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**Commodore David Krell**

## Report from the Commodore

Finally our long wait is over, boating season is here! The shrink wrap is coming off and boats are soon to be put in the water. As excited as we are to get back on the water, please remember to get your first half of the years work hours in. You need to have 10 hours in before June 30. There is plenty to do around our amazing club-from mowing the grass on the sunny days, to cleaning and/or organizing the club house on a rainy day. Whatever your ability or skill set, there is something for everyone to do. Please check out the bulletin board in front of the men's restroom for the committee chairman's list when you notice something at BVYC that is in need of attention. For example if you see a light fixture in the clubhouse that needs repaired and you have the ability to fix it, please call the House Committee Chairman and see if he has some supplies on hand to take care of it and offer your services. Same thing goes in the yard- if you see a bunch of sticks and debris laying around from high water, call the Yard Chairman. He probably has a plan for it so ask him where you should place the debris.

Please remember all of us have busy lives outside of Bay View as well as boats of our own to get ready for the season, so please be patient with our various chairman as we are all volunteers. We all need to work together to make this club a better place!



- Up Coming**  
**Events**  
**Cinco Party**  
**Moms' Brunch**  
**Blue Gavel**  
**Cookout**



## **Report from the Commodore Cont'd**

Lady Courtney and I would like to thank all the members who supported our fundraisers in 2018 and 2019. From April 27th to March 22nd we had 20 AMAZING fundraisers where we met new members, talked with friends, ate fabulous dinners, worked and learned from some of the best people around. During it all, Lady Courtney and I fell deeper in love with our club and it's members and friends. We are so thankful for those members who came and celebrated with us at our 2019 Commodore's Ball. Our ball committee is the best ever!!! We had an amazing night with so many memories made! We were beyond astonished with our table decor, if you hadn't heard they made my theme of Classic Toledo come alive with donated decorations from the Toledo Zoo, Rudy's Hotdogs, Jeep, Mud Hens, Libbey Glass, Toledo's Firefighters Museum, Tony Packos, and LaSalles. Thank you for allowing me the opportunity to serve as your Commodore.

Upcoming events include the Opening of Port Ceremony on Saturday, May 25th at MRYC.

Please take a look at the bulletin boards as the Membership Committee and Fleet Captains' have a few things posted. The Membership Committee has posted pictures of the new members, please take the time to introduce yourself and welcome them to Bay View. The Fleet Captain's have been busy setting up a few cruises, please take a look and sign up for the cruises you are going to attend. Lady Courtney and I can't wait to enjoy a wonderful summer with you all!

Commodore

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## Report from the Vice Commodore



**Vice Commodore  
Charles Martin**

Wow, did April fly by. I hope everyone has a great Spring. There is all kinds of activity in the yard, despite the high water we have had.

This month we have a couple events planned- On May 5<sup>th</sup> we are having a Cinco DeMayo Party 2-6 pm all you can eat Mexican Buffet. On May 12<sup>th</sup> we are having a Mother's Day Brunch. 9- 1. Fliers are posted in the clubhouse. If you have questions please contact myself or Moe.

Also I wanted to thank the Rear Commodore on the Kids Easter Party. Great job done inside the clubhouse. The weather that day was not in your favor and it turned out great.

We have voted in 6 new members to BVYC. So as you see new faces please make them feel welcome.

All of the potential new members are posted on the wall so you can see who they are and the sponsors.

If there are anyone you know of that may be interested in membership please have them contact me.

Vice Commodore,

Chuck Martin 419-466-3167 [Marchuck59@yahoo.com](mailto:Marchuck59@yahoo.com)

### Inter-Lake Yachting Association (I-LYA) Update

The I-LYA Powerboat Regatta will be held at Put-In-Bay August 7 – 11. This event is open to all members of BVYC. A tentative regatta schedule is posted on the bulletin board in the Anchor Room and will soon be available at [i-lya.org](http://i-lya.org). On-line registration is tentatively expected to open on May 6<sup>th</sup> and will close about mid-July.

The following BVYC members serve on the Powerboat Regatta committee: P/C Tony Blank - Chicane and Marks, Dave Patlin - Sports Ashore West, Sharon Kneisel - Shuttles, and P/C Scott Kneisel - Putt Putt.

For those who have attended in the past you will see the following changes for 2019. The packets will not be sent via postal mail; information will be e-mailed. The village of Put-in-Bay increased the regatta dock rates; the rate has increased from \$1.70/foot to \$1.95/foot per night. The Tuesday rate is \$1.75/foot. This is the first I-LYA price increase in six years. The PIB normal week day rate is \$2.00/foot and weekend rate is \$2.50/foot. There will be prestigious 1920's era trophies awarded to the clubs placing first in Participation and Volunteerism.

For those who have not attended and are interested, there are events for all ages. Children 12-18 may participate in a Safe Boating Seminar and on-the-water training and competition using inflatable boats. Children 15-18 may participate in the corn hole, softball and volleyball games. For younger children there is a fishing tournament, putt putt and other games. And of course, there is plenty for the adults. Check out the schedule mentioned above. If interested, contact me for more information.

P/C Scott Kneisel, I-LYA Delegate, 734-516-0257, [scott.kneisel@bex.net](mailto:scott.kneisel@bex.net)

## Report from the Rear Commodore



**Rear Commodore  
Kenneth Campbell**

Hello Everyone!! Well here we are just past Easter and heading into a spring that is giving us all headaches. I would like to start off by saying thank you to Lady CarrieAnne for taking charge of the Kid's Easter Party and along with help from Gary and Khristina Ruffier, Doug and Elizabeth Avery, Sharon and Eryn Kneisel and Laurie Patlin made it a great success! On April 27<sup>th</sup> we will be having our first Steak Dinner. Toledo local band String Theory will be playing after. Coming in May we hope to continue these Steak Dinners on Fridays, twice a month, tentatively we are looking at May 10<sup>th</sup> and the 24<sup>th</sup>. We will be doing Trivia during one of the May dinners. Anyone looking for some very easy work hours please get with me to help out on these dinners. I am also looking for some people who maybe would like to run a dinner at some point during the year. I have also been in talks with the other area clubs about doing joint venture events. We have tentative dates for a Rib Off event, a Halloween Party and a New Years Eve Party! Hope to see you at these upcoming events!

Onto another area I would like to address. As I have been attending meetings here at the Club I have noted an issue that concerns me. As I see it we are basically sitting at a crossroads, grow and develop with the current times and demands or stay stagnant in movement. We have a group of people who only want things to be "As they always have been" and those that want change. Every meeting we seem to get bogged down with heavy discussions about past practices instead of discussions on moving forward. What group is right? What I will say is that NOTHING stays the same and everything changes with time. Boats are built differently, homes constructed in new ways, technology and by demand of the users and consumers of the product and services. How does this effect Bay View, simple adjust with the needs of new members and the needed life blood they bring into the club or wither on the vine as this blood moves to different clubs that are willing to make those adjustments and embrace change as it comes. I am by no means saying to drop past traditions and the heritage of the club. I am saying that we need to be more open to change and the needs of a new generation of club members. Bay View is a great club with as much to offer as any other club but shunning new members and making them feel unwelcome is not going to go very far in boosting membership. I have heard a lot of talk about attracting new members and filling empty docks, this will only happen if these perspective members feel like they are welcome and just as important as the oldest member of the Club. Lastly, I want to say to the newer members, PLEASE try to make meetings as often as you can. I understand that working and family sometimes are extremely demanding and the last thing you think about is attending a meeting; However, YOU are the future of this Club and your input matters. To the elder members of the Club, I ask that you remember that at one point in time you were that new member looking for your way to fit into Bay View yourself. Your knowledge and experiences are not to be overlooked, however also knowing that just as time has changed important parts of your personal life it will also change the shape of Bay View.

# May Birthdays

- 04 Dennis Czesak
- 04 Ryan Miller
- 06 Charles Shanteau
- 06 Gregory Snyir
- 07 Nathan Edmunds
- 09 Charlie Darr
- 12 Eric Fritz
- 12 John Melvin
- 12 Randal Scherf
- 12 James Staebell
- 13 Kelly Enneper
- 14 Wendy McAdams
- 14 Brandon McGilvary
- 15 Richard Crosley
- 15 Julie Dierker
- 17 Timothy Langlois
- 19 Richard Scott
- 20 Douglas Berry
- 20 Keith Hymore
- 27 Ennio Braidà
- 31 Bob Poiry



## Bay View Yacht Club Bar Hours Starting May 1<sup>st</sup> 2019

<b>Monday</b>	<b>1 pm - 11pm</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>1 pm - 11pm</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>1 pm - 11pm</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>1 pm - 11pm</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 - 11pm</b>

*During the week the bar may close early if no members are present. Please call ahead if arriving late during the week.*



## Gas Dock Hours

Looking For Gas Dock Help. Contact Woody. Gas dock will be opening toward the middle of the month - YAY!

## 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) and/or [rogerjhoffman@outlook.com](mailto:rogerjhoffman@outlook.com)

## **From the Board of Trustees**

The following is a continuation from last month of a brief overview of the organization of our club.

The Financial Secretary prepares and sends invoices to members for their dues, dock and storage fees, and work hour fines. She receives Reimbursement Forms from members and prepares checks to pay the member. She prepares the Delinquent List, which lists members whose debt is more than 60 days late, and sends certified letters to inform them of them. She also signs all checks written from the general checking account.

The Treasurer is the custodian of all club funds, signs checks written from the general checking account, receives all payments made to the club and deposits them into the general checking and entertainment accounts, accounts for the checks in the Bar and Entertainment accounts, and is the liaison with the BVYC Accounting firm. Checks require the signatures of both the Treasurer and the Financial Secretary. The Treasurer is also a member of the Finance committee and helps develop the budget. Our Treasurer and Financial Secretary perform outstanding work for our club; please thank them when you see them.

The Recording Secretary records the minutes of Regular Meetings and performs formal communications and correspondence.

The Board of Trustees is responsible to ensure that the club is in compliance with local, state and federal law. All of the authority of the club is exercised by the Board, except as otherwise provided in the Constitution & ByLaws. The Board is responsible for contracts, permits, licenses, and the duties of hired employees. The Board must approve the disposal of club property and donations made to the club. The Board is comprised of seven members, including the Commodore. All officers and trustees are listed on the back cover.

Next topic: Our club is a business and, like any business, has a budget with income and expenses. In March, we had 48 members whose debt to our club was at least 60 days past due, which means at least 90 days after the invoice date. This is a disruption to our budgeted income and causes an excessive amount of work for our Financial Secretary, an Active member who is a volunteer. Members are responsible to pay their debts to the club in timely manner, meaning less than 30 days after the invoice date. Thank You to all who pay their club debts in a timely manner!!

Invoices are sent on the following annual schedule: April - Dock & Seawall Fees; November - Boat Storage; December - Membership Dues. Please mark your calendar accordingly so that you know to be expecting an invoice. Not receiving an invoice does not absolve a member of their financial obligation to our club.

Occasionally, a member might not receive an invoice due to a change of their mailing address and/or e-mail address. Members are responsible to provide changes of their personal information to the Vice Commodore, and only to the Vice Commodore, so that he may update the roster. The roster is the formal record of members' information for use by committee chairman and the Financial Secretary.

An update on shrink wrap disposal: we plan to rent a large dumpster in mid-May to dispose of shrink wrap. Until the dumpster arrives, please roll your shrink wrap as small as you can, tie it up and put it in the area designated by Yard Chairman Mike DeAngelo. When you see Mike, please thank him for all his work.

The north shore seawall repair work has resumed; the steel caps were welded in late March and the sidewalk will be poured by mid-May. Many thanks to all involved!!

Respectfully, P/C Scott Kneisel, Board Chairman; 734-516-0257, [scott.kneisel@bex.net](mailto:scott.kneisel@bex.net)

## FROM THE YARD

I will be available Monday through Sunday to put boats in until June 1<sup>st</sup> and after that we will be cutting back on days and all boats should be in by June 15<sup>th</sup>. If through the week please have a crew to help launch your boat. Make sure you call me the day before if wanting in.

If on the weekend please plan on staying till all boats are in the water.

The yard still needs a little TLC for anyone wanting work hours. We also have buildings that need to be painted.

We have had high water many times this year and I am sure we will again. We have cleaned up the yard. We have dock poles up by the work building on horses. Please check to see if these are yours. If you take any and you have to move them please make sure they are back up on the horses.

Please be considerate of others when working on your boats.

Shrink wrap-Banding can be left on as it's going to a landfill. There will be a large dumpster in the yard for shrink-wrap and debris. Please use this dumpster for club use only as personal items are not accepted.

Any questions please feel free to call me.

Mike

## Special Announcements

The Upstairs Mic is missing - please return it if you know where it is.

Several Items are missing from the Commodore's Ball. Please return them to Tony Blank - no questions asked. (watch, glasses).

The Trophy Case will be given to SunSeekers Boat Club ASAP to allow more visibility for the Ships Store. Please check out the great new items just arrived and show your support.

Work Hours are abundant. Please contact Tony Blank and Mike DeAngelo to fulfill your work hour obligation. Looking for Painting, Club beautification, yard clean-up, and other general maintenance. Please keep in mind to include your member number on your work hour slip as sometimes we cannot read your name.

FREE FIREWOOD - we have a lot of driftwood in our lagoon. Please help us to clean-up if you need any firewood. Fill your pick-up truck Please.

We are looking to reduce the printed version of the Newsletter. Please consider looking at the newsletter online @ [bvyc.org](http://bvyc.org).

## To All Bay View Members!

The 2019 boating season cruise schedule is listed below.

If you have any questions, contact one of the fleet captains: Dave Patlin – 419-266-1044 or Randy

Club cruises are a great way to travel as a group and check out places you may have not traveled to. Take advantage of the adventure and camaraderie, you won't regret it!

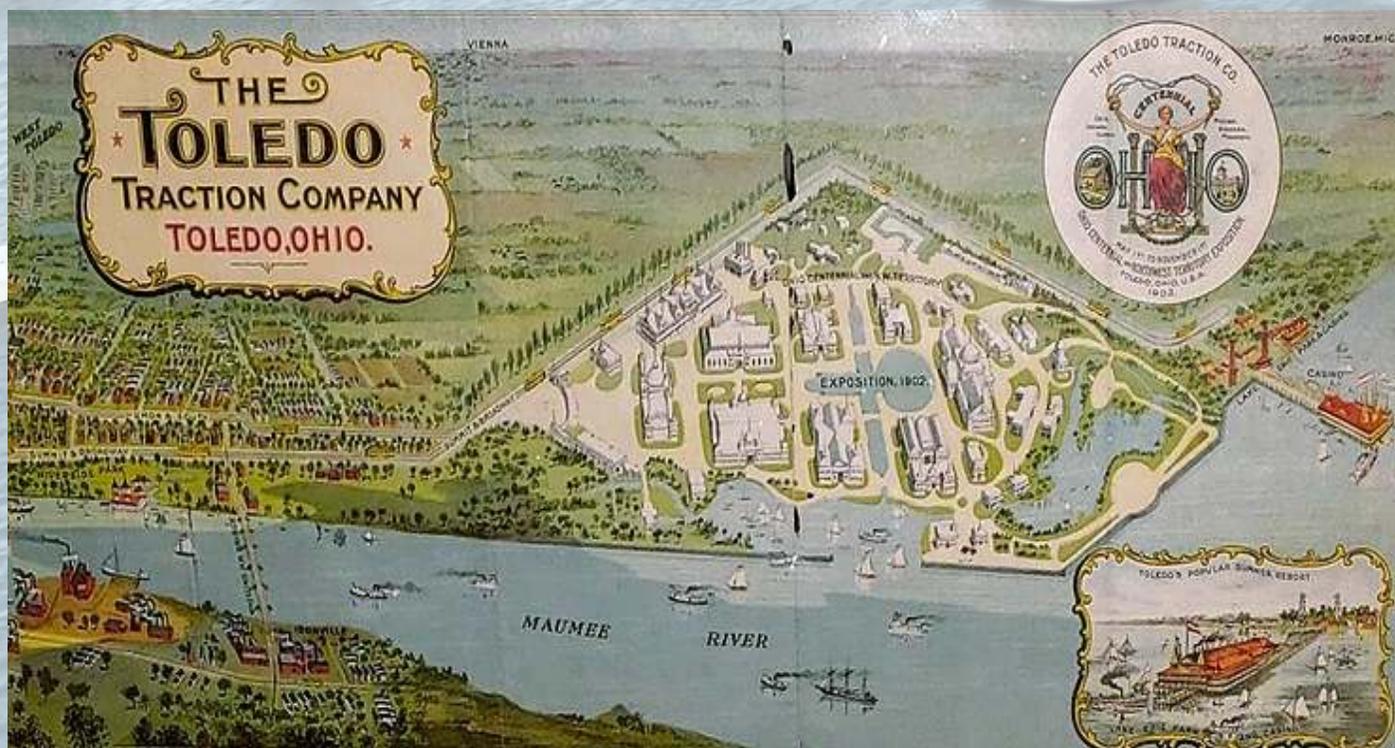
Date	Destination
May 24-26- Memorial Day Week-end	Opening of the Islands
June 1	5 club Poker Run
June 14-16	TSC Poker Run
June 28-30	Swan Boat club Poker run
July 26-27	Redneck Poker Run
August 2-4	Maumee River Yacht club Poker Run
August 2-6	Brands – Port Clinton
August 8-12	ILYA- Put In Bay
August 16-18	BVYC Homecoming
August 23-25	Great Lakes Steel Poker Run
August 23-25	Middle Bass Island
Sept 6-8	Maumee Bay state Park
Oct 5	BVYC color cruise

Sign up sheets will be posted for each cruise separately and will provide specific information.

## Ever wonder where our lagoon came from?

In 1897, after viewing the success of the 1893 Columbian Exposition in Chicago, Toledo entrepreneurs including then Mayor Samuel "Golden Rule" Jones conceived of a similar fete to honor the Centennial of the State of Ohio. Officially known as Ohio Centennial and Northwest Territory Exposition to draw support from the other Great Lakes states, the State of Ohio named Toledo the Ohio Centennial City in April of 1898. Where to hold the four month event? They planned to use the then undeveloped area of about 800 acres near the mouth of the river. With easy access to downtown and near the existing amusements of the Casino and Presque Isle Park, it was the ideal location. The Toledo Centennial Company was formed in 1899 to sell stock up to \$500,000 to match \$500,000 from the U S Congress and \$500,000 from the State of Ohio. **At this point the City of Toledo began spending \$150,000 to dredge and improve Bay View Park.** In 1900 as the plans grew more grandiose the Company tried to get the State to up its pledge to one million. The state legislature declined and so no money was appropriated and the whole idea rapidly fell apart.

Below is a plan sketch for the Exposition and a 1920's aerial picture of the area. Notice the lagoon depicted near the Bay and Casino. It looks very similar to the lagoon and shoreline in the picture. Our lagoon is the only physical evidence of Ohio Centennial and Northwest Territory Exposition of 1903.





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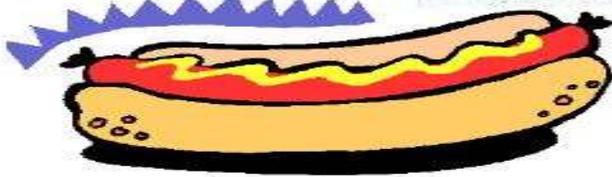
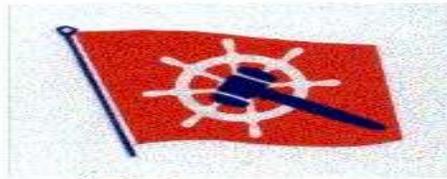


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# Blue Gavel

cook out



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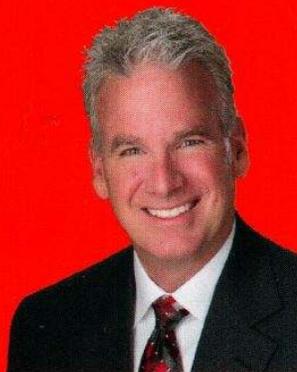
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