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From the Quarterdeck

Commodore Mike Greenup



September was another great month at CIYC! We opened the month with another successful Labor Day barbecue. Thanks to Jerry Wood and his crew for an excellent meal and keeping this CIYC tradition going.

Check your October calendar for some great events coming to CIYC. Starting with October 1st - The last day for the Variety Show, this is always a sellout and a popular show, so get your tickets early. October 2nd, the Islanders have a trip planned to the Santa Barbara Polo Club for an exciting Polo match. The Ventura British Brass Band will be performing on October 14th.

A Japanese flair will come to CIYC 14th, 15th, 16th! We will have Japanese Whiskey tasting on Friday the 14th; Sake Tasting on Saturday the 15th and Chado Japanese Tea tasting on the 16th all hosted by our Bar Manager Chasin Turnier. We have great Saturday night dinners planned by the Beefeaters on 10/15, and the Epicureans on 10/22. We close October with our annual Hallowe'en Social on 10/29. This is always great party to end October.

By the time you read this article, the membership will have elected the Board of Directors for 2023.

These General Membership meetings and elections are important to attend, as the members you vote in will be making decisions on your behalf for the future of the club.

UPDATE: Elected 9/17/22

- ◆ Deborah Tyhurst
- ◆ Bill Elswick
- ◆ Shana Whitmore
- ◆ Rocky Rockwell

On October 28th, we will elect the Bridge Officers for 2023.

At that time, we will also elect one more Board member for a 1-year term to fill my vacant seat. Nominations for this position will come from the floor. Additionally, our General Meetings are informative re: the club's activities, budget, upcoming events, and the clubhouse. At General Meetings you can obtain updates and ask questions of your Board of Directors. **Please mark your calendars for this very important meeting.**

With fall and football in full swing, the club will be opening for Monday Night Football and Thursday Night Football at 5PM. For Sunday Football the club will open at 1:00. There are always drink specials and great food. Thank you to Vice Commodore Dawn Turnier for hosting Football. And don't forget to tip our fabulous Bartenders!

Have a great October and see you at the club!

Mike Greenup
Commodore 2022



From the Quarterdeck

Vice Commodore Dawn Turnier



Happy Fall to all!!!

I want to start with some quick reminders for our new and old club members alike before I get into the fun stuff!

Yachting Protocol Guidelines, Section 1.7, state that the change from summer to winter yachting attire uniforms takes place on November 1st. Until November 1st, we should still be wearing summer uniforms. This means that we still have one more function, the **October 28th General "Bridge" voting meeting**, for which we will be wearing white pants, shorts, or skirts with our uniforms. Don't be caught with the wrong pants!

To all our new members, and as a recap for our long-time members, if you make reservations for a dinner or a special event, you must cancel within 24 hours of the event. If you do not cancel with 24 hours' notice, and do not attend the function, you will be charged for your reservation. This policy was instituted long ago out of respect for the hard work our great cooks put in to make sure they have the correct number of meals, while keeping a close eye on their budget. This policy helps everyone to be consistent.

House Rules

House Rule Number 11 states that: If anyone engages in boisterous or offensive behavior while on the club premises, it shall be grounds for expulsion from the premises and to further penalties as provided in the Club Bylaws. Boisterous behavior in this context is any behavior that is overly noisy, unruly, wild, or disorderly. Offensive behavior in this context is causing someone to feel hurt, upset, or angry. We know that no one at the club sets out to violate any house rules, but we must remember to be respectful of all members and guests while at the club. This is in no way directed at individual members, just a reminder for all.

I know some members tend to get cold more quickly than others, especially while sitting in the bar or dining room. However, closing windows while others may still be hot, (we have many of us who get those flashes) is inconsiderate. Also, it is extremely hot behind that bar and the bartenders need airflow. By closing windows, it limits cross ventilation, and the temperatures behind the bar soar to unreasonable heights. If you know you tend to feel chilly, please consider bringing an extra sweater with you.

Now for the fun stuff

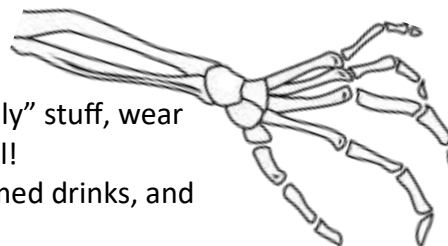
Our Hallowe'en Social is just around the corner: October 29th.

This year's theme is 70's/80's, so dress in your favorite "Members Only" stuff, wear your bell bottoms, bring your biggest 80's hair, and come to the social! Evelina will have our appetites covered, the bar will have special themed drinks, and DJ Brian Fitzpatrick will be there to keep us moving. Dinner and dancing start at 7:00 P.M. Price not known at time of printing.

Here's to fair winds and following seas!

Dawn Turnier

Vice Commodore 2022



From the Quarterdeck

Rear Commodore Lisa Marie Medlen



Hello one and all!

Well, on September 18th we had a very successful Dinghy Land party hosted at Tom and Leslie Webb's house! Wow - what a backyard! Love the bears! Great music (thank you, John Medlen, for bringing your band), great food, awesome bartenders, and - the best part - great friends!

This was the last dinghy party for 2022 and my last one for me as your Rear Commodore. Thank you to Bill and Lana Lynch, Rick and Sherie Ireland, and Tom and Leslie Webb for allowing us to hold the dinghy and land parties at your homes!



CAREGIVERS 21st Annual SAILATHON



**The Ugly Fish Returns!
All Watercraft Welcome!**

Sunday, October 16, 2022

**8:30 a.m. Check in and Registration
at Pacific Corinthian Yacht Club**

12 p.m. Sailing starts

4 - 6 p.m. Reception

at Channel Islands Yacht Club

Also, on September 18th we had 4 visitors from Morro Bay Yacht club. We had a great time with them and exchanged burgees.



**On September 23rd and 24th we held the
Channel Islands to Marina Del Rey race with well over
38 boats competing! Wow!**

On Friday night the Beefeaters prepared a steak dinner with DJ Dino and lots of good times! On Saturday morning, yours truly prepared a full breakfast for the sailors and racing volunteers. For a little over 100 mouths to feed, I think it went well and they were all very appreciative.

See Racers Report on page 8 for more details!

Lisa Marie Medlen

Rear Commodore 2022





White Sea Bass Grow-out Pen Report:

Hubbs Sea World Research Institute has notified us that they will be delivering our first batch of Juvenile White Sea Bass on October 5th at 11:30 am, and the 2nd batch on October 7th. Come and help or just watch - whichever works for you. Thank you to Vintage marina for adding much needed floatation to the pen structure!

Big Fish of the Month:

The Big Fish of the Month was a 90-lb. Bluefin Tuna caught by Marc Gault while fishing on *Angler Management* at the 172-fathom spot between SBI and Catalina Island. The fish broke the rod at the third eye from the bottom...took about 30 minutes to land it; Mike DeSart gaffed.



Marc's 90-lb. BFT



50.5" fork length and a 37" girth.



Marc and Eileen with 2 Dorado

Ladies' Fishing Tournament:

The Ladies' Fishing Tournament was scheduled for August 7th, but a combination of boat mechanical problems and truly awful weather postponed the event. We are still having a hard time finding an open date that the captains can commit to.

We will keep you posted.



Channel Islands Billfish Tournament:

2022 CIBT Final Results!!

The 51st CIBFT got off to a slow start with the tropical storm offshore delaying the event by one day.

The 18 boats quickly picked up the pace Sunday morning for the remaining 4 days of the tournament.

1st place *Ruckus* caught and released 5 Marlin; 2nd *Skol* caught and released 3 Marlin; 3rd *Legit II* caught and released 2 Marlin; 4th *Bad Habit* caught and released 1 Marlin; and 5th *Dawn Patrol* caught and released 1 Marlin.

Most of the boats in the tournament had incidental catches of Dorado and Bluefin Tuna.

See more pictures on page 19

Current Fishing Conditions:

There are still lots of schools of Bluefin Tuna around and many Marlin spotted during the tournament.

Upcoming events:

TBA

November 19th

Ladies' Fishing Tournament

Anglers' Awards Scampi Dinner



Hi, Islanders and Everyone,

We had a very successful time feeding and serving the Channel Islands Billfish Tournament participants. I must admit we had a couple of hiccups. Who would have thought it would rain into the deep fat fryer that John Canavan was using to fry the fish for Joyce Sheridan? He was able to close the splattering oil and wait for the rain to stop. Then the deep fat fryer in the galley broke and he had to find another way to prepare the French Fries. Most importantly, everyone had a great time and enjoyed their dinners.



We had a great team of Table Setters, Cooks, and Servers. Starting with the front row: Eveline Paulin, Deborah Tyhurst, John Canavan, Ann Marie Gross, Judy Kay. Back row: Linda Weisfuss, Joyce Sheridan, Dodie Duffy, Marsha Anderson, and me, Carole Naylor. Not pictured but helped earlier: Erika Barbarić, Melinda Irvin, and Mary Ann Moore.

What's coming up?

October 2nd

We're going to the Santa Barbara Polo and Racquet Club. This is a very popular event. The cost is \$50. Check with me if you're interested.

October 9th

This will be our second KISS (Keep it Simple Sunday) Brunch. We are still working on the menu, but, for one thing, I'm planning to make pancakes topped with my version of Bananas Foster or hot apple pie. And, yes, I learned at our last one to get more bacon! Don't forget the bottomless Mimosas. We will be cooking for 60 people, so sign up early. Watch your email for more information.



November 25th, 26th, and 27th

We will be decorating for the holidays. Why 3 days? Because we decorate almost every surface in the club. This includes our 18-foot Christmas Tree, so I need a few people to work on ladders to assemble and decorate it. If you celebrate Hanukkah, we would like you to help set up a display.

December 11th This is the date of our famous Jingle Bell Brunch. It's another great Islander tradition with a very upscale menu. Stay tuned for more information.

Carole Naylor,
First Mate



Will You Trust Your Doctor in California?

Here's the latest version on California bill: AB-2098.

Section 2270 is added to the Business and Professions Code, to read: "It shall constitute unprofessional conduct for a physician and surgeon to disseminate misinformation or disinformation related to COVID-19, including false or misleading information regarding the nature and risks of the virus, its prevention and treatment; and the development, safety, and effectiveness of COVID-19 vaccines."

The Bill effectively forbids and punishes doctors from practicing medicine.

From now on, you will be diagnosed, treated, and followed up by the government. Your doctor will just be a proxy, writing prescriptions according to a protocol established by our trusted CDC, FDA, NIH and such. And those are pencil pushers, funded up to 75% by Pharma (which they also "regulate"), and have never treated a single Covid patient.

Because if your doctor does not recommend what your medically uneducated Senator, Representative, Governor, Director of Public Health, or Medical Board of California deems appropriate, then the doctor will lose his/her/their license to practice medicine.

So even if your doctor is ahead of the CDC and California Public Health system in studying the latest publications, or conducting his own research and is a super expert...NO, he/she/they can't tell you about the newest findings regarding vaccine effectiveness, adverse reactions, death rates, vaccine's effect on your reproductive system, or early treatment and prevention. Yet by the medical code of ethics, they are obligated to do just that. See the conflict? This is exactly what Galileo Galilei and Giordano Bruno were faced with. One spent the rest of his life under house arrest, the other was burned alive.

After Covid, the Bill will be readily applicable to any other disease or condition.

Governor Newsom will have the Bill on his desk by the end of September. Will he sign it?

Miscarriages and menstrual problems following mRNA Covid vaccination.

The UK has just banned the jab for pregnant and lactating pronouns. After two years of saying it was safe. But, hey, what do they know? The US agencies still recommend Covid vaccines before and during pregnancy. Should your doctor inform you about the UK ban? What about his mortgage?

According to an NIH-funded study of 30,000 women, 40% had menstrual changes after vaccination. Projected to US millennial females (16-34 years old), 1,600,000 had post-vaccination menstrual changes. That is a huge number whereby the female reproductive system was affected.

The CDC site clearly states that the mRNA vaccines do not alter the host's DNA. But an in vitro study clearly showed that mRNA enters into liver cells and promptly crosses and enters into the nucleus where it merges with DNA. It is true that this was not demonstrated in living organisms. The problem is it hasn't been proven - or disproven - if it happens in humans. Should Twitter ban the CDC for misinformation?

DailyClout's expert Team 5 research team has reported some alarming numbers from Pfizer's documents: In one vaccinated group of 270 pregnancies, there were "no known outcomes" for 238 of the cases. That leaves us with 36 known outcomes. Of those 36 known outcomes, 28 babies died before or at birth.

The FDA-approved Omicron booster (Wuhan, BA.4/BA.5) was just released, **after testing it on 8 mice**. We don't know how many of the mice were females, but either way, mice do not menstruate. So take this booster bivalent shot at your own peril regarding your reproductive health. Now, will your doctor tell you all this? Or could he/she/they be afraid of losing his/her/their medical license? By the way, all mice came down with Omicron after the vaccine and were sacrificed too soon to see any long-term effects.

First we were cautioned not to use "horse dewormer." But now we should use a "mouse booster?"



CIYC RACING REPORT

By Cap'n Jane Thomas



Capt Kathy St Amant (rt front) is SCYA Rear Commodore, Chair of SCYA Women's Boating Event, and Skipper of

We partner with Del Rey Yacht Club for the Channel Islands to Marina del Rey (CI2MdR) Race, which has become our biggest racing event of the year! This year's race drew a total of 33 boats from Long Beach to Santa Barbara, and many of the racers came to CIYC for drinks, dinner, and/or breakfast prior to the race. The many friendly CIYC volunteers contributed to the event's success at our end, and the racers appreciated our awesome CIYC-style hospitality.

In collaboration with Channel Islands Harbor Marina and Peninsula Yacht Marina we provided overnight reciprocal berths for more than 20 boats. As they arrived Friday afternoon, Mike Geer and I helped most of them land their boats, loaned them a gate/bathroom key, and welcomed them to Channel Islands Harbor and CIYC. Seven boats had berths at the public dock at Peninsula Park or at Peninsula Yacht Marina (PYM) where Cynthia Kerby welcomed them. Unfortunately, it is a 2mi walk from PYM to CIYC.

Not a problem! The *CIYC Taxi Service* (Dodie and Shawn Duffy, Mike Geer, Rick and Deborah Tyhurst, and Sydney and Gary McFarland) came to the sailors' aid and made multiple trips, ferrying the racers to CIYC and back for Friday night dinner and Saturday morning breakfast. Dodie even picked up and delivered sandwiches for at least one boat Saturday morning. On his way home from the racers dinner Lonnie Jarvis also taxied a few racers back to their boat Friday night.

For this race the traditional Friday Kickoff dinner has always been CIYC



Beefeaters Grilled Steak, and this year's Beefeaters crew delivered! Staff Commodore Keith Moore, Carmen Olmo, Ash Howden, David Harvey, Gene Peck, and Nick and Cindy Brouwer did an awesome job in preparing and serving more than 90 rib-eye steak dinners with salad, bread, asparagus, and red potatoes, and fresh ice cream plus

toppings for dessert. DJ Deano (Dean Soto) kept the music going for hours after dinner, and it was nearly midnight before the last of the racers and members left the club.

After dinner Rear Commodore Lisa Medlen and Judge Advocate John Medlen started to prep for breakfast. They returned early Saturday morning to bake and serve Lisa's Italian strata (somewhat like French toast or a no-crust quiche with mushrooms, sausage, spices, and more) by 8:00AM. With the strata the mighty galley duo served bacon, fruit, bagels, and cream cheese breakfast to approx 100 racers! It was a sellout with a waiting list. Lonnie had a handful of unused breakfast tickets he had bought for his crew and gave them to those who were waiting! All were fed and we had enough strata leftover to feed the Race Committee, too!



RASCAL (my N2E skipper this year). Leslie Washburn (left) sails Tartan Tens (like my boat WAILANI) on Lake Michigan and came from Chicago to SoCal to attend the SCYA Women's Boating Event and visit her nephew in mid-September. After meeting Kathy and a new network of women sailors, she extended her vacation to participate in this race. Rick Ruskin (center back) of DRYC is CI2MdR Race Co-Chair and sailed this race and won with Kathy on his J22 many years ago.



LtoR: Eric Coyle, CI2MdR Mark Boat Skipper, and Jeff Hancock, CI2MdR Race Committee Boat Skipper



CHRONIC Crew at Friday Night Kickoff
LtoR: Cody Schlub, Nancy Jarvis, Lonnie Jarvis, Taylor Schlub, and Chuck Grethel (far right)

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CIYC RACING REPORT *continued...*



Friday Cooks

LtoR: Nick Brouwer at the stove, Ash Howden, Carmen Olmo and Cindy Brouwer



DL Deano (Dean Soto)

Jeff Hancock shared his Beneteau Oceanis 55, **LEVEL UP**, with the Race Committee: Bill Brayton (PRO), Jane Thomas, Tom Warden, Wailani O’Herlihy, Bonnie Chaney, and Deb Coss (CIWSA). Eric Coyle provided his Parker as the Mark Boat with Kelly Sherwood-Sloan, Gene Peck, and Nick Brouwer as crew. The start line was set approx 0.25nm from the north end of the Channel Islands Harbor detached breakwater, which provided an exciting view from Hollywood Beach as the boats tacked and jibed in preparation for their starts.

We’ll be posting race photos and videos – online location TBD – with contributions from Bonnie Chaney and Wailani

The weather gods blessed the fleet with blue skies and winds that were better than anyone expected throughout the day. The racers quickly completed the 3nm beat to Platform Gina, rounded the rig to port, and turned downwind toward Marina del Rey. On the Marine Traffic app we could see several boats sailing at 12+kts as they approached Pt Dume. The PHRF AA boats completed the 44.7nm course in less than 5hrs, and the rest finished in less than 7hrs! Our region, “ASBCYC,” was represented by 8 boats, and 4 placed in the top 3 of their class this year:

PHRF AA (6 in Class): 1st place ARGO 4 (Kenny Kieding, SBYC); 1st to finish (elapsed time 04:29:07) and 2nd in class **CHRONIC** (Lonnie Jarvis, CIYC)

PHRF A (7 in Class): 2nd place UHAMBO (David Chase/Carlos Brea, VYC) and 6th was **CIRRUS** (Larry Listing, AYC)

PHRF B (7 in Class): 4th place MERLIN (Stephen McMillan, SBSC)

PHRF C (4 in Class): 1st place DJ (Ryan Cox, VYC) , 3rd place **VIRTU** (Tom Wilson, PSSA)

Cruising (9 in Class): 9th place SERENDIPITY (Jimmie Jewell, CIYC)

PHRF Overall (33 Total): 1st place DJ (Ryan Cox, VYC)

More than half the boats from last year’s race returned this year, and the number of “ASBCYC” boats doubled! Following our pre-race hospitality and the great weather conditions for this year’s race, we should expect even more boats next year!



Heading to the Start line



The Mark Boat



PHRF AA boats just after the start

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Channel Islands Yacht Club

October 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
2 <i>Islanders @ SB Polo Club 1pm</i>	3 	4	5 <i>Yom Kippur</i> Bar opens 5pm 6:30pm Wed dinner	6 Bar opens 5pm DJ Trivia Bar food 	7 Bar opens 5pm BirthDay Bash Happy Hours 5-7 pm 	1 <i>Variety Show</i>
9 11am Islanders KISS Brunch  In the bar 	10 Columbus Day <i>First Day of Sukkot</i>	11	12 Bar opens 5pm 6:30pm Wed dinner	13 Bar opens 5pm 6:30pm CIWSA Mtg  DJ Trivia Bar food	14 Bar opens 5pm Whiskey tasting on patio 7pm Ventura British Brass Concert and <i>Potluck</i>	15 7pm Beefeaters dinner & Saki Tasting
16 Last Day of Sukkot <i>Caregivers Sailathon</i> 3pm Chado Japanese Tea Tasting	17 	18 6:30pm CIYC BOD	19 Bar opens 5pm 6:30pm Wed dinner <i>5pm Islanders BOD mtg</i>	20 Bar opens 5pm DJ Trivia Bar food 	21 Happy Hours 5-7 pm Bar opens 5pm Lite Bites	22 7pm Epicureans Dinner
23 Water sports appreciation event  In the bar	24 	25	26 Bar opens 5pm 6:30pm Wed dinner	27 Bar opens 5pm DJ Trivia Bar food 	28 Lite Bites Happy Hours 5-7 pm Bar opens 5pm <i>7pm General Meeting Election of Bridge</i>	29 <i>7pm Halloween Social</i> 
30  In the bar	31 <i>Halloween</i> 				CIYC Bar Hours Sunday 2 pm to close Wed. Thurs. Fri. & Sat. 5 pm to close Closed Mon. & Tues. except special events.	

As of 9-21-22





November 2022

Channel Islands Yacht Club

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>6 1pm OPEN HOUSE 1pm NFL Sunday in the Bar </p>	<p>7 </p>	<p>1</p>	<p>2 Bar opens 5pm 6:30pm Wed dinner</p>	<p>3 Bar opens 5pm DJ Trivia Bar food</p>	<p>4 Birthday Bash Potluck Happy Hours 5-7 pm Bar opens 5pm</p>	<p>5 <i>Lady @ the Helm</i> 7pm Beefeaters</p>
<p>13 1pm NFL Sunday in the Bar P/C Dick Olsen's Memorial</p>	<p>14 </p>	<p>15 6:30pm CIYC BOD</p>	<p>9 Bar opens 5pm 6:30pm Wed dinner Honoring Vets</p>	<p>10 6:30pm CIW/SA Mtg. Bar opens 5pm DJ Trivia Bar food</p>	<p>11 <u>Veterans Day</u> Happy Hours 5-7 pm Bar opens 5pm Lite Bites</p>	<p>12 7pm CIYC Awards Dinner by Epicureans</p>
<p>20 1pm NFL Sunday in the Bar Dining Room Rented private party McGee</p>	<p>21 </p>	<p>22</p>	<p>16 Bar opens 5pm 6:30pm Wed dinner 5pm Islanders BOD mtg</p>	<p>17 Bar opens 5pm DJ Trivia Bar food</p>	<p>18 Happy Hours 5-7 pm Bar opens 5pm Lite Bites</p>	<p>19 7pm Anglers' awards & Scampi dinner</p>
<p>27 1pm NFL Sunday in the Bar Decorate for Christmas </p>	<p>28 </p>	<p>29</p>	<p>23 No dinner</p>	<p>24 <u>Thanksgiving Day</u> 3pm Pot Luck dinner</p>	<p>25 <u>Presidents' Day</u> Happy Hours 5-7 pm Bar opens 5pm Lite Bites Decorate for Christmas </p>	<p>26 Decorate for Christmas </p>
<p>CIYC Bar Hours Sunday 2 pm to close Wed. Thurs. Fri. & Sat. 5 pm to close Closed Mon. & Tues. except special events.</p>						

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RSVP EARLY: reservations.ciyc@roadrunner.com

CIYC RACING REPORT *continued...*

History of the Channel Islands to Marina del Rey Race: CIYC Lifetime Member, Paul Hatcher, won 1st in his class in 1976 during the inaugural distance race from Channel Islands to Santa Monica Bay! Twenty boats sailed a 55nm course from Channel Islands Harbor, taking Anacapa Island to port, and finishing in Redondo Beach. I am unsure of the sequence of events after that, eg, partner clubs closing/merging, change in the course and finish line. My earliest records of this race are from 2013, when we were collaborating with Santa Monica Windjammers Yacht Club (SMWYC). In 2015, the number of entries had withered and the weather forecast worsened, so the race was postponed but never found another date. Thereafter, it dropped off the race calendars for Santa Monica Bay (ASMBYC) and our ASBCYC region until CIYC Staff Commodore Tom Warden talked with Rick Ruskin at Del Rey Yacht Club (DRYC).

Rick and others remember this race from their youth and have been very excited to see it return. We found a date on the 2020 calendar, but COVID cancelled it. We were finally able to hold the race in 2021 and had 37 entries including 4 from our "ASBCYC" region (Santa Barbara, Ventura, Channel Islands, and Westlake). Rick has been a great co-chair and promoter of the revival of this classic distance race!

Marine Weather and Sailing-Related Webinars: I'll restart the Marine Weather University videos with a few Sundays and Wednesdays in October. If nothing much is going on upstairs, we'll meet in the dining room or fireplace room. Or, if the weather is nice, we can watch the videos on the downstairs patio. Check the MWU streaming schedule in the public CIWSA Google calendar: <https://calendar.google.com/calendar/u/0/r?cid=Y2l3c2EubWVtYmVyc2hpcEBnbWFpbC5jb20>

J24 Fleet Report: TINY DANCER and HOTLIPS still need some TLC as well as technical repairs, eg, general cleanup, paint, latches, woodwork, fiberglass repair, 12V wiring. If you have a few club service hours to spend, please contact me!

Next Month's Racing Report: If you're participating in any **October Races**, please send me a note with a photo or two and the names and affiliations of your crew!

October 1-2 PCYC Sprint

October 8 AYC/PBYC Two Harbors Fall Series #1

October 9 PCYC TGIS Fall Series #1

October 15, VYC Fall Regatta

October 16 Sailathon – Fundraiser for Caregivers

October 22-23 SBSC Goblin Regatta

October 29 PBYC/AYC Two Harbors Fall Series #2

October 30 PCYC TGIS Fall Series #2

November 5 CIYC/CIWSA Lady at the Helm Race



CHRONIC - a few seconds late for the PHRF AA Class start



Cruising Class, second wave of starts



PHRF B Class 2nd place winner LUGANO (407) at the start



By the time the last of the Cruising boats started some of the PHRF AA boats had already rounded Platform Gina and raised their spinnakers

Happy Sailing with CIYC!

Cap'n Jane Thomas

CIYC Fleet and RAM Captain

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Long Delayed Redevelopment of Whale's Tail Gets ERN Approval

At the September 20th Board Meeting, the County awarded a four-month Exclusive Right To Negotiate (ERN) for the Whale's Tail Restaurant to developers Jonathan Zilli and Anthony Carron.

Mr. Zilli is an entrepreneur and restaurant consultant. His partner, Anthony Carron, is an executive chef and owner of the 800 Degree Pizza Chain, Top Round Beef chain and a high-end steak and seafood restaurant: the Coast Range in Solvang.

Over the next four months, the developers will form their ownership entity, begin design and construction analysis, secure funding, and negotiate the terms of an initial phase and long-term lease agreement with the County. The renovation work of the dilapidated building will include improving or replacing plumbing and electrical infrastructure, roof, HVAC system, elevator, kitchen, and also making general aesthetic and ADA-compliant improvements.

The plan is to retain the Whale's Tail name to capture some of the memories of the previous popular restaurant. This is the first stage in the redevelopment process.

Proposals for Fisherman's Wharf Parcels Presented for Public Input

Hundreds participated at the Harbor Department's Public Forum to learn about the proposed plans for developing Fisherman's Wharf. The plan is to consolidate public input and have the developers respond to those comments.

It is also important for the public to understand the pros and cons of each proposed plan. Some of the issues and questions raised by these pros and cons are:

1. Proposals that include residential will require Public Works Plan (PWP), Local Coastal Plan (LCP), and HCI zoning amendments. These processes, as has been seen, will take 5-7 years. This means Fisherman's Wharf would continue to sit empty and be a deteriorating eyesore and safety liability during this period before any serious construction could start. Therefore, it could be at least a decade before the project was completed and operating. What would happen to the area during this time?
2. How does each proposal help differentiate Channel Islands Harbor from other harbors? Will the proposed development be a promotional visitor and tourist driver for the harbor? Will the proposed development offer activities and experiences that are affordable and have wide appeal for those outside the harbor area?
3. Given the number of retail shops, bars, and restaurants at the harbor now, both north and south of the bridge, and those coming soon at the new Hyatt Place Hotel and renovated Whale's Tail, how many more restaurants, bars, and shops can this area support, especially when many of the residences are second homes?

These are a few of the issues and questions that the public need to consider in evaluating each proposal. The Harbor & Beach Community Alliance (HBCA) has posted an assessment of pros and cons for each proposal on the website: www.hbca.info.

Public comments can be provided at the online survey site:
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/FWChannelIslandsHarbor>
Comments must be submitted by October 3, 2022

A recording of the workshop can be found here: <https://youtu.be/sxaCNQ58ZLs>

Governor Appoints Vianey Lopez To Succeed Carmen Ramirez

Congratulations to Oxnard City Council member Vianey Lopez who was appointed to fill the County's District 5 seat left vacant by the untimely death of County Supervisor Carmen Ramirez.

Rene Aiu, Harbor Delegate





Santa Cruz Island

We are blessed to live in Ventura County with ready access to [Santa Cruz Island](#), our other local offshore islands, and Catalina, as well as easy sailing to Santa Barbara. I have been boating locally to Santa Cruz Island, starting 1992 with my first sailboat, a Ron Holland 43 cutter/sloop, later a Bayliner 4087, and now with Dos Amores, a Sea Sport Pacific power catamaran. Boating to Santa Cruz Island 3-5x/year equals about 90-150 adventures so far.

Santa Cruz Island is a fascinating place with a fascinating history. The following books and other information will give you enthralling insights to our local islands, which will give you further appreciations the next time you visit.

Books of Interest: Santa Cruz Island, Channel Islands, Etc.

***The Cruising Guide to Central and Southern California: Golden Gate to Ensenada, Mexico, Including the Offshore Islands** By *Brian M. Fagan*

* Somewhat outdated, but still probably best overview of sailing our Channel Islands

****Diary of a Sea Captain's Wife: Tales of Santa Cruz Island** By *Margaret Holden Eaton* (Author), *Janice Timbrook* (Editor)

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Charlie's Charts: SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

By Capt. Holly Scott

Santa Cruz Island: A History of Conflict and Diversity By *John Gherini* (Author), *Marla Daily* (Introduction), *Doyce B. Nunis* (Foreword)

Santa Cruz Island An Illustrated History Hardcover – Box Set, 2016 By *John Gherini* (\$140 Amazon)

Justinian Caire and Santa Cruz Island: The Rise and Fall of a California Dynasty By *Frederic Caire Chiles*

California's Channel Islands: A History By *Frederic Caire Chiles*

Islanders and Mainlanders: Prehistoric Context for the Southern California Coast and Channel Islands 2nd Edition

By *Jeffrey H. Altschul* (Editor), *Donn R. Grenda* (Editor)

Natural History of the Islands of California (California Natural History Guides)

By *Allan A. Schoenherr* (Author), *C. Robert Feldmeth* (Author), *Michael J. Emerson* (Author), *Michael J. Emerson* (Author)

The Beachcomber's Guide to Seashore Life of California By *J. Duane Sept*

Shellfish for the Celestial Empire: The Rise and Fall of Commercial Abalone Fishing in California By *Todd J Braje*

Also recommend: <https://sailchannelislands.com/channel-islands-cruising-guide/>

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Santa_Cruz_Island



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**Thursday
OCT 6 2022
6pm-8pm
PCYC
Candidates
Forum**

Oxnard City Council District 1

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The Communities of Channel Islands Harbor, Mandalay Beach, and Oxnard Shores are holding an Oxnard City Council District 1 Candidates Debate Forum on Thursday, October 6th at the Pacific Corinthian Yacht Club.

**You are invited to attend the Candidates Forum
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Shana Whitmore with Captain Tuna.

Jeremy Whatley and Annie Landry.



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- ♦ Sept 30 & Oct 1 VARIETY SHOW
- ♦ Oct 5th Wednesday Night Dinner
- ♦ Oct 7th Birthday Bash
- ♦ October 9th 11 am KISS BRUNCH
- ♦ Oct 12th Wednesday Night Dinner
- ♦ October 14th 7 PM Ventura British Brass Concert & Potluck
- ♦ October 14th Japanese Whiskey & Cigar Tasting
- ♦ October 15th Beefeaters & Saki Tasting
- ♦ October 16th Chado Japanese Tea Tasting
- ♦ Oct 19th Wednesday Night Dinner
- ♦ Oct 22 Saturday Epicureans Dinner
- ♦ Oct 23 Water Sports Appreciation Event
- ♦ Oct 26th Wednesday Night Dinner
- ♦ Oct 28 7pm GENERAL MEETING
- ♦ Oct 29 Halloween Social

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October Anniversaries

Charles Teachout & Missy Mc Quattie Oct 05
 Wes & Eileen Sutton Oct 07
 Jim & Diane Schaffert Oct 12
 Kenny & Jane Thomas Oct 12
 Art & Dawn Turnier Oct 21



**FRIDAY
OCTOBER 7**

CIYC Bar Hours
 Sunday 2 pm to close
 Wed. Thurs. Fri. & Sat. 5 pm to close
 Closed Mon. & Tues. except special events.

October Birthdays

Berns, Ira Oct 01
 Coughlin, Monica Oct 02
 Grout, Pepper Oct 02
 Lentini, Elise Oct 02
 Brouwer, Cindi Oct 03
 Webb, Tom Oct 03
 DeFusco, John Oct 04
 Myers, Cindy Oct 04
 Walters, Nick Oct 04
 Gilbert, Gary Oct 05
 Krum, Harry Oct 05
 Lance, Rande Oct 05
 Payer, Monica Oct 06
 Dugan, Judy Oct 06
 Hall, Pam Oct 06
 Kraft, Garry Oct 06
 Morrisset, Wendell Oct 06
 Qualls, Linda Oct 07
 Naylor, Carole Oct 09
 Jewell, Jimmie Oct 12
 Lorant, Etan Oct 12
 Dobbs, Eric Oct 13
 Light, Andi Oct 13

Organ, Bill Oct 13
 Ireland, Rick Oct 15
 Clements, Andrew Oct 16
 Gargan, Nancy Oct 16
 Kraft, Lina Oct 16
 Lawson, Nga Oct 16
 Ekeberg, Liz Oct 17
 Brauns, Barbara Oct 18
 Szczurko, Jenny Oct 18
 West, Arielle Oct 18
 Framson, Joel Oct 19
 Wood, Kelly Oct 20
 O'Herlihy, Wailani Oct 21
 Dupuis, Frank Oct 24
 Sheridan, Joyce Oct 25
 Farrell, Karen Oct 27
 Harris, Justin Oct 28
 Maxwell, Dan Oct 29
 Crockett, Sandy Oct 30
 Pulliam, Janis Oct 30
 Webb, Leslie Oct 30
 Glass, James Oct 31



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-Pam Nast



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