



## BELLINGHAM YACHT CLUB

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## Opening Day – May 7, 2005

### **MEMBERS ONLY IN THE BYC CLUB HOUSE ON OPENING DAY**

Acting on the wishes of many of our members, the BYC Board has made the following plans concerning Opening Day. Some of these are changes from years past.

**1. The Commodore's Reception** will start at 1100 in the Club House. It is open to members, their accompanied guests, and invited dignitaries from other organizations. Persons without an invitation (or BYC Club Card) or not accompanied by those with an invitation will not be admitted.

**Bring your membership card and/or invitation...the people manning the reception table might not know you.**

**2. The Opening Day Celebration** will be outside and is open to the public. After the blessing of the fleet the Commodore will declare boats away and the parade of boats will begin. The parade is open to all boaters and everyone is encouraged to participate.

**3. The BYC bar and lounge** will open at 3PM. A potluck dinner in the Ward Room will start about 6:30 PM. The same restrictions will apply...BYC members and their accompanied guests only. Everyone must enter through the main door of the building.

**Remember to have your membership card and/or invitation ready.**

***This year the party is for you, the members of BYC. The public is not invited.***

### **Pot Luck**

Michele Hurst is organizing dishes for members to bring to the dinner. She has asked that people use the following guidelines for bringing dishes:

- Persons with last names beginning with A through G, please bring a salad or appetizer.
- Persons with last names beginning with H through R, please bring a main dish or side dish.
- Persons with last names beginning with S through Z, please bring a dessert.

Please supply your own serving utensils and if you are bringing a warming dish, your own extension cord as well.

For questions or more information, contact Michele at (360) 920-1109.

### *An Invitation from*

## BELLINGHAM WHEEL & KEEL

Invites the  
**Bellingham Yacht Club**  
to join us for a weekend  
**Bottom Fishing Derby** on

**June 10-12 at  
Sucia Island**

Those interested **must** respond  
no later than May 5<sup>th</sup>.

Contact Jamie Foti at:  
westcoastmarine@comcast.net

*See Page 3 for details*

## Commodores Comment

The activity level around the club has certainly risen with the coming of Spring. Our racers have begun their season with a robust schedule. Soon the dinghy racing will begin on Tuesday nights and in addition to our traditional Wednesday night racing we have scheduled Thursday night racing for the novice and less serious racers. If you have a sailboat and would like to race it, but your not sure how to go about it, please contact **Mic Corcoran**, **Terry Tavelli**, or the Commodore. We'll work at placing an experienced racer/skipper on your boat who can answer your questions and help make the experience rewarding. We hope to meet after each race in the club to debrief and have open discussions about what happened on the course.

In the near future you will see a large barge tied up to our reciprocal dock. The barge has been donated by the **Port of Bellingham**. Volunteers will be carpeting it and constructing racks for dinghy storage. Once completed the barge will be towed to an area at Gate 6, where along with an additional plastic dock, it will provide storage for local dinghy racers. We'll be sub-leasing storage space on the barge for boat owners. Our agreement with the Port requires all monies generated from the storage fees be used to support our **Junior Sailing Program**. The Port of Bellingham has been extremely supportive of our efforts to expand opportunities for dinghy sailing. A special thanks goes out to **Mike Endsley**, **Harbor Master**, for all of his help on this project!

If you haven't been down to the club recently you haven't seen **Dick Johnson's** recent acquisition. With Board approval, **Dick** purchased a keg cooler; we now have cold beer from a keg available. This has been so

successful that **Dick** reports he wants to purchase a second cooler to provide an alternative to our members. In addition, our "in house" shopper has recently been comparing prices on a second and much larger barbeque. Thanks to **Past Commodore Johnson**, we'll soon be able to serve the outdoor cooking needs of our members and guests in a much shorter period of time!

By the time you read this, the new signs should be in place at **Inati Bay** reflecting the status change for the property. The restricted access to BYC members and their guests only, is a necessary result of ongoing negotiations with the property owners. We are seeking an extended lease, therefore we need to be sensitive to their desire to have access restricted, thus limiting fire danger, liability, and challenges to their property rights. We will be placing membership applications in plastic containers on the sign posts. Please provide these applications to any non-members you meet at **Inati Bay** and let them know we are sorry for any inconvenience. Thanks to **Ray Poorman**, notices are going out to various publications reporting the change to Inati Bay.

We continue to face the difficult problem of trying to deal with **Kelli Conrads** departure from her duties with the Jib Sheet. **Kelli** has done a splendid job of providing all of us with a first rate paper. Many members only regular connection with the BYC through the **Jib Sheet**. This is a very important position that benefits all of us. If you would at least entertain the idea of taking over for Kelli, please contact her at [kelli@colonywharf](mailto:kelli@colonywharf). Ask her what's involved.

*Richard Veach*

## Club Notes

### VHF Channel 71 Now Off Limits to Puget Sound Boaters

VHF Channel 71 has been designated as a Port Operations Channel only. The request of the Puget Sound Pilots to have VHF Channel 71 designated as a low power Port Operations Channel within the area of VTS Puget Sound was approved by the Federal Communications Commission, by Order DA04-3408, which was released by the Commission on October 28, 2004, published in the Federal Register on December 23, 2004, and became effective on January 24, 2005. For the complete report, please visit: <http://www.rbaw.org>.

*David Kutz, RBAW President*

### Blue Gavel Notes

The past commodore's quarterly meeting was held March 29<sup>th</sup> elected Steve Ross Vice President and Dick Johnson as Secretary. An approval of expenditure of \$2,800 to the BYC for Inati Bay lease and club was granted. The P/C also granted matching funds for the expansion of the deck.

*Bud Peterson  
President*

### Check This Out

International Cruisers and would-be cruisers will want to take a look at the web log of the Sailing Vessel "Imagine", with Pete & Kellie Schmidt, at <http://www.imaginecruising.com/blog/>. As a powerboater, I especially recommend reading the blog for March 21, 2005. --- *Joe Coons*

## Race Results

Numb Bum Series

Boat	Skipper	PHRF	Club	Type	1	2	3	Total
Honker	Veach, Richard	113	BYC	Pearson	2	3	1	6
Jamoca	Bartlett, Joe	79	BYC	J36	1	4	3	8
Impetuous	Gerity, Jack	79	BYC	J36	5	2	2	9
Carrera	Rosinski, Chris	36	BYC	One Design	35	6	1	4 11
Mischief	Taylor, Alan	73	BYC	Shock 35	4	5	5	14
Ula Koa	Tikanga, LLC C.	45	BYC	Melges 30	3	7	DSQ	6 16

Boat	Skipper	PHRF	Club	Type	NB 1	NB 2	NB 3	Total
Miles To Go	Lowe, Dave	218	BYC	Catalina 27	3	1	2	6
Tumbleweed	Seestrom, John	228	BYC	San Juan 24	5	2	1	8
Mora	Magnuson, Paul	122	BYC	J29	1	4	3	8
Blackfoot	Corcoran, Mick	152	BYC	Hotfoot 27	2	5	4	11
Merlin	Klingbiel, David	234	BYC	San Juan 24	6	3	6	15
Yikes	Young, Monte	142	BYC	C&C 33	8	7	8	23
Catspaw	Callery, Al	122	BYC	C&C 35	4	6	15	DNC 25
Moonshadow	Grimshaw, Dick	159	BYC	Morgan 38	9	9	9	27
Flying Circus	Yaremko, Eric	132	BYC	S2 9.1M	15	DNC	8	5 28
Sunstar	Poorman, Ray	119	BYC	Jeanneau 36	7	15	DNC	7 29
Freedom	0		CYC		15	DNC	10	10 35
Hravn	Koetje, Todd	132	BYC	J27	15	DNC	15	DNC 45
SoSueMe	Grant, Mike	179	CYC-B	Santana 30	15	DNC	15	DNC 45
Tequilla	Steffen, David	188	BYC	C&C 29	15	DNC	15	DNC 45

Etchells

Place	Boat	Skipper	Club	NB 1	NB 2	NB 3	Total
1	Etheria	Steffan, David	BYC	1	2	1	4
2	Mach	Pedlow, John	BYC	3	4	2	9
3	Toast	Baker, Gary	BYC	2	3	5	10
4	Beauzeau	Hileman, Terry	BYC	5	1	7	13
5	VooDoo	Nulle, Randy	BYC	4	7	3	14
6	Ambrose, Peter		BYC	8	5	4	17
7	Foibles	Green, Bill	BYC	6	6	8	20
8	388			7	8	6	21

See Page 6 for more Sailing Fleet Information

## A Wheel & Keel Invitation

The **Bellingham Yacht Club** has been invited to join the Wheel & Keel for a weekend Bottom Fishing Derby on June 10-12 at Sucia Island. Those interested **must** respond no later than May 5<sup>th</sup>. Contact Jamie Foti at: [westcoastmarine@comcast.net](mailto:westcoastmarine@comcast.net)

**The rules are set by the Bellingham Wheel & Keel, as are the ticket prices, and prizes awarded.**

To participate in the derby you must observe the following rules:

1. You must apply to the Bellingham Wheel & Keel for membership by May 5<sup>th</sup> (submit your application to Jamie Foti along with a \$50 application fee, which includes the first year dues and full membership for the year) or,
2. You may fish on a Bellingham Wheel & Keel member boat (the W&K member must also be on the boat while fishing) or,
3. You must have a W&K member on **your** boat during fishing.
4. You must agree to abide by the Bellingham Wheel & Keel rules for the derby, one of which is; whoever wins the derby also hosts the derby the following year.

There will be a potluck also – more information to follow. This is always a fun cruise, with lots of friendly competition. The main thing is; if you wish to participate, you must act NOW!!

For those who wish to become a member of Wheel & Keel, the \$50 includes full membership with all the privileges including our fall Salmon Derby. As stated, May 5<sup>th</sup> is the DEADLINE for membership application.



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## May 2005

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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## July 2005

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### MAY 2005

6, 20		<b>Fridays at Five.</b> 5-7PM, try to bring appetizers
7		<b>Opening Day.</b>
19		<b>Board Meeting.</b> 6PM (Finance Committee 5:30). Open to all members. Call: Comm. Veach 647-0720.
	SAILING EVENTS: Contact Terry Tavelli 392-6769	
4, 11, 18, 25	Spring Series 1-4 18:00	
5, 12, 19, 26	Spring Novice Series 1-4 18:00	
21-22	Junior Ski to Sea Regatta	
28-29	Swiftsure RVYC	

### JUNE 2005

3, 17		<b>Fridays at Five.</b> 5-7PM, try to bring appetizers
16		<b>Board Meeting.</b> 6PM (Finance Committee 5:30). Open to all members. Call: Comm. Veach 647-0720.
10-12		<b>Joint Cruise w/Wheel &amp; Keel—Fishing Derby</b> Sucia Island
	SAILING EVENTS: Contact Terry Tavelli 392-6769	
1	Spring 5 18:00	
2	Spring Novice 5 18:00	
8, 15, 22, 29	Summer 1-4 18:00	
9, 16, 23, 30	Summer Novice 1-4 18:00	
11-12	Windermere Regatta AYC	
18-19	Etechells Regatta 10:00	
25-26	Pt. Roberts Invitational 10:00	

### JULY 2005

1, 15		<b>Fridays at Five.</b> 5-7PM, try to bring appetizers
21		<b>Board Meeting.</b> 6PM (Finance Committee 5:30). Open to all members. Call: Comm. Veach 647-0720.
1-5		<b>July 4th Cruise w/ Wheel &amp; Keel (Garrison Bay)</b> Contact: Pete & Jamie Foti
	SAILING EVENTS: Contact Terry Tavelli 392-6769	
2, 19, 26	Dinghy Series 1 18:00	
6	Summer Series 5 18:00	
7	Summer Novice 5 18:00	
13	Moore Invitational 18:00	

## **Club Scrub**

### **STRONG WORK SOLDIERS!!!**

We had another successful Club Scrub on the 16<sup>th</sup>. About 20 volunteers showed up rer'n to go Saturday. The outside painting was planned to be a major part of the Scrub but the rain had other ideas. NO WORRIES! We scrambled and went to work inside. Not everyone worked inside. Hal and Gary looked like a couple of drowned rats after pressure washing the deck, dinghies, (each other) and decks in the rain. Bill, does your wife know you do windows?

I was very pleased with how many *New Members* came out. Nice to see the newbie's taking point and setting the example. I also very much appreciate the usual 10+ volunteers who always show up for these events. You know who you are. You guys are the backbone of the club. Thank You!

Pizza arrived about 12:30. We had the opportunity to sit down, enjoy beer, pizza, great camaraderie and a job well done. Here is what was done:

Job Description	BYC Member	Job Description	BYC Member
Pressure wash deck, dinghies, docks.	Gary Smith Hal Thesen	Stop water from flooding basement	Dick Johnson Richard Veach
Organize paint room	John Asmundson Bob & Marsha Riek Jenny Roberts	Pull weeds in flower beds	Mary Burns Mike Crawford Nancy Fine
Deep clean, organize room behind bar	Pat Danglemaier Mary Burns Trudy Kelsoe Nancy Fine	Trim Crew, Junior Room	Bart Dodtke Don Danglemaier Max Eldridge Wayne Kelsoe
Deep clean bar	Jane Sylvester Michele Bodtke	Decorating Consultants	Carol Veach Sally Poorman
Wash Chairs	Jenny Roberts	Clean globes on lamps	Jane Sylvester
Deep clean, vacuum club	Carol Eldridge Herb Fine	Moved patio furniture our of storage to deck	Jason Watson Rich Veach Mary Burns Mike Crawford
Plant flowers on deck	Bob and Marsha Riek	Wash Windows	Bill Heward
Sand, vacuum clean up crew, Junior Room	May Eldridge Carol Eldridge	Back and forth to Home Depot 3 times	Sally Poorman
Looking all over town for carpet trim	My apologies, I failed to write down your name.		



*Bill Heward, hard at work on the windows*



*Club scrubbing the bar away*



*Adding trim & cabinet space to the Jr. room*

**Terry Robertson**

## From the Fleet Captain...

### Committee Boats

We are still looking for more volunteers for race committee boats. We have an expanded schedule this year and thus need more committee boats to help cover. Thank you to those that have offered to help.

Jack Delay has graciously offered to cover our first two Wednesday night series (the Numb Bum and the Spring Series) and has invited anyone who would like to get a taste of what it is all about to join him on *Island Reflections* for one of the Wednesday night races in April. Interested persons may contact Jack directly or Terry Tavelli.

A schedule has been posted on the BYC web site where you can look to find out what dates still require a committee boat or mark boat staff. Look under the "Race Committee" link.

### Mark Boat Training

The mark boat training course was very well attended. Thanks go to **Don Dangelmaier** for organizing and administering the course and to **Jamie Foti** and Commodore **Richard Veach** for assisting in teaching the course. Congratulations to the following people who attended the course and are now qualified to be a mark boat driver:

Al Callery	Darlene Belshaw
Darrell Belshaw	David Servais
Dick Johnson	Don Dangelmaier
Jamie Foti	Joe Warren-LaCasella
Rich Veach	Skeeter Davis

Due to the overwhelming success, we will be offering another course on Sunday, May 15, 2005 at 1:00 p.m. for those who were unable to attend the first course. Please RSVP via email to [fleetcaptain@byc.org](mailto:fleetcaptain@byc.org) or call **Terry Tavelli** at 392-6769. The course is required for all mark boat drivers and is optional (but recommended) for crew. The course is being offered free of charge and will include common mark boat maintenance procedures, boat handling, deployment and retrieval of racing marks and regatta course setup information. We will be going out on the water so dress accordingly.

### Power Fleet

#### Upcoming Events

- May 7, 2005 – Opening Day – Contact Terry Tavelli
- June 10-12 Joint Cruise w/Bellingham Wheel & Keel-Bottom Fishing Derby (Sucia Island)  
Contact Jamie Foti

### Sailing Fleet

#### Race Registrations

All boats planning on racing this season please be sure to submit your racing registration and fees ASAP in order to facilitate entering the information into our new Regatta

Scoring Program. **Boats failing to register for a series will not be scored.** Also, all registered racers are required to submit a copy of their current PHRF rating sheet. If you have not yet submitted your PHRF form, please do so immediately.

#### Upcoming Races

##### May

4 Wed.: Spring 1 (Series Race) at 1800 – BYC  
 5 Thurs.: Spring Novice/Ladies Series 1 at 1800 – BYC  
 7 Sat.: **OPENING DAY**  
 11 Wed.: Spring 2 (Series Race) at 1800 – BYC  
 12 Thursday: Spring Novice/Ladies Series 2 at 1800 – BYC  
 14 Around Lummi Invitational (Long Dist. Series) at 1000 BYC  
 18 Wed.: Spring 3 (Series Race) at 1800 – BYC  
 19 Thurs.: Spring Novice/Ladies Series 3 at 1800 – BYC  
 21-22 Sat. & Sun.: Ski to Sea Jr. Regatta  
 25 Wed.: Spring 4 (Series Race) at 1800 – BYC  
 26 Thurs.: Spring Novice/Ladies Series 4 at 1800 – BYC  
 28-29 Sat. & Sun.: **SWIFTSURE – RVYC**

##### June

1 Wed.: **Spring 5** (Series Race) at 1800 – BYC  
 2 Thurs.: Spring Novice/Ladies Series 5 at 1800 – BYC  
 8 Wed.: **Summer 1** (Series Race) at 1800 – BYC  
 9 Thurs.: Summer Novice/Ladies Series 1 at 1800 – BYC  
 11,12 Sat. & Sun.: *Windermere Regatta* – AYC  
 15 Wed.: **Summer 2** (Series Race) at 1800 – BYC  
 16 Thurs.: Summer Novice/Ladies Series 2 at 1800 – BYC  
 18,19 Sat. & Sun.: *Etchells Regatta* at 1000 – BYC  
 22 Wed.: **Summer 3** (Series Race) at 1800 – BYC  
 23 Thurs.: Summer Novice/Ladies Series 3 at 1800 – BYC  
 25,26 Sat. & Sun.: *Pt. Roberts Invitational* (Overnight) at 1000 – BYC  
 29 Wed.: **Summer 4** (Series Race) at 1800 – BYC  
 30 Thurs.: Summer Novice/Ladies Series 4 at 1800 – BYC

#### Race Results

Vendovi Island Long Distance

Div: PHRF1

Boat	Skipper	PHRF	Club	Type	Place	Total
Honker	Veach, Richard	113	BYC	Pearson	1	1
Jamoca	Bartlett, Joe	79	BYC	J36	2	2
Carrera	Rosinski, Chris	36	BYC	One Design 35	3	3
Ula Koa	Tikanga, LLC C.	45	BYC	Melges 30	4	4
Mischief	Taylor, Alan	73	BYC	Shock 35	5	5
Sunstar	Poorman, Ray	119	BYC	Jeanneau 36	6	6

Div:PHRF 2

Boat	Skipper	PHRF	Club	Type	Place	Total
Catspaw	Callery, Al	122	BYC	C&C 35	1	1
Blackfoot	Corcoran, Mick	152	BYC	Hotfoot 27	2	2
Moonshadow	Grimshaw, Dick	159	BYC	Morgan 38	3	3
Miles To Go	Lowe, Dave	218	BYC	Catalina 27	4	4
Tequilla	Steffen, David	188	BYC	C&C 29	5	5
Mora	Magnuson, Paul	122	BYC	J29	6	6
Tumbleweed	Seestrom, Jon	228	BYC	San Juan 24	7	7
Hravn	Koetje, Todd	132	BYC	J27	9 DNF	9

## ***U.S. Customs & Border Protection Announces Additional Security Enhancements For Pleasure Boaters***

SEATTLE – U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) has implemented enhanced security procedures for small boats arriving in the United States from Canada. The new private boat clearance procedures are part of CBP's comprehensive efforts to enhance security at our nation's borders.

Private boaters will be required to report to specified ports of entry for inspection if they are not currently enrolled in a "trusted traveler" program. Only boaters participating in the I-68 or NEXUS/SENTRI programs will be allowed to report their arrivals by phone. Personal Identification Numbers (PINs) issued under the old Small Boat Reporting System are no longer valid. Participation in the trusted traveler programs requires the payment of a fee and passing a background check by CBP and Canadian authorities.

Participation in the I-68 program requires each applicant to appear in person for an interview at a Customs and Border Protection port of entry. Fees are \$16 (US) for an individual or \$32 (US) for a family. U.S. citizens, Lawful Permanent Residents, Canadian citizens and Landed Immigrants of Canada who are nationals of Visa Waiver Program countries are eligible to apply for I-68 seasonal boating permits. Private boaters are encouraged to apply BEFORE

attempting their first trip to expedite the border clearance process.

"These new procedures allow CBP the ability to carry out our twin goals of preventing terrorists and terrorist weapons from entering the United States, while at the same time facilitating legitimate travel and trade," said Thomas Hardy, Director of CBP's Seattle Field Office. "Those boaters enrolled in our expedited travel programs will reap the benefits of our call-in inspection process."

The Pacific Northwest is one of the busiest international boating areas in the United States. These new procedures are designed to augment a myriad of security enhancements implemented by CBP at our borders since the terrorist attacks on America on 9/11/01.

Details of the new private boating international clearance procedures are outlined in the attached FACT SHEET. Boaters are encouraged to contact their nearest CBP office with questions regarding these new enhanced security procedures for boaters. Please refer to [www.CBP.gov](http://www.CBP.gov) for the listing of the nearest CBP office. For information on the NEXUS program, please refer to [www.nexus.gc.ca](http://www.nexus.gc.ca).

## ***Captain Homie News***

We need to find a volunteer who could be Captain Homie's counterpart at the BYC - to keep the Reciprocal Club List up to date and to be his main contact. His suggestion of printing a list of reciprocal Clubs for the next Jib Sheet sounds a good idea. At the same time we could update the list I have on the website. The latter is attached.

*Dick*

A couple of issues ago in the Jib was a list of committees and the people on them. I think we need to find out who wants to compose the new letter that we need to send out to all the Clubs in the Reciprocal Book and who wants to go thru the Book and make up the new list. Also the new list could be sent out to the Membership with the next Jib Sheet. It's also to be understood that Reciprocal Book is for all members to look at, but it should not be taken from the office. Those were always Joe and my thoughts on that issue. Do you agree? I've been cruising around South Puget Sound with Gary Parsons. He's an Old Boating Buddy of mine, and a new member. It was thru Joes' effort

that Gary finally got his Burgee. A person with less patients would have been quite upset. I've been doing a bit of recruiting. It seems to happen in spurts as I bounce around, eh. With this upcoming batch of nice weather I hope to get my Brite-Work done. I was having so much fun playing last year that my weather window kind of slipped on by me. I hope to hear from you soon, and I'll try to stop by The Club in June on my way around The Island.

In mid-march as I was approaching the Tye YC Reciprocal Dock I discovered that my transmission had no reverse. Having had this happen once before, about 2.5yrs ago at the Maydenbauer Bay YC, I knew exactly what to do after my heart started to work once again. I ended up having to stay at the Tye YC 10 days longer than the 3 days that I was allowed with reciprocal. The Commodore said that they were just glad that everything worked out well for me

*Cheers, Capt.Homie*

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Jason Watson, Christine Petrou and Terry Robertson

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<b>Boat Repairs: B'ham Marine Repair, 907 W. Holly</b>	734-6326	<b>Rasmussen Marine Electric, 708 Coho</b>	671-2992
<b>Yacht-Tec Marine Services, Russell Deptuch</b>	380-5426	<b>Electronics: San Juan Electronics, 730 Coho</b>	733-6264
<b>Sea Street Marine, Paul Malec</b>	738-9990	<b>Engine Repairs: Tri County Engine, 2696 Roeder</b>	733-8880
<b>Boatyards: Boatyard at Colony Wharf, 1001 C St.</b>	715-1000	<b>Group Insurance: Earl Dangelmaier, 329 Telegraph</b>	734-2750
<b>Padden Creek Marine, Fairhaven</b>	733-6248	<b>Hardware &amp; Supplies: Hardware Sales, 2034 James</b>	734-6140
<b>Seaview North, Harbor Loop by the BYC</b>	676-8282	<b>Lettering: Special-T Signs, 2206 Pacific St.</b>	734-7617
<b>Boat Brokers &amp; Chartering (*=Also Sailing School):</b>		<b>Marine Supplies: LFS Inc., 851 Coho Way</b>	734-3336
<b>Bellhaven Sailing*, 714 Coho Way</b>	733-6636	<b>Redden Marine, 1411 Roeder Ave.</b>	733-0250
<b>Bellingham Yacht Sales, 1801 Roeder #174</b>	671-0990	<b>Outboard Motors, Stern Drives &amp; Repairs</b>	
<b>NW Explorations, by Gate 3, Hbr. Loop</b>	676-1248	<b>West Coast Marine Services, 1200 "C" St.</b>	676-8020
<b>Performance Yachts, Gate 12, Bellwether Way</b>	676-1340	<b>Real Estate:</b>	
<b>San Juan Sailing/Yachting*, by Gate 3</b>	671-4300	<b>Gary Baker, Coldwell Banker, 3610 Meridian St.</b>	441-5683
<b>Catering: Emerald Bay Events, W. Holly</b>	734-7832	<b>Phil Dyer &amp; Assoc., 1001 Larrabee Ave. #101</b>	739-9900
<b>Canvas &amp; Upholstery:</b>		<b>Dawn Durand, Windermere, 515 W. Bakerview</b>	739-3380
<b>Seawind Canvas, 27 Harbor Mall</b>	650-0810	<b>Chuck McCord, Re/Max, 913 Lakeway Drive</b>	647-1313
<b>Squalicum Marine, 712 Coho Way</b>	733-4353	<b>Sails: Staaf Sails, 801 Harris Ave.</b>	734-8559
<b>Dentistry: Dr. Bob Knudson, 1415 Commercial</b>	671-4480	<b>Surveys: Matt Harris, Marine Consultants Inc.</b>	647-6966
<b>Detailing, Diving: Top-to-Bottom Inc., 16 Hbr Mall</b>	671-7022	<b>Mike McGlenn, Michael K. McGlenn Inc.</b>	966-4900