

# Boulder Yacht Club Boulder Bits



Bits and Pieces. Some Noteworthy; none newsworthy.



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## A NEW PAVILION!

As some of you may have heard, one of the recent Saturdays up went our tent.



The next day, down and over went our tent. Then, while Karl Schmitt and I are fixing the poles, Gary Lopez calls me and says he's tired of messing with that blankity blank tent. Why don't we get with Dennis and see about a permanent wooden pavilion?



I presented the idea to Dennis and he liked it. He is buying the material and the club is providing the labor. Jon Miller drew the plans for the Corp. and Kort Juenger, who builds houses, is supervising the project.

Kort would probably build it faster if we didn't help him, but he does need help even if we slow him down. There was a good size crew to help the first weekend; I hope we still have some crew next weekend. The pavilion will probably be up by the time you read this, unless weather stops us or we slow Kort down.



Bill Schmidt  
Commodore

## COMMODORE'S COMMENTS

Wow has every year been this busy, or does it just seem that way because I'm Commodore? On Saturday April 1, The Spring Thaw went really well, the food was excellent, the tent went up, and we made more money than usual at the flea market. Thank you Gary and your crew.

Then Sunday, along came a storm with very high winds and away went our tent after only being up one day. Those who saw it said it blew off the pad faster than Desperado sailed in a race. Has this happened before? Yes, it happened four years ago. To replace the tent with a wooden pavilion is another story....

Some of us went to the Leukemia Kick off event to start this year's Leukemia Cup Regatta (LCR), more on that later. Keep an eye out for the races and parties coming up. If you have questions about race or parties don't hesitate to ask our Race Chair or Social Chair.

One final announcement: More people are getting their boats in the water. Therefore, more people are carrying loads of items to their boats in slips. When you empty the dock carts at your boat, please bring the carts back to the loading and unloading area so that others can use them.

May the lake rise to normal pool and the wind gives us great sailing. SSSSEEEE you at the Lake.

Bill Schmidt  
Commodore  
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## FROM THE VICE COMMODORE

Between the waxing and the cleaning, many of us were also hammering and sawing these past weeks. Not on our boats but on our new pavilion. After the storm blew down our beloved tent and high estimates on repairing it were in, it was suggested we could build a permanent structure. Well, it is a reality that we hope will be enjoyed in time for the "Wine and Cheese Tasting".

It has been great how Dennis has stepped up to the plate and is footing the bill for a great space that will be enjoyed for years to come by so many people. Many thanks to all those that helped "raise the roof" on April 22. There will still be more work to do in May on the structure, so I hope to hear from more volunteers.

We will be presenting a fashion show at the "Wine and Cheese Tasting" on May 6th of our fine selection of BYC clothing. Bring your checkbook.

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

## FROM THE SECRETARY/TREASURER

We have six new members in addition to the Barrys, Blacks, and Ryan Bietchert that I mentioned last month. They are:

- (1) Jeffrey Gentry and Holly Eilers, with a 27' Landau, which they currently keep at home;
  - (2) Gary Hale, our new neighbor on Easy Street, who has a 23' Aquarius named Serenity;
  - (3) Richard and Eileen Humphrey, with a 27' Catalina named Double D;
  - (4) Bob and Mary Pittman, on Jost Van Dock, with their Pontoon named MerriBob; and
  - (5 & 6) Darin Dawson and Charles Ray, co-captains of Dream Weaver, a 26' S-2.
- Please welcome them all aboard if you see them at the New Members Party on May 6th.

I want to send a special thanks to Dennis Smith and Boulder Marina for treating the kids to an Easter egg hunt on Easter Sunday. There wasn't much competition for my Charlotte and Samantha, but maybe we can persuade Dennis to make this an annual event. It was a beautiful weekend for egg hunting, barbecuing and sailing.

I am sending out the current roster, and I apologize in advance for any errors you may find. Please call or e-mail me with corrections, and I will get them changed right away.

See you around the fire ring.

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## THE SOCIAL SCENE

This month's party "Derby Day at The Lake" promises to be a Winner! Saturday, May 20th bring all your Nags to the Lake for a day filled with Derby Delights. Gary and Kay Vogel have found the secret to throwing a great party, a lot of Mint Juleps and a little Horsing around.

Boots and Whips will be Optional! Ladies wear your Biggest Sun Bonnets, as we Run for the Roses!

Gary & Margaret Lopez  
Social Committee  
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## LEUKEMIA CUP REGATTA UPDATE 1

As your Commodore, it's my job to represent BYC at functions, as they occur on or about the lake. Now let me tell you that I have attended the Leukemia Cup as an observer, but never at the inside workings, so to speak, like the Kick Off Event this last month.

I was so impressed with the sincerity of these people, and their dedication. The fact that our club hasn't done very much in the last couple of years didn't bother them. They didn't dwell on what you haven't done, but what you can do. The percentage of money that goes to the charity in this event is very high. I know we have all heard how some of the charities don't get much of the money, but these people are so dedicated and organized and this event DOES give an amazing amount of money to the charity.

They had a comedian to get you in the mood, and he and Rob Schmidt did just that. I think they were partners. Gary Jobson had a movie presentation on sail racing that was indescribably awesome.

The regatta is May 27 & 28, so keep this weekend open. I urge you to enter this race. It's a good cause. Even if you don't race, it's worthwhile, and I guarantee you will have fun if you attend. If you have questions ask Rey, and if he's not available try me, I might know the answer. If I don't know the answer, I will find it.

Bill Schmidt  
Commodore

## LEUKEMIA CUP REGATTA UPDATE 2

Hello Boulder Sailors. Another year has turned and we again have the opportunity to get personally involved in the one lake-wide charitable activity held on Carlyle Lake by sailors – the Leukemia Cup Regatta (LCR).

Yes, it a race, but its much more than that. There are social activities like the Kick-Off recently held at Schlafly's Tap Room downtown where Gary Jobson, a recent lymphoma survivor, helped get the group energized with his outstanding presentation of international racing. Coming up this month, May 26 - 28 are the events to be held at CSA.

On the 26th, Carlyle Yacht Club is hosting a cocktail party and on Saturday night, there will be a band and a great social hour. Dinner on the 27th is also available (by registering for it on the registration form found on the web site). Afterwards, you can bid on the silent and not so silent auction items. There are always numerous fabulous nautical gifts to be sought after including outstanding nautical art by such well known artists as John Mecray who donates a lithograph to each of the 44 Leukemia Cup Races every year. So even if you never race a boat, there is a lot to do and much fun to be had and a tremendously important cause to support. To see all the details related to the LCR events, including the racing, go to [www.carlylelaker.com](http://www.carlylelaker.com).

So, come on out have some fun. The LCR offers sailors an opportunity to sail, party, socialize, earn awards for donations and in general have a great time supporting a vital cause to help cure blood related diseases. I hope to see you all there.

Rey Neville

## FROM THE RACE CHAIR

Hello Boulder Racers,

The race season is quickly approaching. Thanks to all who have already turned in their race declarations. There is still time to submit your form. The first race is quickly approaching. Please find at the end of the Boulder Bits a Race Declaration Form to send in.

This is going to be an exciting year of racing with the addition of the Multi-club racing. I hope to see everyone out there. This is a great opportunity to meet many sailors from others clubs on the lake. We are currently looking for mark placers/committee boats for this year's races. If you are interested, please e-mail me at [eaeeaves@hotmail.com](mailto:eaeeaves@hotmail.com). I'll be e-mailing a notice shortly about those duties. Please find the race schedule and complete information about this year's program at [www.boulderyc.org](http://www.boulderyc.org).

I'll see you on the race course,

Erik Eaves  
Race Committee Chairman  
[eaeeaves@sbcglobal.net](mailto:eaeeaves@sbcglobal.net)

### Boulder Yacht Club Commodores

1983	Jeff Gates
1984	Jeff Gates
1985	Derry Mount
1986	Nick Beulick
1987	Jerry Fultz
1988	Bill Bridenbaugh
1989	Bob Blumenkamp
1990	Judy Hedrick
1991	Gerry Misener
1992	Bob Renshaw
1993	Steven Kratchman
1994	Ron Robertson
1995	Ron Robertson
1996	Elva Franklin
1997	Richard Carson
1998	Richard Cooper
1999	Ken Showe
2000	David Grimes
2001	John Carnasiotis
2002	Bonnie Dimercurio
2003	Alan Stewart
2004	Rey Neville
2005	Bob Bender
2006	Bill Schmidt

## BLAST FROM THE PAST

With the building of a permanent pavilion at the Boulder Marina, it makes me wonder a little about the history of the area. When was Carlyle Lake built? When was Boulder Marina built? When was the Boulder Yacht Club formed? Who was the first commodore? Being a history buff, I wonder these things. Thanks to an article written in the Feb 2002 edition of the Boulder Bits by Nick & Sue Buelick (charter members), I have a few facts for you.

Carlyle Lake construction began in 1958 and was completed in 1967. Four marinas were authorized for operation at West Access, Hazlet, Keyesport, and Boulder. These are now home to Carlyle Yacht Club, Carlyle Sailing Association, Tradewinds Yacht Club, and Boulder Yacht Club, respectively.

Orville and Audree Schroeder were the original operators of Boulder Marina. Their initial dock arrangement provided for sixty boats. This was later expanded to provide for over 200 boats.

The Boulder Yacht Club was formed and the founding officers were elected in 1983. Flag officers were: Jeff Gates, Commodore; Jim Eilering, Vice-Commodore; Dale Haubenriser, Secretary-Treasurer; and Dick Hannah, Sail Fleet Captain. Chairperson, Derry Mount coordinated the social program, with Sue and Nick Beulick as his helpers.

Since then, many improvements have been made to our facilities (thank you Dennis for the pavilion), and many fun parties have been organized and had by all.

## EDITOR'S NOTE

If you see an error in the attached club roster (yes it is attached this time ;) ) or in the *Bits*, just send an e-mail to myself, Rob Schmidt, email address [robschmidt@aaahawk.com](mailto:robschmidt@aaahawk.com) or 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 (June) issue of the Boulder Bits is **Tuesday, May 23, 2006**. We encourage everyone to send articles of interest to share with us.

Rob Schmidt, Editor  
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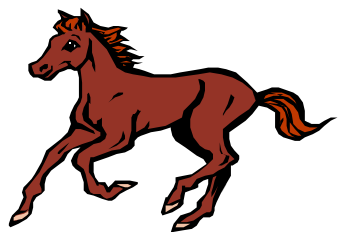
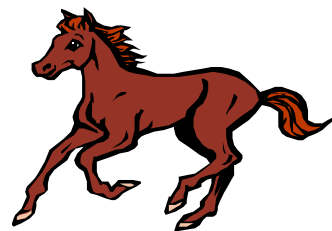
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# Derby Day



# At The lake

## Join Us For A Traditional Race Day Menu!

Kentucky Burgoo  
Preakness Pulled Pork  
Hot Browns  
Assorted Side Dishes  
Run For The Roses Pie  
Belmont Banana Pudding

## From Our Triple Crown Bar

Mint Juleps  
Bourbon Slushes  
Black Eyed Susans  
Boozeless Breezers  
Beer & Soft Drinks

## Have A Question?

Gary or Kay Vogel  
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Each Paid Admission Includes Two Drink Tickets and A Betting Chance on the Boulder Fantasy Horse Race!

*When:* May 20<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 PM

*Where:* On The Hill At The Marina

*Attire:* Your Favorite Derby Day Hat

Adults.....\$12

Children Under 12.....\$5

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*How:* Send your check and below info to:

Deanna Schroeder  
5254 St. Michaels Lane  
House Springs, MO 63051

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

Number Of Adults : \_\_\_\_\_

Number Of Children: \_\_\_\_\_

# 2006 LEUKEMIA CUP REGISTRATION

Complete the form and mail it along with your payment to the address below.

Please make all checks payable to The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society.

Upon receipt of your entry, we will send you a fund raising packet.

Full Name \_\_\_\_\_ check one:  Skipper  Crew  Other Participant

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Boat Name \_\_\_\_\_ Yacht Club Affiliation \_\_\_\_\_

Sail Number \_\_\_\_\_ Current PHRF Rating \_\_\_\_\_

Class/Manufacturer \_\_\_\_\_ Boat Type \_\_\_\_\_ No. of Crew \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_ (circle one): Spinnaker \_\_\_\_\_ Non-Spinnaker \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address (required for receipt of personal webpage) \_\_\_\_\_

## REGATTA & JUNIOR REGATTA SAILING REGISTRATION

\$50 For Cabins

Racing

\$40 For Dinghies / Multi Hulls (circle one)

Not Racing

\$10 For Laser, Sunfish (circle one)

### FOR SKIPPERS, CREW & OTHER PARTICIPANTS (Please indicate how many of each)

#\_\_\_ \$7 Saturday Lunch

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#\_\_\_ \$15 Saturday Night

**Spectator Boat Rides**  
#\_\_\_ \$25- Adults  
#\_\_\_ \$10-Children

Check Enclosed for: \$\_\_\_\_\_ I'd like to pay my entry fee by credit card. AMEX / MC / VISA (circle one)

Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Sig. Code \_\_\_\_\_ (last 3-digits in signature area on reverse side of card)

Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to abide by the Racing Rules of Sailing (US) and sailing instructions originated by the host club and/or other rules that govern this event. In consideration of being permitted to enter this event, being knowledgeable of the risks of competitive sailing and knowing that it is my sole responsibility to decide whether to start or continue any race, I voluntarily assume the risk of participation in this event and release the host club, Carlyle Sailing Association, and the people conducting the event, The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, from all liability in connections with any injury or damage that may occur.

Signature of Competitor \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**MAIL TO:**

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