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The 4th of July or Independence Day is a Federal Holiday and is acknowledge in all 50 States. It commemorates the independence of the original Colonies from England in 1776. At the signing of the Declaration of Independence and with the exception of Vermont, slavery existed in all of the thirteen Colonies. The Declaration of Independence did not end slavery for another 89 years until the end of the Civil War and some would argue not until the Civil Rights Act of 1964.



Juneteenth National Independence Day celebrates the end of slavery in the United States and became a Federal Holiday in 2021. Not all States celebrates it as an official holiday giving workers a paid day off but in almost every city of the country there has been a Juneteenth celebration for over 150 years.

Juneteenth is a combination of the words June and nineteenth and commemorates the day in 1865 when the slaves in Galveston Texas were notified they

were no longer enslaved. This was more than two months after the end of the Civil War. Texas was the last of the remote slave states to receive the word. The proclamation promised much in the way of freedom and equality without any protection and support. Even still, the day was celebrated. It started with the African Americans in Texas and as they migrated through out the US they brought the holiday with them. With the murder of George Floyd, and the tremendous support of citizens of all races, there was a national push to make The Juneteenth a National Holiday.

African Americans have fought in American Wars in every branch of the military since 1776. Our ancestors have helped to build this Nation along with others (without compensation). We deserve on the 4th of July to waive the flag and celebrate along side others.

The Juneteenth is a milestone in American history and should be celebrated by all as a remembrance of a grievous wrong! There was no moral right to slavery in our history and we need to remember.

So on the Juneteenth and on the 4th of July, fire up the grill, wave the flags and gather with friends and family. Our country is not perfect. I believe that claim that is reserved for Heaven. We must never give up the struggle and continue to insist our rightful place. It is our right and privilege as Americans to celebrate both.



A Message From : **THE COMMODORE**



Jennifer Duhon *Commodore*

Greetings EBC Members,

The Western Night and Chili Cook Off Cruise In last month was another EBC success! Thank you to the Committee Chairs, Robert Willis, Sheila George, Ann Davis and the Western Event Committee for a well-executed weekend. One of our past chili champions, Jim Mack, returned this year and reclaimed first place. Second place was Sheila George and Kerry Davis took third place. Congratulations to them and thanks to all who entered



Jim Mack reclaims his reign with his 1st Place pot of chili.

The best laid plans don't always work out. We had hoped to have six boats cruising to Petaluma Yacht Club for their Memorial Weekend Events. Due to unforeseen circumstances cruising by boat wasn't an option. We did have a pirate's party of 10 land cruisers attending the Saturday's event. Petaluma Yacht Club went all out with their pirate's theme. Although the day was a bit chilly we enjoyed the festivities.

The following week we immediately started preparing for the 2022 Jazz and Wine Cruise In on June 3rd - 5th. This is usually one of our most popular events of the year. It is also our biggest fundraiser for the Club. Although the event wasn't as large as last year, it was a successful event. We enjoyed the barbecue dinner prepared by Ann, Carol, Otis and Jim. As the old saying goes, "You put your foot in it!"



George "Jazzbeaux" Spencer

Everyone was tappin' toes to the great jazz tunes played by Jazzbeaux! George and his band had us up and second lining in and around the club. The wine tasting this year show cased wines from a black winery. Glen and Dolores Williams selected wines from the McBride sister's labels, McBride Sisters and Black Girl Magic. The display was beautiful, the wine selection great and they provided

information on how to enjoy the wines. Bravo, Glen and Dolores! Thank you to all who made this event happen and to all who supported the club by sending in donations

This July 4th, the city of Stockton will have an all-day event beginning with the parade in the downtown, festivities on the grass and concluding with fireworks at Weber Point. As members of the Stockton community, we will have a booth at Weber Point with information about Ebony Boat Club and the Ebony Youth Foundation. The club house will be open. Please come out, eat some barbecue, drink some drinks and enjoy the fireworks!

Until then stay safe and see you at the Club!

Jennifer Jo Duhon Commodore

A Message From: THE PARLIAMENTARIAN



P/C Robert E. Willis Jr. *Parlimentarian*

AHOY!

Opening Day on the Delta held on April 9 was a blast. Just to follow up on the Parade results for decorating to theme, Ebony Boat Club was awarded "First Place" in our class with its' vessel entry "Auri Ana" captained by myself, crewed and decorated by Sheila George, Janet Noyd and P/C Anne Dukes. We all had a great time representing EBC in this fun Stockton Delta event

PICYA (Pacific Inter-Club Yacht Association) sponsored "Opening Day on the Bay was held Sunday April 24. The PICYA committee boat passed through Raccoon Strait which is a waterway on the Bay between Angel Island and the Tiburon Peninsula. The committee boat participated in the "Blessing of the Boats". While our ship was still underway the US Coast Guard transferred PICYA Commodore Joan Marsh to our vessel. Immediately following a great lunch was served. After dining everyone sat down to watch the parade of boats that were decorated to the parade theme, "San Francisco Bay- Leading the Way".

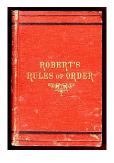
May was a very interesting month starting with the celebration of Mothers Day. I did remember to send my Mom a gift and a card and also my daughters and their Mothers. Never forget the Mothers on their special official calendar day and and also throughout the year.

Western Night 2022 turned out to be so much fun. Another EBC sponsored fundraiser event goes into the EBC archives. I had the honor to co-chair the event along with P/C Ann Dukes. I would like to say thanks to the Western Night committee for their time and effort to ensure the event was successful.

What is the purpose of Robert's Rules of Order?



Let the judging begin, attendees taste-testing the five pots of chili.

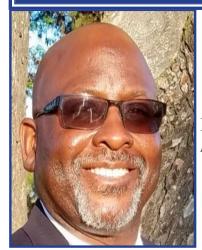


Generally Robert's Rules of Order is a guide for conducting meetings and making decisions as a group. A reminder for chairpersons is to let the group do its own work; don't over command. Control the flow of the meeting by recognizing members who ask to speak. Let all

members speak once before allowing anyone to speak a second time.

Robert E. Willis Parliamentarian-2022 Ebony Boat Club

A Message From: The Rear Commodore



KERRY DAVIS Rear Commodore

Greetings Mates,

Summer is at its half way mark and I hope everyone is getting their time out on the water. Our Jazz and Wine event was great fun and if you weren't there, we missed you!

Our club will be open for the 4th of July and we hope you will come out to enjoy some food and drinks. The clubhouse will be a good spot to see the Stockton fireworks

Don't forget to put August 13th, 2022 on your calendar. It will be an evening to enjoy good food, music, games and fabulous beverages. I hope to see you there!

Until then Slide with the tide!

Kerry Davis Rear Commodore



A Message From: THE TREASURER

Otis Brock Treasurer



Hello fellow Ebony Boat Club Members

This year is going to be very busy for our club. We recently received an invitation from Pappy's Son Kendall to join the family and honor Pappy at Huddart Park on Saturday June 11, 2022 from 12:00 PM To 4:00 PM. The park is located at 1100 Kings Mountain Road Woodside, Ca 94062. Please contact Me or Kendall prior to June 1st for additional information if you are planning to attend.

The Ebony Youth Foundation is a 501(C)(3) charitable organization registered with the Internal Revenue Service. This means that you can deduct contributions to the Foundation under Internal Revenue Code Section 170.

If you are interested in assisting the foundation, you can make donations directly to the Ebony Youth Foundation by taking a picture of our Q R Code and following the instructions.



You can make donations directly to the Ebony Youth Foundation at 1253 Yuba Avenue San Pablo, Calif. 94806. Or online at Network For Goods. Click on Ebony Youth Foundation and follow their

instructions. We are listed on the Eligible Organization List as 814228897.

https://www.networkforgood.org/donate/

Thanks and Safe Boating Treasurer, Otis Brock

A Message From:

THE SECRETARY

Dolores Williams Secretary



Ahoy EBC members,

EBC was busy in April. We participated in both the Stockton Opening Day on the Delta and the PICYA Opening Day on the Bay.

Ebony Boat Club participated in the Stockton Opening Day on the Delta. EBC's Auri Ana (decorated and crewed by Sheila George, Ann Dukes and Janet Noyd-Robert Willis, captain) won First Place in the Stockton Opening Day on the Delta Parade! Thank you for showing "Excellence, Boating for all and Community".

As fate would have it. EBC did not have an entry in the PICYA Opening Day on the Bay this year. However, we participated in other ways by working on the Opening Day on the Bay Committee: Robert Willis (Outside Decorations), Ann Dukes (Table Snacks/Miscellaneous Support), Janet Noyd (Table Snacks). EBC also donated baskets for prizes.

Additionally, we participated by attendance. We had enough EBC members to secure an EBC table to view the opening day activities.





Dolores and Glen Williams riding camels in Morocco

And while EBC members were watching the boats riding the waves from their table, Glen and I were riding camels in Morocco! We hope to join EBC next year at this event!

Awards for the PICYA Opening Day on the Bay were presented at the May delegate meeting. Ebony Boat Club received the Silver Award for our donations and gifts. All committee members were recognized with Ann Dukes and Janet Noyd receiving special certificates for their work. Once again, we continue to show "Excellence, Boating for all and Community"!

EBC's activities for May included a *Rootin'*, *Tootin'* Western Cruise-in. Since a picture is worth a thousand words, need I say more?......



The Amigos - James Mack, Kerry Davis, Reggie Kelly and camera shy Otis Brock

Please mark your calendar for the Memorial Day Cruise-out to Petaluma. Additionally, EBC's Jazz & Wine Festival is the first weekend in June. Rumor has it that this event will be *jammin'*!

A Message From:

THE SECRETARY

Yo ho ho and a bottle of rum! EBC members had swashbuckling fun at the Petaluma Yacht Club's Pirates party over the Memorial Day weekend.



Friendly Pirates Glen & Dolores Williams at the Petaluma YC event.

June 4th was the Jazz & Wine Festival. Fun times with friends and family. Jazzbeau & Friends were jammin'!



Jazzbeau & Friends performing during the 2022 Jazz & Wine Festival.

Wine tasters were "seeing, swirling, sniffing, sipping, swishing, swallowing, and savoring selections old (Peirano Estates-Central Valley), selections new (McBride Sisters including Black Girl Magic-Central Coast and Napa), selections foreign (New Zealand), but not blue and selections sparkling too!



The festival's exceptional wine pourers, Eddie Jo, Dolores and Glen.

I appreciate the wonderful activities EBC continues to provide its members and friends. Now I am looking forward to the "FLOAT 'YA BOAT" Just For The Halibut on Saturday, August 13th. Hope to see everyone there.

Take care and safe boating to all.

Anchors aweigh, Dolores Williams Secretary

Ebony Boat Club

Presents

"Float 'Ya Boat"

Just for the Halibut

ON FISH FRYDAY Saturday, August 13, 2022

(See flyer on page 15 for more details)

A Message From : SAFETY & TRAINING OFFICER



Glen Williams
Safety &
Trainning Officer

The following articles discuss recycled fishing lines and the most popular fishing lines. Some of us have caught fish and animals tied up in fishing lines struggling to escape. What do you do when you hook into a bird tied up in fishing lines? I would remove the line and put this line in my fishing line recycle bag. What would do if you reeled in loose fishing line? Put it back in the water or put the line in your line recycle bag? I know I would put the line in line recycle bag. Any fishing line that you no longer use should be disposed of correctly. Use the popular fishing line article to help you make a choice when replacing your fishing line. I am still a monofilament line user. I do plan to switch to the breaded line soon.

Glen Williams Safety and Training Officer

RECYCLE FISHING LINE

CAN YOU RECYCLE FISHING LINE?

Since discarded fishing line in the environment can be problematic to boaters, beachgoers, and wildlife if not taken care of properly, it's important to understand the options for disposing of the old line. The good news is that some types of fishing line can be recycled and melted down into plastic pellets that can be remanufactured into items for fishing like spools as well as for other uses. But keep in mind that fishing line

recycling, meaning, disposal into a collection system specifically intended for old fishing line, is only good for certain types of line. For a line that can't be recycled, there are other options to dispose of it in an eco-friendly manner, which we'll discuss later.

TYPES OF RECYCLABLE FISHING LINE

The first thing to know about recycling old line is the fishing line types that can be collected. The only recyclable and, therefore, the most ecofriendly fishing line, is a single filament, nylon product like monofilament or fluorocarbon – even if it's a colored fishing line.

- Monofilament is a strong, single strand plastic line – and the most common type among anglers
- Fluorocarbon is a single strand of polyvinylidene fluoride

In a landfill, these types of line won't break down over time, so can pose problems for birds and animals who get tied up in them. That's why it's great that they can be recycled.

Other lines, like braided or fused types, can't be recycled, but there are still ways to handle these discarded lines to minimize their impact on the environment.

WHERE TO RECYCLE FISHING LINE

Once you know that your line can be recycled, it's important to understand that you can't place it in your home recycling bin. Instead, you need to find a designated collection station. Start by calling your state's fish and wildlife department to find out where to go. Or check popular places that accept old line in marked bins placed either inside or outside, including:

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- Bait and tackle shops
- Boat ramps
- Piers
- Fishing access points
- Your local sanitation district

Keep in mind that only the line itself can be recycled. That means you have to remove any hooks or lures before you place the line in a bin. It's also essential to make sure the line doesn't have a lot of plant material or other growth on it before putting it in a collection facility.

If you don't plan to make a trip to a recycling station every time you have discarded a line, it's a good idea to store your old line until you gather enough to drop it off. You can use something as common as a coffee can or other type of container or buy a storage product made for keeping the unwanted line.

ECO-FRIENDLY FISHING TIPS

If you don't have a collection site anywhere near you for an old fishing line, you can create your own! You can build a bin with supplies from your local hardware store and the help of a step-by-step video, many of which are online.

If you want to practice eco-friendly fishing but don't have recyclable line, you'll want to make sure your unwanted line is properly taken care of to prevent any harm to others or the environment. For example, cut it up into smaller pieces, less than a foot, and make sure to place it in a covered bin so animals can't get to it.

MOST POPULAR TYPES OF FISHING LINE

There are several types of fishing line, but the two most commonly used are monofilament and braid. Monofilament is made from nylon and is one long continuous filament, whereas braided fishing line is made up of several super-strong, very thin fibers made from material similar to Kevlar braided together to form a line that is round in cross-section.

MONOFILAMENT LINE

Advantages: Monofilament is the most popular type of fishing line and comes in a great variety of strengths and colors. Mono is less expensive than other lines, stretches to absorb shocks, is abrasion resistant, and is uniformly round in cross-section, which helps keep it neat on the spool. Monofilament is easy to tie knots in but can suffer from "memory" where it loops in the shape of the spool. Mono comes in several shades, but clear and blue are popular because they disappear underwater and are very difficult for a fish to see. Of the various suitable types of fishing line for saltwater, monofilament is one of the most popular.

Disadvantages: Monofilament is not as strong as braid for a given diameter, so higher pound test mono takes up more space on a spool. It's also nylon, which means it breaks down over time when exposed to sunlight, so it's important to respool with a fresh line every year.

BRAID FISHING LINE

Advantages: Braid is very strong for a given diameter, often twice as strong as mono, so you can pack more line on a spool at a given pound test. That also means it sinks faster, casts farther, and trolls deeper than mono. Braid has no memory so loops and twists aren't a problem, making braid one of the best fishing line for spinning reels. Braid doesn't break down in

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sunlight, so you can keep it on the spool year after year. And it doesn't stretch at all, so you can feel every bump of the bottom and nudge from a fish.

Disadvantages: Braid is very slippery so you have to use knots that can hold despite the low friction. Braid is so strong it's difficult to cut—you have to carry nail clippers or very sharp scissors. And though it comes in several colors, it's not see-through like mono. Most anglers have a leader in their fishing gear & tackle and use it when fishing with a braid to help hide the line from the fish. It's also less abrasion resistant than mono. And finally, the braid has no stretch, which means there's no give when a fish strikes, so using less drag is a good idea, and a bit more finesse when setting the hook helps as well.

FLUOROCARBON FISHING LINE

These are other types of fishing line you can use when freshwater fishing, saltwater fishing or fly fishing.

Fluorocarbon is often used as leader material. It's completely invisible underwater and very abrasion resistant, making it the perfect complement to braid. There are now a few brands of fluorocarbon being sold as a main line.

WIRE FISHING LINE

The wire is another leader material that is used when fishing for toothy fish like mackerel and tuna. Wire comes in single-strand and braided varieties. Wire also is popular for some types of trolling where reaching deep depths is important. This requires special hardened spools for the reels

FISHING WITH LEADERS

One of the best fishing line set-ups is using a leader - a short length of fishing line that attaches to the main line at one end, and the hook or lure at the other. Leaders can be made of a different material than the main line, or simply be a thicker, heavier version of the main line if, for example, increased abrasion resistance is required. Leaders allow you to improve your success by hooking and keeping fish, without having to cast and retrieve an entire line made of the bigger, heavier material. This is especially important when using a wire leader.

- The most important characteristic of all fishing line types is not the various fishing line sizes. It's the line's breaking strength: the amount of force the line can hold before it parts. This is expressed as pound test. So 10-lb test fishing line should hold 10 pounds before it breaks and 30-lb test holds 30 and so on.
- Many things can weaken a line, including the knots you tie in it. It's important to choose a line that is strong enough for your needs within a working margin. You should assume that even a brand new line will provide less than 80% of its rated strength once you've tied a hook or lure to it.
- Early fishing lines were braided natural materials like silk and therefore quite expensive, modern lines are made from synthetic materials like nylon, dacron, dyneema, and fluorocarbon.

Source: <u>Learn How to Recycle Your Fishing Line</u> (takemefishing.org)

A Message From: THE PORT FLFET CAPTAIN



Reggie Kelley
Port/Fleet Captain

Ahoy Mates,

I hope you are all out enjoying this summer's boating season. We have had some good times at the club this year. If you haven't already, we hope you will come out and join us for the 4th of July and the upcoming Float Ya Boat Party August 13, 2022.

If you plan on bringing your boat to enjoy the events, let me know in advance. As members we enjoy great docking fees at the Stockton Marina. You can contact me at 480 442-7181 or ebc@ebonyboatclub1987.com

We have on our calendar a cruise out to Village West Marina for the Taste of the Delta August 5-7. If you are interested, you can reserve a slip directly with Vickie at Village West Marina 209 951-1551. Discount tickets for the event can be purchased for 40.00 each at www. tasteofthedelta.com/wineclub.

Thanks, Reggie Kelley Port/Fleet Captain



FLOAT YA BOAT

JUST FOR THE HALIBUT

Fish Fry • Games • Ice Cold Beer • Fun New Drinks

A Message From: YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP CHAIR

Janet Noyd Scholarship Chair



Hello there,

I thought I was too late for this month's Beacon, this is just a reminder about the upcoming deadline for getting your EYF scholarship application in.

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL 2022 GRADUATES!!!

The Ebony Youth Foundation Scholarship application is available online and in the June Beacon newsletter. The deadline for turning in your application is **midnight July 15, 2022**.

All applications should be sent electronically to Janetjakrabit@aol.com. Please remember to send a good clear photo of yourself and please recheck your application one last time before emailing it in.

Thank you,

Janet Noyd, Scholarship Chair



EBC YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP



EBONY YOUTH FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP UPDATE



Hello,

My name is Zoë Washington, the granddaughter of Bill and Roxanne Washington, the daughter of Bill and Keisha Washington, and I am one of the recipients for the 2018 Ebony Boat Club scholarship.

I would like to say thank you. Thank you to Ms. Janet Noyd and the Ebony Boat Club Scholarship Committee for taking the time to review my application and selecting me to receive the scholarship. I am truly honored to be the recipient of this award and I am very grateful to have had the opportunity to continue my education.

A little bit about me, I was born in Tucson, AZ but have relocated six times across the country due to my dad's job. All of this moving around helped with my adaptability to change. I pride myself in my exposure to different geographic regions along with diversity in people and culture.

I am so fortunate to receive my education from such a prestigious school located in a city with an unlimited amount of resources. With this, I am proud to say I have graduated from American University in Washington D.C. with a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, a Specialization in International Business and a minor in French.



I will be taking a gap year in D.C. to study for the LSAT and hope to begin working in a law firm office to gain experience prior to going to law school to become a corporate attorney.

Once again, thank you for your generous contribution to my academic journey and I look forward to being able to pay it forward one day.

Zoë Washington



Messages From Our Members



Ann DukesPast Commodore
PICYA Delegate

Good Morning EBC,

Praying that all is well and we are enjoying the waves of Life. We have been very busy this boating year and we invite all members to come out and enjoy and participate in the activities we as a club have planned.

Opening Day on the Bay was a fun day. Ebony did not have a vessel in the parade but there were fourteen (14) of us on the Committee Boat. We had a great table so we could see all the boats without going outside. It was a bit windy but warm, it was a good day for a parade. Carol Whitehead made this gigantic gift bag as Ebony's donation to the event and it was won by our very own Robert Willis. It was a full day of visiting, laughter, eating and cruising the bay.

If you did not come out, Western Night was a blast. The music was entertaining, the food was delicious and it was also a great night of fun. Several of us, about ten, drove up to Petaluma Yacht Club for Memorial Day Weekend for a nice visit. Then back to prepare for the Jazz and Wine Event.

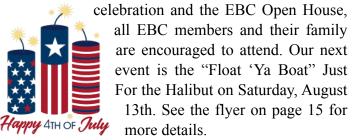
2022 Jazz & Wine Festival



Jazzbeaux & Friends (George Spencer, Kerry Davis and friends) had the place jumping at the Wine & Jazz Festival event. Yes, there was even dancing, it was that kind of night. The wine selection by our own wine experts, Glen and

presentation and instructions was so good I wanted to take a sip. Although there were not a lot of people out we had a great time and look forward to next year.

We are preparing for the City of Stockton's July 4th



Come, enjoy and support this club we work so hard to keep up. The clubhouse looks GOOD! The work that was done last year really makes it look inviting. The plan is to decorate the club inside and out for the 4th of July celebration and Open House. Please plan on coming up and enjoying the fun of getting it ready.



We are doing well with our Club Of The Year (COTY) Points. Carol Whitehead and I have checked our points earned so far and right now we are still in the run for our 5 Star status. Thanks to all of your hard work and event participation. All club members in good standing are welcome to attend the upcoming Delegate's meeting on July 11th as a guest either in person or by ZOOM. If you are interested in doing this please go to the PICYA web page and register.

SEE YOU ON THE WATER.

Ann Dukes
Past Commodore

RECIPES FROM THE GALLEY



MEAT & FRUIT SALAD

Summer is here and fresh fruit is abundant, so let's have a healthy lunch.

Enjoy!
Ann Dukes

Ingredients

½ cup protein per serving (any meat) I prefer poultry

2 cups mandarin oranges well drained (save the liquid)

2 large apples chopped any firm sweet apple will do

2 heads romaine lettuce chopped

1 cup raisins or cransraisins

½ cup shredded coconut

1/4 cup mayonnaise

Salt and pepper to taste

Directions

Place mayonnaise in a small bowl. Then add about 3 tablespoons of the liquid from the oranges to the mayonnaise and set aside. In a large bowl mix all the other ingredients. When ready to serve pour dressing in and mix well. Serve with toast or crackers.

THE SECRET TO EXTRA-CRISPY ROASTED VEGETABLES

Hint: It's probably already in your pantry.
By Corey Williams

Updated September 28, 2018There are a lot of great vegetable-cooking methods, but we're partial to roasting. It brings out natural flavors in the best way, and almost anyone can do it.

There are a lot of great vegetable-cooking methods, but we're partial to roasting. Not only does it bring out natural flavors in the best way, but almost anyone can do it. You don't even really need a recipe cooking oil and salt are the only required ingredients.

The best thing about roasted veggies, though, is the crispiness. Simple roasting can turn almost any vegetable into a crunchy snack on par with French fries, IMHO.

If you're craving some extra crunch, look no further than a staple you probably already have in your pantry: cornstarch. Cornstarch is frequently added to foods to give them an extra bit of crispiness, but for some reason it's not commonly included in roasted vegetable recipes. Once you try the cornstarch method, you'll wonder how you ever lived without it.

For a perfect crunch every time, follow these steps:

- 1. Follow your normal roasting process: Toss veggies in olive oil, salt, and whatever spices you like.
- 2. Add a small amount of cornstarch to the mix. The perfect amount is up for debate, but this article recommends about 1 tablespoon per pound of vegetables. Make sure the vegetables are evenly coated on all sides.
- 3. Roast on a sheet pan or roasting pan. Cooking times and temperatures vary depending on the vegetable, but 20-45 minutes at about 425° is pretty standard.

Dates to Remember

June 23, 2022 @ 7:30 PM - Executive Board Meeting June 25, 2022 @ 12 PM - General Membership Meeting

The Executive Board Meetings are held via ZOOM. The General Membership Meetings are held at the EBC Clubhouse and are also available via ZOOM. The monthly agenda and reports along with the ZOOM connection information will be emailed to all EBC members prior to the meeting.

Commodore Jennifer Duhon

PICYA 2022 CALENDAR



Lipton Cup - June 17-19 - Corinthian YC

Directors Meeting - June 30 - Virtual Mtg

Delegates Meeting -July 11th-Loch Lomond YC

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May

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Dates to Remember

Ebony Boat Club
Presents

"Float 'Ya Boat"



Come join us for a wild and furous evening of fun and excitement on the water,

Playing all your favorate music to dance to, mouthwatering hors doeuvres, enjoy delicious cocktails on the docks.

Fish or Shrimp Prepared Soulfully Games • Prizes • Chill'n On the Water \$3 Well Shots until 7:00

Saturday, August 13, 2022 **EBONY BOAT CLUB - CLUBHOUSE**705 W. Weber Ave., Stockton, CA

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EBONY'S MONTHLY THOUGHTS & PRAYERS



Twas' 24 days into the month of May, When 19 beautiful children stormed through Heaven's gate. Their smiles were contagious, Their laughter filled the air. They could hardly believe all the beauty saw there. They were filled with such joy, They didn't know what to say. They remembered nothing of what had happened earlier that day. "Where are we, asked a little girl, as quiet as a mouse. "This is Heaven," declared a small boy. "We're spending the rest of eternity at God's house." When what to their wondering eyes did appear, But Jesus, their Savior. The children gather near. He looked at them and smiled, and they smiled just the same. Then He opened His arms and He called them each by name. And in that moment was joy, that only Heaven can bring. Those children all flew into the arms of their Heavenly King. And as they lingered in the warmth of His great BIG embrace, One small girl turned and looked at Jesus face to face. And as if He could read all the questions she had, He gently whispered to her, "I'll take care of Mom and Dad." Then He looked down on Earth, at the world far below. He saw all the hurt, the sorrow and woe. Then He closed His eye and He outstretched His hand, "Let My power and presence re-enter this land! I now send peace to all the hurting mothers and fathers, who instantly and senselessly lost their sons and daughters, may this country be delivered from the hands of fools. I'm taking back my nation. I'm taking back my schools! Vengeance is mine, I WILL repay every child Killer, WILL HAVE their Judgement Day!" Then He and the children stood up without a sound. "Come now children let me show you around." Excitement filled the space, some skipped and some ran; all displaying enthusiasm that only a small child can. And I heard Him proclaim as He walked out of sight, "In the midst of this darkness, I AM STILL THE WAY, THE TRUTH AND THE LIGHT."

By Bev Lessman Reading Recommended by Eddie Jo Mack

Father, as we enter into the summer months, help us remember those who are not as fortunate as we are. Some have lost family, friends or associates recently. Some of us are still having health issues. There's a war going on that is affecting our financial world, yet we are all very blessed. As we pray for our club, our nation and the world we live in. Let us each pray for a better world, nation and for each other, as we continue to feed the homeless and share what we are blessed with.

Please Continue To Keep The Following Members In Your Thoughts And Prayers

Bill & Roxanne Washington and family, Thelma Johnson, Frank Whitehead, Tony & Gloria Petit



Ebony Boat Club

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2022 ACTIVITY SCHEDULE

Date	Description of Event	Contact	Location
Dec 31 - Jan 2	Open For Use		
Jan 7 - Jan 9	Open For Use		
Jan 14 - Jan 16	Open For Use		
Jan 29	Monthly Club Meeting - VIA ZOOM	EBC Membership	EBC CLUBHOUSE
Feb 4 - Feb 6	Open For Use	LBC Membership	250 0205110002
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Feb 11 - Feb 12		Otio Duo ele Salino Marele	EBC CLUBHOUSE
Feb 13	Super Bowl Party & Chili Cook-Off - CANCELED	Otis Brock & Jim Mack	EBC CLUBHOUSE
Feb 18 - Feb 22	Open For Use		
Feb 26	Monthly Club Meeting - VIA ZOOM	EBC Membership	EBC CLUBHOUSE
Feb 26	EBC Black History Month Program - VIA ZOOM	Eddie Jo Mack	EBC CLUBHOUSE
March 5	EBC Paint & Sip Party - CANCELED	Beth Hunt	EBC CLUBHOUSE
Mar 18 - Mar 20	Mardi Gras Cruise In - Diablo Yacht Club - Mike	Ann Dukes	EBC CLUBHOUSE
March 26	PICYA Leadership Conference	PICYA	Discovery Bay
March 26	Monthly Club Meeting - VIA ZOOM	EBC Membership	EBC CLUBHOUSE
April 2	Opening Day on the Delta – Antioch/Pittsburg		Antioch/Pittsburg
April 9	Opening Day – Stockton Yacht Club	Stockton Yacht Club.	Stockton, CA
Apr 15 - Apr 17	Open For Use	Glockloff Facili Club.	Stockton, CA
April 23	Spring Youth Day - CANCELED	Ann Dukos	EBC CLUBHOUSE
		Ann Dukes	
April 24	Opening Day On The Bay Boat Parade	PICYA	San Francisco EBC CLUBHOUSE
April 30	Monthly Club Meeting	EBC Membership	
May 7	EBC Fishing Derby-Deep Sea Fishing	Frank Whitehead	Emeryville, CA
May 13 - May 15	EBC Western Night Cruise In	Robert Willis &	EBC CLUBHOUSE
May 21	Monthly Club Meeting	EBC Membership	EBC CLUBHOUSE
May 27- May 30	EBC Cruise Out - Petaluma Yacht Club	Reggie Kelley	Petaluma, CA
Jun 3 - Jun 5	Jazz & Wine Festival Cruise In - Ox Bow YC	Carol Whitehead	EBC CLUBHOUSE
June 11	Open For Use		
Jun 18	Juneteenth Community Celebration	CANCELED	EBC CLUBHOUSE
June 25	Monthly Club Meeting	EBC Membership	EBC CLUBHOUSE
July 4	Stockton July 4th Celebration-EBC Open	Jennifer Duhon	EBC CLUBHOUSE
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Jul 8 - Jul 10	Open For Use		
Jul 15 - Jul 17	Open For Use		
Jul 22 - Jul 24	Open For Use		
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July 30	Monthly Club Meeting	EBC Membership	EBC CLUBHOUSE
July 30	Vera Labat Family Reunion-After Club Meeting	EBC Member Usage	EBC CLUBHOUSE
July 31	Vera Labat Family Church Service	EBC Member Usage	
Aug 5 - Aug 7	Annual Taste Of The Delta-Village West YC	Otis Brock	Village West YC
Aug 13	Float Cha Boat - Just For The Halibut Party	EBC Membership	EBC CLUBHOUSE
August 20	EBC Paint & Sip Party	Debra Duhon	EBC CLUBHOUSE
August 27	Monthly Club Meeting	EBC Membership	EBC CLUBHOUSE
Sept 2 - Sept 5	Open For Use		
Sept 9 - Sept 11	Open For Use		
September 17	Monthly Club Meeting & Nomination	EBC Membership	EBC CLUBHOUSE
September 17	Coastal Clean Up	Kerry Davis	Stockton Marina
Sept 20 - Sept 27		Otis Brock	EBC CLUBHOUSE
Oct 7 - Oct 9	Oktoberfest Cruise In	EBC Membership	EBC CLUBHOUSE
October 9	IOBG Meeting & Luncheon	Otis Brock/James Mack	EBC CLUBHOUSE
October 15		PICYA	Encinal Yacht Club
1	Margot Brown Wheelchair Regatta		
October 22	Annual Golden Gate Fields - Day At The Races	CANCELED	Golden Gate Fields
October 22	PICYA Leadership & Management Conference	PICYA	TBD
October 29	Club Meeting & Election Results	EBC Membership	EBC CLUBHOUSE
Nov 4 - 6	Open For Use		
Nov 11 - Nov 13	Open For Use		
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Ebony Boat Club BOATIQUE



Marilyn Brock
Past Commodore
Boatique Manager

Hello EBC,

It was awesome seeing so many of you at club meeting. The club looked great. We have truly stepped our game up.

Opening day on the Bay was a Blast. Otis and I had a great time. We give special thanks to our own EBC members, Ann Dukes, Janet Noyd and Robert Willis who worked on the Opening Day Committee. Of course, EBC had our table, consisting of, Otis and I, Jim and Eddie Jo Mack, Kerry Davis, Janet Noyd, and 4 guest of Ann Dukes. Ann, Robert and Sheila George were seated at other tables. What a great day.

The Boatique has completed orders. Please contact me if you have an order pending. We will be open for the Jazz and Wine. Drop by the Boatique, there's lots of goodies, blazers, shirts etc.

There's a limited supply of Jazz and Wine Shirts so if you would like one place your advance order. See you there.

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"If God didn't forgive sinners heaven would be empty!"

Stay healthy and Safe Boating to you all.

Marilyn Brock Boatique Manager



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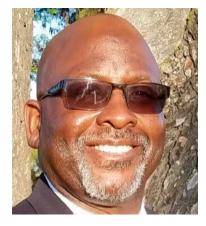
2022 EBONY BOAT CLUB OFFICERS



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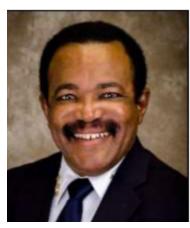
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EBONY YOUTH FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS



The objective of the scholarship program is to encourage and assist students in advancing their education. The awards are aimed at providing a source of financial support for graduating high school students OR students currently enrolled in an accredited post-secondary institution. Relatives and associates of Ebony Boat Club members are also eligible for an Ebony Youth Foundation (EYF) scholarship if they meet the following requirements:

- Applicant must be a High School Senior, have applied or have been accepted at a qualifying post-secondary institution (Accredited College, University or Trade School) or currently attending a qualifying post-secondary institution, and must have at least a 2.00 (C) GPA.
- All applicants must submit a COMPLETE (all questions answered and signed) Ebony Youth Foundation (EYF) Scholarship Application and include the following in your packet:
 - 1. Letter of Acceptance from a qualifying post-secondary institution (accredited college or university);
 - 2. At least three (3) Letters Of Recommendation describing the applicant's personality, integrity and leadership potential;
 - 1 must be from an active EBC member
 - o 1 school official or community leader
 - 1 mentor/community advisor
 - 3. Applicant must submit an OFFICIAL transcript
 - 4. A photograph suitable for publication is required. If you are selected as a recipient of an Ebony Youth Foundation (EYF) Scholarship Award your picture will be used on the Inaugural Ball Program, the Ebony Boat Club's Beacon Newsletter and other publications to promote the Ebony Youth Foundation (EYF) Scholarship Program.
- Completed application is to be submitted <u>electronically by July 15, 2022 by 12 Midnight</u>, No hardcopies will be accepted.

For further information, please contact: Janet V. Noyd, Scholarship Chair at (510) 366-4045

Applications must be submitted electronically by email to: Janetjakrabit@aol.com

Ebony Youth Foundation (EYF) Scholarship Application

PLEASE TYPE

Name (Last, First, Middle)			Last 4 digits Social Security No.		
Address (Number, Street, City, State, Zip	Code)				Birth Date
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Name of High School / Accredited Post-Se	econdary Institution	Address (Number	, Street, City, State, Zi	p Code)	GPA
Parents Name			Have you eve	r received ar	n EBC or EYF scholarship?
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Name of Accredited Post-Secondary Instit	ution of Acceptance			A	dmissions Phone Number
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Field of Emphasis / Intended Major					
List any other awards received or acknow	ledgements (List \$\$ if mo	onetary and year receiv	red)		

Please answer each of the following questions (1-7), in twenty-five (25) words or less:

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1.	Skills, Special Talents and Leadership Roles. Please cite specific examples:
2.	Community Activities and/or Work Experience:
3.	What are your career goals and how do you expect to achieve your goals
4.	What is your 5 year plan?

5. How do you plan to maintain and/or increase your GPA?

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6.	How will this award benefit you?
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7.	Please share other facts not covered that you feel are important.
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	Please respond to the following essay question: How has the Coronavirus pandemic affected life in California? The essay should contain the applicant's original research, conclusions and a Reference list. Limit 500 words.
	APPLICATIONS MUST BE EMAILED BY JULY 15 TH , 2022 - BY 12 MIDNIGHT.
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❖ DID YOU:

- ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS ON THE APPLICATION
- INCLUDE ESSAY
- SIGN & DATE THE APPLICATION
- INCLUDE A COPY OF YOUR LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE
- INCLUDE AN EBONY BOAT CLUB MEMBER LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION
- INCLUDE ONE LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION FROM MENTOR OR COMMUNITY ADVISOR
- INCLUDE ONE LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION FROM SCHOOL OFFICIAL OR COMMUNITY LEADER
- INCLUDE OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT
- INCLUDE ONE PHOTOGRAPH SUITABLE FOR PUBLICATION



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Denial: Reasons for non-selection of applicant based on related selection criteria Scored % specifically low in the following areas:

- _/20 POINTS WRITTEN COMMUNICATION SKILLS
- _/15 POINTS SKILLS, SPECIAL TALENTS, LEADERSHIP ROLES
- _/10 POINTS COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES
- _/15 POINTS CAREER GOALS & HOW TO ACHIEVE THESE GOALS
- _/10 POINTS WHAT IS YOUR 5 YEAR PLAN
- _/10 POINTS HOW WILL THIS AWARD BENEFIT YOU
- _/15 POINTS ESSAY
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