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UPCOMING EVENTS

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| 2/5, Friday
7:00 pm | BYC Historian
Dinner |
| 2/28, Sunday
10:30 am | Blizzard Brunch |
| 3/6, Sunday | Spring Frostbiting
Begins |
| 3/10, Thursday | Wine & Food
Pairing |
| 3/20, Sunday | Family Brunch &
Egg Hunt |

**FOR MORE EVENTS, PLEASE
VISIT THE [BYC WEBSITE](#)**



FROM THE COMMODORE

DAVID MATERNE

I am writing to you from not so warm and sunny Everglade City, Florida. Brian and I came down for a quick three-day visit with my parents. It is 48 degrees out and the first two days saw about 5 inches of rain. We tested out mom's new boat (as dad describes it) and had some great fresh fish and even tried some local alligator. Seeing so many boats in the water is starting to get me excited for the upcoming season.

While January is usually a slow month around the club, we did have a few fun events. The Social Committee hosted a sellout Wine Tasting and pairing with food and this past Friday was the start of our guest chef nights. Please try to attend this Friday's BYC Historian Dinner. Dinner is at 7:00pm followed by a wonderful presentation "Storm of the Century – 1939 Hurricane" by Jean McIntyre. On February 28th the club will be hosting the annual Blizzard Brunch.

I am very excited about the upcoming Commodore's Ball on April 2nd. We have planned an amazing dinner menu that will be prepared by BYC member Brian Thimme and his restaurant Blue Water Grill. What a fun night that should be.

I want to close by thanking our board, staff, and membership for their warm, caring, and thoughtful support to our family on the loss of fellow BYC member, husband, father, and grandfather, Dr. Richard Mead. We are blessed to be surrounded by a wonderful group of friends, thank you from Kristen and myself.

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HISTORIAN DINNER

JEAN MACINTYRE, CLUB HISTORIAN

The most famous picture taken in our harbor after the Great Hurricane of 1938 was Stanley's "Egbert" on the piles.....



The Great Hurricane of 1938 had a devastating effect on all that lived through it. People were in shock, the death toll kept rising, the damage to buildings, boats, coastline and trees would never be the same. It was the worst natural disaster to ever hit our area of the country, and ranks in the top ten storms of the 20th century. Rampaging through seven states in seven hours, it would rip up the famous boardwalk in Atlantic City, flood the Connecticut River Valley, and turned downtown Providence into a seventeen-foot deep lake. At two o'clock the swath of coastline from Cape May to Maine was one of the wealthiest and most populous in the world, by evening: it would be desolate. Everybody lost something in this storm; and many, lost someone.

The Great Hurricane of 1938 will be the topic of this year's Historian Dinner.

Friday, February 5th.

Dinner Served at 7PM. Program at 8PM.

Dinner Menu- Chowder, Baked Parmesan Haddock, Oven Roasted Potatoes, Salad and Dessert

All are welcome.

SOCIAL

KEN MARCIL, CHAIR

The Friday night guest chefs kicked off Friday Jan 22nd with a wine tasting. Members and guests sampled several new wines while enjoying delicious appetizers. Kerry Travers and Tony Demers were the guest chefs for the evening.

Guest chefs continue with Kerri Payne and Dee O'Hayre cooking a wonderful spaghetti and meatball dinner on Friday January 29th.

You can also order a great meal from the new Blue Water Grille Friday night club menu! Bring family, friends, co-workers; the club night is open to members and guests! Come and enjoy a delicious dinner and drinks, it's a fun way to celebrate family events and casual get togethers after a long work week.

The Annual Blizzard Brunch is on Sunday February 28th. Come and enjoy a delicious breakfast brunch with your family!!

Check the calendar for upcoming BYC events!

RACE

MICHAEL REUTER, CHAIR

The Barrington Yacht Club has a longstanding tradition of supporting winter sailing. This has been well documented in multiple publications and it is a great honor to work with the Barrington Frostbite Sunfish Fleet #155 to coordinate such an amazing series. The 2015 fall series was no exception. It was a pleasure to see so many members of both BYC and Fleet #155 participate. A total of 27 different sailors competed this fall with 14 qualifying towards the series. A number of young sailors participated, and a generous number of young sailors qualified for the series. We congratulate all the winners and participants in this fun and chilly event. You are the definition of diehard sailors! [For full results please click here.](#)

The spring frostbite series kicks off [Sunday, March 6th](#) and will run [until May 1st](#). If you are interested, please see the BYC website under racing for more information and notice of race.

The Race Committee is hard at work coordinating the rest of the 2016 season. The Club calendar has posted many of the dates for the BYC regattas. The Race Committee will also support regattas throughout the bay. If you want to participate in racing or have interest in joining the Race Committee, please feel free to contact me. Please see the website and weekly eblast for the most up-to-date information.

STP

BRIAN O'CONNELL, CHAIR

I hope everyone is enjoying the relatively mild winter. The STP committee has been busy planning for the 2016 season and continuing to interview candidates. Some of these potential instructor candidates have requested housing. If any families would be interested in hosting a sailing instructor this summer please let me know.

As we plan for registration and the upcoming season, please be advised:

Registration will open on March 7th.

The STP will begin on June 27th and end on August 19th

Updated program information will be on the website prior to March 7th.

The program handbook will offer general information and policies for the program.

The registration handbook will provide details on the specific classes being offered (and program fees).

As mentioned last month, we are looking forward to our off season lecture series which will include:

Charlie Enright (Skipper of Team Alvamedica in the 2014-15 Volvo Ocean Race) and John Mollicone (Brown University Head Sailing Coach) speaking on their colligate and professional sailing experience on March 24th at 7:00 pm.

Amanda Callahan (Roger Williams University Head Sailing Coach) will do a seminar for the kids on racing rules and tactics which has been rescheduled to May 10th at 6:00 pm.

If you have any feedback about the STP program or you would like to get involved with the committee, please send me an email at stp@barringtonyc.com or come to our next STP meeting. The next STP meeting will be Monday, February 8th at 7:30 pm.

We are looking forward having the kids back on the water soon!



CRUISE

BECKY CHWALK, CHAIR

Planning for summer 2016 is well underway!

The 4th of July Summer Cruise promises to be a blast! Here is the tentative itinerary:

Friday night, July 1—Depart Barrington for Third Beach

Saturday night, July 2—Hadley's Harbour

Sunday, July 3—Arrive in Edgartown

Monday, July 4—Celebrate the 4th of July in Edgartown

Tuesday, July 5—Venture up to Katama Bay in Edgartown for a day at the beach

Wednesday, July 6—Depart Edgartown for Vineyard Haven

Thursday, July 7—Spend a second day in Vineyard Haven or go to Lake Tashmoo

Friday, July 8—Arrive in Cuttyhunk

Saturday, July 9—Afternoon beach party on Church's Beach in Cuttyhunk

Mooring reservations in Edgartown open at 8:00 am on March 1. Reservations fill up quickly!!! You must register as close to 8:00 am as possible to ensure that you get a reservation. Visit the Edgartown harbor site at <http://www.edgartownharbor.com>

When you click on "Make a Reservation" you will be linked to Dockwa, a free downloadable app for making mooring and dock reservations. We highly encourage members to sign up for Dockwa. Here is a link to their site so that you can learn more about it: <https://dockwa.com/about-us>

If you have any questions about the cruising season or would like to join the committee, please reach out to me by email at becky.chwalk@gmail.com

Happy Cruising!

MEMBERSHIP

ANDREW MACAULEY, CHAIR

Committee Members: Ben Chwalk, John Calitri, Chip and Susan Hawkins, Chris Kirk, Kristen Kreuzkamp, Melissa Lawrence, Andrew Macaulay , Andrew Macken, Lou and Anne Massa, David Materne, Beverly Migliori, Matthew Mitchell, Zeth Morgan, Andrew Porter, John Ratcliffe, Oliver Tutt, Mark Wilson and Martha Richardson

The Membership Committee is considering the candidate(s) listed below for membership in the Barrington Yacht Club.

Please communicate your comments on these listed candidates, favorable or unfavorable. Letters may be mailed to the Chairperson of the Membership Committee, c/o Barrington Yacht Club, or emailed to membership@barringtonyc.com . Phone calls should be directed to the Chairperson or to any Committee Member.

You may be assured that all communications will be held in the strictest confidence. We look forward to hearing from you.

CANDIDATE	BOARD SIGNATURE	SPONSOR	DATE POSTED
Dr. Rebecca Allen Malpartida and Mr. Guido Malpartida	Mike Reuter Becky Chwalk	Rebecca J. Crichton	1/1/2016
Jackie and Scott Ignall	Claire Moscrop Becky Chwalk	Elizabeth Kirk	1/3/2016
Lee and Beth Anderson	Claire Moscrop Becky Chwalk	Marcela Parker	1/3/2016
Maura and Patrick McCrann	Rachelle Cambria Claire Moscrop	Jen Wilbur	1/17/2016
Albert and Abbe Garcia	Ken Marcil Tony Demers	Dee O'Hayre	1/17/2016
Julie and Brett Gerstenblatt	Becky Chwalk Brian O'Connell	David Beitle	1/17/2016
Ben and Rachel Caldwell	John Ratcliffe Mike Reuter	Paul Sanford	1/23/2016
Bryan and Rhonda Payne	Ken Marcil Becky Chwalk	Kerry Payne	1/23/2016

RECYCLING PROGRAM AT BYC

SCOTT NICHOLS, GENERAL MANAGER

Yes!!! The Barrington Yacht Club has a recycling program in place which takes the burden of recycling off of the individual members and club staff.

BYC management has chosen to utilize the services of a out-of-state vendor that picks up and delivers all our solid waste to ABC Disposal who owns a transfer station in New Bedford. ABC Disposal then sells it to SEMASS Resource Recovery Facility located in Wareham, which is owned by Covanta Corporation. This facility employs a shred-and-burn technology, which is the separation of reusable resources from the waste stream coupled with combustion of the residual waste to create a refuse-derived fuel for the purpose of clean energy generation. SEMASS processes approximately one million tons of solid waste each year, which is one-fifth of all solid waste generated in Massachusetts. It also recovers recyclable metals and produces ash, which is used in the construction materials of roadways and concrete blocks.

In short, converts solid waste into electric energy. The resulting electricity produces renewable electricity to more than 75,000 homes in the Cape Cod region.

This process allows the Barrington Yacht Club to be a good steward to our surrounding environment, while at the same time, being fiscally responsible to our membership by researching and pursuing a cost effective recycling program.

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