



CERRITOS BAHIA YACHT CLUB



Merry Christmas



Don't miss these upcoming Events



Date	Activity	Contact
Dec 21 , Sat.	Naples Boat Parade-Theme "Vintage Christmas", COME AND HELP DECORATE-Call Alan	Alan Singer 562-394-3683
Dec 25	Christmas Day-not a club sponsored function	
Dec 31	New Year's Eve Party	Gray Lange 562-743-1173
Jan 11, Sat	Installation Dinner	Tom Gleason 714-897-7777



DID YOU KNOW?

How about a change in the look of our club picture to the one above? It is a recent picture of our Pine Ave Pier outing. If you are in this picture and want to see a close up, you could normally zoom in by using the View Tab then selecting Zoom on the drop down choices. But because I reformat the newsletter from a Word document to a PDF version, zooming will not help. If you prefer, I could provide you with an original copy. You can thank John Seidensticker for taking this high resolution picture.



Commodore's Message



I can't believe it is December! Where did the year go? As many of you know, Carolyn and I celebrated our 50th wedding anniversary November 30th. Our sweet daughter gave us a great party at the South Coast Winery in Temecula. We got to see friends and family that we hadn't seen for many years. It was great. The hard part was looking at pictures of us when we were young. WOW what happen!

Being part of the Yacht Club however has been one of the highlights of our life. Having met its members and making new friends has been a joy that we will carry with us always. We have seen many changes some good and some not so good, however we hope they are for the betterment of the club, not only now but in the future. We have gotten many young new members who I know will step up and keep our club heading in an exciting new direction.

Our next event is the Naples parade. As always, our float is outstanding thanks to Alan, Ted and all the Club members who have helped. I have no doubt that we will win the Grand Prize again this year. Make sure you join the raft up. It always is a lot of fun. If you don't have a boat, let us know and we will find a boat you can go on.

Again, please make an effort to participate in as many Club activities as you can. You truly are the Club. Happy boating to you all.

Mike Lampignano
Commodore



Fleet Captain's Message



We were fortunate to get beautiful weather for the Pine Avenue week-end cruise on Nov. 15-17. It was a fantastic raft-up of 16 boats and 45 people.

Friday evening at Gladstone's was fun and delicious. On Saturday everyone enjoyed the nice weather while walking the boardwalk, shopping at Shoreline Village, playing games on the dock, etc. etc. etc. Just another day in paradise. In the evening, the dock came alive with people barbequing and enjoying the pot luck. And a great pot luck it was!! Sunday a.m. was enjoyed with breakfast dockside before the "long" cruise home.

Another great season of cruising with C.B.Y.C. has come and gone, and as my duties as Fleet Captain for 2013 come to a close, I want to wish all of you a very Merry Christmas and a healthy and happy new year.

Carolyn
760 949-1657 760 403-7843



Vice-Commodore's Message



I just wanted to thank all of the people that participated in the November 30th CBYC charity golf tournament. The following hole sponsors really stepped up to the line.

Bruce Harrison ** BILTMORE METAL FABRICATORS **
Dick & Kathy Perkins ** XIPHIAS **
Evert Fink ** GI ENERGY **
Eugene Anderson ** THE CATALINA EXPERENCE **
Gray & Wanda Lange **YARD DOCTOR **
Greg & Charlotte Robinson ** SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SECURITY **
Joe & Jeanne Connell
Lenny Arkinstall ** LOS CERRITOS WETLANDS STEWARDS **
Scott & Hollie Jones ** USD PRODUCTS **
Scott & Debbie Stryker ** NEW 2 YOU **
Scott & Dona Hackworth
Tom & Georgie Gleason ** FLEXMATE, INC. **
Tom & Julie Boyes

The above hole sponsoers all combined added up to \$ 4200.00

Debbie Bliss & Kadee Della Donna checked in 56 golfers at the course for \$3360.00

Bill Bliss & Steve Kuster were guarding the 4th green watching for a hole in 1.

The Long Beach Sea Scouts showed up in force to lend a hand with anything we needed.

We also had a lot of people donate prizes for the raffle that generated close to \$700.00 in ticket sales.

We had a 50/50 drawing that brought in \$130.00 and \$170.00 in non-golfers for lunch collected by Betty Jackson.

After expenses the club should net about \$6000.00 - GREAT JOB EVERYONE.

After getting back to the club and having a great burger, cooked by Lenny & his crew & the sea scouts, we handed out the trophies.

1st place went to team captain Scott Jones with Hollie Jones, Victor Noiron, & Jody Noiron with a score of -3,

2nd place went to team captain Gray Lange with Zack Lange, Mark Langr & Dan Meyer with a score of -2,

3rd place went to team captain Craig Matlock with Goo Finnel, Sam Coache & Pablo Rubio with a score of -2 (there was a coin toss to decide 2nd & 3rd place).

Longest drive for men went to Goo Finnel on Craig Matlock's team.

Longest drive for women went to Katrina on Joe Connells team, and last the closest to the pin went to Jordan Hermansader on Grady Van Hoosers team.

Also a big thanks to Ron "BEAMER " Beasley for a great job bar tending.

Next we have the Christmas parade coming up on December 21st .

For more information you can call Alan Singer (562) 394-3691

or Ted Naus at (951) 310-6098.

I've seen pictures of the float, it looks to me like another 1st place for their team.

Our installation dinner will be on Jan 11th (unless something changes).

Invitations will be in the mail next week. It will be at the Acapulco restaurant by the club.

Thanks again for everybody's participation with these events.

Tom Gleason
Vice Commodore

(Wayne Ive said when he hit his drive on the longest drive hole, it looked to him that he might be close. He said it really felt good and he could see that he was close to the marker. Excitedly he drove his cart up there to find out it was the women's longest drive marker.) Wishful thinking Wayne.

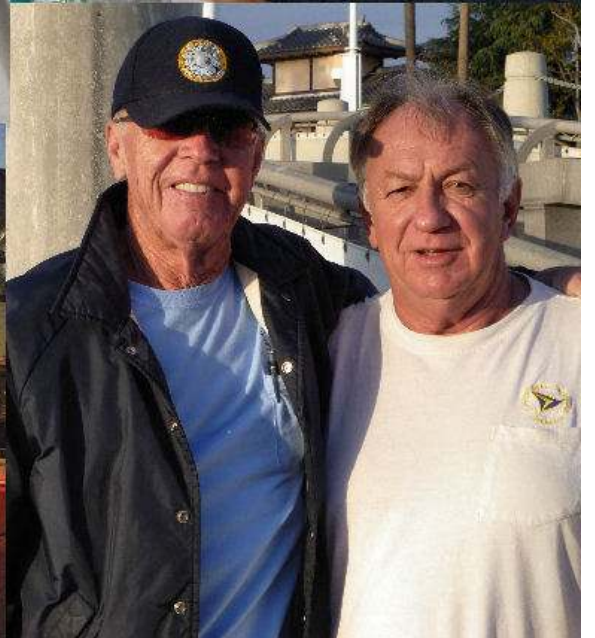
Golf Outing Pictures



Pine Ave Pier Cruise



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Upcoming Birthdays



6-Dec	James Jones	3-Jan	Tom Sivula
12-Dec	Ram Bo Ross	4-Jan	Sarndra Swney
12-Dec	Marcianne Toth	6-Jan	Shirley Mashburn
13-Dec	Brent Frederiksen	16-Jan	Delpha Strain
13-Dec	Craig Matlock	16-Jan	Jay Warner
18-Dec	Joe Pitisi	23-Jan	Lenny Arkinstall
19-Dec	Joanne McNabb	29-Jan	Bert Trolesi
20-Dec	Michael Reed		
21-Dec	Alan Singer		
22-Dec	Marvin Strain		
25-Dec	Gray Lange Jr		
27-Dec	Joe Manusia		
31-Dec	Lance Liebl		

Mystery Picture:

Who took this awesome picture? And when?



It was September 2009 when Nesity was spotted in Cat Harbor. The Nesity tamer is Alan Singer.



Health and Welfare Report



Marcy Toth had a couple of operations on her right foot. She is recovering well. Please continue to contact me, Jan Hayden, at 562-276-8320 to report any health and welfare events of our membership.

FOR SALE/SERVICES:

Sailing lessons are now available for free in the "Black Sabot" down on I dock. See team Swney for details. Call 951-686-7980



Safety Chairman's Message



Anyone needing a vessel exam safety check, let me know. It's free and I have decals. Jack Russell Safety Chairman (Tel. 562-941-4826)

Send me a file of what you want advertised and I'll post it in the newsletter. Tony Toth matoth3@sbcglobal.net

Please welcome new members Debbie and Mark Faustino.



An Indian walks into a cafe with a shotgun in one hand and pulling a male buffalo with the other. He says to the waiter: "Want coffee." The waiter says, "Sure, Chief. Coming right up." He gets the Indian a tall mug of coffee.....

The Indian drinks the coffee down in one gulp, turns and blasts the buffalo with the shotgun, causing parts of the animal to splatter everywhere and then just walks out.

The next morning the Indian returns. He has his shotgun in one hand, pulling another male buffalo with the other. He walks up to the counter and says to the waiter: "Want coffee." The waiter says, "Whoa, Tonto! We're still cleaning up your mess from yesterday. What was all that about, anyway?" The Indian smiles and proudly says, "Training for a position in United States Congress..Come in, drink coffee, shoot the bull, leave mess for others to clean up, disappear for rest of day."

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Pictures of some club activities may be accessed through <http://www.flickr.com/photos/yachtclub/> .

For reference our club web site is www.cerritosbahiyachtclub.org . Please check it for the latest announcements.

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CORRECTION:

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