



BELLINGHAM YACHT CLUB

The Jib Sheet

December 2004

Volume 79 Number 12

Featured Stories

- Blue Gavel (1)
- Bar News (2)
- Commodore's Ball Pictures (3)
- Bartending Schedule (5)
- Club Scrub Update (5)

Inside This Issue

| | |
|----------------------------|---|
| Commodore's Column | 2 |
| Editorial | 3 |
| BYC MAIN SHEET Calendar | 4 |
| Featured Advertisers: | |
| Rasmussen Marine | 3 |
| Redden Marine | 3 |
| Chuck McCord | 3 |
| 2004-5 Officers & Trustees | 8 |
| Classified Sponsor Listing | 8 |

Members with Children: Good News!

Your recently installed **Board** feels it's very important to finally provide space and activities, which are of interest to families with children. As a result the **Board** has allocated funds to remove two walls in the storage area downstairs, behind the accordion door, in what was "Bruce's office". This expanded space will be dedicated to youth activities. After our volunteer work party removes the walls, you can expect to hear from your Commodore; requesting a donated pool table, electronic games, air hockey table, electronic darts; (plastic tips), television, and anything else you think appropriate.

If we are to continue to grow and prosper; the **Bellingham Yacht Club** needs to provide additional incentives and opportunities for younger families with children. Supervision of the downstairs will be handled by our coaching staff and we expect parents to contribute to this expenditure. As your Commodore, I see this as a "win win" situation. The Club "wins" added involvement and new memberships. The kids "win" a place of their own with fun things to do at the **Bellingham Yacht Club**.

Richard Veach

Blue Gavel Dinner & Meeting

All past commodores are invited with their spouses or "significant other" to attend our quarterly meeting **December 7th at 1730** at the Bellingham Yacht Club, dinner will be served at 1830.

Many thanks to the Past Commodores who attended our fall meeting and contributed to the "Past Commodore Fund" If you missed the opportunity to participate checks will be accepted at the meeting.

Please join me in welcoming Marlene Bolster our new member to the Blue Gavel Club.

Bud Peterson

2004 Lighted Boat Parade

Saturday, December 4th, 2004

Register between 3:30 & 5:00
Instructions & Numbers Available

Boats Away: 5:00

Rendezvous at the Ferry

Terminal: 5:30

Soup Kitchen &

Festivities

@ BYC Following the Parade

Help Us *Sink the Dinghy* to Benefit

Blue Skies for Children

Please Bring Children's Clothing or Money

Visit www.byc.org for details

Commodores Comment

On behalf of **Carol** and myself; I would like to publicly thank everyone who helped make this years Commodore's Ball such a successful event. **Gail** and **Britain Walker** of **Emerald Bay Catering** provided a delicious dinner; which was followed by the very talented **Jenny Roberts** and **The Bellingham High Alumni Swing Band**. This sixteen-piece group kept most people dancing long into the night with smiles on their faces. Special thanks goes out to **Penny Bradly**, her daughter **Tiffany**, and **Karen Callery** for all their work on decorations and **Joe Coons** for printing the tickets. Also, we are all grateful to **Gary Smith** for acquiring the new sound system and for **Jason Watson** and **Terry Tavelli** for their assistance. My lovely wife; **Carol**, was instrumental in organizing the food and wine selection, acquiring the band; and deserves the credit for a very memorable evening. If you missed this occasion, we are very sorry, but the "**Commodoress**"; as she is referred to by some, promises to use her talents on future scheduled events!



The Commodore and Commodoress

Richard Veach

Have a Wonderful Holiday Season to
All BYC Members & Their Families!



NEWS FROM THE BAR

For the benefit of our new members, the BYC bar and lounge is open Thursday, Friday and Saturday from 5pm to 9ish. It is open to you, the members and your guests. All of our bartenders are volunteers and licensed by the Washington State Liquor Control Board. All tips go to the Junior Sailing Programs, so please tip generously.

By request our wine inventory is being expanded. You will soon see better and larger variety to choose from, in the house wines as well as selection in bottled wines.

Members running tabs have become a problem. Members are leaving and not paying. The tabs remain in the computer, so the next time you come in, they are still there. For those who don't come often, they too often claim that they had paid or the bill is not theirs. Although the policy has always been settle before leaving, it will now be enforced. **SO SETTLE YOUR TABS BEFORE LEAVING! EVERY NIGHT! NO EXCEPTIONS!**

There is now an Air Hockey table in the Commodores Room for members enjoyment. Dart boards will possibly follow soon. This is part of the plan to expand our options for entertainment and to very easily change the room back to a meeting room. The lounge now has a sound system that will make it possible for all to hear the person using the microphone. It is also tied in to the TV and CD player for excellent sounds.

Note: We will be open New Years Eve, look for updates!

*See you at the club,
Dick Johnson
Bar Chair*

Featured Advertisers

It's **RASMUSSEN MARINE ELECTRIC** when you need marine or RV electric equipment, parts, repairs or service. As dealers for **Onan, Westerbeke, Trace, Interstate Batteries** and other first-class companies, they'll solve any electrical problem or make any electrical installation on your boat or RV. Offering a big inventory of parts and equipment, Rasmussen's is your first electrical equipment stop! Don, Brian, Ann, Paul, and Bunny are experts: you can count on their quality and after-the-sale service. Visit their fine store at **708 Coho Way**, or call **671-2992** for *reliable* service.

REDDEN MARINE SUPPLY has been a part of Bellingham since 1959 and is proud of its varied services to the community. RMS offers the boating public a large selection of repair and service items, and stocks many ancillary items such as books, charts, atlases, navigation aids, and more. With an extensive inventory in the chandlery, and a complete hydraulics division, Redden Marine is the place you'll find most items on hand when you need them! RMS, at **Bellwether Drive and Roeder Ave., 733-0250**.






CHUCK MCCORD, REALTOR, is an excellent choice when you want to buy or sell your home! Serving customers throughout the region since 1981, he'll make things happen, and tell you what's up, without playing games. Since 1992 with **RE/MAX of Bellingham**, Chuck has the resources (including assistant **Roberta**) to give you accurate, reliable advice as you ponder the biggest personal transactions you're likely to make in your life: You'll be ahead in worry-free decisions getting your money's worth. It's easy! Just call **647-1313** days, **384-0110** nights, or **739-3640** (cell).





The 2004 Commodore's Ball







THE BYC MAIN SHEET— SAVE IT / POST IT




December 2004

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|-----|-----|---|-----|--|--|---|
| | | | 1 | 2 | 3  | 4  |
| 5 | 6 | 7  | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16  | 17  | 18 |
| 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 Christmas |
| 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 New Years Eve | |




| DECEMBER 2004 | | |
|---------------|---|---|
| 4 |  | Lighted Boat Parade Get numbers, instructions & register at Club. (Rain date: Next day, December 5.) |
| 3, 17 |  | Fridays at Five. 5-7PM, try to bring appetizers |
| 7 |  | Blue Gavel Dinner 5:30PM Past Commodore's meet at BYC. Call Bud Peterson 733-6868 |
| 16 |  | Board Meeting. 6PM (Finance Committee 5:30). Open to all members. Call: Comm. Veach 647-0720. |



January 2005

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|--|--|---|
| | | | | | | 1  |
| 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7  | 8 |
| 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20  | 21  | 22 |
| 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |
| 30 | 31 | | | | | |

| JANUARY 2005 | | |
|--------------|---|--|
| 1 |  | Happy New Year! Come and enjoy New Year's Day Afternoon at the BYC: The Rose & Orange Bowls on the Big Screen TV's. More news next month... |
| 7, 21 |  | Friday at Five. 5-7PM, try to bring appetizer |
| 20 |  | Board Meeting. 6PM (Finance Committee 5:30). Open to all members. Call: Comm. Veach 647-0720. |

February 2005

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|--|--|-----|
| | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4  | 5 |
| 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17  | 18  | 19 |
| 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| 27 | 28 | | | | | |

| FEBRUARY 2005 | | |
|---------------|---|--|
| 4, 18 |  | Fridays at Five. 5-7PM, try to bring appetizers |
| 17 |  | Board Meeting. 6PM (Finance Committee 5:30). Open to all members. Call: Comm. Veach 647-0720. |

**BAR & LOUNGE WINTER HOURS
THURSDAY-SATURDAY, 5—9 PM.**

Club Scrub - Update

A huge thanks to all those who participated in this fall's *Club Scrub*. My apologies if I missed something or could not remember your last name. Following is a list of what was done:

| | |
|--|---|
| Plug drain on deck, flowing to Jr. area | Dick Johnson |
| Install coat hooks in store room behind bar . | Terry Tavalli |
| Clean all table, lamps and globes. | Alex, Jack Kettlestring |
| Replace bulbs throughout club | Terry Tavalli |
| Paint outside, white trim around back deck | Randy Nulle (Etchel Sailor?) Ray Nelson, Michele Hurst |
| Clean and tidy dock house | Richard Veach, Terry Tavalli |
| Remove grills and vacuum/clean cooling grills for all beer/wine/food coolers. | Hal |
| Paint round beam and ramp areas in lounge. Scrub walls in lounge. Find repairman for ceiling. | Chuck and Roberta McCord |
| Pull dead plants from pots on deck. | Teresa Van Haalen |
| Clear deck of patio furniture and store in furnace room. | Alex, Hal, Randy Nulle |
| Wash all windows, inside and out. Wash all mirrors | Jack Kettlestring Michele Hurst |
| Turn off water to outside deck and drain. | Dick Johnson |
| Weed and rebark front beds. | John and Teresa Van Haalen Carol Veach |
| Detail bar, remove everything, wash and return. | Nancy and Hal Michele Hurst |
| Scrub walk in cooler, remove everything, pressure wash and restock neatly. | Joe "Jose" Bartlett Claire Beich Barry |
| Move sailing stuff to dock shed | Rich Veach |
| Repair molding above door in entrance way. | Joe |
| Replace flapper in downstairs toilet | Tom, Brennen |
| Pressure wash grille | Rich Veach |
| Remove blinds in Commodore's Room | Randy Nulle, Alex |

If you see, or think of something needing to be done around the club feel free to email me at joule@zeninternet.com.

Thanks Again!
Terry Robertson
Building and House Chairman

BARTENDING - December 2004

| | | | | | |
|----|----------|----------------------------------|----|----------|---------------------------------------|
| 2 | Thursday | Sarah Tario | 17 | Friday | (Fri@5) Chuck & Roberta McCord |
| 3 | Friday | (Fri@5) Pete & Jami Foti | 18 | Saturday | Adam Lindsay |
| 4 | Saturday | (Lighted Boat Parade) Paul Beich | 23 | Thursday | OPEN |
| 9 | Thursday | John & Teresa VanHaalen | 24 | Friday | CLOSED |
| 10 | Friday | Tim & Jean Shea | 25 | Saturday | CLOSED |
| 11 | Saturday | Jack Delay | 30 | Thursday | Rod & Susan Dean |
| 16 | Thursday | Terry Montonye | 31 | Friday | OPEN NEW YEARS EVE |

BELLINGHAM YACHT CLUB

2625 Harbor Loop, Bellingham WA 98225

Phone: (360) 733-7390

Fax: (360) 733-3601

E-Mail: bycstaff@cssnw.net

Printed in U.S.A.

**The JIB SHEET Club Newsletter
for DECEMBER 2004**Kelli Conrads *Jib Sheet Editor* 527-2244 kelli@colonywharf.com

Bud Peterson, Richard Veach, Hal Rogers, Dick Johnson

& Terry Robertson *Contributors***2004-2005 Officers & Trustees:**Richard Veach *Commodore* 647-0720Ray Poorman *Vice Commodore* 366-7364Al Callery *Rear Commodore* 676-0784Terry Tavelli *Fleet Captain* 392-6769Steve Ross *Secretary* 738-7677Marlene Bolster *Immediate Past Commodore* 739-3377Dolph Conrads *Assistant Treasurer* 527-2244**Trustees who meet 3rd Thursday of each month at 6:00PM:**

Don Dangelmaier, Jami Foti, Teresa Van Haalen, Dick Grimshaw,

Jason Watson, Christine Petrou and Terry Robertson

Blue Gavel/Past Commodores Officers:W. S. "Bud" Peterson *President*Bob Moles Sr. *Vice President*Steve Ross *Secretary***OUR JIB SHEET and ROSTER SPONSORS: PLEASE SUPPORT THEM AS THEY SUPPORT US!**

| | | | |
|---|----------|--|----------|
| Autos: Wilson Motors Mercedes-Toyota-Daewoo | 733-5590 | Electric Repairs/Supplies: | |
| Boat Repairs: B'ham Marine Repair, 907 W. Holly | 734-6326 | Rasmussen Marine Electric, 708 Coho | 671-2992 |
| Yacht-Tec Marine Services, Russell Deptuch | 380-5426 | Electronics: San Juan Electronics, 730 Coho | 733-6264 |
| Boatyards: Boatyard at Colony Wharf, 1001 C St. | 715-1000 | Engine Repairs: Tri County Engine, 2696 Roeder | 733-8880 |
| Padden Creek Marine, Fairhaven | 733-6248 | Fiberglass Repairs: Charlie's Fiberglass Repair | 303-6597 |
| Seaview North, Harbor Loop by the BYC | 676-8282 | Group Insurance: Earl Dangelmaier, 329 Telegraph | 734-2750 |
| Boat Brokers & Chartering (*=Also Sailing School): | | Hardware & Supplies: Hardware Sales, 2034 James | 734-6140 |
| Bellhaven Sailing*, 714 Coho Way | 733-6636 | Lettering: Special-T Signs, 2206 Pacific St. | 734-7617 |
| Bellingham Yacht Sales, 1801 Roeder #174 | 671-0990 | Marine Supplies: LFS Inc., 851 Coho Way | 734-3336 |
| NW Explorations, by Gate 3, Hbr. Loop | 676-1248 | Outboard Motors, Stern Drives & Repairs | |
| Performance Sailing, Gate 12, Bellwether Way | 676-1340 | West Coast Marine Services, 1200 "C" St. | 676-8020 |
| San Juan Sailing/Yachting*, by Gate 3 | 671-4300 | Real Estate: | |
| Catering: Emerald Bay Events, W. Holly | 734-7832 | Gary Baker, Coldwell Banker, 3610 Meridian St. | 441-5683 |
| Canvas & Upholstery: | | Phil Dyer & Assoc., 1001 Larrabee Ave. #101 | 739-9900 |
| Seawind Canvas, 27 Harbor Mall | 650-0810 | Dawn Durand, Windermere, 4164 Meridian | 739-3380 |
| Squalicum Marine, 712 Coho Way | 733-4353 | Chuck McCord, Re/Max, 913 Lakeway Drive | 647-1313 |
| Dentistry: Dr. Bob Knudson, 1415 Commercial | 671-4480 | Sails: Staaf Sails, 801 Harris Ave. | 734-8559 |
| Detailing, Diving: Top-to-Bottom Inc., 16 Hbr Mall | 671-7022 | Surveys: Matt Harris, Marine Consultants Inc. | 647-6966 |
| | | Mike McGlenn, Michael K. McGlenn Inc. | 966-4900 |