# Boulder Yacht Club Boulder Bits



Carlyle Lake, IL

Bits and Pieces: Some Noteworthy, None Newsworthy.

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Coming up June 10th—Survivor Themed Games followed by Ice Cream Social June 10th at 5:00 PM and on June 24th at 5:00 PM plan to attend our Fishermen's Fish Fry see Page 2 for details!

# Officer's Observations



### Commodore—Kort Juenger

Well with the weather and the water getting warmer and the season in full swing, it's time to enjoy all the work we've all been doing to prepare our boats.

The holiday raft up was great fun and a beautiful night to be on the lake. Let's try to have even more boats for the 4th of July raft up! Please check the web site and FB page for upcoming parties and races.

Hope to see you at the lake.....Kort

Hello fellow club members! Thanks to all that showed up for the Sea Scout Ball and the BYC raft-up! Both were great events (I know Emily and I are especially loving the sea scout breakfasts that follow their events. Keep up the great work, you guys!).

On the June events list, we have the Ice Cream Social and Survivor Party--the latter of which is a new addition--so try to come and join in on the fun!

Additionally, there are some really cool items in the ship store, so if you haven't yet gotten some BYC gear for the season, feel free to peruse the case in the clubhouse. Look forward to seeing you at the lake!





I hope most of you have your boats in the water by now as the season has officially started. As usual, we have a few activities scheduled each month during the season. The club activities are posted on the bulletin board inside the Marina building so take a look and take a picture and add the events to your calendar. Activities are also listed on our website, bould-eryc.org.

I was sailing in the Grenadines for a good portion of May so I can't speak much about the activities in May.

### Secretary/Treasurer—Carolyn Sutorius

I do want to thank Spero and Pam for the wonderful Spaghetti dinner though. This is our New Member event and a great way to meet other members.

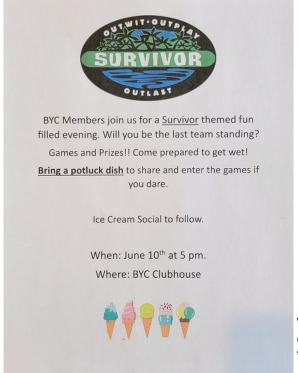
Upcoming activities for June are as follows, June 10th is the Survivors party and Ice Cream Social. It will be a fun evening and I hope all of you can participate. June 27th is the annual Fish Fry. Darrell and Joann Henson and Mike, if I missed anyone, I apologize, donate and cook the fish for us. Chicken available will be as well.

The marina is supplying side dishes and we are asking people to bring desserts. This year we are asking for donations which will go towards a new stove for the Marina Kitchen. We hope to see all of you there. Just a reminder, if you haven't renewed your membership yet, please do so. Membership allows you full access to the marina building and all the fun activities we host. You can do this online or in the Marina Office. Happy Boating and have a safe summer

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# Mark your Calendars—June Events!

# Survivor event and Ice Cream Social—June 10th 5:00 PM



# I scream, you scream We all scream for Ice Cream!



Who will be the survivors? Put yourself to the test and eploit your inner Indaiana Jones for bragging rights to this new BYC event!

# Fisherman's Fish Fry—June 24th 5:00PM

### Bounty from the Lake!

BYC is having our annual traditional Fish Fry to enjoy the bounty of the lake!

Dinner will be served at 5:00 PM Saturday June 24th and donations are requested to help support the purchase of a new stove for the BYC Club house.

If you can bring a dessert as well, that would be great and for non-fish lovers, chicken will be available and you can pretend it's lobster!

Please RSVP Karen Walker, <a href="mailto:kswalker7118@gmail.com">kswalker7118@gmail.com</a>, by June19th



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# Race Committee



# **Ahoy Mates**

The Intro to Racing Session 1 on May 6th was well attended and the class room session and model race course worked out well. However due to the early part of the season only two boats were able to participate in the actual race. Rich Satorious on Pura Vida and Rich Carson on Deja Vu with crew participated. The race was exciting and close with Deja Vu winning by only 57 seconds after a brief grounding by Pura Vida. (Attached photos are from this race).

Our second club race Intro to Racing session 2 will be June 17. By coincidence the First race of the Cruisers Cup series sponsored by CYC is also on that date. It's an opportunity for all the clubs to participate in a competitive but fun and friendly race. I hope to incorporate our race with the Cruisers Cup to encourage lake wide racing with the other clubs.

More information and flyer to follow.

Bill Rathbun Race Chair



# **Sea Scout Ship 9 Activities**

## Sea Scout Ship 9 had their 2nd Annual Sea Scout Ball in May.

Events for the Day included a Bridge of Honor, Flag Retirement Ceremony, a dinner, dancing, evening and night sailing, and a Viking burial ceremony to conclude the evening. Over 50 people attended the event.

The following Sunday morning they hosted the Sea Scout's Skippers Breakfast.

It was a great success thanks to the support of the Boulder Yacht Club and especially the Boulder Marina owners.

## Lucky Scouts land a good job!

Sea Scouts James Taylor and Amber Steber got a summer job working on a fishing tour boat in Galveston, TX. Not only does he get to work with his fiancé doing 12 hour shifts on the boat he gets to go deep sea fishing. What a catch! The fish are nice too.



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# Life Unanchored

We're on the web

Boulder Yacht Club is a nonprofit sailing organization comprised of sailors/boaters who call Boulder Marina home(port). Brought together by our love for time spent on the water, we are the only yacht club on the eastern shore of Carlyle Lake, the largest man-made lake in Illinois.

Our members enjoy sailing, motoring, kayaking, paddle-boarding, watching sunsets, and spending time with our marina family.

# **Submit your Stories, News and Photos**

All members are encouraged to submit articles and images any time during the year. Please follow the Submission Instructions below.

### **Submission Instructions:**

If you'd like to contribute a story or images to an upcoming edition, please follow the instructions below:

- Send an email to: philstepson@gmail.com with your article as the email body and any images attached.
- Event flyers should be submitted in txt/word or edible format to facilitate editing and revisions. Pdf 's will work but if revisions are necessary they will need to be converted.

Items received after the 28th of each month may be held over until the next edition.



Thanks for reading the BYC Bits!