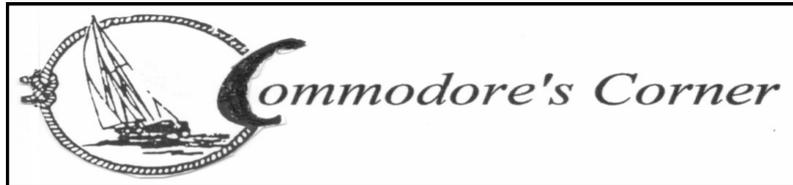




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THE MONTHLY LOG OF THE HUDSON BEACH YACHT CLUB

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Aloha:

Wow, the year just keeps flying by, it's almost half gone! Speaking of gone, with the Covid restrictions being lifted and travel opening up folks are flocking to see family and just plain get out.

It's a wonderful thing to see after so many months under the grip of this monster.

They say that the term "*Roaring Twenties*" came out of the explosion of life after the Spanish Flu of the late 19 "teens" had finally gone away. Folks found a new joy in life and wanted to get out and live every minute of it. I think we're seeing the beginnings of this now. Maybe this is a beginning of the "*Roaring Twenties. 2*".

Because we know that so many Board Members (including yours truly) will be out of town on July 5th and given it's the day after the 4th and many others in the club may well be out of town, the Board decided at our May meeting to cancel the July 5th General Meeting. Since there's not much going on in June and July, we felt a "Summer Hiatus" would be in order.

We will still publish a limited July Marker2 and wish you and yours a wonderful and safe summer.

Aloha,
Don



PS - I have been advised that Bob Polk is home under hospice care. Please keep Bob and the Polk family in your thoughts and prayers. I know we have other club members facing challenges and we need to keep everyone in mind.

PS2- Time2Cruise was able to go out and come back in under her own power. The folks at Sam's gave us a shout out! Thanks again to Guy and Dean for all your help tracking down and fixing the problem.

June 2021 – HBYC Membership Report

We had our June General Meeting at the SRCA building, with a total of 20 attendees. So far we have 55 new and renewing members. Any renewals received will now be an addendum to the directory. If you haven't renewed yet, there is a pay-pal button on the website.

June – Anniversaries:

- Jim & Karin Glessner 12th
- Mike & Lori Nunes 23rd
- David & Danielle Heckman 24th

June – Birthdays:

- Jack Mooney 9th
- Heather Polk 16th
- Leisa Sander 20th
- Nancy Colson 23rd
- Lori Nunes 28th

Since there is no July meeting I have included the July Anniversaries & Birthdays

July – Anniversaries:

- Tom & Jane Sperry 2nd
- Guy & Nancy Colson 4th
- Ethan & Mary Romans 16th
- George & Nancy Spiggle 16th
- Jim & Jan Berle 24th

July – Birthdays

- Eddie Clemmons 2nd
- Ken Taber 4th
- Jackie Kerschbaum 6th
- Carole Carotenuto 10th
- Jim Glessner 24th
- Jane Sperry 29th

If I missed anyone's birthday or anniversary I apologize. Any that are wrong or missing please let me know so I can fix the information.

Michael Lewis – Membership Director



HBYC General Meeting Minutes 6-1-21

Commodore Don Himes opened the meeting at 7:30 with the pledge of allegiance. Yeoman Barbara Lewis asked for a motion to approve the minutes of the May meeting. Motion made and seconded and minutes approved.

Purser: John Dering reported a current balance of \$6834.71 in our account.

Membership: Mike Lewis announced the birthdays and anniversaries for the month of June.

Kayaking: Saturday, June 5th is our scheduled paddle on the Little Manatee River. The trip may end up being canceled due to low water levels on the river. Without any rain in the immediate future, the water levels have dropped too low to safely paddle. As of now there are only 5 people who have signed up. Watch for updates to be sent advising on cancellation.

Racing: Don Himes advised us of the Gulf Harbors Spring Regatta which is scheduled for June 12. Several folks will be participating and leaving on the night before and staying overnight. Don also told us that he has received word that Bob Polk is now under hospice care. He will keep us updated as he hears more news.

Publicity: Jackie Kerschbaum told us that all the local papers have published our notice of meetings.

Website: Don Himes will be updating the website. As a reminder, there will not be a July general meeting due to so many of us being out of town. Our next general meeting will be in August. With no further business to discuss, motion to adjourn was made at 8:10 PM.

Submitted by *Barbara Lewis,*

Yeoman

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June HBYC Social Report

This is going to be REALLY SHORT, since there is no July meeting. But come our August meeting, we will be having an ice cream social, so DON'T MISS IT!

Nancy Colson

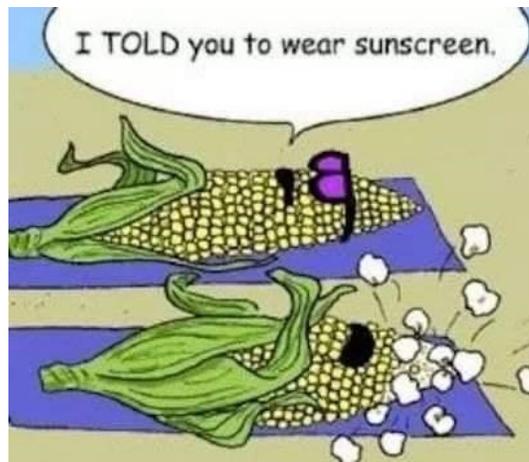
KAYAK DIRECTOR REPORT

Nothing scheduled through July, but all are encouraged to arrange any ad hoc trips with other members as the weather might inspire you!

HBYC Racing

Our Spring Racing Season has come to a close. So our racers get a summer vacation to work on their tans, until September that is, when our Fall Season begins.

That said, there is still time to sign up and participate in the Gulf Harbors Spring Regatta. (See the flyer on the next page for details).



2021 Gulf Harbors Yacht Club – Spring Regatta Rescheduled – June 12th

The 2021 Spring Regatta is now upon us! Visiting racers may come to the Gulf Harbors Yacht Club on Friday and tie up to the club's floating dock as tides will lead to an earlier start.

The Skippers meeting will take place at GHYC on Saturday morning and the race will kick off shortly after. Again, due to tides, visiting racers are also welcomed to tie up at GHYC on Saturday night after the race if they wish.

A post-race dinner and awards presentation will be held at the GHYC starting at 5:00 PM. Saturday Night

Event Schedule:

Friday June 11 th –	Visiting racers are welcome to tie up at the GHYC floating dock. 9:00 AM Skipper's meeting 11:00 AM Race Start 5:00 PM Post Race Cocktail Hour 6:00 PM Dinner is offered to racers and crew at member prices. 7:00 PM Awards presentation
Saturday June 12 th –	

Racecourse:

Start/Finish – 1000 yards NW of Gulf Harbors North Chanel
Frist Mark – South to Marker 6
Second Mark – Northwest to Marker 4 and East back to the Start/Finish

Tides:

Gulf Harbors North Chanel:

Friday - High: 1317hrs

Saturday – High: 1350hrs

To sign up for this event please sign up at the June General Meeting or contact **Don Himes** who will coordinate with Gulf Harbors.

FOR SAIL / WANTED/MISCELLANEOUS

Rare Opportunity

For Sale 1975 Erwin 10 4. This is your chance to own a piece of HBYC nostalgia! It's the oldest continuous sailing boat in our club. The Platypus has been in our club since it was started. She has changed hands several times over the years and is a great boat for this area. I would like it to stay in the club so, I am selling it for any reasonably offer to a club member. Call or text me to set a time to come take a look. Mike Nunes

Next Meeting Dates

Tuesday, August 3rd at 7:30 PM
at Sea Ranch Civic Association Clubhouse

Next Board Meeting :

TBD

Zoom Zoom meeting!

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Pancake Breakfast at Sea Ranch

On the **second Saturday of every month** SRCA has resumed holding a pancake Breakfast from 8:30 till 10:00 . Included are pancakes, scrambled eggs, sausage, coffee and juice for the bargain price of **ONLY \$4.00**, and all HBYC members are more than welcome.

Why cook and clean up the mess when you get all of this, and for the hungry among us, you are always welcome to go for seconds!

Mystery Question:

"Under the Weather" is a term frequently used to indicate that a person is suffering from a temporary illness or possibly a hangover from imbibing too many libations. Regardless, this term is nautical in origin.

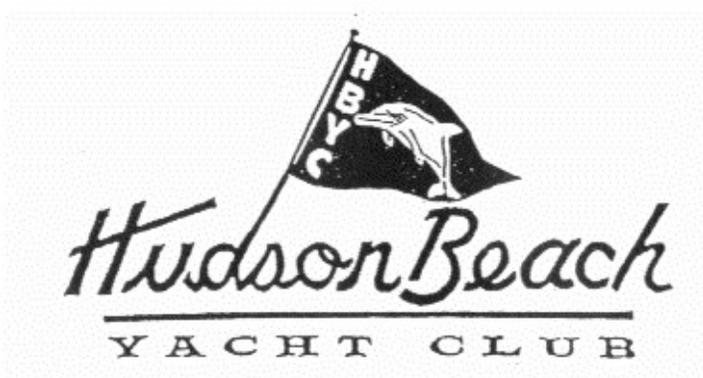
What was the original meaning of the term as Applied to ships at sea?

For a free 50/50 ticket at our next meeting, contact Don Himes with the correct answer!

This month's Nautical Definition:

Cut of one's jib - warships many times had their fore-sails or jib sails cut thinly so that they could maintain point and not be blown off course. Upon sighting thin foresails on a distant ship a captain might not like the cut of his jib and would then have an opportunity to escape.





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Don Himes, Commodore

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