




CERRITOS BAHIA YACHT CLUB




Don't miss these upcoming Events



Date	Activity	Contact
Oct 26	Halloween Dinner/Dance	Gray Lange 562-743-1173
Nov 9	General Meeting & Pot Luck Dinner	Mike Lampignano 760-413-3506
Nov 15-17	Pine Avenue Pier Cruise	Carolyn Lampignano 760 949-1657
Nov 22	Thanksgiving Day (Not a club sponsored function)	Nickie Marx 562-921-8808
Nov 30	Charity Golf Tournament at Little Rec.	Tom Gleason 714-897-7777
Dec 7 or 14th	Naples Boat Parade	Tom Gleason 714-897-7777



DID YOU KNOW? If you were born before 1950 you have seen this guy.

So who was Kilroy?

'Kilroy' was a 46-year old shipyard worker during the war who worked as a checker at the Fore River Shipyard in Quincy. His job was to go around and check on the number of rivets completed. Riveters were on piecework and got paid by the rivet. He would count a block of rivets and put a check mark in semi-waxed lumber chalk, so the rivets wouldn't be counted twice. When Kilroy went off duty, the riveters would erase the mark. So he decided to put a check mark on each job inspected and added the "Kilroy Was Here" message. The result of Kilroy's inspection "trademark" was seen by thousands of servicemen boarding the troopships the yard produced. His message rang a bell with servicemen because they picked it up and spread it all over Europe and the South Pacific.





Commodore's Message



September has been a great month weather wise and trip wise. The Land Commodore Cruise to Laughlin was a lot of fun. I left my heart in San Francisco, however I left my first born in Laughlin. Gambling is not my strong suit! I was hoping to charter a bus for the trip however we just didn't have enough people. Driving didn't dampen the spirits of the folks that did go and everyone seemed to have a great time.

Membership is going great and we are swearing in two to three couples every month. The great part about what is happening is that we are getting a lot of young members with families to join. This is so important in order to keep the club going in the future. We are looking forward to a lot of positive changes that will bring more participation. Some of the new members want to have a movie night every week with a Bar BQ potluck, a music and dancing night and a lot of other great creative activities. I really am looking forward to the year to come.

I am sitting here writing this newsletter and looking out the window at the wind and rain. This afternoon Carolyn and I are planning to go to our boat and prepare it for the trip to Avalon tomorrow, and hoping the weather and sea get better. We are looking forward to this trip as it will be the last Club trip to Catalina until next season. I hope to see as many of you there. As always, it will be a lot of fun.

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



The Avalon cruise of October 11-13 will be in progress as this newsletter goes out. So, next month will have the scoop on this.

It seems as though we all look forward to our "short cruise" to Pine Avenue whenever it happens during the year. This year it will be our last club cruise for the year on November 15-17, and I'm hoping we get a great turnout.

The flier and sign-up sheet is in the club and you can always call me with any questions.

Smooth Seas to all,

Carolyn
760 949-1657 760 403-7843

Cat Harbor Cruise

We only had four boats show up for this cruise, but we made the best of it.



Cat Harbor Cruise





Upcoming Birthdays



1-Oct	Tina Meyer	7-Nov	Wayne Ivy
3-Oct	Kathy Baca	11-Nov	Mary Deibel
4-Oct	Roger Farmer	16-Nov	James McCullah
17-Oct	Carolyn Lampignano	18-Nov	Wally Rodecker
21-Oct	Dona Hackworth	20-Nov	Mary Kinkella
26-Oct	Dan Meyer	21-Nov	Jordan Hermansader
31-Oct	Steve Kuster	26-Nov	Carole Brown
		28-Nov	Roberta Goetsch
		29-Nov	Joe Connell
		30-Nov	Beth Lockridge

Mystery Picture:



What's the name of this boat?
Hint it starts with a D.

Answer to August's mystery picture:
Yep, the squid is ready to eat a Swney



Health and Welfare Report



No news is good news.
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



JACK IS BACK! Safety Chairman's Message



I have VSC safety decals and would be happy to give any club member their vessel safety check. It's FREE!
Thanks,

Jack Russell (Tel. 562-941-4826)

Send me a file of what you want advertised and I'll post it in the newsletter.
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Have you seen these new members looking a little lost? Introduce yourself and say Hi. Can you match the faces with their names? **Mike & Mary Kinkella, Tim & Tiana Gray and Frank & Nancy Morales**



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

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