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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 August goes to outstanding members Gary and Khristina Ruffier. Gary and Khristina have done a great job as this year's Fleet Captain and Lady. In addition to club cruises, bus trips (incoming and outgoing) and burgee hunting the Ruffier's have hosted numerous cookouts. If they are gilling bring a dish and pullup a chair everyone's welcome. Thank You Khristina and Gary for all you do for BVYC!

As I sit down to write this month's article Lady Diane and I are planning and packing for our annual 10-day boat trip that includes the Inter-Lake Yachting Association (ILYA) Power Boat Regatta. This year's regatta takes place July 27<sup>th</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> (a week earlier than normal) at Put-in-Bay. The regatta is an action packed 4-day event featuring:

Multiple Dinners

Beer Tent, Mt. Gay Rum Party, Tito's Party and Pub Crawl

Corn Hole, Volleyball, Softball and Golf Tournaments

Inflatable Boat Races and Power Boat Water Contests

Kayak Races & Tug-a-war on the water

Activities for Kids 5-11: Fishing Contest, Geo Quest, Putt-Putt Golf and Movie Night

Jr. Power 12-18 Contests and Events

Award Ceremony

This is always a great event. Thanks to P/C Scott and Lady Sharon Kneisel's leadership, BVYC is the most active ILYA club at the Regatta year-in and year-out. P/C Tony Blank has stepped-up to chair the Regatta this year. A big thanks to Tony for taking on yet another club related responsibility. Diane and I are looking forward to seeing everyone at the 2022 ILYA Power Boat Regatta. If you didn't make it this year, I recommend you start planning for next year...

Next big event: BVYC 2022 HOMECOMING. August 19<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup>. Friday night will feature The Bradberries on stage. For those of you who attended our Ball you know this band packs the dance floor all night long! The hits keep coming Saturday night as String Theory hits the stage at 7PM.

Sign-up sheets are posted in the club for volunteers willing to help work this year's event. It is a great way to get work hours, meet new people and have some fun! I am looking forward to seeing you there.

Let's Make 2022 Great!

Chris Sackett

Commodore

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**Up Coming**

**Events**

**HOME**

**COMING**

**Club Cruise**

Ohio



Clean Marina

## Report from the Vice Commodore



Vice Commodore  
Thomas Berkebile

We've now started cooking on the grill Wednesday nights before the member meetings. For \$7.00 we provide burgers and brats most of the time with chips and a side dish. The next Wednesday night dinners are scheduled for Aug 10<sup>th</sup> and we'll have the option of shredded chicken again on the 24<sup>th</sup>.

Be sure to sign up on the board inside the club for a work station / activity during our Homecoming this month. Many hands make light work. We all have special skills that will help put this whole thing together and make it successfully happen.

For the members who no longer have a boat and need a boat fix. Look me up. You're welcome on board Hiatus for a journey out to another club, or join us on board at another club during the remainder of the summer. We have one more poker run this year up to Sun Seekers, located on the Detroit River. This will be Saturday, August 27th. Give me a call or let me know if you're interested in a trip with Lady Lisa and I. We've enjoyed two trips to Michigan now with club members; Dave, Bobbi, Scott, Deirdra, Denise, Gino, Heather and Wendy and a few others.

Please ask me about Pick Three tickets. The Bay View ball in 2023 is intended for all of us. Support of my fund raising activities will be used to reduce the cost of tickets for the open beer/wine bar at TYC. We are looking to take over the whole building to include an afternoon pre-glow pool party. The lower floors will be for casual dressed attendees at a much reduced cost. We plan to have a boat taxi that will run you between the clubs and can drop you off at you're boat if you'd like. I hope to make this a truly special event including after-glow at Bay View. The goal for me is to make everyone feel comfortable attending this club event and most of all have an absolutely great time.

Coming September 30th will be an Oktoberfest dinner to include games like Stein holding and a couple other games that are a bit different than what you've ever done before. If you don't know me by now, ask someone at the club what this could possibly mean!

### **Ask me or my Ball Committee about:**

I believe all the Mich/OSU tickets are now gone. Thank you for the support with this game.

Tickets for the September Pick 3. \$10 will get you 90 chances to win.

***“Don't be afraid to rock the boat, if someone falls out they we're meant to be in it.”***

Tom Berkebile - [cuda@bex.net](mailto:cuda@bex.net) / 419-351-6381, text preferred

Thank you for the opportunity to be your Vice Commodore – BVYC

# Report from the Rear Commodore



Rear Commodore  
Nathan Edmunds

Happy August! We are now in full swing in Sunday. July has been an amazing month for boating and club fun. Our fleet captain put on a wonderful club cruise to Kelley's Island, it was well attended and fun was had by all. The Rear Commodore schedule was great this month. We had two great parties. On July 15<sup>th</sup> we had the July birthday bash with a DJ and on July 22<sup>nd</sup>, we had a steak and chicken roast with the "Aces and Eights Band."  
**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.

When booking the club, please ensure that you submit your checks along with your Room Rental Agreement. The Non-Refundable Rental Fee (\$25/Area) can be on one check, and the Room Cleaning/Damage Deposit (\$50/Area) needs to be on a separate check. Please let me know if you have any questions.

## **Upcoming Events:**

August 10<sup>th</sup> 2022: General Membership Meeting @ 7:30pm \*Only General meeting in August\*

August 12<sup>th</sup>-August 14<sup>th</sup>: Middle Bass Club Cruise

August 19<sup>th</sup>-August 21: Homecoming \*Please see sign-up in club to help out\*

August 27 August Birthday Bash & Jeffrey Oliver Rock Band: Dinner starts @ 6 band starts at 7pm

September 9<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup>: Club Cruise: Maumee Bay State Park

September 23<sup>rd</sup>: September Birthday Bash & Tobi Lee (from Mustang Sally) @ 6pm

## **KEEP IN MIND:**

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

**PLEASE USE:** [bvyc24@gmail.com](mailto: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

In need of work hours?? The BVYC Homecoming is right around the corner. Sign up sheets are posted on the main deck of the clubhouse.



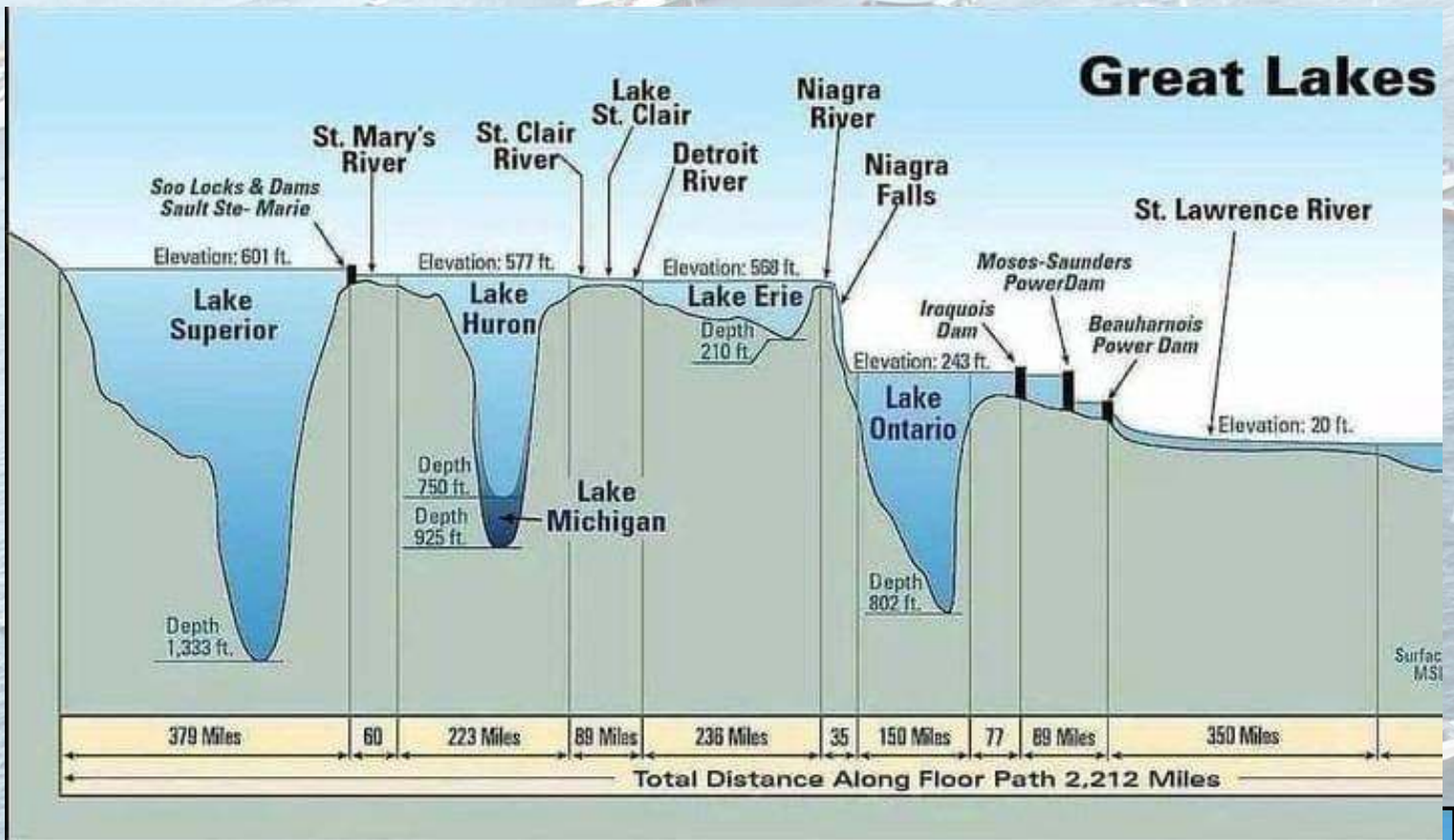
# MEETING NIGHT MEALS

**6P - 7P \$7/ DINNER**

Wednesday: 5/25, 6/8, 6/22, 7/13, 7/27,  
8/10, 8/24 & 9/15

Burgers, Brats w/ a Surprise Menu one week

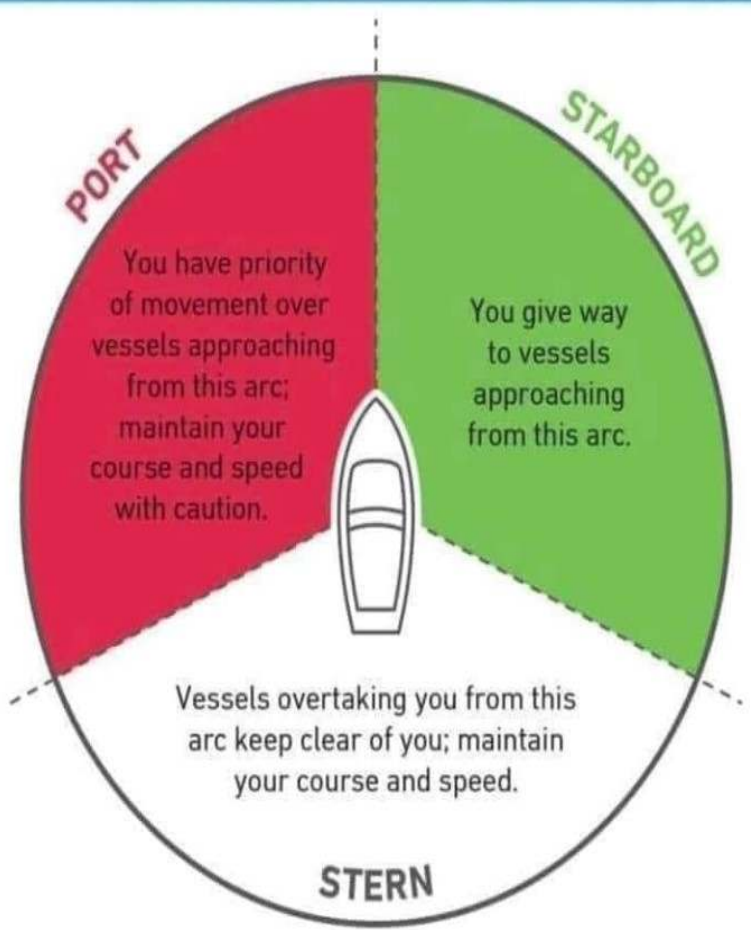
**NO STRESS MEALS BEFORE MEETINGS**



## TEXT A BOUY -

You gotta love technology. Today we can text a buoy and receive water and weather data. I recommend you create a contact called Weather Buoy 45165. The phone number is 866-218-9973. Then create a text message to Weather Buoy. In the text field, put in 45165 and hit send. That's why you put 45165 in the contact name so you remember what to put in the text field. In seconds you will receive weather and wave data from the buoy that sits out in front of Meineke's marina. Also, one of the best Apps I've found is called Sail Flow. It's meant for sail boaters but works great for any type of boating. It basically will tell you the forecasted winds for your area. Download the app from your phone store then launch it. You will see small arrows on a map. Touch on one of the arrows then click on forecast. Then you will see projected wind speeds and directions for the next week as well as the weather outlook. If you know of other Apps and boating technology you would like to share then forward to Jeff Palmer - nemo@bex.net for consideration in the next newsletter.

## RULES OF THE ROAD



*\*NOTE: Power boats always give way to sailboats and paddle craft*

# August Birthdays

- 01 Gary Ruffier
- 01 Joshua Schultt
- 04 Sarah Schuman
- 06 Phillip Cipriani
- 08 James Knechtges
- 10 Patrick Brobst
- 11 Nelson Evans
- 13 Richard Orlowski
- 14 Tom Eastwood
- 14 Mark Kosino
- 14 Walt VanDromme
- 18 Scott Buckenmeyer
- 20 Bruce Combs
- 20 Trey Czerniejeuski
- 20 James Ross
- 22 John Zankl
- 23 John Wlodarczyk
- 24 Dennis Jazwiecki
- 24 Kevin Karner
- 26 Ronald Bellner
- 27 Dennis Gruhler
- 28 Theodore Sicha
- 28 Richard Waters
- 29 John Ellison
- 30 Michael Dunphy
- 31 Jim Eck



## Bay View Yacht Club Bar Hours Starting May 1st 2022

<b>Monday</b>	<b>1 pm - 11 pm</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>1 pm - 11 pm</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>1 pm - 11 pm</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>1 pm - 11 pm</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>12 pm - 1 am</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>12 pm - 1 am</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>12 pm - 11 pm</b>

*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 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. Articles submitted after the 20<sup>th</sup> may be omitted from that months issue. If possible send all reports, notices, flyers, etc. to: [nemo@bex.net](mailto:nemo@bex.net).

# BAY VIEW YACHT CLUB HOMECOMING

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OPEN TO THE  
PUBLIC



COME JOIN  
THE FUN

## AUGUST 19TH-20TH

GATES OPEN  
FRIDAY AT 5:00 PM

FRIDAY THE 19TH - 7 PM  
THE BRADBERRIES

SATURDAY THE 20TH - 7 PM  
STRING THEORY

# STRING THEORY



FOOD TRUCKS ALL WEEKEND

# Bay View Yacht Club

*Annual Golf Outing during Homecoming*

*Saturday August 20*



*4 man scrambles format*

*Shotgun start 8:30 at Bay View Retirees Golf Course.*

*\$25.00 per player or \$100 per team.*

*Prizes, Dogs, Brats & Beeerrrr after*

*Signup sheet on main deck bulletin board*

*All inquiries to P/C Rob Pawloski 419-277-8473*

*All players must be a member of an AYC club or an invited guest*



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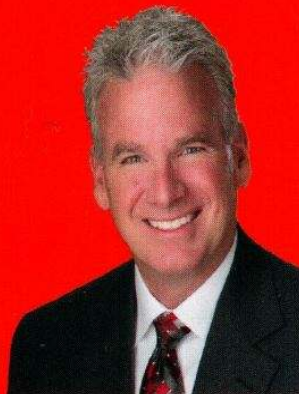
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