

Boulder Yacht Club

Boulder Bits



Bits and Pieces. Some Noteworthy; none newsworthy.

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----UP COMING EVENTS ----

July 14-----Bloody Mary Breakfast

Aug 3-----Canoe Race and Cheeseburger in Paradise

---FROM THE COMMODORE---



- Ahoy BYC folks,
No article

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---FROM THE VICE COMMODORE---



- My goodness! It's already July? It does seem like it's been a whirlwind of activity lately, compounded by this "interesting" weather pattern we seem to be stuck in. Let's give a round of applause to Kurt, Dennis, Jerra and Petra for keeping the marina in tip-top shape and the docks accessible as the lake goes up and down, up and down, ad nauseam.

If you follow the club's Facebook page you've seen some pictures posted of the great times we've had enjoying each other's company, both afloat and ashore, and even when coming together as a group to assist someone with a project or job that needs to get done. This is a great bunch of people!

We recently had another visit from Good Old Boat magazine writer Allen Penticoff for a review of another bolder boat. I'll let Thor tell that tale, but I will relate that Allen has mentioned how he and his wife Ruth always feel very welcome at Boulder marina and by members of our club. Allen has been to more than a few clubs over time and to hear him say that about us says something (Shameless plug, the review of Mañana is going to be in the July/August issue, available at newsstands very soon).

Thanks too to Thorsten for posting invitations for the upcoming races and BYC events on our Facebook page. Please take a moment to look at them and let us know if you are planning to attend.

P.S. This is the photo that I meant to use last month showing the wonderful bandage I had to wear after getting the basal cell cut out of my lip. Wear your hat and sunscreen!

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---FROM THE SECRETARY/TREASURER---

Ahoy all- I just returned from a sailing trip in the USVI's with Kort and Laurel and Al Green. It was a great time and blue water sailing is amazing! I highly recommend it if you ever get a chance. Our next activity is July 13, the moon light night race, which coincidentally coincides with National Skinny-Dipping Day and July 14, our Bloody Mary Breakfast. Hope to see all of you there.

Join me in welcoming our new members.

Mitchell and Jihye Schmann at JV 41
 Steven and Sharon Diehl at ES 7
 Jeremiah Campbell and Rebecca Schroeder on Low at JV 15
 Tim and Sue Carroll on Island Fever at M 41
 Jason Wissehr and Maria Wolf
 Eric and CeCe Forguson on Lady Sea Sea

Remember to send your membership renewals soon. We currently have 43 paid renewals and new members which puts us at 80 members. Please review the attached Roster for accuracy. If you are wanting to pay dues or any event with PayPal look for this link www.thorusa.com/byc.htm located just to the left of the photo of the marina on the clubs' web page.

Current balance \$1,758.16

Checking----- \$888.42
 Savings -----\$592.05
 PayPal ----- \$187.44
 Cash ----- \$90.25

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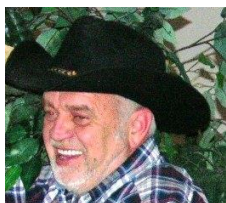
----THE SOCIAL CHAIR ----

- It sure was hot last weekend but I understand that BYC had a good turnout in cove 1 at the fireworks display. They even said the display was better this year.

On July 14 don't miss the "Bloody Mary Breakfast" that follows the moonlight race on Saturday the 13th.

Anyone that has been to Jeff and Tim's canoe race in the past will tell you not to miss this event on Aug. 3rd. Then while eating their famous cheeseburgers in paradise you can explain how you could have won the race if you partner had not paddled on wrong side and sent you the wrong way.

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

- What a month it has been! The CYC Carlyle Cup was cancelled due to bad weather and now is re scheduled to July 27, and that new date for the CYC Cup is (Race 4 towards the BYC standings.)

The Cruiser Cup held by our friends at TYC was a success with 10 boats attending.

We at BYC are looking forward to the "Non-Race" to the dam June 29. See flyers in the clubhouse and be there on the lake Saturday from 11 to 2 pm, it's a single start and promises to be much fun. Boat handling skills are much more important than speed.

July 13th features the BYC Moonlight start at 7 pm. We will announce the course on the VHF (channel 68) depended on the weather. The Moonlight is race 3 for the BYC Championship. We have invited all other Carlyle boats to participate and stay for the awesome Bloody Mary breakfast the next day at 10 am. As usual our marina will host traveling boats at no charge. Thanks Dennis!

Cruiser Cup 1st Race. CYC had sent their big guns to regain the trophy, CYC is leading the charts with 12 points, BYC is trailing with 16 points and TYC has 19 points. I was pretty proud to have 4 BYC boats on the line despite pretty horrendous weather. The wind direction and velocity was in Grey Hounds favor and the team on Grey Hound smoked the entire fleet by a good margin. The CYC lead is not that big, we can make it, IF we show up in force for the second race in September.

BYC Race results (Grey Hound, Algeciras, Paradise, Miss My Money)
BYC Yearend1 championship standings after 2 races

1. Grey Hound
2. Algeciras
3. Paradise
4. Miss My Money

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---FLOTSAM AND JETSAM---

June 21 was the official summer is here date and that also means summer heat is here. Last weekend with the hot weather I was sitting in my cabin that I am lucky enough to have air conditioning, while looking around I noticed my interior wood was dull and had a few stains on it. It seems we clean polish and varnish the exterior, but I have not done very much to the interior. Oh I wipe it down in the spring to get rid of the winter mold causing the finish to get dull and losing its luster and resistance to stains that I spill on it. Is it as hard to refinish as the exterior teak that has sun baking down on it with bird dropping and bug residue? No is not but is has some things you might due different. One thing is a very light sanding not a heavy machine sanding that would go through the very thin veneer. Ventilation could be problem if it's hot and you cabin is closed so I waited for a cool day and chose conventional varnish. I pulled in outside air with my air condition and I still took breaks outside to get away from it, but now my interior wood and bulkheads are bright and almost look new.

A funny thing happened to me while boating a Carlyle Lake today. That could be the starting sentence for a lot of boating adventures that we have while having fun at the lake. Some are good, some are funny, and some are good and funny. Some are believable and some maybe not, like that time you made a perfect docking while no one saw it. They always see when you needed help when docking to keep from crashing the dock or wrecking. So now you're drinking at a party and telling about that perfect docking, no one will believe you. If you send me an article about that perfect docking people will believe you because if it's in the bits it has to be almost true. So send those articles to me at magicdragon1@prodigy.net. I can hardly wait to get those articles.

SOMETHING NEW the archway to the lake



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The pessimist complains about the wind. The optimist expects the wind change. A leader adjusts the sails

---EDITOR'S NOTE---

Hello! If you want the Bits by e-mail, or would like to contribute to next month's edition, please contact me at magicdragon1@prodigy.net. This year, the monthly deadline for each article entry will be set for the **25th day of each month**. I encourage everyone to send articles of interest to share with the BYC family. You don't have to be an officer; you just have to have an interesting story or fun pictures to share.

*Submission Instructions: just email your article or pictures to me at magicdragon1@prodigy.net. Please copy and paste any text from a word document directly into the email text body to ensure there are no formatting translation errors. Event flyers should be submitted in PDF format unless you would like me to check them for errors, in which case a word document is fine.

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The 2018 BYC Officers

2018 BYC OFFICERS	
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**Bloody Mary Breakfast
July 14**

**Boulder Yacht Club
10:00 AM**

\$8 per person

RSVP Mike Shelton or PayPal

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