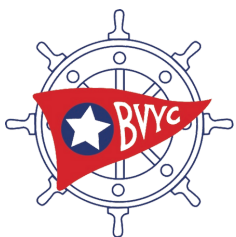


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REPORT FROM THE COMMODORE



**COMMODORE
NATE EDMUNDS**



IMPORTANT DATES:

Dock fee/Seawall Assessment Billed (04/01- 11/15)

General Membership Meetings return to the 2nd and 4th Wed of each Month

Happy April, Bay View. Boats will soon be going in the water. Please make sure you have your updated insurance on file, to make a smooth launch season! If you have questions, please contact Dock Chairwoman, Ashlie Fritz. Speaking of launch, make sure that you sign-up on the board posted by the Ship Store to launch your boat. Yard Chairman Eric Fritz is working diligently to get our boats launched!

P/C Tony and I hope that you and your families had a great Easter with your friends and families. March was a busy but fun month. We had the pleasure of attending Ford Yacht Club's Ball honoring Commodore Dave and Lady Shelly, we joined Bay View's Fleet Captain Booze Bus Trip, WOW, what a GREAT day filled with fun and friends. Great job, Fleet Captain Eric! A HUGE shoutout to all those attended our ball on March 23rd, the 2024 Ball Committee did an AMAZING job decorating and casting an evening of elegance, more than we could have ever dreamed. No one throws a party quite like Bay View does.

Starting this month, our General Membership Meetings will be held of the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month and our Board of Trustees meetings will be held on the 3rd Wednesday of each month.

Upcoming Events:

- Vice Commodore Dinner: Friday April 12th at 6pm
- I-LYA Vice Commodore Basket Raffle: Saturday April 20th at Bay View Yacht Club
- Phase II Floating Dock Presentation: Sunday April 21st at 2pm
- South of the Border Party: Friday April 26th at Toledo Sailing Club



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COMMODORE REPORT - CONTINUED

Some housekeeping reminders:

- If you plug your boat in to charge your batteries, you are required to stay on the property and unplug before you leave. It is not only for safety but also a part of our constitution.
- As a general courtesy, please make sure you are cleaning up after yourselves in the bar. Throw away your trash and empties and grab a rag to wipe down your table.
- Additionally, we want to remind you that we offer a convenient Payment Portal on our website (bvyc.org) for paying club invoices. Simply visit the Members Section, select "Make a Payment," and follow the prompts. If you are not receiving texts from the club and would like to be added to the Remind Me text groups, please contact Lady Courtney Krell at 419.290.8751.

Your Commodore,
Nate Edmunds
Email: bvyc24@gmail.com
Phone #: 734.646.3436



Communication Corner



Please direct all group-oriented posts & flyers to Amy Petro for posting to social media.

Email Contact: bayviewyachtclubinfo@gmail.com



Online Payment Portal available to all members via the MEMBERS ONLY section of the BVYC Website. Select Make a Payment & follow prompts.



Remind Me text notifications- To be added please contact Lady Courtney Krell at 419-290-8751

REPORT FROM THE VICE COMMODORE



**VICE COMMODORE
GARY RUFFIER**

Hello Bay View,

April is here and the yard is busy with members prepping their boat to launch. This is a fun part of boating and a great way to meet other members.

March was a fun month, fish fries came and gone. A big thank you to everyone who came out to help put these on, especially our ball committee stepping up when we couldn't be there.

Lady Khristina and I celebrated AYC Commodore Jay and Lady Denise Crum on the AYC cruise along with many other Bay View members.

Congratulations to the winner of the Backstone raffle. And thank you to everyone who purchased tickets to help our Ball fund.

We also had the pleasure to attend Commodore Nate Edmunds's and PC Gentlemen Tony Blank's ball.

Upcoming Vice Commodore events:

- April 12th V/C dinner (see flyer for details)

Upcoming BVYC events:

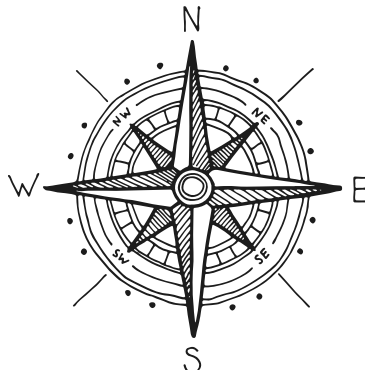
- April 6th Rear Commodore Eclipse party
- April 20th I-LYA fundraiser

As a reminder, all guests (Non-AYC/ILYA) MUST have a sponsor. Children of members who are of age must have a sponsor while at the bar. Please reach out to me if you have any questions. The goal of the membership committee is to make sure each new member feels welcome at Bay View. We will do our best to introduce them to several committees in hopes they will find a way to contribute that works for them and the club. If you have any new potential members, please have them fill out an application.

Your Vice Commodore Gary Ruffier

C: 419-779-7818

Email: bvyc25@gmail.com



REPORT FROM THE REAR COMMODORE



**REAR COMMODORE
GRETCHANN UTTERBACK**

Spring is in full bloom and so is the yard here at Bay View and beyond! Cheers to a fun and safe 2024 boating season for all!

Please join us for our BVYC Total Eclipse Pizza Party on Saturday, April 6th starting at 6pm. This is sure to be an event of cosmic proportions! We will have DJ Ken Campbell return featuring Name That Tune Bingo, starting at 8pm; this is a slight change of plans as we are no longer featuring Trivia Night.

Our first BVYC Euchre Tournament Night of 2024 will take place on Saturday, April 27th. This will be open to the first 40 people who sign up. We will have a potluck dinner - please bring a dish to share. Registration begins at 5:30 pm, games begin at 6:30 pm. Please direct any questions about this event to coordinator Denny Czesak or me. Additional event details are available as hyperlinks on our website, BVYC.org.

Should you wish to reserve space at Bay View for your events, please contact me with any questions as I am responsible for reservations this year. Room rental forms are available for printing from our website, BVYC.org, or in the binder located at the bar. Please continue to submit 2 separate checks for room rental fees/cleaning fees - this simplifies the process for all. Rental events are confirmed when the date/time is on the BVYC online calendar @ BVYC.org.

Rear Commodore is also responsible for entertainment. If you have fun ideas or want to help me with any of the planned Rear Commodore events, please let me know. Volunteer hours are available for your service. Teamwork makes the dream work! Please refer to our website at BVYC.org for additional information. Please refer to the BVYC 2024 EVENTS page available now on our Bay View Yacht Club Facebook page for the entire year of scheduled events - over 60 BVYC Bridge-sponsored events are already planned (subject to change). To that end, back by popular demand is our 2nd Annual BVYC DOCK CRAWL. The Dock Crawl will be coordinated by your 2024 Bridge and is scheduled to occur on Saturday, August 24th.

Please continue to return the club to good condition before leaving any events. Placing garbage in the receptacles, returning tables/chairs to their positions, wiping down debris on tables, and returning the gaming areas to their prepared state are recommended. After all, it's our club so let's keep it nice for all to enjoy.

With respect,
Gretchann Utterback
Rear Commodore/Entertainment
and Club Reservation Chair
Phone (text is best): [#419-349-0579](tel:419-349-0579)
Email: BVYC26@gmail.com

Upcoming April Rear Commodore Events:

Saturday, April 6th @ 6pm: BVYC Total Eclipse Pizza Party
Food: Pizza and other eclipse-themed treats
Entertainment: DJ Ken Campbell returns with Name That Tune Bingo!
Saturday, April 27th Registration starts @ 530pm (games start @ 630pm).
BVYC Euchre Night Food: POTLUCK. Please bring a dish to share.

Other upcoming dates to keep in mind:

Friday, May 3rd Splash Party with entertainment by NTO Band.
Friday, May 24th OOTP Steak Dinner featuring musician Jeffrey Oliver.
Friday, June 7th Summer Vibes Party featuring Acoustic Jam & the Money Makers. And we look forward to hosting a movie night under the stars, additional game nights, and a Red, White, & Blue party! More info to come.

2024 OFFICERS

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Commodore	Nate Edmunds
Vice Commodore	Gary Ruffier
Rear Commodore	Gretchann Utterback
Recording Secretary	Tom Kroma
Financial Secretary	P/C Scott Kneisel
Treasurer	John Schoen
Fleet Captain	Eric Fritz

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Vice Chairman - P/C David Krell
Recording Secretary - Jeff Utterback
Commodore - Nate Edmunds
P/C Doug LaLonde
P/C Dave Patlin
Dennis Czesak
Scott Aldrich - Alternate

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Saturday April 20th @ Bay View Yacht Club

**5:00PM - REGISTRATION
6:30PM- LIVE AUCTION BEGINS**

**SILENT RAFFLE, LIVE AUCTION
50/50's, LOTTERY TICKET RAFFLES**

**DINNER: PULLED PORK
SANDWICHES, PASTA/MACARONI
SALAD, TUNA SALAD \$5**



**FUNDRAISER FOR
2025 I-LYA COMMODORE SCOTT KNEISEL**

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PROPOSED CONSTITUTION RULE CHANGES

CURRENT

Section 2.Dues:

- a) The annual dues for Active members, as established in 2016, shall be \$293.20. Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) of this amount shall be placed in a capital improvements account. Dues are payable on the first day of January each year.
- b) The annual dues for Social members, as established in 2016, shall be \$81.44.
- c) The annual dues for Provisional members, as established in 2016, shall be \$151.49. Fifteen dollars (\$15.00) of this amount shall be placed in a capital improvements account. At the time that a Provisional member becomes an Active member, the dues paid under this subsection shall be prorated to credit the dues owed under Section 2(a).

PROPOSED:

Section 2 - Dues

- a. The annual dues for Active members, as established in **2024, shall be \$350.00**. Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) of this amount shall be placed in a capital improvements account. Dues are payable on the first day of January each year.
- b. The annual dues for Social members, as established in **2024, shall be \$100.00**.
- c. The annual dues for Provisional members, as established in **2024, shall be \$180**. Fifteen dollars (\$15.00) of this amount shall be placed in a capital improvements account. At the time that a Provisional member becomes an Active member, the dues paid under this subsection shall be prorated to credit the dues owed under Section 2(a).
- d. **The rates listed under sections 2 (a, b, & c) above will increase by 3% per year starting in 2026.**

1st reading 3/13/24 , 2nd reading 4/10/24, 3rd reading & vote 4/24/24

PROPOSED CONSTITUTION RULE CHANGES

CURRENT:

Section 3. Entertainment Coupons: Annually, each Active and Provisional member of Bay View Yacht Club shall be obligated to purchase credits on their membership card worth one hundred dollars (\$100.00). These credits may be used for the purchase of Bay View Yacht Club goods and services to include, but not be limited to, the Commodore's Ball, Bay View Yacht Club approved parties, homecoming, Bay View Yacht Auxiliary, drinks and food from Bay View Yacht Club bar or tickets to Blue and Satin Gavel functions.

The credits are not to be accepted for payment of dues, special assessments, gasoline, dock fees, including electrical, storage fees, or any fines that may be assessed by the Dock or Yard committees or the Board of Trustees of Bay View Yacht Club.

The card credits may be used only in the year for which purchased. The credits shall be valid from February 1st through January 31st of the following year. (No refunds will be given for unused credits.).

New Provisional members shall be obligated to purchase membership card credits for the remainder of the year, prorated to include the quarter of induction. Active and Provisional members whose memberships terminate in mid-year shall be entitled to receive a refund for unused credits for the remainder of the year, prorated to include the quarter following termination. Denomination of the membership card credits shall be One Dollar (\$1.00). Cash less than One Dollar (\$1.00) is to be given as change for the credits. Failure to pay the membership card credit fee will result in the member being delinquent under Article XV, Section 1.

Proposed:

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1st reading 3/13/24 , 2nd reading 4/10/24, 3rd reading & vote 4/24/24

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Matthew Niekamp
- 2 Dale Tolson
- 2 Daniel Kerr
- 4 David Patlin
- 6 Eric Anderson
- 6 Ruthann Murphy
- 7 Kenneth (Bud) Rowe
- 8 Joshua Kneisel
- 10 Mark Gensler
- 12 Brian Becker
- 12 Bruce Saba
- 12 Steve Suffety
- 13 Jeff Utterback
- 15 Edward (Bud) AOssey
- 15 Jay Crum
- 17 Rex Palmer
- 18 Scott Aldrich
- 20 Scott Utterback
- 21 Larry Heller
- 25 Ann Batch
- 25 Paul Schultz
- 27 Erin Kneisel
- 29 Barbara Petersen
- 29 Donald Ward
- 30 Scott Clark
- 30 Sharon Dunn



Bay View Yacht Club Bar Hours Starting November 1st 2023

Monday	3pm- 11pm
Tuesday	3pm- 11pm
Wednesday	3pm- 11pm
Thursday	3pm- 11pm
Friday	1pm- 1am
Saturday	1pm- 1am
Sunday	1pm- 11pm

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.



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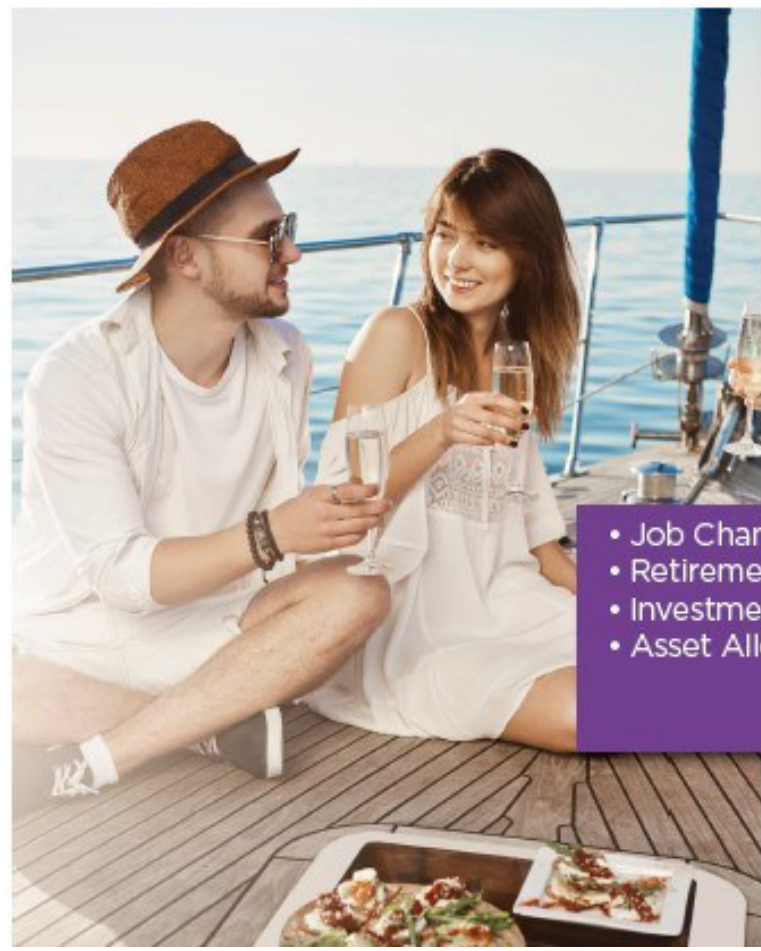


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MONTHLY CALENDER

APRIL 2024

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2	3	4	5	6 R/C ECLIPSE PARTY
7	8	9	10 GENERAL MEETING 7:30 PM	11	12 V/C DINNER	13
14	15	16	17 BOARD MEETING 7:30 PM	18	19	20 SCOTT KNEISEL I-LYA FUNDRAISER
21	22	23	24 GENERAL MEETING 7:30 PM NEWSLETTER ARTICLES ARE DUE	25	26	27 R/C EUCHRE Tournament
28	29	30	1	2	3 R/C SPLASH PARTY	

New Monthly Calendar: Lists events specific to Bay View Yacht Club. Please visit our website at <http://bvyc.org> for a more complete listing of other events in our area including other Yacht clubs and Affiliates.

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