



Nautical Lines

Brownsville Yacht Club
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August 2013
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Rear Commodore's Comments

Our Officer Picnic right here at the Brownsville Marina was wonderful. It was so nice to see all our club members enjoying the social time, sunshine and yummy food. Thank you to all that attended.

We will be hosting the Tall-Ships August 13th – 15th. Please stop by, visit, and introduce yourselves to the crew members. They always enjoy Brownsville and the comfort of our club.

How time flies when you're having fun! August is here already! The summer has been so busy, fun and wonderfully warm. Now it is time for me to take a vacation, and I am. Going to get off the dock and head north into and explore Canada by boat. Yahoo!

September 7th will bring our next general meeting and Installation of Officers.

This will also consist of a delicious dinner. Mark your calendars and make plans to attend. It will be wonderful to see all our members in attendance and supportive as the new board is sworn in. I look forward to serving another year at BVYC. What a great club to be part of!



Fair Winds and Smooth Sailing.
Carolyn — Rear Commodore, s/v Absolutely

Upcoming Events:

NO GENERAL MEETING IN AUGUST

August 30 - Sept 2 ~ Labor Day Weekend
Cruise to Everett

September 7 ~ Installation Dinner
and General Meeting
Social 5:00 ~ Dinner 6:00 ~ Installation 7:00

September 28 ~ BAD

October 8 ~ General Meeting

October 26 ~ Halloween Party

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Installation Dinner

Saturday — September 7, 2013

Social 5:00-6:00

Appetizers Provided

Dinner 6:00-7:00

Prime Rib and Salmon
Lemonade, Water, White & Red Wine Provided

Meeting and Installation 7:00-8:00

Cost: Members \$20.00, Guests \$25.00,
Children 12 and under \$10:00

Dress: Officers – Dress Greys
Members and Guests – Semi Casual

RSVP: No Later Than AUGUST 30TH
to Jonathan Thomas at 360-698-5201 or
capt100jt@gmail.com

Cash or checks are payable at the time of the Event.

2013 -2014 Bridge

Commodore – Jonathan Thomas
Vice Commodore – Jodi Fitchett
Rear Commodore – Carolyn Thomas
Jr. Past Commodore – John Watson
One Year Board Member – Ron Smith
Two Year Board Member – Bill Mark
(candidate pending of vote)
Secretary – Chris Fitchett / Nancy Bale
Treasurer – Bryan Johnson
Fleet Committee – Kathy Mark
Quartermaster – Need a Volunteer
Photographer – Need Volunteers



Fleet Committee

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2013/2014 Cruise Schedule

Dates	Destination	Host Boat
August 30-Sept. 2 (Labor Day)	Everett	Kathy & Bill Mark
October 18-20, 2013	Poulsbo <i>Octoberfest should be a fun event, more details to follow</i>	Tina & JR Leaman
November 22-24, 2013	Shilshole <i>206-787-3006 to make individual reservations under BYVC no later than 2 weeks prior</i>	NEED HOSTS
January 17-20, 2014 (MLK)	Kingston Marina	NEED HOSTS
February 14-17, 2014 (Pres Day)	Pacific Beach land cruise	Linda & Lester Dent
March 14-16 2014	Gig Harbor <i>Boats can anchor out, Public Dock (no power), or individual reservations at Arabella's 253-851-1793</i>	NEED HOSTS
April 18-20, 2014	Bell Harbor <i>Reservations made for 10 boats, signup with host boat</i>	NEED HOSTS
May 23-26, 2014 (Memorial Day)	Olympia - Swantown	NEED HOSTS
June 13-15, 2014	Edmonds <i>Reservations made for 10-15 boats, signup with host boat</i>	NEED HOSTS
Aug. 29-Sept. 1, 2014 (Labor Day)	Andrews Bay <i>Locks - Lake Washington, Steward Park</i>	NEED HOSTS

Work has begun with the Dedication and Remembrance Ceremony for all those who lost their lives on September 11, 2001. **Ceremony is Wednesday September 11, 2013 6:00pm at Evergreen Rotary Park, Bremerton**

We have sent the BVYC submission for the 911 Memorial brick with the inscription of:
**Brownsville YC
We Will Never Forget**
We would like to thank all the individual contributors, as well as BVYC:
Kathy & Bill Mark
Maggie & Bob Stevens
Tina & JR Leaman
Diana & Bill Bailey
Carolyn & Jonathan Thomas
John Watson
Laurie & Paul Berg
Sue & Carl Pedersen

2013-2014 Cruise Schedule has been defined. We will share as more information comes available. We still need host boats, so if you would like to volunteer please contact your Fleet Committee Kathy & Bill Mark at rufyannemv@yahoo.com.

Join in the Fun!!! What you get by being a Host Fleet Captain

- You get** to pick an un-hosted cruise to host
- You get** to contact your Fleet Committee Kathy & Bill Mark at rufyannemv@yahoo.com for assistance
- You get** to plan creative weekend activities
- You get** to spend your \$100 cruise budget for supplies, prizes, food, etc
- You get** to advertise your cruise activities in the BVYC Newsletter by sending your advertisement to Sally at seastarsally@hotmail.com before 1st of the cruise month
- You get** to watch your fellow BVYC members have a fun weekend
- You get** to brag what a great weekend everyone had in the BVYC Newsletter by sending a recap and pictures to Sally at seastarsally@hotmail.com for newsletter following the cruise
- You get** recognition and praise from your fellow BVYC members for being a great Host Fleet Captain
- You get** your name entered in the end-of-year Host Fleet Captain drawing for a great prize
- You get** to tell yourself that was easy and I can do this again next year !!

Officers Picnic

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Mark your calendar!

BVYC

Halloween party!
Saturday, October 26th!!



Start
looking
for that
perfect costume!



If you are in the vicinity of the club, please take 5 minutes to water our flowers as the port is not responsible for watering them.

Thanks so much!
A gallon or so on the blue hydrangea would be great too!

More details will be in the next newsletter



The latest edition of Wooden Boat magazine contains a very good analysis of the Bounty Sinking in a "risk analysis" format. I recommend it to all skippers and mates. Might be good for deckhands and cooks also.

Art Schick

Hosted by JR & Tina



1867 yachting in Nevada. Who would have think it?



The Fitchett Family is celebrating
Rebecca's 13th Birthday
August 10th

We have rented the clubhouse and the party will be from 1-8. All members are invited. No gifts please just a snack to share. Cake will be at 3-ish.
Thanks, Jodi