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The Bay Views

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Commodore
Christopher Sackett

Report from the Commodore

I am pleased to announce the use of the Commodore's parking spot for the month of May goes to outstanding member P/C Tony Blank. If you must ask why, you must be living under a rock... Nobody does more day-in and day-out, week-in and week-out, month-in and month-out, year-in and year-out for BVYC than P/C Tony Blank. Tony, thanks for all you do for BVYC! I know you will enjoy and make good use of your parking spot during the month of May.

Congratulations to Jay Kelley. Jay was elected Board Alternate at our last general membership meeting. We had several good choices to pick from. 85 members showed up to vote and Jay came out on top! Jay brings a wealth of club knowledge and experience to the position. I think I can speak for the entire Board when I say we look forward to working with Jay for the remainder of the year.

Spring is finally here. That means time to launch boats! Please be patient and work with Yard Co-Chair P/C Greg Snyir, Co-Chair Mike DeAngelo, assistant P/C Colleen Cashman and the entire yard crew. The spring launch takes a lot of work and coordination. The yard team has more work on their plate that most people realize. If your boat is upfront, please be ready to go in as soon as possible. The yard team does not have the room nor the time to shuffle boats around in the yard. When they ask "when will you be ready to launch" telling them "Just move my boat out of the way" is not an acceptable answer.

In addition to launching boats, spring means time to get the entire club ready for a new season. There is plenty of work to go around. If you find yourself wondering, what can I do to get some hours in this spring? Just look around. If you see weeds, pull them. If you see dirty windows, clean them. If you see dirty picnic tables and deck furniture wash them. If you see trash and debris laying around pick it up and throw it away. If you see something that needs painting paint it (the club will provide the paint). I think you get the picture. If you don't know what to do, contact me, I will find something for you...

I would like to thank everyone who came to the last general membership meeting. What a turnout! It was great to see everyone. Thank You for supporting BVYC. These are truly exciting times. I am very proud to be a part of this club's bright future. Working together we can make this the premier club in the area and the best boating value in the country. We have so much to offer. Let's keep the momentum going.

Let's Make 2022 Great!

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Up Coming

Events

Derby Party

Mothers'

Brunch

Opening of the

Port



Report from the Vice Commodore



Vice Commodore
Thomas Berkebile

ATTENTION: For the last three months a member update book has been available for review and signature approval. For those of you who have not signed it or contacted me already, your door cards will be deactivated. Once reviewed and signed, we'll get your card enabled again. If you're out of town, please email (contact) me. I'll be sure to send your document electronically, or by mail for update, and signature. You can then send it back electronically or by mail.

The highlighted members for this month are:

James Eck – A Member 1973 and can often be found at the bar. His favorite of many boats was his Trojan F32. Jim served on the board back in the 70's. His dad was a member and his son is currently a member.

Gary Ruffier- Gary has been our Bay View Fleet captain for both 2021 and 2022. Since joining the club Gary has been involved with the water system here at BV and is currently the chairman. I dare you to find this guy without a smile in his face.

Steve Cummerow – Steve has supported numerous repairs of equipment around the club. He's currently our House co-chair.

Frank Crawford – Frank was member for years, starting in the 80s and just rejoined again last. You can still find him helping in the yard and currently resides in Florida during the winters.

We have a Kentucky Derby party and race May 7th. This will be a pot luck dinner with Lasagna as a main course starts at 5:30. Please bring some of your favorite dishes to share. The horse races will start around 6:30. \$10 entry fee to the races. Each table will have multiple winners throughout the races. This race was held last year and was a lot of fun. The R/C will also host a best Hat contest and other items he has not told me about yet.

Starting this month, we'll be cooking on the grill Wednesday nights before the member meetings. We'll be serving burgers and brats most of the time. However every so often through the boating season we'll change up the menu to keep things "fresh". I don't have pricing as of this publication but we'll keep things simple to keep costs low.

Scheduled for May 13th is my dinner and a show. An Acoustic pair Brad Tober and Jeremy McClellan will be the entertainment. I have not figured out what our dinner will be or the night. Dinner will start at 6pm and the show will start around 7. Weather permitting we'll be out on the deck. Be sure to look for the flyers and on the club calendar for updates. South of the Boarder I'm sure was a great time again this year. Opening of the Port is May 28th at TYC. Ceremony starts at 1pm.

Ask me or my Ball Committee about tickets for the '22 season OSU/MI football game and Pick 3.

"Don't let anything mechanical know you're in a hurry"

Cruisers Forum

Tom Berkebile - cuda@bex.net / 419-351-6381, text preferred

Vice Commodore – BVYC

Report from the Rear Commodore



Rear Commodore
Nathan Edmunds

Happy May, Bay View. Wow, April was a GREAT month.

On Friday April 15th, we had the April Birthday Bash. Great food, friends and company. Thank you to all of those that came out and celebrated with the members that were there.

We had the Kid's Easter Party on Saturday April 16th. We had 33 kids total in attendance. It was a fun and FANTASTIC event and I think even the parents had a great time, too. In total, we had 6 different activities that the kids enjoyed including, dying Easter eggs, decorating cookies, Paper Plate & Paper Bag bunnies, we may Bunny-Peeps Cars with Twinkies and Jelly Beans, Easter egg hunt, an Orbees Easter Toy Dig and a delicious lunch. Pictures have been posted on Facebook for you all to see the fun we had. Special thanks to Lady Diane, Kristina Ruffier, Doug and Elizabeth Avery, P/C Tony for all of their help setting up and cleaning after all of the fun. What Easter party is complete without a little Egg Launching into the Lagoon and a visit from the Easter Bunny, too? Thank you V/C Tom and Lady Lisa for helping round out the end of a great party.

Please Note: When booking, planning and reserving the club for your parties, the only calendar you should go by is the one on our website: <https://www.bvyc.org>. If you have submitted a room rental agreement to the binder and don't see it on the online calendar please reach out to me directly to confirm its booking.

Upcoming Events:

Saturday May 7th: Kentucky Derby Party

Sunday May 8th @ 10am: Mother's Day Brunch

May 20th at 6pm: May Birthday Bash

May 27th at 6pm: Chicken Kabob Dinner \$10 per person.

May 28th: Opening of the Port: Ceremony begins at 1pm

KEEP IN MIND:

Due to a security issue, please note that my email has changed.

PLEASE USE: bvyc24@gmail.com for all club communications.

With the New Year, I will oversee reservations and booking parties at the club. Please let me know if you would like to utilize the club for any of your parties or events.

Your Rear,

Nate Edmunds

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Special Announcements

From the Bar

Only the bartender is permitted behind the bar unless given permission from bartender or bar Chairman.

Also as approved from the April 13th, 2022 general membership meeting, any tab left open at closing time, will be subject to a 20% Gratuity rounded up to the nearest \$0.25. Please close your tabs before leaving.

Thank you,

Bar Chairman Tony Blank & BVYC Bartenders

The yard will be open for the season on April 1, 2022

Launching of boats

Please have your insurance papers ready for the chairman to have or no boat will be launched this year and this is according to the by-laws

Boats will be launched on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1pm till 6pm or longer if we have boats to put in

Boats will be launched on Saturday and Sundays from 8am till done

Make sure you have a crew to help launch your boat

There will be a sign up sheet behind the bar in a binder to let us what day you have requested your boat to be launched

When you launch your boat please remember you are to stay and help till the last boat is in

Shrink Wrap

Bud Rowe will update us on shrink wrap

Equipment Use

Operators please inform the yard chair or co-chairman if you are going to use the equipment.

There will be a binder in the work building for you to sign if you use the equipment—please use and let us know if something went wrong with the equipment so we can inquire and ask what went wrong so we know how to get it fixed and not just guessing

Spotters are to be used at all times on equipment not only for your protection but others in the yard

Dock boxes

Dock boxes are going to be moved up by the work building after boats are launch-if your dock box is the wrong size we will be contacting you-so please check your boxes and if they are rotten or not used please let the yard know and we will dispose of—the yard needs to keep control of weeds along the fence

Dock poles

Would be nice to see them painted white with a blue cap to spruce up the marina as guest arrive but also for our pride in our club

Trailers

All trailers that are stored in the yard need to have a name and phone number on them

Thank you Mike and Greg



To all Bay View Yacht Club members,

We are pleased to announce Huntington Bank is building an online payment portal for all members use. This portal will allow payments to be made online by ACH (automated payment) payment from ones checking or savings account. Much like you would pay most other bills online, the new system will allow members to make an immediate payment or initiate a payment for future withdrawal as well as systematic payments. All transactions will be processed by Huntington Bank as any other online payments would be processed. Watch for a link on the BVYC website under the “ members “ page.

BVYC is very excited to offer this payment option to make membership at BVYC as convenient and enjoyable as possible.

Watch for more information soon!

Attention ! Dock Holders

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen,

March 3, 2022

This is a note from the Dock Repair committee concerning the repair and maintenance of your dock. A form has been developed for your convenience to report your repair needs, read the instructions found in the front of the **Dock Repair Book**. This tool should be used to communicate your needs to the dock repair committee, (face to face requests with a dock repair person is NOT acceptable) they will address every request before the boating season begins. This form is found in a 3-ring black binder labeled “Dock Repair” and can be found behind the bar. Each dock holder has the responsibility to report there needs to the dock repair committee in a timely manner, because once the repair process gets started the dock repair book will be removed from behind the bar and no further requests will be considered. This will occur when the pile driver is launched in early spring. So, be proactive, evaluate your dock and report your needs early and as in the past years the dock repair committee will continue to work until all the request have been addressed no matter how long it takes. As a side note; due to safety reasons there will be no welding done on docks with a boat in the dock well, the boat must be moved.

We have expanded our offerings to the dock holders to include welding of additional cleats on the dock and dock pole holders to the dock, just follow the instructions found in the front of the Dock Repair Book.

In addition, any emergency welding repairs of docks or broken equipment that occurs during the boating season can be repaired by contacting the welding chairman Jay Kelley.

January 2022



Lucas County

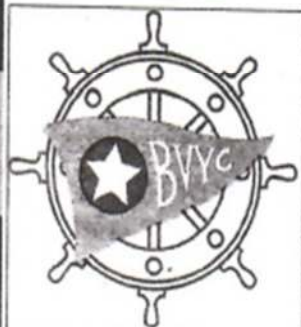
Boat Shrink Wrap Recycling

After you are done protecting your Boat,
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Nylon straps and any other non-shrink wrap material
must be removed. Wrap must be properly bundled.

Visit www.ktlcb.org for more information and a how to video
on properly preparing Boat Wrap for Recycling.

March 2022



LUCAS COUNTY



INSTRUCTIONS FOR BUNDLING SHRINK WRAP

Both white and blue Shrink wrap will be accepted this year but they must be kept separate. White is for recycling; Blue is for disposal. A flatbed trailer will be located in the boatyard by the equipment building for your convenience.

1. Leave the wrap on the boat for beginning the easiest preparation for removal.
2. Using a box cutter, cut the nylon straps on the nylon cord that circles the belly of the boat. Next, pull the nylon cord out of the shrink wrap. (This may require cutting the cord in several places if the cord has melted into the wrap).
3. When all nylon strapping, tape, plastic vents and all foreign material is removed, cut the shrink wrap at both sides of the transit so the wrap can be lifted up over it.
4. Two people should be on top of the boat to help the wrap along, taking care not to catch it on the radar or any other equipment.
5. At the same time the wrap is being eased across the top a third person should pull from the bow of the boat (the wrap should come off in one piece).
6. Keep the wrap clean and dry. Spread it flat on the ground, fold it lengthwise in half and then fold again until you have a 4'- 5' width the entire length of the wrap. Take the air out of the wrap (walking on it or puncturing it should get the air out).

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7. Starting at one end of the 4'- 5' wide roll, roll it as tight as possible compressing it as much as possible until it is completely rolled. (Like you would roll a sleeping bag – see diagram below).

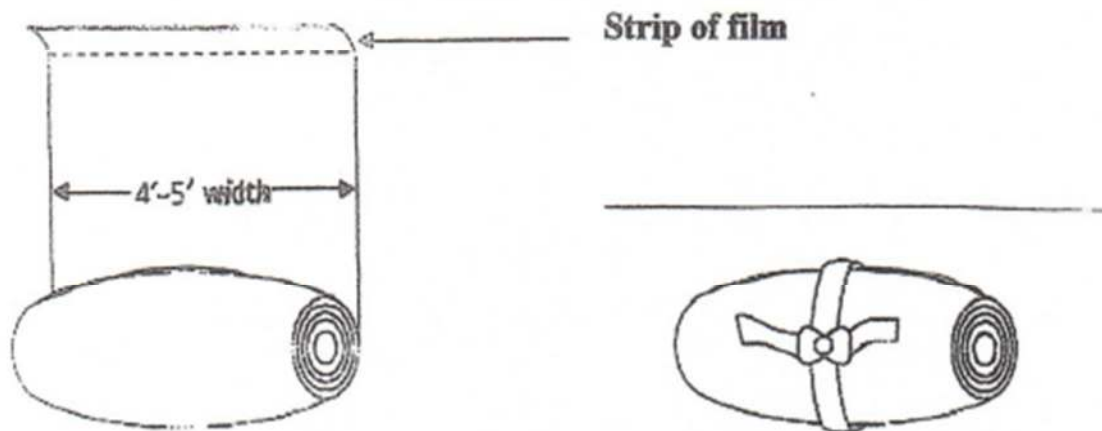
8. Cut two six foot long material straps from the bundle to tie it up then set the bundle on the trailer provided for both the white and the blue wrap.

Pick up any nylon cord or material not included in the roll and place it in the dumpster.

THANK YOU for helping Bay View Yacht Club work with Lucas County in keeping our environment clean. Any questions please call P.C. Bud Rowe 419-466-3562

How to recycle shrink wrap:

- 1. Remove non shrink wrap material.***
- 2. Keep shrink wrap as clean as possible and free of debris.***
- 3. Bundle shrink wrap and tie for convenient storage.***
- 4. Deliver bundle to designated marina and container.***



(1) Fold the film into a width of 4-5 feet, roll the film up and then cut off a strip of film from the end of the roll.

(2) Use the strip of film to tie the bundle.

May Birthdays

- 04 Dennis Czesak
- 04 Ryan Miller
- 06 Charles Shanteau
- 06 Gregory Snyir
- 07 Nathan Edmunds
- 09 Charlie Darr
- 12 Eric Fritz
- 13 Melissa Durfey
- 14 Wendy McAdams
- 14 Brandon McGilvray
- 15 Julie Dierker
- 17 Timothy Langlois
- 19 Richard Scott
- 20 Douglas Berry
- 20 Keith Hymore
- 24 Dustin Ellison
- 24 Michael Fears
- 27 Ennio Braida
- 27 Robert Rudski
- 28 Christopher Manor
- 31 Bob Poiry



Bay View Yacht Club Bar Hours Starting May 1st 2022

Monday	1 pm - 11 pm
Tuesday	1 pm - 11 pm
Wednesday	1 pm - 11 pm
Thursday	1 pm - 11 pm
Friday	12 pm - 1 am
Saturday	12 pm - 1 am
Sunday	12 pm - 11 pm

During the week the bar may close early if no members are present or due to inclement weather. Please call ahead if arriving late during the week.



Gas Dock Hours

Monday-Thursday 3-8pm Self serve pre-pay at the bar. Attendant on duty - Friday 3-8pm, Saturday and Sunday 10am-6pm. Open to the Public.

The Deadline for the Bay Views

Is the 20th of each month. Articles submitted after the 20th may be omitted from that months issue. If possible send all reports, notices, flyers, etc. to: nemo@bex.net.

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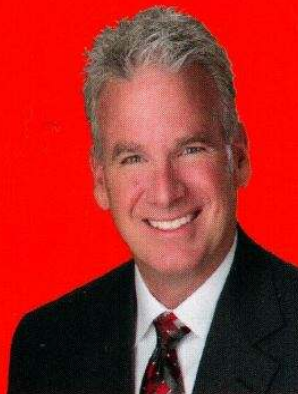
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