

# Fayerweather FOGHORN

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- Dave Popp
- Vic Gracer
- Dennis Rickard
- Jim Anderson
- Mark Ostrofsky
- Glenn Murcko
- Bill Selski

## From The Helm

**From The Helm**  
I would like to welcome the ten new members voted in at the September meeting and the 7 new members voted in at the October meeting, we are still at our cap of 700 dues paying members. New members and old members, this is your club, come down and enjoy it!! Don't forget about our functions, come down and enjoy!.

One thing I have to mention is that we have to do away with the FYC Holding corp., Fayerweather Yacht Club owns 68 shares of holding corp stock, some donated theirs and we bought back some, the people that donated are on a plaque on the wall in the bar room. If any holders of stock want to get rid of theirs, contact me at the club 576-6796 or leave message on my phone 371-7603 and I can help you help our club.

Till next month.  
Bill Lynk, Commodore

P.S. All articles for the Foghorn by the 18th of the month no exceptions.

## From The Ward Room

Hello,  
I would like to thank all club members who took the time to read the October Foghorn. Those of you who did, noticed a change in the Thursday night dinner menu, prepared by Frank, came down and enjoyed. All new entree's were sold out. So thanks to all of you, and Frank. Job well done. So if you missed October, come on down in November you won't regret it.

Thanks Again,  
Walt Dobosz, Vice Commodore

## From the Rear Commodore

Happy Thanksgiving. Don't forget the Harvest Dance is on Sat. Nov. 18th. A lot of help is needed to set up for it on Friday the 17th. Please sign up on the work or pay sheet or call me at home. The Children's Xmas party is on Dec. 17th

## Calendar of Events November 2000

- November 4th**  
Awards Dinner 7:00pm
- November 10th**  
General Meeting 8pm
- October 8th**  
GBYC Bluefish Contest
- November 8th**  
Women's Auxiliary  
Board meeting 6:30  
Regular Meeting 7:30
- November 18th**  
Harvest Dance, 8 pm
- November 27th**  
Board of Governors Meeting  
7:30 pm
- December 1st**  
Fishing Awards Dinner

with wrapping being done on Friday, December, 15th. Enclosed in this month's Foghorn is the children's sign-up form. Please fill it out with names & ages & return it to the club no later than Dec. 1st.

New Years Eve is going to be a great time. Prime Rib Dinner, Open Bar, and dancing to Live Music by Atwood Express. This band has played for us before and everyone will agree they have a great sound. Buy your tickets early. It's a great deal for only \$50.00 per person  
Tom Dardis  
Rear Commodore

## Health and Welfare

Dr Dennis Szokolay a member of Fayerweathr Yacht Club for 10 years died peacefully at Norwalk Hospital after a long illness

## WOMEN'S AUXILIARY

I hope you all had a chance to get out and enjoy Mother nature's spectacular display of color last month. It hasn't been this beautiful in many a year.

I'd like to thank all of you who donated desserts for the Pasta Dinner and Fish Fry and the volunteers for donating their time and effort to help make them a success. Without you, none of this would be possible.

Our next meeting will be on Wednesday, Nov. 8th at 7:30 when we will be finalizing our slate of Officers and board members for the upcoming Election In Dec. Any member who wishes to run for one of the positions can contact our Nominating chair-lady Pat Bradmuller at 924-4571. We must know before or at our Nov. meeting when the names of the nominees are posted on the board. Also, if you would like to donate an item for one of our "holiday Baskets" to be raffled at the Wassail Bowl on Sat. Dec. 16th, bring it to the Nov. meeting or call me and I'll arrange to have it picked up.

Also, we will be making plans for decorating the Christmas tree and club and our annual Christmas Dinner on Wed. Dec 13th at 7:00 pm. If you plan to attend and can't make the Nov. meeting, contact Kay Kadar at 259-0740 or me at 333-5388. If you wish to participate in the grab bag that evening, the suggested gift value will remain at \$10.00. Remember, you are all a part of our club and even though you can't always make the meetings, any of us can be reached by phone. Keep in touch. Your input is always welcomed and appreciated.

Finally, we wish all of you and your families a safe and happy Thanksgiving Holiday.

As Ever, Ginny Lussier, President

## You missed it!

Another great evening of fun and frolic occurred on Saturday evening. The Subway Series was on the screen and the bar was hopping. The dance floor was covered with seahorses and jockeys for the Fall Classic, Race Nite at the Club.

The first race started in its usual fashion with On The Rocks, horse #5, jockeyed by Genevieve Lucas winning. The second, third and fourth races had the winning horse #4 with Cat O'Nine (Tim Duvoll), Rum Line (Leon Finney), and Sea-lestial (Flo Dlugls) guiding the victories.

The fifth race saw the #6 horse, Seven C's, led by Francis McKay cross the finish line. The sixth race had our own Tom Dardis go with the Ebb Tide as horse #1 crossed the finish line. How'd that happen, horse #1? And it paid the greatest odds for the evening. Charlene Farley went All Ahead Full to win the seventh race with horse #4. Kathy Zadrovicz handled Pelorus in the eighth and Running Lite in the ninth for the glorious finishes.

As usual, the jockeys for the last race are the sellers. Mark was the first to go, followed by Terry. Jim took the fall next, only to be there to catch Lou. Neck and neck was the battle for last but Kathy said "See Ya Later" as Frank Cerminara brought the #1 horse, GeePeeS, kicking and screaming over the line. Remember that it's the last horse that wins!

Congratulations to Barbara Clemente, the recipient of the 50/50 drawing.

## FAYERWEATHER KITCHEN

November 2000

Kitchen Hours:	Mon.-Fri.	11:30 -1:30
	Sat.	11:30 -3:00
	Sun.	10:30 -3:00

**Kitchen will also be open on Wednesday Nights from 5:30-9:30**

Thursday Nights Menu

**Dinner Hours from 6-8, Coffee included with meal**

### November 2nd

Roast Beef. ....	8.45
Stuffed Chicken Breast w/pot & veg. ....	8.45

### November 9th

Baked Meat loaf .....	8.45
London Broil w/pot & veg. ....	8.45

### November 16th

Veal Parm. w/ spaghetti .....	9.25
Yankee Pot Roast w/pot. & Veg.....	8.45
Stuffed Shells .....	8.45

**November 23rd the kitchen staff would like to wish all a nice Thanksgiving Day**

### November 30th

Baked Lasagna .....	8.45
Linguini w/clam sauce .....	8.45
Roast Beef w/pot. and veg. ....	8.45

\*\*\*All the above with salad bar

**Try our fresh and delicious desserts**

Always available:	
Pasta w/salad Bar .....	6.25
Veggie Burger w/salad Bar .....	5.25
Children's Menu:	
Hot Dog or Hamburger or Grilled Cheese .....	2.00

# SAILING COMMITTEE -SAILING UPDATE

Quality Time skippered by Dave Riordan takes the championship series in Division I this year. Water Wolf skippered by Ed Lobo was second and Fianna skippered by Ray Hannan was in third.

Bob Kranyik's Silver Heels won the Division II honors while Bob Butler's Whisper won the new "Fun Fleet".

The Single-Handed race was taken by John flannan aboard Fianna on a mild Saturday afternoon. Dave Riordan sailed Quality Time to a second place finish and Ed Lobo came in third aboard Water Wolf.

The final sailing race of the summer is the Ken Johnson Memorial Race. This was held on Saturday October 7 in shifty wind conditions. Water Wolf took the top honors in this race with Quality Time in second followed by another Pearson Flyer (Kari) sailed by Pat Collins.

The year 2000 Awards Dinner will be held on Saturday November 4, 2000 at 7:00 PM. Call Dave Riordan at (203) 259-8814 for more information. Tickets are \$14 per person which includes the famous FYC roast beef dinner.

FROSTBITE Work day is set for Saturday November 11 at 9:00AM. The first race day is Sunday November 19. A schedule and entry forms are available at the sailing board.

Ed Lobo, Chairman

## FYC 2000 SINGLE HANDED RACE

Score sheet

RACE #	Wind	DATE	COURSE	DISTANCE	START TIME	# of Boats
Single Hand	10-12 knots	23-Sep-00	DGO	6.50	11:25:00 AM	5

YACHT	SKIPPER	TYPE	RATING	FINISH TIME	ELAPSED TIME (ET)	TCF 650/(650+PHRF)	CORRECTED ET*TCF	Place
Fianna	Ray Hannan	Sabra 34	186		01:20:53	0.7966	01:04:26	1
Quality Time	Dave Riordan	Flyer	155		01:20:34	0.8075	01:05:03	2
Water Wolf	Ed Lobo	Flyer	155		01:25:32	0.8075	01:09:04	3
Silver Heels	Bob Kranyik	O'Day 31	194		01:32:45	0.7701	01:11:26	4
Sin-Bad	Bill Davidson	Nons 30	192		01:42:33	0.7720	01:19:10	5

## FYC 2000 KEN JOHNSON MEMORIAL RACE

Score sheet

RACE #	Wind	DATE	COURSE	DISTANCE	START TIME	# of Boats
KJM RACE	6-10 knots	7-Oct,00	00:00:00	12.00	11:30:00 AM	3

YACHT	SKIPPER	TYPE	RATING	FINISH TIME	ELAPSED TIME (ET)	TCF 650/(650+PHRF)	CORRECTED ET*TCF	Place
Water Wolf	Ed Lobo	Flyer	139			0.8238		1
Quality Time	Dave Riordan	Flyer	139			0.8238		2
Kari	Pat Collins	Flyer	139			0.8238		3

# FROM THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

It's election time again and the nominating committee is here to interview and encourage anyone who is interested in participating in support of Fayerweather, the best Yacht Club on the Sound. All flag positions are open, plus there will be three Board of Governor positions to fill. Dates of interviews are listed below, along with committee names and phone numbers. Anyone interested may attend the interviews or contact one of the members.

### Positions and Primary responsibilities are:

Commodore	Day to day running of the club
Vice Commodore	Bar and Kitchen
Rear Commodore	Entertainment
Treasurer	Club Accounting
Recording Secretary	Communications
Financial Secretary	Responsible for members financial responsibilities

### Members:

Tom Bottillo	367-2566
Dennis Rickard	858-7674
Edward Rickard	255-0318
Earl DeWitt	255-1709
Tony Zadrovicz	333-7480
Vic Gracer	372-2940
Paul Bogacki	331-9551

### Dates & Times

11/10 after the Mtg.
11/16 7-9
11/19 11-1
12/8- after the mtg. Friday

### Positions:

Commodore	Treasurer
Vice Commodore	Financial Secretary
Rear Commodore	Recording Secretary
Three Board Members	

# *Gala New Year's Eve Party*

**Dinner at 8pm**

**14oz. Prime Rib or Baked Stuffed Chicken, Baked Potato, Salad,  
Baked Ziti, Vegetable, Rolls, Dessert,  
Coffee, Tea, Continental Breakfast,  
Open Bar**

**Music By The**

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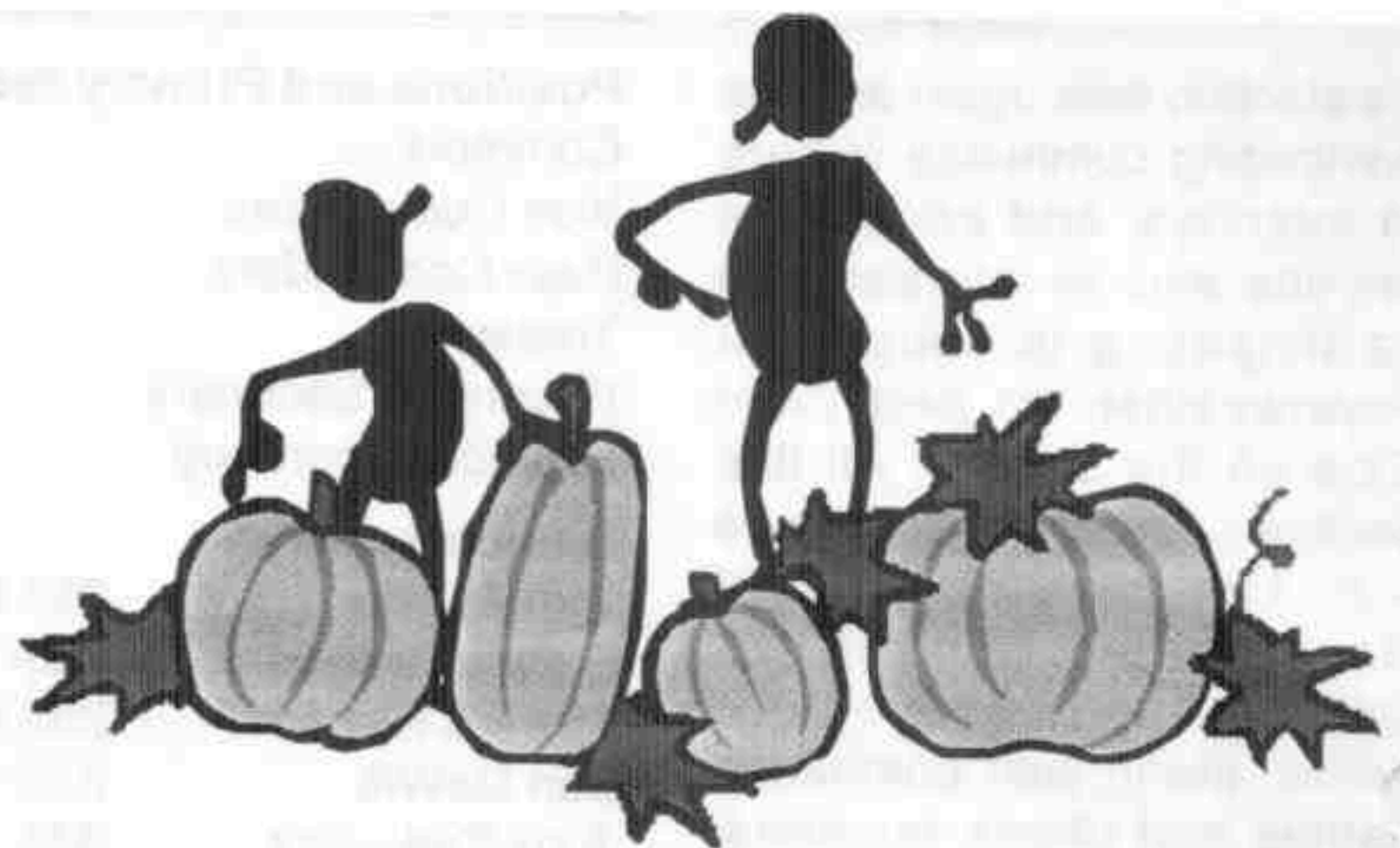
# Harvest Dance

November 18th

8:00pm

Music by the  
Music Machine

Donation \$12.00 per ticket



## Children's Christmas Party

Sunday, Dec 17th at noon

Santa will be there with gifts, snacks and entertainment for the kids!!!. Please return your form with a \$5 donation per child to the club before Dec 8th. Please note party is for children of members and grandchildren of members 10 years of age and under.

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ age \_\_\_\_\_ boy/girl

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ age \_\_\_\_\_ boy/girl

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Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ age \_\_\_\_\_ boy/girl



It is the custom at Fayerweather to get together and wrap the gifts for the children's Christmas Party, the wrapping will be done this year on the 15th of December, if you can help out please Sign up on the work list, the starting time will be relayed to you, if you have any questions please call the Rear Commodore.

## NOTES ON THE HARVEST DANCE

Surprise! its not just a great dance, here is the scoop. You bring your own snacks to this Dance, the club puts out a small spread but it goes quick.

For the fun part. Fresh fruits and vegetables are wrapped in mesh and suspended from the ceiling. All you have to do is reach up while your dancing and grab as much of the produce as you can get away with, that's right what I said was "get away with" 'cause, you see, the Commodore sets up his Jail, that's right his jail, and passes out badges to his "police" but they don't advertise who they are.....and the "police" keep passing the badges around to add to the confusion. If (when) you get caught grabbing the veggies you get to go to "jail" until someone bails you out. The bail is usually set by the Jailer. The Commodore's Police do pretty good until someone requests a dance song like Shout. Get your group together guests are more then welcome and get your tickets early for this one. All the proceeds from the Jail benefit the children's christmas party.

# FISHING COMMITTEE

On October the 8th we participated in our final Bluefish tournament of the year. It was the "four original Bridgeport clubs" tournament and the results were as follows: East End, Pequonnock, Miamogue Fayerweather. East End Yacht Club did a great job of hosting....It was very well run and the food was the best yet. Next year is our turn and I hope we can do as well. As of the last count there were at least NINE "turncoats" (Fayerweather members fishing for other clubs against their fellow club members). Sour grapes? You bet.

Our next event is the annual "Fishing awards banquet" on Friday evening, December 1st. The price of the tickets is \$30.00 and includes a steak dinner by D. & D. catering, beer, and entertainment. This is a member-guest affair so get a table together early as we came close to turning some people away last year. As of this writing no one has stepped forward and expressed an interest in chairing this committee next year. Anyone who's interested can either attend our next meeting on Friday, November the 3rd, or approach Bill Lynk. ( This position is appointed by the commodore). I'll be glad to take it over again in a couple of years (when hopefully I'll have more time) but temporarily we're both a little too busy.

### WANTED:

A good woman who can cook, dig worms, cut bait, and owns a good boat and motor. Please enclose a picture of the boat and motor.

Bob Brezosky, Mark Brezosky

# Fayerweather Yacht Club Haberdashery

Contact Bill Selski 452-1176  
Items may be purchased at the Bar.

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▲Fleeces ..... As Marked <i>Jackets, Pullovers and Vests; Navy &amp; Gray</i></li> <li>▲Long Sleeve V Neck Sweaters ..... As Marked</li> <li>▲V Neck Sweater Vest ..... As Marked</li> <li>▲Jackets ..... As Marked <i>Assorted styles and colors</i></li> <li>▲Knit pull-over hats ..... \$12.00</li> <li>▲Denim Shirts ..... \$35.00 <i>Blue, Rose, Neutral and Green (new color)</i></li> <li>▲Caps ..... \$12.00 <i>Assorted styles and colors</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▲Children's Caps ..... \$10.00</li> <li>▲Visors ..... \$10.00</li> <li>▲Polo Shirts..... \$25.00 <i>Assorted Colors</i></li> <li>▲Sweatshirts..... \$25.00 <i>Assorted Colors</i></li> <li>▲Small Totebag (<i>Please buy me!</i>) ..... \$9.00</li> <li>▲Burgees ..... \$14.50</li> <li>▲Tee Shirts..... As Marked <i>Tan or Gray; Long or short sleeve</i></li> <li>▲Directories ..... Free</li> </ul>
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