looking to join our club! Otherwise, we'll see you at sea or our fun dock parties!! Carry on and Happy March!!

Blake Campbell Rear Commodore WCYC 2017





Lucky March Dinner Night!

Host: Blake Campbell & Tracey Imsland 949-683-3958

When: Saturday, March 18 at 6:00 PM

Where:
Marie Callendars Restaurant & Backery
31791 Del Obispo Street
San Juan Capistrano CA 92675

It's March's WCYC Lucky Dinner Night! With the weather still wet and windy, come join friends for dinner and drinks before our cruising season starts! You'll have the option of: Heartland Chicken Pie, Braised and Slow-Roasted Pot Roast, Lemon Pepper-Crusted Salmon, or Double Shrimp Pasta! All dinners include: Caesar salad, cornbread, and fountain drinks, iced tea or coffee. For desert, you can choose a slice of Apple, Chocolate Cream or Lemon Meringue Pie.

Please RSVP with number of guests. No need to choose your plate before dinner, place your order at the table. All this for \$30.00 per person in their banquet room! Some folks have shown an interest in going to Swallows after dinner! Come join the fun!



UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS

March Board Meeting-Saturday, March 18 at 1715

Marie Callender's Restaurant & Bakery

Lucky March Dinner immediately following at 1800.

April Cruise to be Announced

CLUB NEWS

START THINKING ABOUT OPENING SEASON CRUISE

Due to a recent change in policy, Long Beach Yacht Club no longer has free access to the 400-foot section of the Long Dock that runs down the south side of the club's parking lot

LBYC will continue to offer the two 94-foot sections we have always had for yacht clubs cruising to our club, but no more than that. Conservatively speaking, we should be able to raft up 14-15 boats as long as they are all Med-tied (depending on total beam of all boats).

Be sure to let Ed and Mindy know early that you will be Attending April 21-23 so there will be room!

More info to follow.

Congratulations to the new boat owners last year. Please send me a short version of your story of purchase or delivery so that I can include it in the binnacle.

Jim McNamra, Milton Stone, David Monk and Steve VandenBerg Whole Life's Story was fun, Anyone else want to share?



MARCH BIRTHDAY'S

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:

MARCH	
Kathy Lindstrom	4
Ron Latin	13
Monique Carlson	13
Alicia Egan	18
Milton Stone	31



The Whole Life Story was fun

Any other Pictures and Stories from our new
boast owners?

Welcome Back

A Hearty Welcome Back to Dell DeFabry



WCYC Cruise Schedule 2017

April 21-23 - Long Beach Yacht Club Chair – Ed and Mindy Sicard

May 19 – 21 - Avalon Chair – Teri and Gene Bowen Co-Chair – Mark and Suzanne Babcock

June 16-18 - Newport Beach Chair – David and Monique Monk Co-Chair – Kevin and Gina Bertrand

July 14-16 - Isthmus Chair – Blake Campbell and Tracey Imsland Co-Chair – Steve and Cindy Fiorillo

August 18-20 - Dana Point Chair – Jim and Maggie McNamara Co-Chair – Mike and Kathy Lindstrom

September 15-17 - Avalon Chair – Kevin and Gina Bertrand Co-Chair – Ron and Cindy Latin

October 13-15 - Long Beach Yacht Club Chair – Donna and Mike Groves Co-Chair – Crezlyn and John Kossa (Maybe)

WEST COAST YACHT CLUB RECIPROCAL YACHT CLUBS

Alamitos Bay Yacht Club

			7201 E. Ocean Blvd. Long Beach, CA. 90803-4551
American Legion Yacht Club 215 15th Street Newport Beach, CA. 92663	Anacapa Yacht Club 2810 S. Harbor Blvd. B-6 Oxnard, CA 93035	Bahia Corinthian Yacht Club 1601 Bayside Drive Corona del Mar, CA. 92625- 1832	Balboa Basin Yacht Club 829 Harbor Island Drive #38 Newport Beach, CA. 92660
Buccaneer Yacht Club P.O. Box 76 San Pedro, CA. 90733	Cabrillo Beach Yacht Club 211 W 22nd Street San Pedro, CA. 90731-7207	Cerritos Bahia Yacht Club 6291 E. Pacific Coast Highway Long Beach, CA 90803	Channel Islands Yacht Club 4100 S Harbor Blvd. Oxnard, CA. 93035-4310
Chula Vista Yacht Club 642 Marina Parkway #83 Chula Vista, CA. 91910-4058	Convair Sailing Club P.O. Box 22981 San Diego, CA. 92192-2981	Coronado Cays Yacht Club 30 Caribe Cay Blvd. Coronado, CA. 92118	Dana West Yacht Club 24601 Dana Drive Dana Point, CA. 92629
Hollywood Yacht Club Holiday Harbor Marina Berth 201 Wilmington, CA 90744	Huntington Harbour Yacht club 3821 Warner Avenue Huntington Beach, CA. 92649	Lido Isle Yacht Club 701 Via Lido Soud Newport Beach, CA. 92663	Little Ships Fleet Yacht Club 233 Marina Dr. Long Beach, CA. 90803
Long Beach Yacht Club 602 Appian Way Long Beach, CA. 90803	Marina Venice Yacht Club 4333 Admiralty Way Marina Del Rey, CA 90292	Marina Yacht Club of Long Beach 233 Corsair Way Seal Beach, CA. 90740	Mission Bay Yacht Club 1215 El Carmel CT. San Diego, CA 92109
Morro Bay Yacht Club 541 Embarcadero Drive Morro Bay, CA. 93442	Navy Yacht Club Long Beach 223 Marina Drive Long Beach, CA. 90803	Navy Yacht Club San Diego Fiddlers Cove Marina POB 182111 San Diego, CA. 92187	Oceanside Yacht Club 1950 N. Harbor Dr. Oceanside, CA 92054
Pacific Corinthian Yacht Club 2600 Harbor Blvd Oxnard, CA 93035	Pacific Mariners Yacht Club 13915 Panay Way Marina del Rey, CA. 90292	Port Royal Yacht Club 555 N. Harbor Dr. Redondo Beach, CA 90277	Redondo Beach Yacht Club 210 Yacht Club Way Redondo Beach, CA. 90277
	Seal Beach Yacht Club 255 Marina Drive Long Beach, CA. 90803	Shoreline Yacht Club 386 Shoreline Drive South Long Beach, CA. 90802	Silver Gate Yacht Club 2091 Shelter Island Drive San Diego, CA. 92106
South Coast Corinthian Yacht Club 13445 Mindanao Way Marina del Rey, CA. 90292	South Shore Yacht Club 1099 Bayside Drive Newport Beach, CA. 92660	Ventura Yacht Club 1755 Spinnaker Drive Ventura, CA. 93001-4396	Westlake Yacht Club 32123 Lindero Rd Westlake Village, CA 91361



WCYC Membership Application

Please Print Clearly

Name	Occupation	Birthdate
Cell Phone		
Name	Occupation	Birthdate
Cell Phone	Email	
Address		
City	StateZip	
Vessel Type	Length	
Vessel Name		
Home Port	Basin (if in DP harbor)	
SlipSlip S	Size Beam	
Reason for Joining WCYC		
Prospective members are	e required to attend two events and be introduced	l at that time by their sponsors on
a Club Officer. The Mem	bership Chairperson's recommendation, the signa	tures of two sponsoring
Club Members and all du	ies will be presented to the Board of Directors at t	heir next scheduled meeting.
Current dues are \$150 ar	nnually plus a one time initiation fee of \$50.	
The undersigned hereby	agrees to abide by the Club's By-Law's, Policies an	d Protocols:
Applicant #1	Date	
Applicant #2	Date	
Sponsoring Member #1 _	Date	
Sponsoring Member #2_	Date	

Please return your Membership Application together with your check (made payable to West Coast Yacht Club) to the Membership Chair- Monique Carlson at moniquemcarlson@outlook.com.