# Boulder Yacht Club Boulder Bits



Bits and Pieces. Some Noteworthy; none newsworthy.



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# ---COMMODORE'S COMMENTS---

Hello Boulder Sailors

Spring is finally here. It seems this winter was especially long and cold. I cannot wait to get the boat back to the lake.

The Ship Store is stocked and the keys handed over to Jeff Morrison. There are some new items you may want to check out.

I have been working on a treasure hunt for the kids, so please share the "Kids Corner" section with your kids. I will try to have a monthly treasure hunt and on the day of Jeff's Poker Run I am planning a big treasure hunt. If anyone can help me I really appreciate any input.

Most everybody probably can agree with me that the club house would need a little "clean-up". I do have some ideas, but also like to hear yours. If anyone has a burgee from other clubs, we can hang up in the club house, please let me know.

Thorsten was working very hard to make things as easy as possible and give you the chance to sign up for our races and parties online using the very safe Paypal. Of course you can still print out a flyer from the BYC homepage, fill it out, sign a check and mail it with regular mail. Or you can come by the marina and pay it there as well. In some cases you can even pay at the door. (There might be a late sign up fee added). If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact any of the BYC officers. Here is a link:

http://www.thorusa.com/byc.htm

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#### ---FROM THE VICE COMMODORE---

The Weather certainly has been teasing us lately. One day it's in the 60's then several in the 40's. We're all starting to notice the longer days and anxious for the new Sailing Season to begin. The Social and Race events have been planned and our ships store is well stocked thanks to Ulli. BYC Hats, Bags and a variety of Shirts are on the shelves. If you would like to place a special order please let me know.

I would like to start a new feature in the Boulder Bits. All of us have memorable sailing moments and I suspect many have been photographed. These can be of your boat, favorite anchorages or perhaps great sunsets while aboard. We would like to include them in our monthly Boulder Bits. Please send your pictures (via E-Mail) or I'll be forced to show you ALL of mine. Include a caption telling us about the

photo.

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Foxy made us feel welcome in Great Harbor Jost Van Dyke.

Watching BVI Sunsets are a great way to end the day with friends.

### ---FROM THE SECRETARY/TREASURER---

Every one is saying the weather is going to get warmer if only it will stop raining on weekends so we can work on our boats.

BYC joins the electronic age as we now have a PayPal account to pay for club events. Go to our website at www.boulderyc.org click on events and PayPal comes up. They tell me it's so simple even I can use it. The Sec/Treasurer thanks Thor for setting this up. I'm sure we will have a lot of questions for him when people start using it

We have 3 new members this month they are: Chuck & Barbara Loeb on a hunter 28 named "Clarity": Frank & Tory Eppert on an O'Day 22 with no name yet: and Fred & Denise White on the familiar "Emmy Rose" a Chrysler 26. When you see them and their boats at the lake give them the old BYC welcome.

Our roster changes every day so I'm waiting to get a more complete list to mail it out. Later in flotsam & jetsam is a partial roster of names if your name is not on it you haven't renewed yet or I have made a mistake so contact me and let's straighten it out. I'm trying to run down where our reciprocal cards are so when they come in I will get both cards to you.

See you at the Lake.
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# ----THE SOCIAL CHAIR ----

The Spring Thaw Party is fast approaching. This year it will be held on April 24th. Hopefully the weather will work with us. There is still one date open that host(s) is needed. This is the New Members Welcome/Brew master Party. I have arranged for one of our local businesses to come in and speak about making beer. He will actually make for us during that day for everyone to sample. What goes good with beer?......How about brats? Now all we need is a host!!

Also, the "Hog Roast" on Sept. 4th is in need of extra help this year. If Todd & Deanna Schroeder are available we need extra cooks, helpers, etc. Jeff Morrison has been kind enough to help with the overnight cooking. Bravo Jeff!!

A Thank you to all that have offered their time and energy for making this year's schedule another fun one.

#### Let's make this year a GREAT one!

See you at the lake & in the office. Cindy Cohoon BYC Social Chair cohoon22@charter.net



# ----FROM THE RACE CHAIR ----

The season is approaching fast. The weather gets warmer with every week and the days longer. On the hard you see folks prepping their boats and getting that super slick race bottom finished. No race in April but May 15 is our first one. That late date should give everybody enough time to get the boat splashed and a couple of weekends practice time. We do have a CB for the first race! Gail force has volunteered together with Moonbeams for race no 4, Tim and Deb for Race no 6, and Thor for Race no 8. We still need volunteers for the double race day on June 5, June 26, July 3, and Sept 4. Should be easy to find ....as doing CB is always a lot of fun.

April 24 Spring Thaw, I will be there to talk racing, phrf numbers, rules, prep. If you have any questions we will find somebody with an answer. Again this year we are using the lake wide Phrf numbers which have been carefully crafted from a 5 man committee down at CYC. Thanks CYC guys for all that work! Thanks also to the clubs around the lake who participated in our quest to have all the race dates and most party dates nicely organized and scheduled without overlapping. This gives us all plenty of opportunities to participate in all lake wide events.

Talking lake wide events: Sign up for the LCR (even if you don't plan to sail in the races) and consider to sail the long distance race, its a little more laidback than the around the cans and surely a lot of fun. There will be a Saturday and a shorter Sunday Race again this year.

I hope that the 09 winners of the Championship flags will fly them at our events but also around the lake :-) And don't procrastinate (like all good sailors do so well) Have your boat ready for the first event and then sail with us ....if you don't race you can't win.

Thanks
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Nothing to report

I will be looking forward to seeing everyone at the lake.

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# ---BYC FLOTSAM & JETSAM---

# Leukemia Cup Regatta news

Mark your calendar. The Leukemia Cup Regatta launch party is coming up on Tuesday, April 13, 2010. Join us for what will be a great evening from 6:30 to 10:30 at Kemoll's Top of the Met.

Can you believe it? This is the 10th year of the Leukemia Cup Regatta at Carlyle Lake. In that time the Carlyle Regatta has raised over \$386,000 in the effort to find cures and treatments for blood cancers. Much progress has been made, but much more needs to be done.

To help us celebrate, we will have two special guests for the Launch Party. Gary Jobson, a leukemia survivor, will be here for the 3rd time. You know him as the President of the U.S. Sailing Association, ESPN's

sailing commentator and a national spokesman for our sport as well as the LCR National Chairman. He most recently hosted the America's Cup Regatta on ESPN360. You can be sure he'll be talking about the phenomenal performance of those two boats and the goings on between the contending camps.

Joining Gary is Anna Tunnicliffe, the reigning Olympic gold Medalist in the Laser Class, a member of the US Sailing Team and a 2-time Rolex Yachtswoman of the Year. In addition, Anna has been the ISAF world's Number One-ranked women's Radial sailor since the April 9, 2008 rankings. If it sails, it seems she can win with it. She is now preparing for the 2012 Olympics and taking gold in the women's match racing event.

Advance reservations are \$25 per person or \$30 at the door. This includes hors d'oeuvres and an open bar. Kemoll's is at the Metropolitan Square Bldg, 211 North Broadway, 42nd Floor, St. Louis, MO. (free parking available from the Pine Street Kemoll's Restaurant entrance.)

For more information & advance reservations via credit card, please call The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society at 314-878-0780 or 800-264-2873.

Article by Ray Neville

If your name is not on this list you have not renewed. New members in red. If you need an application go to <a href="https://www.boulderyc.org">www.boulderyc.org</a>. click on membership and download the membership application.

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# --- UPCOMING EVENTS---

**April 13-----**Leukemia Kick Off Dinner at the top of met life in St. Louis **April 24-----**Spring Thaw

May 15-----New Members Welcome Party & BYC Race No. 1

May 28-30-----Leukemia Cup at CSA

# ---EDITOR'S NOTE---

If you see an error in the Bits, or if you want the Bits by e-mail contact me at <a href="magicdragon1@prodigy.net">magicdragon1@prodigy.net</a>. If you see an error when there is an attached BYC Roster E-Mail me and I will correct the error.

I don't know why I put this in here but the **deadline** for the next (May) issue of the Boulder Bits is **4/25/2009**. We encourage everyone to send articles of interest to share with us. I know I will get articles on time this year.

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# SPRING THAW PARTY & FLEA MARKET APRIL 24<sup>th</sup>

COME JOIN IN ON THE FUN. ENJOY THE CAMARADERIE. DON'T FORGET TO BRING YOUR ITEMS FOR THE FLEA MARKET & MAKE SOME \$\$. Time 10am to noon.