



BOYNE CITY YACHT CLUB

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# DOCKLINES

## Bay Harbor Cruise - 2006



Bay Harbor Hosts BCYC Cruise

As the second cruise event of the BCYC's 2006 social season, the Bay Harbor Cruise was outstanding! Co-hosts Gary & Alison Mellon, Lianne Arthurs and Gary Osterbeck did a great job organizing the event which included live music, "hats" by the Balloon Man, and a wonderful selection of hors d'oeuvres for the crowd of 100+ members to enjoy. Despite strong protests from the crowd, Walt Coyle was allowed to retain his 50-50 winnings (having won a 50-50 drawing earlier this year at the *Valentine's Fantasy* party). Thank you Gary, Alison, Lianne and Gary O. for a great summer kickoff!



Donna Deal and the Commodore don their balloon hats as Terri Reynolds and Kathleen look on with envy.



"50-50" Coyle



BCYC Party Central

**COMING SOON** at a BCYC event near you...

**Halloween Goblin Party**  
October 28th  
Wolverine-Dilworth - Boyne City

**Change of Watch**  
November 11th  
Stafford's Weathervane - Charlevoix

## BCYC Membership

Share "Living Life to its Fullest" with others by encouraging them to join BCYC! Membership application forms are available on the BCYC website: [boynecityyachtclub.com/membership.html](http://boynecityyachtclub.com/membership.html)



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## COMMODORE'S COLUMN

The 2006 boating season has moved just a little too quickly for many of us. The Sail Fleet completed its Summer Race Season already; capping it off with a Cajun Shrimp Boil Dinner Party after the last race on August 22<sup>nd</sup>. Race Fleet Captain Bob Kopec and his wife Linda, along with Director Dave Malusi and his wife Lynn, hosted the event. "Chef Bob" out did himself with a wonderful dinner enjoyed by all of the racers and many Yacht Club friends. (This same team brought us the very successful Mark Madness Regatta in support of Challenge Mountain in June.) On September 2<sup>nd</sup>, we hosted the Saturday night stopover for the Red Fox Regatta. If you're not currently into sailing, think about it for next season. It just could be the most fun you ever had!

Our summer cruise and social events rolled along very well; despite occasional, difficult weather conditions. Cruise Fleet Captain Kurt Wietzke had an exciting program throughout the summer, commencing with the popular 4<sup>th</sup> of July Picnic hosted by Omer & Carol Racine and followed by the very successful *BoyneThunder* event (chaired by Rob & Dani Swartz) which included the BCYC Champagne Cruise and Beach Blast co-chaired by Kathe Carter and Marcia Newkirk, and the Great Circle Cruise hosted at Traverse City by Pat & Gerri Carroll and Kurt & Phoebe Wietzke, and at Northport by Pete & Jodi Lyons who held the "Northpork" Pig Roast. On September 23<sup>rd</sup>, our first fall event, the **BIKER BLAST**, was held in Boyne City with the Shear's and Westrick's leading riders on cycle tours right up to cocktails and dinner. "Lycra" and "leathers" were the rage.

The Halloween Goblin Party and Change of Watch are coming soon, and it's already time to elect new Board Members for the 2007 Yachting Season. Hope to see you at one or more of this year's remaining events!

Commodore Michael

## CRUISE FLEET UPDATE

**PASSAGES** - Since the last issue of DOCKLINES, the BCYC lost two dear friends. On August 10th, Dave Bisel passed away in Mansfield, Ohio, and on August 22nd, Kathy Stimpson passed away in Bonita Springs, Florida. Both Dave and Kathy were active BCYC members. Dave, along with wife Marlene, and Kathy, along with husband John, co-hosted numerous Club events and participated regularly in the BCYC Champagne cruises to raise money for Camp Quality. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Marlene and John, and the Bisel and Stimpson families.

Kurt



Great Circle Cruise Banner

The BCYC's first annual "Great Circle Cruise" was held August 18<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>. The three-day event saw a mixture of rain, wind, sun, and lots of **FUN!** Starting off on Friday evening at the Duncan Clinch Marina in Traverse City, dozens of BCYC members enjoyed hors' d'oeuvres' and liquid libation at a gathering co-hosted by Pat & Gerri Carroll and Kurt & Phoebe Wietzke.



"Best Grass Skirt" contest winner Bill Kibbey with two **NORTHPOK** beauties!

A number of members wore Hawaiian attire to the event. Many of the men wore Hawaiian shirts (you know the kind you buy and wear in the Islands and *never ever* wear on the Mainland). A "Best Grass Skirt" contest was held, with the skippers acting as judges. Bill Kibbey was the winner and got a "Big Lei" for his efforts.

On Saturday, many attendees headed to Marsten Dame Marina in Northport where they were joined by other BCYC members at the second port-of-call on the Cruise. In Northport, attendees were treated to the **NORTHPOK** Pig Roast, hosted by Pete and Jodi Lyons. Along with enjoying a number of Hawaiian dishes, guests dined on a 128 lb. roasted pig!



Untamed T.C. Party Animals

On Sunday, the weather soured and most members headed back to Boyne Country. It's rumored that one boat did make to Beaver Island, the last port on the Cruise. (Perhaps we'll find out for sure when it returns in the spring! :-)

A big "**THANKS**" to Pat, Gerri, Kurt, Phoebe, Pete and Jodi for a wonderful cruise!



Pat Carroll lei'd in **NORTHPOK**



Wha's Happenin' in **NORTHPOK**?

## Summer 2006 Series Results



## Boyne City Yacht Club

| <u>Boat Name</u>  | <u>Sail</u> | <u>Dv Pts</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>4</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>6</u> | <u>7</u> | <u>8</u> |
|-------------------|-------------|---------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| <b>JAM</b>        |             |               |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| 1. geez Louise    | 93          | 13.00         | 1        | (6)      | 6c       | 1        | 1        | 1        | 1        | 2        |
| 2. In Excess II   | 42927       | 17.00         | 2        | 2        | 2        | (6)      | 6c       | 2        | 2        | 1        |
| 3. Challenge Mtn  | 23          | 18.00         | (6)      | 1        | 1        | 2        | 2        | 3        | 6c       | 3        |
| 4. Jimbolina      | 11          | 29.00         | 3        | 3        | (6)      | 6c       | 4f       | 6f       | 3        | 4        |
| 5. Independence   | 14          | 31.00         | (6)      | 4        | 3        | 3        | 6c       | 6f       | 4        | 5        |
| <b>Spinnaker</b>  |             |               |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| 1. Moonrise       | 50424       | 11.00         | 1        | 1        | 3        | 2        | 1        | 2        | 1        | (7)      |
| 2. spar wars II   | 69          | 14.50         | 2        | 2        | 2        | 1        | 3        | 1        | 3        | (8)      |
| 3. Night Moves    | 3246        | 19.50         | 2        | 3        | 1        | (8)      | 6        | 3        | 2        | 2        |
| 4. The Madam      | 16655       | 25.50         | (6)      | 6        | 5        | 3        | 2        | 4        | 4        | 1        |
| 5. Helsing        | 5           | 35.50         | (7)      | 5        | 5        | 4        | 4        | 5        | 5        | 7        |
| 6. Hard Tack      | 2912        | 39.00         | 5        | (8)      | 8c       | 6        | 5        | 6        | 6        | 3        |
| 7. Go Blue        | 20          | 40.00         | 4        | 4        | 4        | 5        | (8)      | 8c       | 8c       | 7q       |
| <b>Portsmouth</b> |             |               |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| 1. In Tents       | 241         | 7.00          | (1)      | 1        | 1        | 1        | 1        | 1        | 1        | 1        |
| 2. Thunderbunny   | 58          | 20.00         | (4)      | 2        | 2        | 2        | 4f       | 4f       | 4c       | 2        |
| 3. Valkyrie       | 999         | 20.00         | 2        | 3        | 3        | (4)      | 2        | 2        | 4        | 4c       |

( )=Thrown out a=average q=DSQ,OCS,RAF %= Percent Penalty c=DNC s=DNS f=DNF 999=Not Qualified