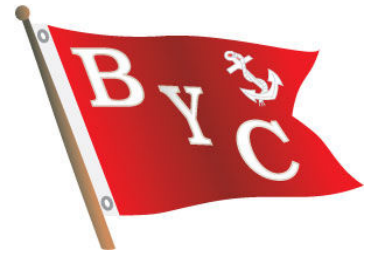


Boulder Yacht Club Boulder Bits



Bits and Pieces. Some Noteworthy; none newsworthy.

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KID'S KORNER BITS

1. What do you call lending money to a bison?
2. What did the hockey player do when the thief demanded money?
3. What do pigs put into their computers?
4. What does a dog quarterback throw to?
5. What has wheels and a trunk but no engine?

Here are the contest rules and details. Each Boulder Bits will include a new set of "Kids Korner Bits" questions. These questions are for the sole purpose of having fun and thinking out of the box. Although "kids" usually means children under 18 years old, we believe these questions could also make an adult a little nuts and feeling like a kid, trying to figure them out.

So, anyone in the club believing they are a kid and know the answers, email Steve Kratchman @ casacitai@msn.com with the answer to some or all of the questions from each issue of the Boulder Bits. In the email, please list the corresponding question for each answer.

In the last 2006 Boulder Bits issue, we'll announce the winner, based on the most winning answers.

Caveats: (1) You or your parents must be a BYC member, (2) The date and time of the receipt of the email will be used for tie-breakers (earliest submission wins).

FOOD FOR THE BOAT

Deanna Schroeder, coming through with another great recipe. I've tried it, and it is Mmmm Mmmm GOOD!

If you have a recipe (which I'm sure you do) please email me, the editor, at robschmidt@aaahawk.com.

CAULIFLOWER / GRAPE SALAD

Ingredients

- 1 bunch of cauliflower, broken into small pieces
- red or green grapes sliced, as many as you want
- 1/2 cup or so of chopped cashews

Directions

1. In a separate small bowl combine:
 - a. 1/2-cup miracle whip (I use the Light version)
 - b. 1/4-cup sugar (or Splenda)
 - c. 1 scant tablespoon mustard
2. Mix this with the 1st 3 ingredients and enjoy!!

Aren't these some stately fellas?

COMMODORE'S COMMENTS

By the time you read this (*Editor's note: That's because Rob takes so long to get these out*), most of you will know that we now have channel buoys and night-lights to find our way back to the marina in the darkest of nights. Todd and Dennis, with the help of Todd's nephew, Cody, and yours truly, installed these navigation aids to help us in and out of the marina. And, help they have done.



Photo by Bill Schmidt



Photo by Bill Schmidt

The Magic Dragon has come in with these aids without running aground or hitting the rocks several times now. There is a flashing amber light on the point; 3 flashing green and 3 flashing red in the channel; and a constant green and constant red marking the marina entrance. Coming from the lake

green is on the port and red on the starboard. I know you knew that. Thanks Todd and Dennis.

On another note: Gary and Lila must have worked for the Postal Department, because rain or wind doesn't stop them from having a great party. Their Tapas on the Docks party was another good one even though the rain made us move most of the food under the tent.



Photo by Bill Schmidt



Photo by Bill Schmidt

Did I say tent, I meant PAVILION. Anyway with the food out of the way, it gave us more time to really get a good look at the boats. Thanks to Gary and Lila.

Bill's Better Side? ☺

FROM THE VICE COMMODORE

For the month of July, all in stock polo shirts will be \$2.00 off; regular price = \$18 - \$22, NOW \$16 - \$20 and all t-shirts will be \$1.00 off; now only \$9.00 We have an assortment of colors, all with BYC's beautiful logo.

We'll have a display out under the pavilion roof and/or at my boat at slip #24, Margaritaville.

Checks preferred or exact change. Thanks.

Kort Juenger
Vice Commodore
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FROM THE SECRETARY/TREASURER

Welcome new members Greg and Suzy Saunders with their Hunter named Sojourn; and Julie Dyll, who is very interested in racing and contacted BYC looking for an opportunity to crew. I know there are always captains out there looking for an extra hand. Please contact Julie at juliedyall@hotmail.com.

Tapas started out with a little confusion due to threatening weather, but after we changed our starting destination to the new pavilion (which worked out better anyway), it turned out to be a really fun night. Tapas is always my favorite event, and this year, Todd and I invited some friends, who commented to me that everyone was so nice and hospitable. I was very appreciative, since I lost them somewhere on Easy Street and didn't find them again until Margaritaville. Many thanks to Gary and Lila Luttrell for such a wonderful event.



Photo by Bill Schmidt

Shorts:

- I haven't been racing so I can't say much about that, so I'll leave that to the real racers.
- Has anyone seen the BYC Banner, not the BYC party burgee? I can't find the banner. The last time I saw it was,,,,, I don't remember, but if anyone can remember please tell me.
- Has anyone tried to use the popcorn maker and does it work????
- David Renard donated a 1000 plastic forks, knives, and plates to BYC to keep our parties going. Thanks Dave.
- Thanks to Dave and Diane Commens for donating a TV for the clubhouse; we now have BYC cinema back.
- I hope the lake is as windy as me,

SEE YOU AT THE LAKE.

Bill Schmidt
Commodore
maqidragon1@prodigy.net



Photo by Bill Schmidt

(Editor's note: Deanna! That doesn't look like Todd! Hey, that's Gary's Dad!! 😊)

Gary and Maggie Lopez are doing an excellent job as our social directors. I am very happy to announce that our New Members Wine and Cheese, Derby Days and Tapas have all made money this year. Yeah Ha! I hope all our hosts and hostesses will continue to get their direction from the Lopez's to make this a prosperous year. I realize our goal is not to make money, but it would be nice to be able to afford the few changes around the club that have been in discussion. See you around the fire ring.

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THE SOCIAL SCENE

A special thanks to the Luttrell's for a GREAT party! Once, again, Tapas on the Dock, was a blast with Plenty of good food,



Photo by Laurel Juenger



Photo by Laurel Juenger

lots of cold beverages, and most of all, Sailors having a Goodtime!



Aren't these some stately fellows? ☺

Photo by Laurel Juenger

This month, the On the Water Party, Sat. July 22nd, hosted by the Schmidt Clan (the Original Party Animal and Co-Founder of the Group) Sharon Schmidt, herself, promises a party like none other!

See You At The Lake.

Gary & Margaret Lopez
Social Committee
lopez@signalhill.net

FROM THE RACE CHAIR

The racing so far has been fantastic, but we need your help. Even if you are not a racer, being Committee Boat for a race is a great way to gain exposure to the race program and to support the club. Without volunteers from the club, no event can be a success. Please review your schedule and sign up! The following are the dates we need volunteers:

Date	Race	Committee Boat
July 8 th	Moonlight Regatta	Volunteer Needed
August 26	Renshaw Regatta	Volunteer Needed
September 2	Boulder Series Race No. 2	Erik Eaves
October 7	Commodores Cup	Volunteers Needed
October 21	Boulder Series Race No. 3	Volunteers Needed

Please e-mail me at eeaves@hotmail.com to sign up for committee boat.

See you on the race course (*Editor's note: Or in the committee boat*).

Erik Eaves
Race Committee Chairman
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Leukemia Cup Update

Since this was my first LCR, I don't know if it was the most boats they have raced, but there were a lot of boats, enough to make the race a success. But the regatta is not just a race, it is 4 clubs on the lake pooling together to make a statement for a cause and that they did. It is 4 sailing clubs with different interests, working together to put on a successful event and raise money to fight a terrible disease.



Photo by Bill Schmidt

Along with the work, there was also a great deal of fun to be had.



Photo by Bill Schmidt

They even had bagpipes and a drummer to send the racers out, adding a little Hollywood to the race.



Photo by Bill Schmidt

There was an auction with some neat items, good food and drink, and parties for all that came to enjoy. It's a great time to meet some of the people from the different clubs and see what their sailing is about. If you have never attended this event you should try to attend next year on Memorial Day weekend. And, maybe, you might have as good a time as I did.

Bill Schmidt
Commodore

EDITOR'S NOTE

If you see an error in the *Bits* or you want to receive the Bits via e-mail, just send an e-mail to myself, Rob Schmidt, email address robschmidt@aaahawk.com or Deanna Schroeder at toddanddeanna@juno.com, and we will set you up to receive the *E-Bits*.

AAAAAHHHHHH!!!! Got your attention ☺

The deadline for the next (August) issue of the Boulder Bits is **Tuesday, July 18th, 2006**

We encourage everyone to send articles of interest to share with us.

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On The Water Party!



When: Sat. July 22, Afternoon

Where: Cove 4

How Much: \$5 for Adults And
\$2 for Kids

RSVP: Please RSVP to Sharon
Schmidt at (636) 671-1063 OR
Shelley Schmidt at (636) 938-
9179 **by Sat. July 15th**

VS.

PARROTS!

Fun & Games!

- ☒ Volleyball
- ☒ Ships & sailors
- ☒ Kayak relay

Good Eats & Drinks!

- ☒ Hot Dogs
- ☒ Frito Chili Pie
- ☒ Soda & Water
- ☒ BYOB

