



OLYMPIA YACHT CLUB

May 2020



Commodore

Captain Mark Welpman
First Mate Annette Welpman
S/V Cygnet / M/V Sea Ya!



Thank You OYC!

It has been an incredible five years on the bridge. Two years as Fleet Captain Sail and the last three years on the Bridge. If you would have asked me when we joined OYC, if I would be Commodore, I would have said HELL NO! But here

I am. It has been quite an adventure. I am blessed to have served as Commodore to such a wonderful club. Not that serving on the bridge has been easy, there have been a few trials and tribulations along the way. But I hope the club is better now than when I started.

I would like to thank my bridge. They have been a joy to work with. Fleet Captain Sail, Mike and Esther Gowrylow have done a great job with TGIF and working in concert with the Sailing Education Program. Fleet Captain Power, Craig and Deb Brown, I love their enthusiasm and creativity putting on cruises and parties. They are true artists. My Rear Commodore, PC Danny and Jacquie Wrye for their energy and wisdom. Many may not know that Danny served as Commodore with Shelton Yacht Club. He brought with him a wealth of knowledge as a veteran to club service. Finally, my Vice Commodore Mitch Michell and AnneMarie. What can I say about Mitch? We really did not know each other all that well before joining the club. He was a customer of mine. It was through work I found out that he was part of the club and was thinking about running for Fleet Captain Power. Something happened and we became fast friends. Now I count Mitch as my brother. He has been a true friend and someone I can always depend on for good council. He has grounded me when I start to go astray. He has always helped me to keep the club's inter-

ests first and my personal feelings abated. I could not have found a better person to go through the Chairs with.

There is no way to do this job by one's self. Many people have given me counsel along the way. I would like to thank the following people for their counsel and advice during my term as Commodore; PC Jerry Budelman, PC J Grady, PC Matt Mills, PC Mike Phillips, PC Tony Rea, PC Tim Ridley, PC Carol Robison, PC Ted Shann, PC Bill Slone, PC George and Cindy Smith, PC Leslie Thompson. IPC Marty and Jen Graf for being my number one speed dial on my phone. PC Marty and Jen were our first-year cohorts in crime. We got into trouble more than once by our commodores for goofing around. PC Marty was always there to help us and been an ear when I needed to vent. A very special thank you to PC Myra Downing. What can I say about PC Myra. I know few people who have a heart for service as she does. She has been my biggest cheerleader over the 15 years I've known her. I met PC Myra when I served as her Cruise Chair when she was the Commodore of South Sound Sailing Society. Myra has the innate ability to make you feel like you can do anything. She picked me up when I was down. Gave me the encouragement when I most needed it. We all need a Myra in our lives.

I am amazed at the people who give so much to serve this club. The following people are the ones who make this work. They are the unsung heroes in my book; Gary and Melissa Ashcraft, Catherine Bander, Rick and Barb Bergholz, Terry and Joanne Borden, Bobby and Carol Brown, Jon and Linda Bryant, Bill and Marcee Coughlin, Chris Cheney, John and Marcy Erwin, Mike and Dianna Fife, Steve and Judi Finney, Mary Fitzgerald, Mark Fletcher, Bill Hamaker, Bob Hargreaves, Holli and Jim

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Vice Commodore

Captain Jesse "Mitch" Mitchell
First Mate Anne Marie Murdock
M/V Release



Ahoy OYC!

Congratulations OYC you have not only survived another month of this COVID-19 thing but you have survived a full year of Mitch serving as your Vice Commodore. I must admit the duties were much easier than the Rear Commodore year and then it was curtailed

somewhat by the rules and guidelines that unfolded with social distancing. Nonetheless, my "Viceship" was a wonderful year with OYC.....we had great cruises, balls, TGIFs, dinner meetings, receptions, work parties, committee meetings, committee work, board of trustee meetings, sailing lesson, sailing races just to name a few. I know everyone is still doing all they can to do their part for the club within the constraints that we now live and are all chomping at the bit to gather again.

Given Commodore Mark Welpman doesn't put together a concerted write in campaign effort to serve another year, this will be the end of his tenure being part of the OYC Bridge for a combined 5 years. He played a major role in recruiting and mentoring me as we have gone "through the chairs" together. His guidance, enthusiasm, dedication and presence will surely be missed by the entirety of the bridge as we venture forward on our own. He has left us in a good state and set us all up for future success. I would also like to thank Rear Commodore Danny Wrye and his First Mate Jackie for stepping into the huge shoes of that position. He has thrived and will be my "Battle" for the next year, I'm sure we will be successful with him on the team. Additionally, I would like to thank outgoing Board Of Trustee Chair Bob VanSchoorl for his never ending support to the bridge and rest of the club as he diligently led the "Business Team" of OYC. This will be another big pair of shoes to fill soon.

As has been mentioned and published the club has continued to function and the election is underway via mail in ballot even as I type this article. I was a bit reluctant to send mine back as it was such a professionally assembled product. I would thank the team by name but they worked behind the scenes and I'm sure I would miss a name or two. I just wanted to let you know your efforts were recognized. Speaking of the election, we will have new names on the Bridge and Board in June. I think the act of volunteering to serve our club says all that needs to be said, any and all of the candidates possess the character and traits we want in these positions.

In wrapping up, I would like to remind all of us to stay

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Rear Commodore

Captain Danny Wrye
First Mate Jackie Wrye
M/V Sea Chalet



Greetings OYCers!

Wow! What a quick year this has been. This is my last article as your Rear Commodore. The Change of Watch, 2020, June 3rd, brings the Olympia Yacht Club a new person to fulfill the responsibilities (and to tolerate all the jokes!) of "being the Rear!"

All that said, I would like to reflect back on the past year and give thanks to the many members who have made it so memorable.

First, to my fellow Bridge members, it's been an honor working with you on events and Club activities. Thank you, Commodore Mark and Annette, Vice Commodore Mitch and Ann Marie, Fleet Captains Craig and Deb, and Mike and Esther, and of course, Jackie.

Special thanks to Jackie! You are the best. With her help, she and I managed the OYC's reservation system and organized 6 monthly dinners where over 720 dinners served. The dinners were all-in events with our Caterer, Masonry Café, our setup crew of Mike and Patti Phillips, Jim and Chyma Smith, Bob and Sandy Wolf, Jim Sheerer and Kjersti Skinner, and Bruce Snyder. Table decorations were provided by Dianna Fife, Deb Waldherr, Marci Caughlin, Peg Grady, and Nancy Stolarik. Cleanup at the dinner meetings was always made easier with the many helpers at the end. Martin Kinser and Steve Finney were routinely there among the last helpers to leave. Thank you all.

The Fourth of July (which was celebrated on the sixth) at Island Home was my first major event as Rear where we had about 20 boats. July BBQ on the deck, as part of Lake-fair, and we had almost 100 in attendance. Jackie and I participated at 7 Grand 14 cruise-in and business meetings.

In September, we enjoyed the christening of *Sea Chalet* by Ed and Nancy Stolarik at Island Home over Labor Day.

Jackie and I hosted OYC's New Year's Eve party at Main-station where 72 aliens and cowboys comingled. In putting on that event, we had the amazing team of the Nancy and Ed Stolarik, Craig and Deb Brown, Gary and Melissa Ashcraft, Kurt and Janice Noren, Jeremy Watters, Chris and Beth Brombach, Dale Bamford, Dan and Copper Crowell and Lorie Linn, Paul DuPriest, and Derek and Karla Stewart. Jackie and I also organized the Past Commodore's Appreciation Dinner in February where 28 of our Past Commodores or spouses were honored. All of these events were made possible by the numerous volunteers of the Club by way of event planning, and setup, decorating, and cleanup committees. To all of you, thank you!

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Howatson, Earl Hughes, Bob Job, Kevin Kennedy, Matt and Suzanne Klueh, Elizabeth LeDuc, Mark Peckler, Tina Petrukitas, Stacy Pisano, Tammy and Dean Questi, Patrick and Cherie Richmond, Dennis Royal, Jane and Robert Sands, PC Jim and Kjersti Sheerer, Tom Skillings, Polly and Phil Smith, Margaret and Bruce Snyder, Nancy and Ed Stolarik, Kelly and Mary Anne Thompson, Ric Torgenson, Bob and Meg VanShoorl, Deb and Gary Waldherr, Michelle Agrilar-Wells and Richard Wells, Bill Wilmovski, Bob Wolf, Scott Woodard, Fern Zamriskie and John Zermer. If I forgot your name, please forgive me.

New members I would really like to thank for stepping up are: Dale and Joanne Bamford, Kristalene and Ron Stomer, Lenora Tanaka and Tim and Jessica Whipple. Your enthusiasm to serve is an inspiration. You are the future of our club and I thank you for being part of OYC.

The Coronavirus has damped what would have been and exciting beginning to a new boating season. It was not the

way we wished we could have finishing up my Commodore year. I am encouraged by the slate of new officers, committee chairs and board of trustees. I see a very bright future for this club. Annette and I have enjoyed serving you. We encourage anyone who is thinking about serving to do so.

Finally, I wanted to thank my beautiful bride, my partner in life. I want to thank you for putting up with my absence and long nights away from home. Thanks for putting up with my rants. I want to thank you for allowing me to put OYC at the forefront of our lives for the past three years. I could not have done this without your support. We made it out the other side of this adventure, I look forward to what is next. I love you. From the movie Bruce Almighty, behind every good man is a woman rolling her eyes, and you roll your eyes a lot.

Thank you OYC for the privilege and the honor of serving you. I know that the club is in good hands of sound leadership. Fair winds and following seas.

Sea Ya! On the water soon!

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safe and as soon as the situation allows we will be getting our Boating Social Club back to boating and socializing. See You on the Dinghy Soon,

VC Mitch and First Mate Anne Marie
OYC Vice Commodore
MV Release

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Yes, my Year as Rear is a year to remember. As we swear in our new Rear for the New Year, I say to them: Top This! Thank you for the opportunity to serve and represent OYC! See you on the water or on the docks (sooner or later!)

Rear Commodore
Danny and Jackie Wrye
MV Sea Chalet



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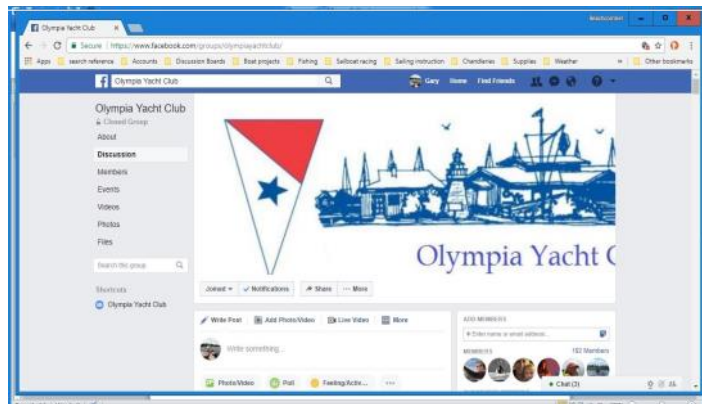
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Fleet Captain Power

Captain Craig Brown
First Mate Deb Brown
M/V Winsome



Hello Everyone

This has certainly been an unfortunate state of the world the last few months. Our hearts go out to those that were lost, those that are suffering and everyone that

works to provide food, medicine and vital services despite their risk of exposure. We are so grateful.

We continue to support the food banks and hospitals during this time as the need is overwhelming.

As society finds ways to open back up safely, we hope for an adequate level of sustainability until a cure can be found.

As our virtual change of watch approaches, we'd like to thank you all for making the last two years as Fleet Captain a memorable and rewarding experience for us. We've made a lot of new friends because of it, and will treasure this experience forever. We look forward to helping with future events when we're all able to get back together again.

Let it be soon.

FCP Craig and Deb Brown

M/V Winsome



Fleet Captain Sail

Captain Mike Glowrylow
First Mate Esther Baker
S/V Sassy



Sailing, what Sailing?

Swiftsure, Race to Alaska, numerous worldwide races, all canceled, as have been all our local races so far. So I don't have much news on the sailing front, other than various mishaps detailed in sail-

ing magazines and online, such as keels falling off, groundings, and engines failing at the worse possible times. All occurring before Covid-19 arrived.

The news isn't all bad, of course, there just isn't much of it. I believe we've only taken our boat out once or twice this year, but on the plus side I've gotten a lot done around the house.

So, with this article I bid farewell as Fleet Captain Sail and thank all those that have helped with TGIFs and other duties that I and First Mate Esther Baker were honored to have supervised over the past year. I'd name them all, but fear leaving out anyone. I trust that incoming FCS, presumably Lenora Tanaka (the sole candidate to come forth) will also benefit from all that volunteer help.

I have thrown in my hat to serve on the board of trustees again, and would be honored to serve again.

This is the part where I encourage everyone one to participate in the next TGIF, whenever that may be. It's a fun event and such a great opportunity to get together closer than six feet when TGIF resumes.

So, fair winds to everyone and we'll see you out on the water as soon as we can.

FSC Mike Gowrylow and Esther Baker
S/V Sassy



Board of Trustees

Bob VanSchoorl, Chair

M/V Amstel Maru



The Board of Trustees met on May 13 via Zoom. The BOT dealt primarily with the impacts on OYC and its members from the COVID-19 pandemic.

- All scheduled activities for the month of June are cancelled including the June 3 dinner meeting and Change of Watch. The newly elected officers will be sworn-in online and a formal Change of Watch will be scheduled at the September dinner meeting.
- As previously emailed to the membership, many members are concerned about the lack of social distancing at Island Home. Please consider your impact on other members while at OYC.
- The clubhouses at the Main Station and Island Home remain closed except for essential business. At the Main Station, members are encouraged to utilize the outside restroom unless it is occupied. The ice stations at both facilities are also closed. The reciprocal dock is closed.

You may have noticed that the paving of the new parking lot is underway. It should be nearly done, or done, by the time this is published.

Congratulations to the newly elected club officers.

This is my last Beachcomber article as the BOT Chair. I have served two terms on the Board and five years as the Chair. It is time for a break. During that time, I have had the pleasure of serving with about 20 other Board members. They have been a fabulous group of leaders, fully dedicated to the current work and the future of OYC. I thank them for their stepping up into this important leadership role. We have accomplished a lot during the past six years, building on the work our predecessors.



Thank you for the opportunity to serve. See you at sea.

The Board of Trustees will meet on June 10 at 6:00 p.m., likely on Zoom.

SOCIAL DISTANCING

The Board and the Bridge have received several complaints about the number of members ignoring the COVID-19 social distancing guidance. This has been particularly a problem at Island Home especially on the docks and at the fire pit.

Members are reminded that social distancing is an important part of slowing the spread of the virus. So far, we have not heard of any member who has tested positive and we certainly want to keep it that way. It would be tragic if a case was tracked to an OYC facility.

Well we all have varying opinions about the COVID-19 restrictions, we each have a responsibility to other members to do our part when at the Club's facilities

Please observe social distancing at all time at OYC.

Thank you for your cooperation.

In addition, the Board has cancelled the June 3 dinner meeting. The formal change of watch will be held in September.

Please, you and your family, stay safe and healthy.

Mark Welpman
Commodore

Bob Van Schoorl
Chair, OYC Board of Trustees

Election Results

Congratulations to the newly elected members of our 2020-21 Bridge, Secretary, and two new Board of Trustee members.

The newly elected OYC Officers are:

BRIDGE

Commodore	Jesse Mitchell
Vice Commodore	Danny Wyre
Rear Commodore	Judy Setina
Fleet Captain Power	Kay Stormer
Fleet Captain Sail	Lenora Tanaka

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Secretary	Melissa Ashcraft
Trustee	Walt Schefter
Trustee	Bill Wilmovski

Thank you to all of you who participated in our first mail-in officer election. 157 ballots were submitted, slightly more than 60% of our eligible voting members.

TGIF

Thank God it's Friday!

Cancelled this month

March 27, 2020

Drinks and Socializing 5:30 pm
 Pizza etc..... 6:00 pm

\$6/person

No reservations required

Lunch Bunch Returns

Wednesday, March 11, 2020

11:30 am - 12:30 pm

Cancelled until further notice



Join the Lunch Bunch for a fabulous Irish luncheon.

We will have a delicious stew on a bed of creamy potatoes.

Bread pudding with whiskey sauce.

We will have something green and leafy to help you honor your resolutions, but hey it is only March once a year!

You would have to travel all the way to Dublin for a better lunch.


All of this for only \$6.00

Join your buddies from 11:30 to 12:30

Kelly Thompson
 360 402 9999

Sunshine Committee

Deb Waldherr, Chair



Please be sure to text or call me regarding any member or members who should receive a card from the club.

I can be reached at 360-561-1947, a call or text would be great.



Community & Government Affairs

Myra Downing and Kelly Thompson, Co-Chairs



Thurston.

Community Foundation of South Puget Sound and United Way of Thurston County have partnered to establish the Thurston County COVID-19 Response Fund

Hello. We hope all is well with you and your families and wanted to give you an update on our committee's activities. Right after we made our announcements about our grant awards, life as we know it, changed dramatically. We, as a committee met and decided that, instead of awarding the grants as we had planned, we elected to give \$2000 to the COVID 19 Response Fund in Thurston County. The Covid 19 Response Fund is co-sponsored by the Community Foundation of South Puget Sound and the United Way of Thurston County. Funds are used for critically needed mother and baby supplies, food security and other emergency assistance to individuals and families. They sent us a thank you note that is included in this newsletter.

We also decided to hold onto the remaining grant funds of \$4000 and disperse them by September 30, 2020. This gives us additional time to reassess needs at that time, including the needs of our original award winners.

Thanks to our Board of Trustees for working with us and thanks to all of you for making OYC such a caring organization.

Below is the acknowledgement of the Olympia Yacht Club contribution, along with other major community partners, into the Thurston COVID-19 Response Fund. It's on this website. <https://www.thecommunityfoundation.com/covid-response/>

The Fund is designed to rapidly mobilize and deploy resources to the people who are most vulnerable to the economic impacts of COVID-19 in Thurston County.

The Thurston County COVID-19 Response Fund will provide funds to assist the most disproportionately impacted individuals and families, as well as certain organizations in our community who are serving those populations.

THANK YOU TO THURSTON COUNTY FUNDING PARTNERS INCLUDING:

Community Foundation of South Puget Sound, United Way of Thurston County, Thurston County, City of Olympia, City of Lacey, City of Tumwater, Olympia Federal Savings, WSECU, Wells Fargo, Puget Sound Energy, Premera Blue Cross, Medina Foundation, Perigee Fund, Jernigan Foundation, Olympia Yacht Club, Columbia Bank, individual donors

THURSTON COUNTY GRANTEES (AS OF 5/15/2020):

Community Action Council, Thurston County Food Bank, Senior Services for South Sound, Catholic Community Services' Community Kitchen, Interfaith Works, and procurement of emergency supplies for low-income families with small children (diapers, wipes, baby food, etc.) for Nurse Family Partnership, Child Care Action Council, Together!, Family Education and Support Services, Family Support Center

5/18/2020

Olympia Yacht Club
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Dear Olympia Yacht Club,

First, let us say thank you for your generous gift to the Thurston County COVID-19 Community Response Fund.

Your recent donation of \$2,000 means that you understand how important it is to fight for the health, education, and financial stability of every person in Thurston County.

Your gift to the COVID-19 Community Response Fund will help United Way of Thurston County (UWTC) and the Community Foundation of South Puget Sound rapidly mobilize and deploy resources to those who are most vulnerable to the economic impacts of COVID-19 in Thurston County, supporting those who are disproportionately impacted by coronavirus and the economic consequences of this outbreak.

UWTC and the Community Foundation are working closely with local government, public health and emergency management officials, and community leaders to quickly adapt to evolving needs throughout the outbreak and recovery phases of this crisis.

Watch for updates on our website, [www.unitedway -thurston.org](http://www.unitedway-thurston.org), and our Facebook page for information about how nonprofits are managing and serving our community during this difficult time.

Again, thank you for your gift. Take great care of yourself, loved ones, and please provide a helping hand to those who need it most during these challenging times.

Best always,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Chris Wells".

Chris Wells
Executive Director

Quartermaster

Margaret Snyder & Judy Ball, Co-Chairs



June 2020

Since there will not be any dinner meetings in the foreseeable future the Quartermaster will remain closed.

If there is a dire need to **replace a missing burgee**, call Margaret Snyder at 253 219-1876.

Stay safe everyone!

Margaret and Judy

Women's Interclub Council

Kim Shann, Representative



Due to the CORONA VIRUS....and the decision made by OYC, there will not be any Anchorette function, meetings, or any Women's Inter-club gatherings...till further notice. 🙄

**KIMM SHANN
WIC REPRESENTATIVE**

Beachcomber

J Grady editor



Hi all, I note that some of the club member ads have been running for more than a year. I am going to institute a policy of requiring an updated request every **6 months**, so we can keep the ads fresh. There are several ads currently over that time. Pls send in a request if you'd like the ad to continue to run.

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Please drop me a note if you are interested in joining

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J Grady

Beachcomber Editor

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You can make this choice at any time and change your mind if you don't like it..

Thank you,
J Grady
Beachcomber Editor

Budget and Finance

Gary Ball, Chair
Holli Howatson, Treasurer



At its May 13 meeting, the Board of Trustees elected me to be the new Treasurer of The Olympia Yacht Club. You may or may not be aware that the Board hired me last December to undertake improvements in our financial and business operation which includes, but is not limited to, some of our primary record keeping functions.

Steps undertaken so far have required the cooperation of members in providing updated contact information, responding to various requests, agreeing to accept emailed invoices, reading the Beachcomber online (or printing it out themselves), and paying invoices through our online payment system.

While I'm personally grateful for your participation in these things - and have thoroughly enjoyed getting to know so many of you! - they aren't being done to make my life easier. Rather, to the extent the Club moves forward with digital and other efficiencies, we work better, faster, and with fewer errors, enabling the many who volunteer to support our Club to accomplish

more on behalf of our Club, and still be able to get out on the water and spend time cultivating friendships with other members.

Some of the things in the works -- all of which are being done with the help of other members -- include furthering the online payment processing, adding information to member records and moorage, and development of a new website. I hope that you'll let me know if you have suggestions for other improvements we can make and provide feedback as we move ahead.

In the meantime, it'll sure be great to see people again! Be safe and well -

Holli Howatson

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Club Service Program

PC Les Thompson, Chair



Happy June everyone. I hope this finds you all well and safe. I can't wait until we can all get together again, I do miss seeing members at the club and on their boats.

Not much new in the world of CSP. As for now the BOT has not instituted any changes to the current policy for the year which is still 24 hours. As COVID-19 plays out in the future that issue may be addressed but for now no changes. Many of you have been doing jobs around the club and mainstation which is great. There are opportunities there as well as Island Home

that can be done while still maintaining social distancing. Check with either caretaker for assistance.

When social events resume there will be plenty of opportunity to help and get involved especially during the fall and winter balls and special events as well as committee meetings etc.. I will post a new report the first part of July for the second quarter of the year but you can always contact me if you need information.

Stay safe and I hope to see you soon on the dock or at an event.

PC Les Thompson
CSP guru
MV/*EcstaSea*

Fleet Surgeon

Richard Hurst, M.D. ("Rich")



Why so long?

I don't know about you, but when I go to the local grocers, it is like tip-toeing through a mine field. Half the customers are not wearing masks and the social distancing is mostly at the check-out lines. The good news - finally found some flour for sale. We medical folks know that it is not one virus particle or one bacteria that makes us sick, it is a dose which means how many germs for however long a time. Read the following link. It is well written and will explain why you won't see me at any indoor restaurant any time soon.

https://www.erinbromage.com/post/the-risks-know-them-avoid-them?fbclid=IwAR32K7Nji4M8HwJf8Q_SYh_sc3jjUA_MUsLIP5U2Eoyzregf6FthYV_kczc

We are somewhat lucky that Thurston County has a low penetrance of the virus so the chances of running afoul of someone infected is low. Unfortunately, those of us in the northern end are surrounded by dwellers who work in germmy Pierce County.

Medical care has been turned on its head. The other day when Dianne had to visit the doctor, we were met at the door by the PPE'd guardian who checked to see that she wasn't sick and I had to return to wait in the car. The allergy clinic was in the foyer. Doctors who do a lot of elective surgeries are wondering how to make their boat payments while others are wondering if they will ever get home. Note! While all this is happening, s*it still happens. People are still having strokes and heart attacks. Do **not** fear going to the hospital. We do not have ERs brimming with COVID patients like you see on the TV from NYC. At St. Pete's, anyone vaguely suggestive of COVID disease goes to an isolated ward and doesn't mix with other problems. Actually, so few people are going to the ER that you may not even have to wait.

Wait – for how long for the CURE? Well, the Cold is a Coronavirus and have you seen a cure for that yet? The search is certainly going on worldwide. There are a number of molecular attack points to be investigated. Then test those on monkeys. Then test on humans. Are they safe? What is the best dose? Do they actually work? On everybody? What percent as we hear about the Flu vaccine? Are those who were infected now safe? Will everyone need yearly boosters? One or two primary shots? If 40-60% of the population get the disease, will there be herd immunity? Will we still be wearing masks? If they find the best vaccine, how long to make 300 million doses and..... get them out to every clinic or pharmacy out there? Will we ever go to a concert again? When? Will you ever see me at an indoor restaurant again? I hope so.

Meanwhile, wear your mask at the grocers.

Main Station

Bill Hamaker and Jim Howatson, Co-chairs



The Mainstation continues to operate on a reduced schedule of activities, and some maintenance has been curtailed due to lack of CSP workers. We have many opportunities for CSP participation that individuals can perform alone and maintain social distancing, so don't hesitate to call for further information.

Take a look at the new workboat that was just launched for the club caretaker. It's docked in the workboat boathouse and it's a beaut.

The new barge is coming along nicely with the anti-foul painting completed and the new decking finally arrived. Several minor modifications had to be made to accept the aluminum decking for installation, as in stringers had to be milled in the wood shop to fit in the aluminum struts on the barge. The project should be completed by the time this article is in the Beachcomber.

A recent incident at the dumpster was brought to my attention on Tuesday May 12.

Members were dumping garbage sacks outside the dumpster, that was full. The driver will not load overflow into the unit as he can only pick up the complete dumpster. If the dumpster is full, take your trash home with you, or if you are a live aboard, schedule your dump run on Tuesday afternoon or Wednesday when the dumpster is empty.



The Grid floating dock work has slowed down due to recent events and the cleaning of the sail boat pad went well. We will continue on the powerboat Grid pad in the near future.

The club beautification project is making great strides in spite of the current restrictions.

The woodshop machinery has recently had several incidents caused by misuse or unqualified operation, so please if you are unfamiliar with the machinery, don't use it. The shop was cleaned and some organizing was done and will be an ongoing project.

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Island Home

Earl Hughes, Chair



Well, summer is here, says the calendar. While enjoying time with family and OYC friends at the Island, remember SOCIAL DISTANCING is required on the docks, in the clubhouse, and at the fire pit. We know that you would not want to be responsible for someone's illness.

A big thank you to George. The Island looks like a park for our enjoyment.

Earl Hughes

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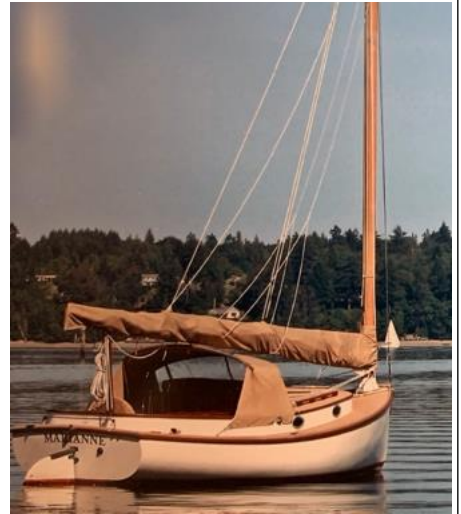
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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
31	1 OYC Environmental Awareness Committee Meeting	2 Bridge Meeting	3	4 Local Elected Officials Reception	5	6
7	8 Main Station / Clubhouse Com Mtg 6:00 PM	9	10 Lunch Bunch 11:30 - 12:30 - CANCELLED Board of Trustees Meeting	11 Local Elected Officials Reception	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27 Private event

July 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
28	29	30	1	2	3 4th of July Cruise to Island Home	4
5 4th of July Cruise to Island Home	6 Main Station / Clubhouse Com Mtg 6:00 PM	7 Bridge Mtg	8 Board of Trustees	9	10	11
12	13	14	15 Capital Lakefair	16	17	18
19 Capital Lakefair	20	21	22	23	24	25
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