

Boulder Yacht Club Boulder Bits



Bits and Pieces. Some Noteworthy; none newsworthy.

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KID'S KORNER BITS

- 1-What keys can't you put in a lock?
- 2-How do small people travel?
- 3-How did the telephone propose to his girlfriend?

As Editor I think Art and Sue were some of the answers to last Months questions. What do you think? So, anyone in the club believing they are a kid and know the answers, email Steve Kratchman @ casacitaii@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 2007 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).

BYC NEWS

COMMODORE'S COMMENTS

It can't be September already! Where did the summer go? Well at least we can look forward to some cooler days and some nice wind (I hope). I was glad to see that we were, well protected, late last month when those strong winds hit. No need for a crane in our marina to pick boats back up. Hope everyone enjoyed the "Caribbean Night ". Laurel and I enjoyed preparing it for you. Thanks to all that helped us. I look forward to the Pig roast this month. That was some great pig last year. Another great time this month will be the "Whale of a Sail" at the CSA on the 14-16th. See you on the lake Kort

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FROM THE VICE COMMODORE

Well, It looks like the Wind Gods, smiled on Boulder Marina, once again! Not in the playful ways they have so many times before, but the fact the August 24th, Friday Nite storm that wreaked havoc at Carlyle Lake, spared the Boats at Boulder. The winds were reported at 80mph and thanks to Dennis Smith and Todd Schroeder and others who made sure sail covers and dock lines were secured, all seemed well the next morning. This brings up a Good point! When you leave your Boat on Sunday afternoon or when ever it might be, plan for the Worst. Take a little extra time to fold down that Bimini, secure that sail cover, tie off that dock line, close that thru hull, and put an extra couple of wraps on that furler. Be ready and be safe!

See you at the lake
Gary Lopez
Vice Commodore
gary.lopez@charter.net

FROM THE SECRETARY/TREASURER

We have a lot of new faces at Boulder Marina. The following are our newest members to join us in the world of boating. John & Rosemary Buffat with their 16' Compact. Nora & Patrick Harvey and their 23.5' watercraft named Dark Star. Patrick & Michelle O'Brien with their 21' Aquarius named Sunny. James & John Lercher on their 21' Tracker. And our newest neighbors on Easy Street Tony and Jane Turk with their 22' Catalina and full crew.

Please give them all a warm BYC welcome when you see them.

The Caribbean Party was a good time, thanks to Kort and Laurel Juenger. I hope everyone is planning to attend the annual BYC Hog Roast on September 22nd. Those of you who came last year know what a tasty meal it was, and with the help of Dennis Smith and Boulder Marina, we raised over \$1000 for the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. Let's all come out and show our support again this year.

The officer nominations meeting were held on August 26th. The following persons were nominated, Gary Lopez for Commodore; Bill "Schmidty" Schmidt, Jr. for Vice Commodore; Rob Schmidt for Secretary/Treasurer; Jon Miller for Chairman Regatta Committee; Dave Uttendorfer for Chairman Social Committee; and Steve Kratchman for Board of Directors. Many thanks to these gentlemen for stepping up to accept our nominations. The elections will be held on Sunday, October 7th. See you around the fire ring.

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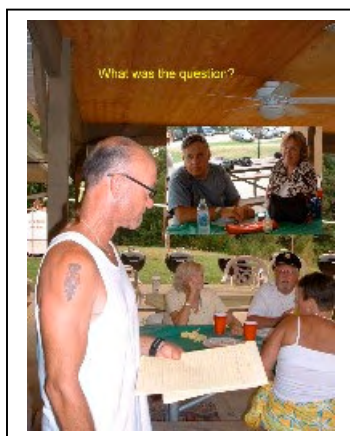
chick and banana bread that has now become famous to the rest of us. A question and answer game was played with prizes for the winners. One question: what is the salt content of the ocean? I thought it depends on how many margaritas you drink. Jim a new member wasn't sure if that had anything to do with it. Speaking of drinks there was plenty for the young and the mature (old).



Once again we the Caribbean Sailors thank you Kort & Laurel for a fun party.

Our next party is the Hog Roast that has become a great party unless you're a hog.
Social Committee
Schmidty
robschmidt@aaahawk.com

THE SOCIAL SCENE



Once again Kort & Laurel did a fine job hosting the Caribbean Night Party. The weather was hot, but that didn't stop pirates and Caribbean sailors from attending for a fun time. Laurel served her jerk

FROM THE RACE CHAIR

Boulder Racers,

Not much new in the world of BYC racing this past month. The moonlight regatta was scheduled for the evening of the 11th, which found us with no wind (and no moon). I have rescheduled this race to coincide with CYC's Moonlight Regatta on September 29th; those BYC racers entering the CYC Moonlight will automatically be entered in the make-up of our moonlight. I will take the time recorded from CYC and calculate BYC standing from them. The next race we had was the BYC Series race #1 held on Aug. 18th, we had good wind (8-10mph), but this race found no racers, save one. I have decided to make-up this race also with the make up date of Oct 20th, which will be the same day as the Series race #5.

The following are the standings for the Renshaw Regatta:

1. Nobody
2. No one

The "Renshaw Regatta" is "abandoned" and there will be no make up for this one.

The upcoming scheduled races are the Series races #2 and #3 on Sept. 8th, and race #4 on Sept. 22nd. I hope to see some racers on the course for these races.

Don't forget that the CSA Whale of a sail is coming up on Sept. 15th & 16th. Don't forget to sign up with CSA. If you have questions contact Stacey Zerban (618) 281-1165, or slzerban@aol.com

Attached to this issue of the Bits is the NOR and declaration for the BYC Commodores Cup to be held on Oct. 6th.

If anyone has any questions about anything feel free to contact me at the lake (HR54), or by e-mail (byc_rc@sbcglobal.net).

See you on the lake,
Jon Miller, Race Committee Chairman
byc_rc@sbcglobal.net

Blast From The Past

This Months question is. Who was the first BYC Commodore and why were they the first? Now the answer to last months question in 1998 Karl Schmitt acquired the Fire Cauldron and installed it with the help of Bill Schmidt and the Commodore Rich Cooper.

UPCOMING EVENT

BYC Hog Roast-----September 22nd

The Carlyle Sailing Association hosts the 37th annual **Whale of a Sail** regatta, September 14th - 16th on Carlyle Lake. A great weekend of sailing has been planned for your enjoyment. Up to three racecourses, up to six races per course, friendly competition, Saturday night party and plenty of food and refreshments. We're looking forward to seeing you and your crew at the Whale! Flyers with info will be forthcoming. Since we have a good time when they come to our events chances are very

good we'll have a good time at theirs also. A flyer was sent after last months bits.

Chile Super-----October 6th

General Meeting-----October 7th

EDITOR'S NOTE

Ahoy sailors would anyone be interested in a Friday night BINGO? If your are contact Shelley or Sharon Schmidt. No contacts yet, so you must not be interested.

If you see an error in the *Bits* or you want to receive the Bits via e-mail, just send an e-mail to me, Bill Schmidt, magicdragon1@prodigy.net or Deanna Schroeder at toddanddeanna@juno.com—and we will set you up to receive the *E-Bits*. We encourage everyone to send articles of interest to share with us.

The deadline for the next issue of the Boulder Bits is **Monday, September 24th, 2007 ☺**

Bill Schmidt, Editor magicdragon1@prodigy.net

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BYC Hog Roast

Saturday, September 22nd at 6:00 pm

Please bring a side dish or dessert
Beer and soda will be provided

Cost is \$5 per adult / \$2 per child

Boulder Marina is donating the hog and proceeds will go to the
Leukemia Society

Please make checks payable to **BYC**
and mail by September 15th to:

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

If you have any questions, please call Todd or Deanna
Schroeder at 636-274-3509



BOULDER YACHT CLUB COMMODORE'S CUP AND CHILI SUPPER SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2007

Please join us on Saturday, October 6, 2007 for our BYC Commodore's Cup Race and Chili Supper. Over the last few years this event has provided good sailing, excellent chili, and always good stories on the events of the day. The race course will be set in deeper water again this year to encourage more participation from CYC and CSA. Come sail to Boulder, enjoy some of the delicious chili, and share stories about this season's sailing.

Jon Miller
BYC Race Chairman

NOTICE OF RACE

Rules. The race will be governed by The Racing Rules of Sailing (2005-2008), the proscriptions of US Sailing, except as any of those that are altered by the Sailing Instructions, and by this Notice of Race.

Eligibility. The BYC Commodore's Cup non-spinnaker race is open to all monohull cabin boats regularly sailed on Carlyle Lake and all owners of monohull cabin sailboats who belong to BYC, CSA or CYC. A completed registration form and a signed BYC Racing Declaration are required to enter the race. BYC racing fleet members who have already submitted a 2007 BYC racing declaration only need to complete the registration and fees section on the next page to enter.

Schedule.

Late registration — West Access	8:30am
Skipper's meeting — West Access	9:30am
Late registration — Boulder Marina	9:30am
Skipper's meeting — Boulder Marina	10:00am
Start approximately	12:00pm
Chili Supper will follow the race (approximate)	5:30pm

Course. The course will be a modified olympic triangle with up to 3 mile legs, depending on wind and lake conditions. The racing area will be in the central part of the lake.

Sailing instructions. Instructions will be available on the day of the race at the skipper's meetings.

Handicaps. Time-on-time handicaps will be used. They will be based on PHRF handicaps adjusted to non-spinnaker ratings and other performance factors such as maximum head sail size, prop configuration, etc.

Measurements. All boats planning to race will provide the P, E, I and J, measurements on the BYC Racing Declaration.

Alternative Penalties. The 720 degree turn penalty rule 44.1 and 44.2 of the racing rules will apply.

Prizes: Prizes will be awarded to the boats placing first, second, and third in each division as well as to the overall winner.

Marina Accommodations and access. For boats wanting to stay overnight, slips are available by calling Boulder Marina at 618-226-3223. To enter the marina stay within one boat length of the north rip-rap wall that leads to the cove.

Mail declaration and payment to:

Deanna Schroeder
5254 Saint Michaels Lane
House Springs, MO 63051
636.285.7051
toddanddeanna@juno.com

More information on the race

Jon Miller, BYC Race Chairman
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More information on the Chili Supper

Bill and Sharon Schmidt
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2007 BYC Commodore's Cup Racing Declaration

please print clearly and complete each question

Skipper's name: _____ Yacht club: _____
Boat name: _____ Sail number: _____
Boat manufacturer/year: _____ Boat length: _____

Rig height: _____ Tall Mast _____ Standard
Rig type (mark 1): _____ Sloop (Mast Head) _____ Sloop (Fractional) _____ Cutter _____ Ketch _____ Cat
Rig measurements: P=_____ E=_____ I=_____ J=_____

Keel type (Mark 1): _____ Fixed Std _____ Shoal Draft _____ Centerboard _____ Wing _____ Swing _____ Dagger

Propulsion: outboard: _____ Out of water for race _____ In water for race (one tack) _____ Fixed in Well (in water both tacks)
(mark 1) Inboard: _____ Exposed 2 blade _____ Exposed 3 blade _____ 2 Blade in aperture _____ 3 Blade in aperture
_____ Folding Folding or Feathering

Head Sail Type: _____ Unstructured (Dacron or Nylon) _____ Structured (Mylar or Kevlar)
Head Sail Size (Mark 1): _____ Up to 130% _____ 131 to 155% _____ 156 to 165% _____ 166% and over
Roller Furling: _____ Yes _____ No Furling Drum Above Deck: _____ Yes _____ No
Spinnaker Pole Length (Mark 1): _____ Standard (j Length) _____ N/A _____ Other (Specify) _____
Method of Storage (Mark 1): _____ Dry-Sailed _____ Kept in Water

I agree to comply with all rules and regulations of the Boulder Yacht Club, US Sailing Association (formerly USYRU) and other rules under which this race or a series is sailed. I agree to indemnify and hold Boulder Yacht Club, its officers, directors and committeemen harmless of any liability of any nature whatsoever for accident or injury to myself, my crew, my guests or my boat while racing or engaging in any activity related or connected therewith.

Signature: _____ Date: _____ Home Phone: _____
Address _____ City, State, Zip _____ Work Phone: _____

Registration and Fees

Make checks payable to: *Boulder Yacht Club*

Race fees: (Registration cutoff: 9:30 a.m., Saturday, Oct. 6, 2007)

Early registration — \$15.00 (if received by Oct. 1, 2007) \$ _____
Late registration — \$20.00 (after Oct. 1, 2007) \$ _____

Chili Supper fees. Everyone is welcome. You don't need to race to enjoy BYC's famous chili supper tradition:

Early sign-up (through Oct.1, 2007)
Adults _____ @ \$10.00 each\$ _____
Children (under 12) _____ @ \$3.00 each\$ _____
Late sign-up (after Oct. 1, 2007)
Adults _____ @ \$12.00 each\$ _____
Children (under 12) _____ @ \$5.00 each\$ _____
TOTAL (racing and chili supper)\$ _____

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