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The Bay Views

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July Report from the '23 Commodore

Welcome to the very full month of July! We start the month out downtown on the river on July 1st for the Toledo fireworks. We'll be rafting off in the river as we've done for the past couple years. To get the date right, I just read a story online and they promised to have a better show than last year. We'll be the judge of that. July 21st is the weekend of the club cruise to Kelly's Island. Following that will be the I-LYA Power week (July 25-30) out at PIB. We can use some help in the PIBYC kitchen, for the Tuesday night spaghetti dinner. Please be on the lookout for the Homecoming work sign-up sheets. Those sheets will be posted by The Ship Store.

The Cocktail parties are in full swing now. The PC's and Bridge are out and representing Bay View very well. This would include the opening of the Islands at the beginning of June.

For those who follow this kinda thing; BVYC is once again home to the \$1.98 queen of Maumee! Thanks to everyone who came out to support me. A special thank you goes out to Dave Patlin and Dave Krell for their wardrobe contributions. Most importantly, I don't think I could have won without my "Sugar Girls", Haley and Cori. They both did everything they could with a face as messed up as mine! It certainly didn't hurt that they dressed up for their part very well. Thank you very much "girls"!

I must believe others have added about the club and the crazy tornado June 15th. We lost power but did not sustain any damage. Luckily the club was located to the south of the funnel cloud. No hail, just power loss. Many boat owners on the Ottawa River didn't fare so well. Many of our members who live in "The Point" have both home and car damage. Once again Tony Blank and his connections came through in a pinch. He and his crew had a very large generator on site by Friday which saved everything in our fridges and freezers plus a few other items. Power was returned on Monday and we're back to business as normal. Please thank Tony and his crew Tom, John, Alec, Tim, Austin, Josh and Gary for the work over the weekend and beyond to keep things together here at BVYC!

I'm sorry to report the passing Don Baumgartner last month. He and his family joined the club in 1960. Don was member number 10. His "Trailblazer" burger will be missed.

We also lost Amy's husband Dan Petro. Dan was a great friend to us, and constant presence here at BVYC. He was the '22 Commodore at TSC and never short of a smile. Our hearts go out to Amy and the Petro family at this tragic and sudden loss.

Commodore

Tom Berkebile



Up Coming

Events

Toledo Fireworks

Birthday Bash

Kelley Island Club

Cruise

I-LYA Power

Week



Report from the Vice Commodore



**Vice Commodore
Nathan Edmunds**

Hello, Bay View & Welcome to July. We are now in full swing of boating season and our days are getting longer. June was a big month, and a lot happened. We lost some members of our boating family, Don Baumgartner, Dan Petro, and Tim Weiland (HVYC Member), we feel those losses heavily.

Point Place suffered a tornado and endured a lot of damage. During our Father's Day Cookout, a number of Bay View members delivered burgers, brats, and hot dogs to the Emergency Services Employees, City Workers, and the Power Company Lineman. We passed out food to over 200 people. THAT is what the Bay View family is about, supporting our community.

Vice Commodore July Events:

July 7th: V/C Fundraiser Dinner

July 28th: V/C Fundraiser Dinner

Other July Events at Bay View:

July 12th: General Membership Meeting at 7:30pm

July 19th: Board Meeting at 7:30pm

July 21st - July 26th: Kelley's Island Club Cruise

July 26th – July 30th: I-LYA Power Regatta

August 4th – August 6th: I-LYA Sail Regatta

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 and every new member feels welcome at Bay View Yacht Club. We will do our best to introduce them to a number of 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.

Let me or the membership committee know if you have any questions.

Your Vice Commodore,

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Report from the Rear Commodore



Rear Commodore
Gary Ruffier

July is here and summer feels like it's flying by. June was a fun month; I would like to thank Ken Campbell for the fun Family Feud for the Birthday Bash event and Lady Diane Sackett for helping cook the Sloppy Joes.

We also had a good turn out for Father's Day cook-out. Thank you, VC Nate Edmunds and PC Tony Blank for the help putting on the event and John Schoen for cooking. And of course, Lady Khristina for everything she does.

Thanks to some great members who went above and beyond in a time of need. Josh Shultz for providing much needed power, Tom Blank and PC Tony Blank for getting it going.

We Truly do have a great club and members.

Mark your calendar for these upcoming events.

July 14th Birthday Bash starting at 6pm and entertainment starts at 7pm. Please bring a dish to pass.

I will oversee reservations and booking parties at the club. If you have any questions, please contact me or Lady Khristina.

Your Rear Commodore,
R/C Gary Ruffier
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Special Announcements

I - LYA 129th Adult & Jr. Power Boat Regatta Put - In - Bay, OH July 27-31, 2022

**Come join all the fun! Bring the whole family!!
Kids are welcome and encouraged to join in!**

All I-LYA Boaters are invited to join for some fun at the bay!

Dock at A&C Dock for only a \$2.05 ft.

Social Packages for adults on boats that are docked with I-LYA are \$50 per person, Those without boats are \$60 per person. Social Packages include all dinner meals Spaghetti, Steak or Chicken, Hot Dog Roast, and a dinner to be determined.

It also includes activities listed below for 4 days.

ADULT ACTIVITIES

Power Boat Water Contests
Corn Hole Contest
Co-ed Volleyball & Softball
Putt Putt Golf*
Golf Tournament*
Pub Crawl*

Mt. Gay Rum Party / Tito's Party
Inflatable Boat Races
Beer Trailer
Ladies Tea*
Kayak Races & Tug a War on the water
Award Ceremony

KIDS 5-11 yrs. (Free)

Fishing Contest
Geo Quest
Putt Putt Golf
Movie Night

JR. POWER 12-18yrs. (\$10)

SAFE Boating Seminar &
Navigation Contest
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Fishing Contest & Geo Quest
Putt Putt Golf & Movie Night
Co-ed Softball, Volley Ball & Corn Hole
Kayak Races & Tug a War on the water
Award Ceremony

*Small fee may apply

Steak, Chicken, and Dinner meals are NOT included for kids or Jr's but may be purchased for a small fee.

**Go to the I-LYA Website for On Line Register May 1st- July 10th.
For more information or questions call the Power Boat Registrar,
Dawn Schaumburger at 734-558-6129 or email dschaums22@aol.com**

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July Birthdays

02 Jack Bloom
03 Stephen Roque
04 Scott Kneisel
08 Marilyn Kocevar
11 Brian Schaub
11 Jason Ruffier
11 Carl Butler
13 Tom Lane
13 Doug Avery
14 Debbie Trimmer
16 John Meyer
16 Alan Bremer
16 Philip Bremer
18 Joe Welker
19 Mitch Kubicki
19 Norma Mathias
21 Jason Hoffman
25 Ashlie Fritz
25 Shawn McManaman
25 Diane Frank
27 Raleigh Taylor
28 Bonnie Bohlen
29 Deb Goedde
30 Amy Watkins-Gross
31 Matthew Davis
31 Alan Ellison



Bay View Yacht Club

Bar Hours

Starting May 1st 2023

Monday	1 pm - 11pm
Tuesday	1 pm - 11pm
Wednesday	1 pm - 11pm
Thursday	1 pm - 11pm
Friday	12 pm – 1 am
Saturday	12 pm – 1 am
Sunday	12 pm - 11pm

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

Mon - Thu: 3-8pm,
Fri: 1-8pm, Sat & Sun
10-6pm.

The Deadline for the Bay Views

Is the 20th of each month. Articles submitted after the 20th may be omitted from that month's issue. If possible send all reports, notices, flyers, etc. to: paul.whitworth@outlook.com.

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