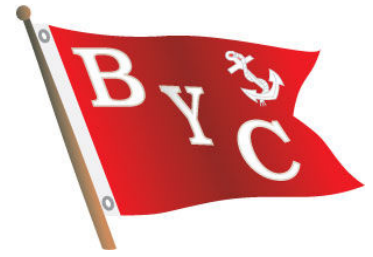


# Boulder Yacht Club Boulder Bits



Bits and Pieces. Some Noteworthy; none newsworthy.



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## No-Boat 2006



No warm air, no wind, no water, the "NO-BOATS" 2006 blew in and happened. We were few, but what a great few. The purpose of the no-boat regatta is to thank those sailors that made last year so good and to install new officers to make this year just as good. Judging by this party, next year should be a great one. We honored our outgoing officers and peacefully transferred power to the new ones.



Garen gave out racing awards to: Bill Hausman, Bob Bender, and Erik Eaves 1st. Renshaw Regatta.

Other awards went to:

**Boulder Achievement Award** - Dave & Diane Commens

**Seamanship Award** - Bill & Elva Franklin

**Schmidt Happens Flag** - Erik Eaves

Bill and Sharon had their video of the past year, and Laurel Juenger showed some great photos on Gary Luttrell's projector. Attendance prizes and 50/50 tickets were drawn. Then, while some sailors were dancing to the fine music, others were making plans to enter the new long distance racing, coving out, or what sailors do best in the summer. HAVE FUN! Thanks to Bob and Linda Bender for a great party.



I would also like to welcome new members: David & Molly Barry, Roger & Julie Black, and Ryan Bietchert

We're looking forward to sharing sailing experiences with you.

Bill Schmidt  
Commodore  
[magicdragon1@prodigy.net](mailto:magicdragon1@prodigy.net)

### COMMODORE'S COMMENTS

Ahoy sailors! Another New Year begins at Boulder Yacht Club, and as usual we have new flag officers. I, as Commodore, am following some great past Commodores. But I have officers working with me to make this a really great year. Kort Juenger, who helped his wife Laurel as Social Committee, will do even better as Vice Commodore. Erik Eaves, the Race Chair, has some new races to liven up the race program a little bit. So if you think you might like to race give Erik a call. I think when I finally get in the water I'm going to try racing for the first time.

So if any of you think you can beat a MacGregor, come on out. Gary and Maggie Lopez have some great ideas for parties, so come and have fun with the Social Committee. Being precise and meticulous makes Deanna Schroeder the perfect Secretary/Treasurer. Rey Neville will once again do a fine job as Webmaster. Ken Schowe is stepping down as Bits Editor, and Rob Schmidt is going to continue the fine tradition of getting our sailing news to us.

Other Officers are: Club Historians- Laurel Juenger & Sharon Schmidt; Social Ambassador-Susanne Watkins; Todd Schroeder, Fire Marshall.

If you have any questions, ideas, or offers of help for any of these officers, feel free to contact them. See you on the Lakkkkkeeeeee.

Bill Schmidt  
Commodore  
[magicdragon1@prodigy.net](mailto:magicdragon1@prodigy.net)

### FROM THE VICE COMMODORE

It's hard on a sailor when it is a sunny, windy day like today and your boat is on the hard. But the day all of our boats are in the water will be here soon. I hope everyone will participate in the racing schedule on the lake this season as crew or as captain.

And what a great way to represent your yacht club than with a stylish new hat, sweatshirt, or polo with the beautiful red BYC logo proudly displayed. We hope to have a fashion show at the Wine and Cheese Party in April. Be on the look out for a spring sale. I will also have the product catalogue with me if you would like to place an order. Anytime you want to purchase an item from the Ship's store just hail me on the radio as "QUICKSILVER".

See you on the water.

Kort Juenger  
Vice Commodore  
[kunderwater@aol.com](mailto:kunderwater@aol.com)

## FROM THE SECRETARY/TREASURER

We have three new memberships so far this season. They are David and Molly Barry, with Smellin' Like Roses, currently located in Sardis Lake, Mississippi; Roger and Julie Black, with Chocowivity, their 35' Pearson; and Ryan Bietchert, with his 25' Catalina, Traveller. I hope they plan to attend the New Members Party on May 6th to give us all a chance to say hello.

I have not gotten membership cards to everyone who has renewed yet, but I'm hoping to save BYC money in postage by handing them out at the lake. If anyone would like their cards mailed earlier, please call (636-274-3509) or e-mail me and I will be happy to drop them in the mail.

Gary Lopez has an exciting calendar of social events planned, and I hope everyone will at least try to make a few. It is such a great opportunity to meet and party with people who share a similar interest.

See you around the fire ring.

Deanna Schroeder  
Secretary/Treasurer  
[toddanddeanna@juno.com](mailto:toddanddeanna@juno.com)

## THE SOCIAL SCENE

From the Social Chair, The Annual Spring Thaw will be Saturday, **April 1st** at 10am. Unique Breakfast Treats, will be provided by, Maggie Lopez, Elva Franklin and Carolyn Beatty! After everyone is Full, it's "All Hands on Deck" to raise the TENT, followed by the Flea Market, where Steve Kratchman will entertain us with hundreds, of hard to find and most useful, items.... See Ya There.

Gary & Margaret Lopez  
Social Committee  
[lopez@signalhill.net](mailto:lopez@signalhill.net)

## BYC 2006 SOCIAL CALENDAR

Date	Day	Social Event
Apr 1	Sat	Spring Thaw: Breakfast, Flea Market & Tent Raising
May 6	Sat	New Member Welcome, Wine & Cheese
May 20	Sat	Derby Day at the Lake
Jun 17	Sat	Tapas on the Dock / Open Boat
Jul 22	Sat	On- The - Water Party
Aug 5	Sat	Pirates of the Caribbean
Aug 26	Sat	Ice Cream Social
Aug 27	Sun	Nomination of Officers Meeting
Sep 23	Sat	Pig Roast
Oct 7	Sat	Chili Supper
Oct 8	Sun	Annual General Meeting and Election of Officers
Oct 28	Sat	Halloween Party
Dec 2	Sat	Ladies Luncheon
Feb 24	Sat	No Boat Regatta

## FROM THE RACE CHAIR

Boulder Racers,

The 2006 Boulder Race Schedule has arrived!

Date	Day	Race
May 20	Sat	Lake-wide Distance Race 1 (Multi-club)
Jun 11	Sun	BYC Series Race 1 (BYC only)
Jul 1	Sat	Lake-wide Distance Race 2 (Multi-club)
Jul 8	Sat	Moonlight Regatta (BYC only)
Sep 2	Sat	BYC Series Race 2 (BYC only)
Sep 9	Sat	Lake-wide Distance Race 3 (Multi-club)
Oct 21	Sat	BYC Series Race 3 (BYC only)

The best 5 of 7 of the above races will be scored for Boulder members only scoring just for our club. Three of the races for Boulder's scoring will be from the multi-club distance lake-wide races.

The Renshaw Regatta will be on August 26.

The Boulder Cup will be on October 7.

**Multi-club Program:**

There will be a total of 9 lake-wide distance races that combine all four clubs on the lake. Please see <http://www.carlyleyachtclub.com/distance.html> for complete details of the distance series racing and rules.

I encourage everyone to participate in all of the multi-club distance races. They will be scored as lake-wide racing results for a 9 race series. From some of these multi-club races (the ones listed above), 3 will also be scored into the 2006 Boulder Series Standings. So for some races your results will be ranked in the lake-wide results and for Boulder's own individual standings.

The multi-club race schedule is May 13, May 20, June 3, June 17, July 1, Sept. 9, Sept. 30, Oct. 14, and Oct. 28 (Great Race).

I have uploaded the Race Form in the FILES Section of the Boulder Yahoo Groups Page. Please fill out and return to me as soon as possible. The fee for this year's racing is \$45. That includes all of the Boulder Series Races (including the Moonlight Regatta and Renshaw Regatta) and all of the Multi-club Races.

Please call or e-mail me with any questions.

See you around the marks.

Erik Eaves  
Race Committee Chairman  
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**EDITOR'S NOTE**

If you see an error in the attached club roster or in the *Bits*, just send an E-mail to myself, Rob Schmidt, Email address [robschmidt@aaahawk.com](mailto:robschmidt@aaahawk.com) and Deanna Schroeder at [toddanddeanna@juno.com](mailto:toddanddeanna@juno.com) and we will set you up to receive the *E-Bits*.

Deadline for the next (May) issue of the Boulder Bits is **Tuesday, April 18, 2006**. We encourage everyone to send articles of interest to share with us.

Rob Schmidt, Editor  
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**New Members Party Wine and Cheese Tasting Reservation**

**Please Return By 24 April 2006**

**(New members please send in reservation, for accurate head count)**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Number in Group: Adults - \_\_\_\_\_  
Children \_\_\_\_\_**

**Send \$0 for amount**

**Send to**

**Treasurer**

**5254 Saint \_\_\_\_\_ Lane  
House Springs M \_\_\_\_\_ 051**

**Wine/Beer for Adults**

**Punch/Soda/Hot dogs for Children**

**Cheese & Snacks for All Games & 50/50**

**When: 6 May 2006**

**Where: Boulder Marina Under the Tent On The Hill**

**Time 5:30 pm followed by potluck dinner**

*(Bring something to grill and a dish to share)*

**New Members Free**

*(New Member if you joined BYC after 30 September 2005)*

**Member Cost: \$7.50**

**Adults/\$3 Child 10-18**