



From The Commodore



Eight Bells

With a heavy heart I announce that Past-Commodore Vince Albee has passed away. Vince spent many years in a wide variety of positions on the Board of Governors of the Yacht Club. He and Betsy supported all Club activities and made sure the kids in the STP were well equipped. Vince was a Commodore that always said "Thank you". He will be sorely missed. Below is a wonderfully composed piece that appeared in the Providence Journal on Tuesday, August 25th.

Vince will be sorely missed.

F. Vincent Albee, CLU, CHFC- "Skip" or "Yo, Vinnie!" 66, Barrington, RI, passed away in his home on Thursday, August 20th. Vincent - or "Skip" as his parents called him - was born on March 23, 1943, in Providence, Rhode Island. He was the son of entrepreneur P. Fredrick Albee and Helen P. Albee. After moving several times, his family finally settled down in Barrington Rhode Island where he attended Barrington High School, Class of 1960.

Vincent went on to graduate from Brown University, Class of 1964. To support himself in college, Vincent sold Encyclopedia Britannicas door to door. Being a great salesman, he discovered, was his true talent. An associate of his father's introduced Vincent



F. Vincent Albee
Past Commodore, 1995-96

to life insurance sales for National Life of Vermont. After working there for fifteen years, he became affiliated with GenCorp M. Securities Group Holdings of East Greenwich, R.I.

Vincent was a member of the Million Dollar Round Table, the University Club, the 2000 Club, Warren Rod and Gun Club, the Barrington Yacht Club and Newport Yacht Club. He served as Commodore of Barrington Yacht Club from 1995 to 1996. He was also involved with Narragansett Bay Yachting Association for several years. For his many years of motivation and dedication Vincent was the recipient of several awards for accomplishments both in business and in sailing.

Sailing was indeed his passion and, from childhood, he happily sailed the

waters of Narragansett Bay. "Yo, Vinnie!" as he was known at the Yacht Club, participated in the Cox Tuesday night sailing series at the Barrington Yacht Club winning the Class A championships three consecutive years with his C+C 39 AVANTI. He sailed and raced boats in the Caribbean for many years and participated in the Heineken Regatta, Antigua Race Week, and the 2001 America's Cup Jubilee in Cowes, England.

In semi-retirement, he thoroughly enjoyed cruising aboard his Catalina 42 CHAOS with first mate and wife Betsy Albee and crew Ally and Sidney, their two standard poodles. They sailed extensively throughout Narragansett Bay, to Cuttyhunk, Martha's Vineyard, Edgartown, Nantucket and finally Maine; with a personal favorite stop in Scituate Harbor. Vincent is survived by his wife, Betsy, his sons, Chris and Brett and his stepmother, Barbara Albee. We mourn the loss of a great man, good friend, remarkable teacher and exceptional professional. There will be forever be a forty-two foot hole in the ocean.

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BARRINGTON YACHT CLUB

**Notice of 2009
Fall Membership
Meeting
Friday, October 16
at 1900 Hours**

Pursuant to Article IX, Section 1 of the By-laws of the Barrington Yacht Club, the Fall Meeting will be held on Friday, October 16, 2009 at 1900 hours to elect officers for the ensuing year, to receive reports by the Commodore and the Chairpersons of Standing Committees, and for the transaction of any other business that may be properly brought before it. Proxy forms as described in Article IX, Section 6 of the By-Laws will be available at the Club office beginning September 18, 2009.

Respectfully Submitted,

Peter Armstrong
Secretary

**STP News
Jim Myers, Chair**

We have had a stellar year in STP. I believe we hit a record with 270 students and 15 staff. Thank you all for entrusting your children to us in STP. Joe Codega has done a wonderful job as Director once again as well as our head instructor Caroline Thomas. Our whole staff including our volunteer ITs worked very hard to make for a great sailing experience for all our students.

I am very excited to report that we are going to reduce the club's 420 fleet from 22 boats to 18. Given our very full year we did not need all 22 boats at any time. We will be selling 7 420s for \$3000.00 each rigged and ready to sail. We are offering this deal to club members first. If you are interested please contact myself, Scott Nichols or Susan Ferry at the club. The 420s we are selling are in the sand lot marked "Sale". We are also selling a few of our Optimist hulls. These will be \$199.99 each for the hull only. We are upgrading one of our Daysailers as well. So we are selling the blue hulled Daysailer with the trailer for \$999.99. These boats will make great winter projects and once refurbished will make great sailboats for you. We will be purchasing 3 brand new race rigged 420s for next season and refurbishing the 11 420s that have not yet received the tennis ball bailer repairs. I am also hopeful that by next year all our 420s will have new sails as well. So next year we will have 15 420s that will be in great shape for the Senior Circuit and STP as well as the club's use.

On that note. Please be aware that the club's 2 Daysailers and 420s are available for members use until club closing. Please see Scott to check out a boat and enjoy them.

Mugwumps this year was a challenge considering the weather every Wednesday evening. We were only able to get 3 Mugwumps evenings off. The series winners were Matt Schryver in 1st place, Caroline Elliott in 2nd place and Stephen Paras in 3rd place breaking a tie with Lindsey Kloc in 4th place in the Optimist class.

We are planning to add an Opti Green Fleet class next year in the 4th session only. The intent is for our Opti sailors interested in moving onto the race course to have a session to learn enough to participate in NBYA Race week in the Green Fleet. I hope that many of our Mugwumps green fleet sailors will move into this class.

Just a reminder that the STP committee is an open committee and any member can join. We will be having meetings starting in September. We will add them to the weekly email blast.

Thank you again for another great year of STP.



Club Night Rules for Children

(Please help us achieve a safe environment by having your children adhere to these simple guidelines. These rules are in place to help safeguard all children & Junior Members)

- 1) No climbing on the anchor or flagpole, rocks walls, dock ramps or under the clubhouse at any time.
- 2) Children are not allowed on the docks without their parents and must be wearing a USCG approved lifejacket
- 3) No throwing of objects or roughhousing in the clubhouse, restrooms, sandlot, pool area, tent or anywhere else on the BYC grounds
- 4) No swimming allowed from, or around, any BYC pier or dock.
- 5) Children are not to play in the parking lot due to traffic concerns.
- 6) Only adults can order from the bar. Children will be refused.
- 7) No children are allowed outside the club after colors (sunset) without being accompanied by their parents.

PARENTS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CONDUCT OF THEIR CHILDREN. PLEASE ADVISE THEM AGAINST DESTRUCTION OF AND DAMAGE TO CLUB AND MEMBER'S PROPERTY.

Scott L. Nichols, General Manager

Upcoming Events

Fleet Captain's Cruise
9/5-9/7

Bud Humphrey Race
Sunday, 9/27

Fall Cruise
10/10-10/12

Haul Out Party
Saturday, 10/17

Women Teaching Women

Lisa Culton and Teresa Sarli, Co-Chairs

The 2009 Ole Ladies Cup Race took place on Monday, August 10th. The weather cooperated and a fun time was had by all! Special thanks are extended to all on the Race Committee; Bev Migliore, Jean MacIntyre, Phyllis McClelland, George Crocker and Peter and Marguerite Armstrong. We also thank all BYC members who offered their boats, time, skills, post-activity food and camaraderie for this great annual event! Congratulations to all participants, and to the Skipper and Crew of Mighty Puffin who took first place overall. The Wicked Team won first all women.

Final results

Start Time:18:35:00 Distance:2.6

Rank	Boat	Helms woman	PHRF
Finish	Elapsed	Corrected	
1	Mighty Puffin	Lilly Neville	132
	19:19:43	0:44:43	0:39:00
2	Bombaloo	Victoria North	193
	19:23:09	0:48:09	0:39:47
3	Thistle	Teresa Sarli	157
	19:23:16	0:48:16	0:41:28
4	Wicked	Clare McMillan	135
	19:31:21	0:56:21	0:50:30
5	Counterpoint	Zeth Morgan	174
	19:37:48	1:02:48	0:55:16

**Save the date Friday, October 2, 2009, 6-7:30pm
WTW general interest and planning session.**

We welcome all to join us to assist in continuing the WTW purpose of fostering relationships within the club and to continue creating a shared learning and teaching environment amongst women members.

MANAGERS CORNER

Launch & Fuel Operations

The club launch will be running daily from 0800 hours to Sunset through the end of the season. When calling on the radio (CH 68) repeat "Nor'easter" at least twice to get our attention, if we do not answer quickly please call again. If your radio is not working, call on your cell phone (245-1181) for a ride.

Dumpster Use

All trash is to be disposed of IN (not ON or AROUND) our trash receptacles. If these are full, please go all the way to our main lot and toss it into the big steel dumpster. Hazardous materials may not be placed in trash containers and must be disposed of properly.

Grills

Club grills are available for members to use throughout the month of October. Grills are normally set up for Friday night activities. Otherwise, grill and paper supplies can be obtained by asking the steward on duty.

A reminder to all smokers

BYC is a smoke-free facility. Smoking (cigarettes, cigars, or pipes) is NOT PERMITTED at anytime, anywhere on Club grounds.

Winter Storage

A reminder to boat owners that wet winter storage is available in the South Marina this upcoming season. See the 2009 fee schedule for pricing or call club management.

Thank you,
Scott Nichols
General Manager

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Cruise Committee News
Joop Nagtegaal, Chair

After a wet start, we have enjoyed good summer weather during the month of August. This trend is continuing, after a brief interruption due to tropical storm Danny. The Fleet Captain's Cruise is benefiting from this trend, with 26 boats participating

With the Fleet Captain's Cruise just about done, you may want to give some thought to the Fall Cruise to Newport during the Columbus Day weekend, October 10 to 12. We will stay at the Newport Yachting Center, and will enjoy a catered barbecue in the tent adjacent to the dock. Online registration will open soon after the Fleet Captain's Cruise, but you should reserve dockspace for \$2.75/foot at the Newport Yachting Center as soon as possible (846-1600, and mention that you belong to the Barrington YC cruise). If many members reserve dockspace early, NYC will put more on reserve for the club. You can always cancel your reservation if your plans change!

Social Committee News
Ray Simone, Chair

The last tent event was an artistic success musically with a band that entertained the spectrum of the ages. In fact a few of the older generation were seen cavorting on the dance floor. My thanks to Jan Malcolm for suggesting the band and Jane Pear for assisting with the dessert. It's unfortunate that more members were unable to be present.

For your planning purposes, we have Charlie Hall and the Ocean State Follies coming to the club on March 13, 2010 and the Chris Fitz Band is scheduled for June 19, 2010.

The attendance at the tent events was not up to the usual numbers. Was it a timing issue, the price was wrong, the event itself was not appealing or are there other reasons? Feedback would be appreciated either at social@barringtonyc.com or to any member of the social committee.

As the summer slowly winds down, our thoughts turn to Friday nights and the guest chef program. It's not too early to volunteer to cook on a Friday night and to make sure you get the date of your choice.

Entries for your calendar: The Haul Out, October 17, Awards Banquet, November 14 and the Holiday Party, December 5, 2009.

***The BYC
Potter's Cove
Mooring***
*It is a white ball with "BYC" and
burgee.*
*Lat: 41.38.075
Long: 71.19.904*

Nice Day for a Sail?
Daysailors and 420's are available for
member's use until Club closing

See Scott to sign out a boat



HAUL OUT PARTY
STAURDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2009
17:30 TO 19:30
(5:30 PM TO 7:30 PM)

Passed hors d'oeuvres and stationary items

Reservations requested at social@barringtonyc.com
or Bambi or Ray at 247-0144

NO SHOWS WILL NOT BE BILLED!

Members (adults) only. Proper dress requested. \$12 per person.
No cash, charge only.