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March 2018

Eastern Yacht Club

2330 Seneca Road Essex, MD 21221 410-686-3555

Commodore Brian Harrison

days are getting longer and warmer. I know that I am super excited about what 2018

boating has in store for EYC. We have had a

very productive winter around the club with

some much-needed indoor repairs being

completed. All of our work crews have been

hard at work completing tasks such as sanding

and re-staining the big house bar to deep

Well, we are cruising towards spring; the

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Stacy and I held an opening day planning meeting in February and I was overwhelmed by the number of people who showed up to volunteer for that weekend. Our plans really seemed together at the meeting and I am very excited about what is in store for us at opening. As we move through the spring we will have a few more meetings to make sure that we have not missed anything. Again there is no way I can thank you so much for the level of support that you continue to give me.

cleaning around the big house. We have had teams working with

contractors to replace the bathroom stalls in the big house as well as

replace 2 defective windows in the bridal suite. I want to give out a

special thanks to Robin and her amazing team of members that keep us

looking so good.

Hello EYC friends,

I was fortunate to be able to spend the day with Fleet Captain Rick and Suenette for the 2018 Fleet Captains meeting at Crescent. This is a great meeting where all of the new fleet captains get together and exchange information about their respective clubs. We were fortunate to be able to hear a presentation by Sam Weaver about the amazing work that the Back River Restoration project is doing. The only thing I can tell you is it is unreal the impact that they are having on our playground the bay. I talked with Sam and will be inviting him to come speak at one of our General membership meetings so all of us can see what his team is doing.

As we move towards March please keep an eye out for incoming land cruise dates and consider coming and bringing a dish. EYC always puts out an amazing spread of food for our sister clubs. I look forward to seeing everyone soon as the weather turns to warm and the suns shines bright.





Eastern Yacht Club Opening Weekend June 7-10, 2018



Thursday June 7

6:00pm-8:00pm **DINNER** – \$10 Caterer Mike – Asian Pacific theme 8:00pm-11:00pm **DJ Frank**

Friday June 8

12:00pm-2:00pm **LUNCH** – Paradise Grill – Hamburgers & Hot Dogs for sale 12:00 pm BAR OPENS in Big House

12:00 pm Chinese Auction Begins – 10 chance for \$1 6:00pm-8:00pm DINNER - Pig Roast - \$15 8:30pm-12:30am Music by RISING TIDE

Saturday June 9

8:30am-11:30am **BREAKFAST** – Gulls present Full Breakfast Buffet \$10 Bus Leaves 11:00am for Bush River YC, North Point YC 12:00pm-2:00pm **LUNCH** – Paradise Grill – Hamburgers & Hot Dogs for sale 12:00 pm **BAR OPENS** in Big House

12:00pm-5:00pm **Beach Party** TIKI BAR at the Beach,

Limbo Contest, Flamingo Toss, Hula Hooping, Hula Dancing 2:00pm Tournaments Begin: Pool, Corn Hole, Horseshoe 4:00 Chinese Auction winners drawn in Big House

5:00 Best Decorated Boat/Pier/RV Judging

5:30pm-7:30pm **DINNER** - \$15 Caterer Mike – Prime Rib & Stuffed Shrimp

7:45 – Hawaiian Variety Show Best Costume Contest

9:00pm-1:00am Music by Kanye Twitty



Sunday June 10

8:30am-11:30am **BREAKFAST** – Gulls present Full Breakfast Buffet \$10 11:00am-1:00pm **LUNCH** – Paradise Grill – Hamburgers & Hot Dogs for sale 12:30pm-1:30pm – Visiting Officer Registration & Reception in Tiki Bar

2:00pm - Flag Raising Ceremony & Reception immediately following in Big House

Raffle Drawing - Filled Kayak

For Slip Reservations Contact Dockmaster Steve Uhl 480-543-8255



Vice-Commodore, Brian Rockstroh

Hi All.

As I write this it is 74 degrees on a Tuesday afternoon. I know there will be more cold weather for sure but a day like today gets me thinking ahead and making plans for summer fun. I can't wait.

We had the alcohol awareness training last month with 14 people getting certified. This will keep us in compliance for the next three years. I have also scheduled for the Big House Kitchen exhaust hood duct to be professionally cleaned and set up for a yearly schedule. Caterer Mike has been taking care of this recently but it has not been done professionally for at least three years.

Thank you to R/C Robin and the work crews for keeping the momentum going and completing some major projects over the winter. The Big House Bar and bathroom partitions look awesome.

> Thanks V/C Brian



All, Spring will actually be here THIS MONTH!! Which means boating season is coming up soon. Can't

wait. I have lots of painting projects coming up soon. ALL of our decks need painting. This is first priority. Get that pressure washer ready!!

Gotta give our F/C Rickey Pope and Suenette a hand for putting on an awesome land cruise to Harrah's and West End Yacht Club. If anyone came home with millions, they aren't talking. This is always a good time. The weather was pretty good too. Lots of fun people. We have some land cruises coming up this month at our place. Come on out and enjoy the company of other clubs while supporting

your Fleet Captain Rickey as well.

The big house is looking pretty good for the upcoming season. The bar refinishing project is done. The partitions in the bathrooms are done. Give a big thank you to our work crews.

> **New Member Info**: Member introduction next GMM: Larry McLaurin Regular Upcoming Members posted in Tiki Bar: Jim Foard Social

> > We Work Together, We Play Together R/C Robin



Fleet Captain Rickey Pope

Hello everyone,

Well, March is upon us and EYC is going to be a "Fun Filled Action Packed" month. Saturday March 3rd The Gulls are putting on their 70's Party. Saturday March 10th we will be hosting three visiting Land Cruises, Maryland Yacht Club from 1:30 to 3:00, Bodkins Yacht Club from 3:00 to 4:30 and Baltimore Yacht Club from 4:15 to 5:30, also Harbor Yacht Club from Delaware will be visiting us on Saturday March 24th. From 11:30 to 1:30. They really enjoyed visiting EYC last year. So please come out and help welcome these visiting clubs. Please if you can, bring in a dish, finger foods or any deserts that you can

share would be greatly appreciated. Let's not forget our St. Patrick's Day Land Cruise on Saturday March 17th. The sign-up sheet is now posted and filling up fast, cost \$25:00 PIP, see sign-up sheet for payment. We will have two busses taking us to Pleasant Yacht Club, North Point Yacht Club, and to Riverside Yacht Club, so wear your green and enjoy!

I want to thank everyone who joined us on the Harrah's / West End Land Cruise on March 3rd• and want to thank Gunther's Bus Charter's and Alex, our driver for a great ride. Also I would like to throw out there a big Thank You to Ron & Diane, Denny & Jane, Mickey, Carolyn, Robin, and Suenette for helping me with this cruise. I really enjoyed watching some other guys and gals placing their bets. I was in all as I watched Bob Wilkins throw the dice like a pro at the Craps table and chips flowing his way, and watching Randy Depew and John Grill playing poker and winning chips.

There is a Boat sign-up sheet on the back of the 60/40 Board in the Tiki Bar for the vacation cruise. If you are planning on attending any part of the cruise between July 14th thru July 21st I will need your information ASAP please. Also I am choosing yacht clubs that have hotels or cottages at or near their facilities for those with smaller boats or use O.P.B. There are still plenty of open spaces on the 60/40 board to play and this will help pay for the food for our cruise. We will start drawing numbers in early March, You got to play to win! Thanks again everyone ... Fleet Captain R. J. Pope

Save the Date! The 3rd Annual Bob Murray Spring Rock Tournament

will be Friday, April 27, 10 AM to 5 PM with food and beverages to follow. We are planning for a Friday to try and avoid the weekend mayhem on the bay. More details will follow and a flyer will be posted in mid-February. If you have any questions or comments please contact Pat Lange (410) 746-8801 patlange 17@yahoo.com.

Gulls President, Terry Bowles

Hello Everyone,

I would like to thank all the people who made our First Friday Bar Bingo in February a great success. There were about 85 people in attendance. Our next Bar Bingo is March 2nd at 7pm. Please plan to attend.

The next counted affair is the Gulls event on March 3rd. This is a 70's themed party and is hosted by Mickey Zambelli. Tickets are on sale in the Tiki bar. It is \$35 in advance or \$40 at the door.

On March 18th Carolyn Creamer is hosting our annual Chili Cook Off. Come taste all the different Chili's. Easter Sunday is April 1st. The Gulls will be having their annual Easter Dinner. The Easter Bunny will be here to have her picture taken with the children. Thanks to Debbie Blankenship and Julie Beyrodt for hosting this event. A sign up sheet will be in the Tiki bar. The Gulls will supply turkey, ham and mashed potatoes. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share. Cost is \$5.00 per adult. Donations of candy for the plastic eggs are welcome. Please drop off at the Tiki bar.



I want to thank F/C Rickey Pope and his crew for a great bus trip to Harrah's Casino and West End Yacht Club. If you missed it, you missed a great time.

Work Hard, Play Harder, P/C Terry Bowles



\$35 DOLLARS IN ADVANCE, \$40 AT THE DOOR

70's Attire is encouraged

If you have questions contact Mickey Zambelli 443-834-5327

This is a counted event

EYC'S Gulls Present Annual Chili Cook-off



Bring Your Best Recipe of Chili to be "Judged the Best"

Sign Up to Bring Chili - at Tiki Bar \$5.00 to Eat and Judge Cash Prizes for 1st, 2nd & 3rd Places

Menu: Your Chili, Chili Fixings,

Hot Dogs,
Corn Bread



Princess Shelby



Hi everyone,

As we're getting closer to the Believe in Tomorrow fundraiser on April 7th, I'm happy to say that things are starting to come together nicely. Tickets are now on sale and can be purchased in the Tiki Bar for \$40 per person. We will have a silent auction, Chinese auction, a prize wheel, as well as EYC's own Rising Tide! The RTIC Cooler of Cheer is almost put together and tickets will be on sale soon. They are one for \$10 or three for \$20, same as the last raffle. The winning ticket will be drawn on April 7 towards the end of the evening. The winner does not have to be present, although, I would really appreciate it



Believe In Tomorrow^{*} Children's Foundation

PRINCESS SHELBY'S FUNDRAISER TO BENEFIT

Believe in Tomorrow Children's Foundation

Eastern Yacht Club | 2330 Seneca Road, Essex, MD 21221 Saturday, April 7, 2018 | 7 p.m.-Midnight



Pit beef/turkey/ham, wings, salads, dessert, OPEN BAR Enjoy the live band Rising Tide from 8 p.m.-Midnight Silent Auction, Raffles, Chinese Auction \$40 per person

Questions contact Princess Shelby 443-425-8951 or Karrie Armetta 410-935-5628

The Believe In Tomorrow Children's Foundation provides exceptional hospital and respite housing services to critically ill children and their families. We believe in keeping families together during a child's medical crisis, and that the gentle cadence of normal family life has a powerful influence on the healing process.



if you would attend! We are still collecting some last minute donations so if anyone would like to donate anything or has any connections please let me know.

As always, I just want to say thank you so much for all of the support. I can't express enough how much I appreciate all of the help from everyone and all of the love from the EYC family. I've had a great time attending the balls with the officers. Sadly, Crescent Yacht Club was the last ball I can attend but I'm looking forward to the start of opening season! Also, just a little life update, I've recently committed to Point Park University in downtown Pittsburgh for the 2018-2019 school year! Again, thank everybody so much and I can't wait to see you al around the club!

Love, Princess Shelby

If you have items for the Breeze please send to the email address below by the 20th of the month. PLEASE send information in MS Word or in text of email. PDF files are difficult to work with and usually don't work well.

Pictures wanted for the Breeze, either send in an email to: eycjlk381@gmail.com or post on the Eastern Yacht Club Facebook page and send email notification. Thanks, Jim

EASTERN YACHT CLUB GULLS' EASTER DINNER SUNDAY, APRIL 1, 2018



1:30 p.m. Children's Easter Egg Hunt 2:30 p.m. Easter Dinner

PLEASE BRING A DISH TO SHARE

If you're bringing a hot dish, please pick up a % size aluminum pan from the club. The pans will be available in the Tiki Bar. We would like to get away from using crock pots and you won't have to wash anything when you get home. Thanks

\$5.00 per adult at the door to cover costs

Children under twelve FREE

Ham, Turkey and Mashed Potatoes will be Provided by the Gulls Sign up Sheet for Dinner And Children's Easter Egg Hunt Will Be Posted in Tiki Bar

> For Information Contact Deb Blankenship 410-707-0815 or Julie Beyrodt 410-913-4490

Easter Dinner. and Easter Egg Hunt

Sign up early so we have a good head count. PLEASE

Donations are needed to fill the plastic eggs for the EASTER EGG HUNT

Please drop off at the Tiki Bar.



Dinner Schedule for March Thursday and Friday Starting 6PM Salad, Rolls/butter and dessert included with each menu.

Thursday, March 1st Sautéed beef tips in gravy, mashed potatoes, steamed vegetable \$10.00

Friday, March 2nd Mexican Fajitas, tortilla bowls with all the toppings

Thursday, March 8th Jumbo stuffed Italian shells, meatballs,

Friday, March 9th GMM Carved New York strip, baked potato, Steamed veg

Thursday, March 15th Baked Ziti, Italian sausage & garlic toast

Friday, March 16th Fried chicken, Mashed potatoes and gravy, grilled zucchini

Thursday March 22nd Baked chicken, Spanish rice, roasted vegetables \$10.00

Friday, March 23rd Bacon wrapped stuffed pork loin, scalloped potatoes, steamed veg

Thursday, March 29th Homemade meatloaf, mashed potatoes, steamed veg

Friday, March 30th Chicken Cacciatore, roasted baby potatoes, steamed veg.



Eastern Yacht Club Look who is doing what March 2018



Second Saturday 9AM

Brian Nahory Jason Grupp

Pat Lange BOG 2019

Rick Nazelrod

Tim McCall (non 5th od week)

Dan Brown (non 5th od week)

Todd Bates

John Grill (bimonthly)

Brian Carney

Fourth Saturday 9AM

Jeff Fluharty James Gill Steve Uhl

P/C Mike McVeigh Stephen Rifkin (bimonthly)

P/C Tom Kinard
Michael Pollizzi
P/C Tim Pratzer
P/C Frank Winterling

Steve Uhl
P/C Terry Bowles
Ellen Richards
P/C Lillian Mullaney
P/C Gary Blankenship

Dock Master
Gulls President
Ent. Comm.
Chaplain
YCM Rep.

Diane Peffer CBYCA Rep.

Mid Week

Dave Ellis BOG 2020

Mickey Kunkowski BOG 2018

Brian Hemling BOG 2018

Jeff Baier
Terry Murray
Paul Poz
Denny Swiger
Al Yingling

Officers on BOG

Comm, Brian Harrison V/C Brian Rockstroh R/C Robin Ashton F/C Rick Pope Secretary Jennifer Coker

Secretary Jennifer Coke Treasurer Don Czapla

ODs 6 PM to 2 AM

Barry Benyo 1st Friday 2nd Friday Christine Pipkin 3rd Friday Stephen Rifkin (bimonthly) 3rd Friday John Grill (bimonthly) 4th Friday Jim Hardwick 5th Friday Tim McCall 1st Saturday Pat Christ 2nd Saturday Randy Depew Mary Herster 3rd Saturday 4th Saturday Ray Beaty 5th Saturday Dan Brown

Buy OutsRay Holter

Bob Wilkins

Suenette Pope Asst. Treasurer

Skip Richardson Plumbing
Kevin Gannon Electric
John Ashton III Electric

P/C Frank Winterling BOG 2020 Web Master/ IT

Diane Peffer Advertising/Opening Book

Carolyn Creamer House Supply/Stock Jim Harris BOG 2019 Purchasing Agent

P/C Ron Peffer Equipment Maintenance

Rob Smith Bath House Every other week Stan Reip Bath House Every other week

Mickey Zambelli Tiki Bar Clean Weekly

Adam Hale HV/AC

Sarah Ramsey Coolers/Matts/Bar Clean

P/C Jim Kinard Breeze

P/C Gary Blankenship BOG Bar supervisor
P/C Terry Bowles BOG 2018 Finance Chair
Joe Stallings Receiving Weds
Bob Kuhl Receiving Weds
Sharon Winterling BOG 2018 Booking Agent
Don Czapla R/V Captain

HOUSE COMMITTEE

V/C Brian Rockstroh
Sharon Winterling
Jim Harris
P/C Gary Blankenship
Diane Peffer
Ray Beaty

Committee Chair
Affair Booking Agent
Purchasing Agent
Bar Manager
HR/Payroll
Kitchen Manager

P/C BREAK LIST

P/C Terry Bowles till June 2018

Gold Members

John Ashton Jr.

P/C Thea Coker

P/C Chip Miller

P/C Lillian Mullaney

Tom Potere

Fred Puhl Richard Wanner P/C Ed Yeager



Thanks to F/C Rickey Pope and his crew for a great bus trip to Harrah's Casino and West End Yacht Club. Wonder how much money they all took home from the casino?



EYC work crews have done an outstanding job refinishing the BAR in the BIG house. Just one more project completed by our hard working members. Thanks to everyone who helped.







EASTERN YACHT GULLS

FIRST FRIDAY of the month BAR BINGO

March 2nd



Don't know How to Play?
It is Easy to Learn \$1.00 per hand. Play as much or as little as you like.
BINGO starts at 7:00pm
If you have questions contact
Terry 443-846-1054

bowlestterry5@gmail.com

March 2018 Sick and Welfare

Carolyn Creamer is now in charge of Sick and Welfare:
Contact info is 443-248-0488
ccre529629@aol.com

Please keep all of our EYC members, their family and friends in your thoughts and prayers during their time of need

2018 Vacation cruise 60/40 board is now up!

sign up and pick your winning number. Even if your not going to be able to attend the vacation cruise you can still play.

Big House ScheduleBIG HOUSE RENTED

This is a new addition to The Breeze monthly calendar to provide the schedule for Private Rented Events in the Big House

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25 Tiki Bar Closed BIG HOUSE REN	26	27	28	29 Dinner 6 PM Tiki Bar 6-11 PM	30 McCall 6pm-till close Dinner 6 PM	31 Tiki Bar 3 PM to 11 PM Brown BIG HOUSE RENTED

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UPCOMING EVENTS

March

2nd	Friday Night Bingo		
3rd	Gulls 70's Dance		

9th GMM

18th Chili Cook Off

23rd BOG

<u>April</u>

1st	Easter Dinner
6th	Friday Night Bingo
7th	Princess Fundraiser

13th GMM

14th PC Bull Roast

27th BOG

May 12th Beautification Day