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THE BREEZE

May 2016

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# Officers and Agents of EYC

### **Commodore Frank Winterling**

Greetings Eastern Family,

The months are flying by...I don't remember what happened to April. I guess I need to uncover the boat...oh yes, clean and wax; we all love doing that. ..not.

I mentioned the yacht club openings in last month's Breeze. I don't want to repeat myself but the openings presented at the other clubs are for you. There is a huge effort within each club in planning these

several days and finishing up the weekend of good times with their flag raising ceremony. I can't stress enough how you should make yourself available to visit these clubs. Most will have live music on certain days (mostly Saturday night for many clubs) and they definitely have plenty of food and other activities. Please plan on visiting as many as you can. If you need a schedule of the openings, browse to the YCM (Yacht Clubs of Maryland) website or see address below.

http://www.yachtclubsofmaryland.org/openings.php

'C' pier remodeling is complete. I still can't believe how lucky we are as to not have had an incident on 'C' pier long ago...I'm still counting my blessings. I truly want to thank everyone who had a hand in the work of moving the boats, pulling old decking, cutting the new lumber, removing debris and resurfacing the pier deck. Thank you all from the bottom of my heart.

Please help us keep this great club safe. If you see a hazardous condition, please report the condition to one of the officers or a board member.

Eastern Yacht Club's opening weekend is June 9-12. We are going to have many activities throughout the weekend. If would like to help in any way, please contact First Lady Sharon or myself. The opening theme is based on my favorite cinema movie Top Gun. Please purchase an ad for the opening day book. This is a very big help in offsetting our expenses incurred for EYC's opening weekend. Deadline for ads is May 8th.

"My quote for May: There is no royal road to anything. One thing at a time, all things in succession. That which grows fast, withers as quickly. That which grows slowly, endures"

Much Love. Commodore Frank

by J Holland

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### "The Friendliest Yacht Club on the Bay"



**Bob Murray** 1st Annual Memorial Rockfish Tournament

Eastern Yacht Club Saturday May 21st





# Vice-Commodore, Ron Peffer

A month ago spring arrived here on the bay. Since then there have been many boats passing our club as they head out to enjoy the waters of the bay. Here at Eastern boats are starting to arrive from their winter sleep. Soon the basin will be full again, the Tiki bar will be busy, and we will be seeing old friends and making new ones.

Saturday the 23rd is Marley Yacht Club's opening at Red Eye Yacht Club. This starts the opening season for the clubs and lasts until June 18th. If you have never been to an opening, make sure you come to ours on June 12th. There is something going on all weekend and the festivities will start Thursday night.

Beautification Day is just around the corner, Saturday the 14th of May. This is a day when many members come out to clean up around the club. Flowers will be planted, gardens spruced up,

buildings and decks are cleaned, the beach is spruced up, and any thing else that may be needed to the make our club and grounds shine. Last year we had close to 70 people show up to help, making for a great day. Working together makes for short work with a lot of fun in the process.

C pier is back together and not dipping and swaying like before, the memorial wall is in and looks great. Many thanks to all who helped on these projects and to those who do so much around the club to keep it in top notch shape.

For the month of May we could use someone to step up and take one of the open OD shifts on Sunday the 29th from noon till 8:00pm or Monday the 30th from noon till 8:00 pm.

V/C Ron

### A Bit of Nautical background Long Shot

Today it's a gambling term for an event that would take an inordinate amount of luck. It's origins are nautical. Because ships' guns in early days were very inaccurate except at close quarters, it was an extremely lucky shot that would find its target from any great distance.



### ALL MEMBERS,

As many of you know we are always looking for people to fill empty OD spots at the club. Duties include but are not limited to opening the Tiki bar, getting ice and other supplies, stocking the coolers, emptying the trash, and locking everything up at the end of the night. Any help will be greatly appreciated.

IF YOU CAN'T DO A FULL SHIFT, MAYBE YOU COULD SPLIT WITH ANOTHER PERSON. YOU COULD ALSO TEAM UP WITH SOMEONE ELSE TO DO A FULL SHIFT. BOTTOM LINE IS WE NEED YOUR HELP TO KEEP THE TIKI BAR OPEN. IF YOU THINK YOU MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN HELPING FILL A SHIFT PLEASE CONTACT ME BY EMAIL AT r\_peffer@yahoo.com or phone at 717-877-3647.

### Currently we have these dates open. May 29th and 30th noon shift

Thank you in advance for all your support and help. V/C Ron



# Rear-Commodore, Brian Harrison

EYC Family,

I hope everyone is doing well and is starting to get into that lovely spring mood. We have been very busy at the club over the last few weeks. The pier work on C-Pier was completed and a team of helpers re-installed the deck boards and replaced all the old wood on the t-head. We also are in the process of replacing the boards on the t-head of A-pier, which should ensure safety on all the piers. I would like to thank everyone who took time from their busy schedule to come down and help with all the pier work. Without you we would never have gotten this done so quickly.

I also hope you take some time to check out the new Gulls memorial wall by the water. This project came out amazing and it is a true salute to the members who have made this club great over the years and have since passed away. Without their leadership and dedication we would not have the great club we have today.

I would like to thank my work crews for all of their hard work they have been putting in around the club. We have a very busy spring with many repairs to be completed to make sure that the club look great. The wedding pad work will begin May 2nd and should be complete in around 2 weeks. This repair should make the outdoor wedding space look much better and have a lasting effect on our guests.

As always if you see something around the club that needs repair, shoot me a quick text or email and we will make sure it gets taken care of. I can't wait to see you all down at the club enjoying our amazing little piece of paradise.

Thank you,

**R/C Brian** 



Fleet Captain, Brian Rockstroh

Hello Everyone,

Summer is almost here!! Lots of things have been happening at the club to get ready for the season as well as some major infrastructure projects that will help our club prosper for many years. Kudos to the BOG for approving the funds and to R/C Brian Harrison for getting these projects completed. It makes me proud to be a member of EYC when I see so many people put their time and sweat into making this place work.

I want to remind everyone of the April 30th visit from West End Boat Club. They always treat us great on our annual trip, so please come out to welcome our friends from Philadelphia. We have acoustic entertainment lined up and Mike will be cooking up some

special treats. Please bring a dish to share and have a drink or two with our guests.

We are planning on an anchor out at Still Pond for the Memorial Day Cruise. There is a great spot near the Coast Guard station. Details will follow as the date gets closer.

There is a boat sign up sheet for the vacation cruise in the Tiki Bar. If you are attending any parts of the Cruise I will need your information such as T-shirt sizes, drink preferences and the like ASAP. I am also trying to get a head count for the Commodore's dinner at KIYC. Please let me know if you plan on attending. Thanks for your participation.

Here's to another great summer at EYC!!

# May 2016 Sick and Welfare By P/C Thea Coker

**Janet Yodris** first mate Jim Wilson suffered a stroke April 7th. He is slowly improving and can now move his leg and arm and put together eight words. He has been moved to transition unit at Good Samaritan Hospital; 5601 Loch Raven Blvd.; Balto., MD Room # 413.

*Heather Beaty* had a bone fused in her hand Apr. 13th and is home recuperating. She goes back to the surgeon Apr. 22nd to have a hard cast put on and expects to walk in the MS walk-a-thon Sun. Apr.24th.

**Sharon Winterling's** father, Jack Paul Willoughby passed away April 11th. There was a memorial service for him at Back River UM Church followed by a celebration of life at EYC on Apr. 23rd.

### And the Good News Is . . .

Jeannette and Brian Fountain are new grandparents. Apr. 14th. Their daughter Rachel and hubby Jimmy had a baby boy, 6lbs.8oz.

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

Robin Ashton will continue to forward your emails concerning the sick and welfare notices. She can be reached at spunky508@live.com or at 443-889-7374. I'll be keeping in touch with those who have been ill and are recovering. PLEASE, help us with some good news to share, births, significant birthdays or anniversaries, weddings etc. I can be reached at atcoker9619@outlook.com or 410-404-0657.

EYC Hours of Operation for ODs ~ May 2016						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Benyo Noon-8 pm	2	3	4	5 Poz 6-11 PM	6 McDonough 6pm-till close	7 Pratzer Noon-7pm Frank 7pm-Close
8 Zahradka Noon-8 pm	9	10	11	12 Peffer 6-11 PM	13 GMM Pipkin 6pm-till close	14 Beautification dayHawkesNoon-7pmBurke7pm -close
15 Holding corp. meeting Stallings Noon-8 pm	16	17	18	19 Grill 6-11 PM	20 Ramsey 6pm-till close	21 Herster Noon-7pm Carney 7pm-Close
22 Beaty Noon-8 pm	23	24	25	26 BOG Poz 6-11 PM	27 Hardwick 6pm-till close	28 Memorial day Cruise Fountain Noon-7pm Merritt 7pm-Close
29 Memorial day Cruise OPEN Noon-8 pm	30 Memorial day Cruise OPEN Noon-till	31		shift		/ou cannot make your nsibly to have it cov- vith another <b>OD</b>







Hello everyone and Happy Spring!!

As we go strolling into May this year we have lots to be thankful for. Let me start by thanking everyone who helped bring our EYC Memorial to reality.

I am very happy to tell you that it has been completed and looks fantastic. This all started a few years back with Shirley Wilson and Thea Coker and has been quite the project. We would like to also thank RC Brian Harrison fro making this a priority, PC Pete Beyrodt and the work crews for all your hard work :)

At our last meeting The Gulls donated over \$1800.00 to various charitable organizations and we are feeling pretty darn good about that! These are the things that make it all worth while. Thanks to everyone for supporting our fundraising efforts that allow us to do such wonderful things.

As April comes to a close don't for get about our Drinkable Arts Wine Glass Paint Night! It will be held on Saturday Night, April 30 from 7 to 9 and the cost is only \$20.00 w/discount and is sure to be a lot of fun. Bring a small dish to share and bar will be available :) For tickets contact Drinkable Arts at www.DrinkableArts.com or Call1-844-626-7746. Use "Paint10" code for the \$10.00 discount :)

April showers bring May flowers! And here at EYC that means Beautification Day is upon us. Saturday May 14 is the day and we like to get an early start :) Please bring some gloves and any gardening tools. The Gulls will provide coffee, donuts and a Bloody Mary or two. Also lunch and soft drinks will be provided for our worker bees through out. We always have great participation and we are looking forward to playing in the dirt with everyone :)

A sign-up sheet for the Princess Court is now available in the Tiki Bar. Participants are open to any children or grandchildren of any EYC members. Girls to wear a summer dress (pastel, NO WHITE). Boys to wear, white shirts (maybe polo) and khaki pants (long or short). Princess Court is for EYC opening in June.

In closing, at the end of May our country celebrates the lives and sacrifices of the men and woman who have served our great nation in the military. This Memorial Day weekend, please take time to think about how fortunate we all are to live in a country that allows us to be free to live the way we are able to live and give thanks to those who have, and do, protect those fortunes. I hope everyone has a very happy and safe Memorial Day Weekend!



God Bless America! Gulls President, Jimmy.



# **ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS**

When paying club invoices, please include the invoice number and your member number on your check. This will ensure that you receive credit for your payment. INVOICES and FEES CANNOT BE PAID thru the register by the bartenders. Please either mail in or put in the Treasurer's Box at the hall side entrance.
If you need to make other arrangements to pay invoices please contact Asst. Treasurer Robin or Treasurer Don. These simple steps will help us keep track of your payments. Thank You



#### Mid Week

Dave Ellis	
Mickey Kunkowski	BOG 2018
Brian Hemling	BOG 2017
Jeffrey Baier	
Terry Murray	
Jim Saintsing	
Brent Kelly	

#### Second Saturday

Jason Grupp	
Brett White	
Pat Lang	

#### Fourth Saturday Work Crew (9am)

Jenn Coker
James Gill
Ricky Pope
Steve Uhl
P/C Mike McVeigh

House Committiee			
House Committiee Chair	V/C Ron Peffer		
Affair Booking Agent	Sharon Winterling	BOG 2017	
Purchasing Agent Jim Harris BOG 20		BOG 2018	
Bar Manager	Tom Kinard	BOG 2018	
HR/Payroll Diane Peffer			
Kitchen Manager	Ray Beaty		

Asst. Treasurer	Robin Ashton	! ! 
Plumbing	Skip Richardson	, , ,
Plumbing	Brian Rockstroh	   
Electric	Kevin Gannon	BOG 2017
Electric	John Ashton III	   
Web Master	John Grill	   
House Supplies- Order Stock	Carolyn Creamer	, , ,
Bath House Cleaning-every other week	Rob Smith	   
Bath House Cleaning-every other week	Stan Reip	   
Tiki Bar Cleaning- Every Week	Mickey Zambelli	   
нуас	Adam Hale	BOG 2016
Equipment Maintinance	Rhonda Lagamba	   
Deck Cleaner/Tables (Fridays)	Steve Uhl	   
Breeze/Finance Chair	Jim Kinard	BOG 2016
Entertain ment Committiee	Paul Richards	:   
Pres. Holding Corp	P/C Pete Bayrodt	BOG
Receiving Wednesdays	Chuck Krug	   
Receiving Wednesdays	Bob Kuhl	

## Eastern Yacht Club

Look who is doing what April



April 2016

#### **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

Officers on BOG

V/C Ron Peffer

R/C Brian Harrison F/C Brian Rockstroh Secretary Pete Bayrodt Treasurer Don Czapla

Cmdr. Frank Winterling

### Dock Master Steve Uhl Gulls President Jim Samm Entertainment Chair 1st Mate Ellen Richards Chaplain P/C Lillian Mullaney YCM Representative Pat Rome 2016 CBYCA Represenative Diane Peffer 2016

#### OD's

1 of 3 Thursday 6PM-11PM	Diane Peffer
2 of 3 Thursday 6PM-11PM	Paul Poswiatowski
3 of 3 Thursday 6PM-11PM	J Grill
1st Friday 6PM-2AM	Kelly McDonough
2nd Friday 6PM-2AM	Christine Pipkin
3rd Friday 6PM-2AM	Ramsey
4th Friday 6PM-2AM	Hardwick
1st Saturday 12PM-7PM	P/C Tim Pratzer
1st Saturday 7PM-2AM	open
2nd Saturday 12PM-7PM	Gloria Hawkes
2nd Saturday 7PM-2AM	Duff Burke
3rd Saturday 12PM-7PM	Mary Herster
3rd Saturday 7PM-2AM	Bryan Carney
4th Saturday 12PM-7PM	Jeannette Fountain
4th Saturday 7PM-2AM	Ed Merrit
1st Sunday 2PM-10PM	Barry Benyo
2nd Sunday 2PM-10PM	Jerry Zahrdka
3rd Sunday 2PM-10PM	Joe Stallings
4th Sunday 2PM-10PM	Ray Beaty

Honorary Member (2015-2016) Jack Deckelman

### P/C Break List 3YR. Break (Feb 2014-Feb 2017) P/C Gary Blankenship 3YR. Break (Feb 2015-Feb 2018) P/C Terry Bowles 3YR. Break (Feb 2015-Feb 2018) P/C Bobby Kuhl

#### **Buy Outs**

Bob Wilkens	
Tom Wintz	
Ray Holter	
Ron Ritter	
Terry Levee	BOG 2016

Life Time Member P/C Fred Weggel





As all of you know, my fundraiser was a few weeks ago, and I can definitely say that it was an amazing success. It was truly remarkable to see so many people come together to raise money for such an important cause. With the help of everyone, we raised a total of \$9,800 dollars for the national Alzheimer's association. It was a night full of fun and definitely a night that I will never forget. The music was great, the food was great, and so were the people all around me.

I would just like to give a big thanks to Mickey Kunkowski, Terry Murray, Brian and Tina Rockstroh, Frank and Sharon Winterling, Terry Levee, Stacey & Brian Harrison, Mindy & John Ashton, John & Gloria Hawkes, Peggy Tarburton, Ray Beaty, Christine Pipkin, Brian & Kim Hemling, Micki & Adam Hale, Carolyn Creamer, Ron &

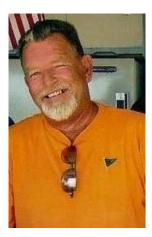
Diane Peffer, Karrie Armetta, Jen & Chris Bodie, Tammy Kinberg, Tom and Sue Kinard, and Jim Kinard. I'd also like to thank all of the kids who came to help including, Kristen Harrison, Shelby Armetta, Cameron Bodie, Nathan Bodie, Maddie Kunkowski, Alex Pipkin, Sydney Smith and Savannah Hemling.

I was so happy to see so many people there and I'm so grateful that I have the amount of support that I do. I didn't have so much support and kindness from everyone, my fundraiser would not have been as successful as it was.

### Princess Mackenzie

# 2016 Bob Murray 1st Annual Memorial Rockfish Tournament

At Eastern Yacht Club Saturday May 21st Check in – 7:00am – Return – 3:00 pm



\$25 per person. All boats must leave EYC basin. No trailering a boat to another location. Cash prizes for Biggest ROCKFISH!!!! Measured length, with weight as a tie breaker. All Maryland regulations apply. Cash prizes depend on number of entries. Food and beverages included following contest. Contact Robin at 443-889-7374 Must be signed up by May 20th

### **Opening Weekend Chinese/ Silent Auction** ese We are looking for donations of new or gently used flea market type items. Some examples are: Jewelry ~ Dishes ~ Wall Art ~ Trinkets ~ Gift Cards ~ Decorations ~ Candles ~ Items to Re-Gift (NO CLOTHING PLEASE)

Do you have anything that you don't really need or want? Do you have anything you think we could use? Please bring any items to the next General Membership Meeting (May 13th) or you can drop them off any Thursday night or weekend at the Tiki Bar.

The Auction will take place Friday night through Saturday (June 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup>) and winners will be announced at 4:00 PM on Saturday! We will be selling packets of 10 chances for just \$1.00.



Please contact Sharon Soistman Ssoistm1@verizon.net or Mindy Ashton mashton626@yahoo.com or call Mindy 443.621.3328

Thank you for supporting our Club and helping us to make

**Opening Weekend a fun and successful one!** 

by Chaplain P/C Lillian Mullaney April 8, 2016 - General Membership Meeting

### Dear Lord.

We thank you for this day and the safe arrival this evening of our Commodore Frank, officers and members for our April meeting.

Well, Spring is here. All we have to do is remind Mother Nature of this fact. We're coming into a very exciting time of year for our Yacht Club, Our Opening weekend. And we thank you, dear Lord, for all those members, and our Gulls who give of their time, effort, and

talent to always make sure our Opening Weekend is a great success. We are very lucky to have these members and Gulls, and appreciate their dedication to our great club.

Dear Lord, please continue to watch over those members and their families who are still battling health problems. Help them as they travel the road to recovery. And we hope they will be back with us soon. And let's remember to keep them in our prayers.

We thank you for our beautiful Princess Mackenzie Smith, dear Lord, who is always doing something to help others. And thank you for all the good work she is doing.

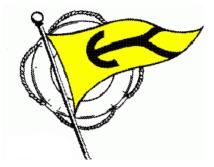
In closing, dear Lord, we thank you for the memories of yesterday, the gift of today, the hope for peace for everyone, everywhere for tomorrow, and let's never forget our Vets. Because of them, we have the privilege of freedom, and let's forever keep them in our prayers. Amen.

P/C Lillian Mullaney, Chaplain Eastern Yacht Club



### Eastern Yacht Club

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# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

# May

- 13th GMM/ and Gulls Meeting
- 14th Beautification Day
- 15th Holding Corp. meeting 2 PM
- 21st Bob Murray Fishing Tournament
- 26th BOG
- 28th 30th Memorial Day Cruise

# <u>June</u>

3rd	GMM/ and Gulls Meeting
5th	Queen of Chesapeake Pageant
9th to 12th	Opening Weekend
12th	EYC Opening Day Ceremony 2PM
23rd	BOG