



From The Commodore



Summer is here and the Club is in full swing.

The June tent event was a wonderful night for all that attended. Many thanks should go out to Ray Simone, Jane Pear and the Social Committee for this spectacular bash. The Cox Series has been wet, but fun, with many races already completed. The Dana Rice building, which has just been freshened, and pool area, are very busy places to be with lots of laughter heard.

Women Teaching Women has grown by leaps and bounds under the direction of Lisa Culton and Teresa Sarli. There are already over 60 Members that have joined, with plenty of different activities being planned throughout the year.

Bob Anderson and the Membership Committee have been hard at work and we are happy to say, the Club is at full membership.

The Sail Training Instructors have been teaching the kids go fast techniques, and the Junior Committee, will keep the Club kids busy in the game room and on the sand lot. Last, but definitely not least, try not to miss Family Day this month. This is always a load of fun for the entire family. Many

Upcoming Events

Mugwumps Begins
July 1

Sail Newport Regatta
July 11-12

Lobster Boil
July 18

Family Day
July 20

activities are planned including the ever-popular watermelon contest.

Enjoy this wonderful weather and as always, feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns.

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**STP News
Jim Myers, Chair**

I am writing this on the first day of STP this year. I hope by the time you read this the sun has come out.

We have a very full program. For perspective, two years ago we had 124 students during the summer. Last year we had 174. This year we are over 200. This has meant an increase in our power boat fleet, sail fleet and the number of instructors to maintain our instructor to student ratios. We are fortunate to have the club's board and staff to support our growing program.

Our race team will have a group of 4 coaches rotating days for the summer. We will have one coach on per day four days of the week. The remaining day will be for individual practice or a day of fun as needed. Our coaches are Amanda Callaghan, head coach of Roger Williams University. Ned Jones, most recently Northeastern University's head coach. Kathleen Tocke, head coach and program director of Rocky Hill School and Conanicut YC. A frequent coach of the F.A.S.T. Racing program & Hilary Wiech coach of St. Georges School. Our racers are in very capable hands.

We are also hosting 2 team race clinics this summer. This will be a great opportunity for our 420 sailors. Mugwumps starts on July 1st. Any member of the yacht club can participate regardless of whether or not they are in STP. We also have a fun class of adult and child 420s. Come out and give it a try.

I look forward to seeing you all at STP. I send out frequent emails to STP parents with images of the program. If you do not receive these please let me know and I will add you to the list.

**Junior Activities News
Alysia Curry, Chair**

School is out and summer is here so who cares if the sun comes out! Caroline Place has joined our staff as the new Junior Activities Director and both she and Miles Hughes have been hard at work getting the junior game room ready for the summer. It is open and ready for play! Drop by and say hello, they have are some fun things planned for the summer.

The Junior Opening was the 18th and in spite of the rain, everyone had a great time. Who knew you could eat an apple off a string "without using your hands"? Some special thanks go out to the volunteers who helped make the evening such a success. Commodore Karen North, Treasurer John Ratcliffe, Carolyn McGarry, Nancy Labelle, Teresa Sarli, Tanja Epps, Gus Kreuzkamp and Ned Curry; thank you all for corralling and feeding the masses!

Mark your calendars, Family Day is July 20th. We have some volunteers, but can always use more. Please let me know when you would like to help, alysiacurry@cox.net.

Friday Night Films joins Grill Night at the Yacht Club. The Junior Activities Committee is sponsoring movies under the tent on Friday evenings. We'll provide the movie, popcorn and lemonade, and a member of the Junior Activities staff. Parents will be asked to sign up for a 30 minute shift to help supervise the children (who will be housed under the tent where they can eat, drink and make noise!). This activity is open to all children whose parents are at the club enjoying grill night. The show will start at 7:30 PM.

Little Minnows starts on Tuesday July 7th at 10am, and will run Tuesday and Thursday mornings all summer. Little Minnows is a craft and game time for the pre-junior members, there is a \$2 per child charge and parents must stay in the Dana Rice area.

Whew, Junior Activities has been busy and is looking forward to a fun-filled summer. We are always looking for volunteers and activity ideas, call or email if you have any (time, ideas, suggestions). See you around the club!

Cruise Committee News
Joop Nagtegaal, Chair

Pleasant weather and a good turnout would accurately describe the Memorial Day weekend Spring Cruise to Wickford. There were 19 boats, all in slips, and 8 carloads that drove down for Sunday dinner. The appetizer contest, which has become traditional and cocktail party, took place late Saturday afternoon. What a treat! All the appetizers were very creative and taste good, too. Picking winners was difficult. No need to have had dinner that night after all those delights! Wickford Marina did a great job of hosting the Club. On Sunday night another spectacular meal was prepared and served at the Wickford Yacht Club by Tony Demers and John Ratcliffe. If you weren't there, you missed a great weekend.

As this is being written, the Summer Cruise just sailed toward Mystic with planned stops in Dutch Harbor and Watch Hill. The return leg will include a layover at Block Island and Bristol Harbor for the July 4th festivities in Bristol. I'm sure there will be pictures and stories in the next Line.

Social Committee News
Ray Simone, Chair

The 80 plus guest who attended the "Welcome Summer Bash" were treated to a home grilled meal of flank steak, chicken wings and freshly cut tuna along with vegetables. topped off with a berry bread dessert. Then the music of "Band of Brothers" performed in the main salon to the enjoyment of the assembled crowd. My thanks to Jane Pear for heading up this event in her usual fantastic fashion. Our next tent event will be the Lobster Boil on July 18 with the music being provided by the "Rippers". The Phillips and the MacIntyres are in charge of the festivities. Elsewhere in the Line will be more information and watch for blast emails and postings at the Club.

TENT EVENT SCHEDULE

DATE	EVENT	BAND
July 18	Lobster Boil	The Rippers
August 8	Autumnal Interlude	J. D, Billy & Ken

Women Teaching Women
Lisa Culton and Teresa Sarli, Co-Chairs

The membership in Women Teaching Women is currently 60 strong. WTW recently held our 'Instructional Sail 101' under the tent, then out on the dock. Next time we take to the water! We have a great group of experienced and inexperienced sailors. WTW's purpose of fostering relationships between the women members of the club is off to a great start this season. We welcome all to join us and assist in continuing to create a shared learning and teaching environment amongst women members. And besides all that, have fun!

Ole Ladies Cup Race

Save the date of Monday, August 10, 2009, to participate and support the Women Teaching Women Program at the club. We are fortunate to have Bev Migliore back as our Principal Race Officer. Bev will present her "Chalk Talk" on Friday, August 7, 2009, 1900hrs. The Ole Ladies Cup Race is for BYC members, and the crew of each yacht must be at least 50% female with a female skipper at the helm for 100% of the race. All female crews are strongly encouraged. All levels of ability are encouraged to participate and join in our post race festivities.

Race will start at 1830 hours on Monday August 10, 2009; Light meal and Awards Ceremony will immediately follow. The Notice of Race is now online under non-series racing. Please join us for this annual event!

Ole Ladies Cup Perpetual Trophy to be awarded in November by the Race Committee to the winning female skipper (1st overall & 1st all women).

We can be reached by email at WTW@Barringtonyc.com or by our phone numbers listed in the log.

Annual Lobster Boil under the Tent
Saturday, July 18, 2009 6 PM
\$30 per member/ \$35 per guest

Join the Barrington Yacht Club Social Committee as they prepare their annual Lobster Feast just the way you like it. We will have BYC's own Bob Malcolm and his band "The Rippers" for your dancing pleasure and of course a table decorating contest. We anticipate a large crowd so make your reservations early. And, remember to bring your own lobster crackers, we will do the rest.

Steak maybe substituted for lobster for the same price. Reservations can be made by emailing Social@BarringtonYC.com



LOBSTER BOIL
JULY 18, 2009
6PM

LARGE LOBSTER, CORN ON THE COB, SALADS, DESSERT
STEAK CAN BE SUBSTITUTED AT SAME PRICE

\$30 FOR MEMBERS & \$35 FOR GUESTS
LIMITED TO 350

MUSIC PROVIDE BY THE RIPPERS
FEATURING BOB MALCOMB

RESERVATIONS CAN BE MADE BY EMAILING SOCIAL@BARRINGTONYC.COM
No shows will be billed.

Members are asked not to start decorating tables prior to 1630 hours (4:30 PM).
There will be a table decorating contest. Please note that tent events are for adults over 21 only.
Bring your lobster crackers.