



Fayerweather FOGHORN

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From The Helm

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Hope everyone likes the new bar stools that were funded by our Rear Commodore from last year's profits on entertainment. These are the things that can get done with good membership participation at functions. The officers work hard at getting people down to the Club. Like I have said before if all members patronize the club it helps keep the Dues at minimum.

Don't forget Racenight on the 26th of February and The Commodore's Dinner dance on March 11th, tickets are at the bar for both.

One thing I would like to ask all members, when using your Chit Book please hand the people in the kitchen or the bar tender the book, they will remove the chits. This is a club rule, and also please have your guest sign the guest book.

For all computer nuts, (including me) we are working on a web page and as soon as we are completed, I will publish the address!

Till next month.

Bill Lynk, Commodore

From The Ward Room

Hello again,

I am pleased to report, that during the month of February, despite the inclement weather, the bar has done well. On the other hand, the kitchen has had an exceptional month. Thursday night dinners have been a huge success, but do not compare with Sunday lunch. The word has gone out that Frank and his crew do not only serve a lunch menu, as we know it to be, but also serve a exceptionally delicious breakfast menu which includes, eggs, homefries, sausage or bacon, French toast and an unbelievable omelette (various choices) So I ask that if you get up late on Sunday, or after church, and are hungry, do not cook or go to a diner. Come on down to Fayerweather, your Club, with Family and Friends and enjoy a delicious meal as so many regulars are. You'll make Frank happy, the more the better.

Calendar of Events March 2000

- March 3rd**
Fishing Committee Meeting
- March 4th**
Atlantic City Bus trip
- March 6th**
7:30 - 9:30 Reprise of
"MEDICAL EMERGENCYS AT SEA"
- March 8th**
Women's Auxiliary Board Meeting
6:30pm
Women's Auxiliary
Installation of Officers
7:30 pm
- March 10th**
General meeting 8 pm
- March 11th**
Commodore's Dinner Dance
- March 27th**
Board of Governors Meeting
7:30 pm
- March 31st**
Dave Page Fish Fry 6:00 pm

For you Fish lovers, I am also pleased to announce that the first Dave Page Fish Fry of the New Year will be held on Friday, March 31st. Due to availability and quality of Fish on hand, that Dave personally selects, I ask that tickets be purchased no later than Tuesday March 28th. these tickets, which are limited, can be purchased a the bar and remain at \$7.00

Thanks in advance,
Vice Commodore, Walt Dobosz

P.S. Reminder Atlantic City Trip participants. Bus will leave at 7:00 am March 4th. Bonus announced at \$13.00.

From the Rear Commodore

Hello, winter is passing quickly, the sun is staying longer every day, before we know it it will be spring.

To help you pass the remainder of winter:

Commodore's Dinner Dance on the 11th and the St. Patrick's Day Dinner Dance on the 18th of March. And the Children's Easter Egg Hunt, we need cash donations and also volunteers to help us out that day. Please let me know if you can help out.

Hope everyone, who can fit one of these events into their busy schedules will attend. As all of you well know it takes people to make a dance or a party, its your club come down and enjoy it. Thanks to Commodore Bill Lynk, and the entertainment committee for handling all the Race Nite details and taking care of the Races on the 26th, thats what FYC is all about good friends and team work!

Again, if anyone needs any information on an event just call me at 254-3090 days or 377-3842 evenings.

Frank Stirna, Rear Commodore

FYC WOMEN'S AUXILIARY

Hello,

Hope you all survived our 2-month winter (ugh!) reprieve and stayed healthy! First, I personally would like to congratulate Commodore Bill Lynk who was elected to serve FYC for another year and also thank him and his officers for their generous support to the Auxiliary during my term as President of the Auxiliary. You all were the greatest people to work with in all our endeavors.

Our next meeting is on Wednesday, March 8th, at 7:30 pm and will highlight installation of our new officers for Year 2000. They are: President, Virginia Lussier; Vice president, Judy Duva; Recording Secretary, Irma Palko; Financial Secretary, Genevieve Lucas; and Treasurer, Kay Kadar. Board of Directors are: Millie Bishop, Mary Ann Callahan, Betsy Dalling, and Jean Rivers. Coming up next, actually Saturday, March 11th, is the Commodore's Dinner Dance, for which the Auxiliary provides the Cocktail Hour hors d'oeuvre table. It is always a classy social affair to honor our new Club Officers and I hope to see many of you there.

Lastly, since this is my last article for the FOGHORN, I'd like to thank my officers and Board members for their untiring help and support in keeping the Auxiliary going during the past three years-(specifically Judy, Kay, Ginny, Genevieve, Ann, Lorraine, Pat, Jean, and Connie). I could not have done it without them! I'd also like to extend my thanks to the many long-time members we don't get to see at regular meetings but who continue to support the Auxiliary through our various fundraising efforts. Your generosity is always appreciated.

In closing, I extend my best wishes and support to Ginny Lussier in her new role as President of the Auxiliary.

Kathy Zdrovicz Past President

P.S. An important reminder that March 31st is the deadline for our annual \$10 dues payment---then a \$3.00 penalty fee will be added to remain as an active member. Send them in ASAP if you have forgotten!!

FAYERWEATHER KITCHEN

March 2000

Thursday Nights Menu

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

March 2nd

Baked Meatloaf w/pot. and Veg.	8.25
London Broil w/pot. and Veg.	8.25

March 9th

Stuffed Chicken Breast w/pot. and Veg.	8.25
Roast Beef w/pot. and veg.	8.25

March 16th

New England Scrod with/Pot & Veg.	8.25
Spaghetti and Meatballs	8.25

March 23rd

Yankee Pot Roast w/pot. and Veg.	8.25
Stuffed Pork Chop w/Pot & Veg.	8.25

March 30th! Lobster Nite!!! Please reserve your Lobster early

Lobster Dinner	\$12.95
Rib Eye Steak w/pot. & Veg.	\$12.95

Dinner Hours from 6-8, Coffee included with meal

***All the above with salad bar

If you desire an item that isn't on the menu, please ask to see if it is available, we will make every effort to accommodate you. Almost every item on the menu is available to take out. Lunch menu items are available to take out, Monday - Sunday, Thank You

Try our fresh and delicious desserts

Always available:

Pasta w/salad Bar	6.25
Veggie Burger w/salad Bar	5.25

Mother's Day 2000

Breakfast and dinner is is being planned already, tentative plans are:

One seating for breakfast and two seatings for afternoon dinners. Rumor has it that it will be a sit down and be served Breakfast and Dinner.

There will be no tickets for this day but we will need everyone who plans on attending, to call in and make reservations. With reservations, seating arrangements can be made and we can insure you the type of service th you expect on this day.

More Details will be in next months Foghorn. Hope to see most of you there!

WORK OR PAY COMMITTEE

We will be voting on the Work or Pay program at the next monthly meeting. If you have any comments or questions please contact one the Committee member before the next meeting. (Jimmy Anderson, Bill Lynk, Sue Kiely) We are only suggesting a commitment of 5 hours or \$5 for each hour owed. This is a very small commitment!

Please read the following proposal:

Purpose:

Make improvements to the club by volunteering or contributions in order to keep the membership fee down.

Special Work Committee:

A Special Work Committee of three people shall be created to oversee the program. The committee shall have overall responsibility for approving committees and assignment of Group leaders.

The Special Work Committee shall have the right to excuse hardship cases from their obligations. For example:

- Hardship could be Older retirees on fixed income
- Out of state members who don not use the facilities

The Special Work Committee shall receive sheets monthly from the Group leaders and document completed membership obligations

A duplicate receipt book will be used to keep hours. One copy given to the member. One given to the financial secretary.

Notice of unfilled obligations shall be forwarded to the financial secretary by the end of the year for inclusion in the annual dues bill.

Exempt individuals will be:

Life members

Group Leaders:

The Group Leaders (Committee chairman or appointed member of a committee)

- Supervise a specific committee
- Recruit help
- Obtain materials
- Keep book available for workers to indicate hours worked
- Keep track of hours and sign book held by Special Work Committee

Membership Obligation:

Five hours or Five dollars for each hour owed.

The division of groups for the club and the grounds shall be and not limited to :

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|------------|-------------------------|
| House | Entertainment Committee |
| Grounds | Docks and hoist |
| South Yard | Locker shed |
| Kitchen | Sailing |
| Fishing | Miscellaneous |

All monies collected shall be placed in Capital Improvement.

Children's Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday April 15th, 10am-12 noon, Don't disappoint your children or grandchildren, **Return your sign-up list by April 10th** open to Children and Grandchildren of members, age under 10 years old, Cake Sale, Easter Egg Hunt, face painting, Easter rabbit, Easter candy, Rabbit Raffle, Please make a Donation of \$5.00 per child

Name _____ Age _____

Name _____ Age _____

Name _____ Age _____

We need cash donations for the Children's Easter Party, please drop off any donations at the club

Dave Page

Fish Fry



March 31st

6:00pm

tickets only

\$7.00!!

Commodore's Dinner Dance

March 11th

Open Bar, Cocktail Hour 6:30-7:30

Dinner 8:00

Prime Rib Dinner,
Ziti, Salad, Dessert, Coffee

Music By
"Rick"

\$30 per person
tickets at bar

St. Patrick's Day Dinner Dance

Saturday, March 18th, Tickets \$15.00

8pm- til?

Corned Beef and Cabbage Dinner
Music and Dancing, Green Beer Included!

Sailing Update March

The frostbite season is in the final stretch. Terry Roach has a very slim lead over Pat Hickey in the Dinghy Class where Gloria Roach is in a solid third place. Tim Anto has a lead over Todd Williams in the Laser Class where Ed Lobo is in third place. The accompanying chart shows the entire standings. Thus far this year we have nineteen skippers who have raced and thirteen skippers qualified for awards. The Awards Dinner for the Year 2000 Frostbite season is scheduled for Sunday March 19, 2000. All Dinghies and Lasers must be off the dock by that date.

The Branford Yacht Club still has Lasers for sale complete with boards, rig, and sail for \$850 each. These Lasers are in good condition and were made in 1991. This might be an economical way to begin your racing career and the springtime is a good time to practice. Call Ed Lobo at (203)336-0161 EXT. 5237 if interested.

The Winter Laser Regatta will be held on Saturday March 4, 2000. Anyone interested may pick up an application at the club Sailing Bulletin Board. Entry for this regatta is only \$20.00 and this includes dinner after the regatta.

A Skippers meeting is scheduled for Wednesday March 15, 2000 at 7:00PM at the clubhouse for planning the Year 2000 summer sailing season. All skippers, crew members, race committee members, and just interested folks are welcomed to attend. Topics will include: The "2000" sail racing schedule, awards, race committee duties, inter-club regattas, and anything else that may promote sailing at FYC.

Ed Lobo
Sailing Committee
February 18, 2000

Laser frostbite score sheet Summary

						Date	18-Feb. 2000
						Total Frostbite Races to Date	69
						Minimum to qualify	28
Name	Total Points	#Races	Races count	Points count	AVE. Score	Qualified	
Tim Anto	149	62	45	78	1.73	Y	
Todd Williams	148	59	44	80	1.82	Y	
Ed Lobo	182	64	46	99	2.15	Y	
Ed Rickard	115	34	31	95	3.06	Y	
Tom Bobbin	126	34	31	110	3.55	Y	
Bob McHugh	104	28	28	104	3.71	Y	
Chris Anto	252	47	38	195	5.13	Y	
Dwight LeComette	10	6	6	10	1.67	N	
Danny Lent	38	12	12	38	3.17	N	
Dave Foster	7	1	1	7	7.00	N	

Dinghy frostbite score sheet Summary

						Date	18-Feb. 2000
						Total Frostbite Races to Date	49
						Minimum to qualify	20
Name	Total Points	#Races	Races count	Points count	AVE. Score	Qualified	
TERRY ROACH	127	66	46	64	1.39	Y	
PAT HICKEY	108	58	42	59	1.40	Y	
GLORIA ROACH	154	50	36	100	2.83	Y	
BOB KUBIS	201	54	40	121	3.03	Y	
PAUL DOHAN	202	51	39	137	3.51	Y	
SCOTT ORSCHLER	293	60	43	187	4.35	Y	
HOWARD ROBBINS	105	19	19	105	no ever	N	
P.KOCHERSPERGER	91	14	14	91	no ever	N	
FRANCES ROSS	15	4	4	15	no ever	N	

FLEET CAPTAIN'S CORNER.....3/2000

One thing to note is the well-attended seminars, the last of which will be in April, and the date to be announced as soon as we can firm up with CJ and Paul, our deputy harbormasters. Their schedules are almost full and this one will be a reprise of their popular "Emergencies At Sea". **late note (March 6th, 7:30 - 9:30, Reprise of "MEDICAL EMERGENCYS AT SEA" at the club.)**

We wanted to have this one again, close to the beginning of the boating season, as many who wanted to attend the original could not do so.

The boat show in Hartford, Strictly Sail, will be from March 16 to 19 and most of those from the club will go up on Thursday, the 16th. Admission will be 10.00 and the show times are eleven to seven. Children charge is 5.00. This is the best show we have attended in some time and we find that even the food is good. Join us if you can.

Our thanks to all who participated in the Seminars and a special 'Well done' to Bob Kranyik who generated the idea and promoted its continuance.

FLEET CAPTAIN Bob Butler

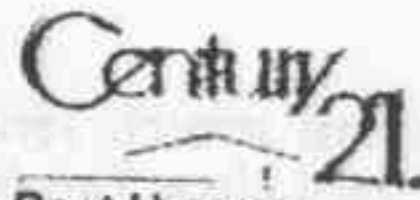
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Fayerweather Yacht Club

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Contact Bill Selski 452-1176

Items may be purchased at the Bar.

FYC Directory

The Fayerweather Membership Directory will be going to print and available to members in April. An overwhelming acceptance of the first edition (in recent years) has led to publishing a year 2000 edition.

Ahoy! If your name, address or phone number has changed, please correct it with our newly elected financial secretary, Jack Hunter.

Advertising space is available at the cost of \$50 per business card size ad. Ads must be received by March 15th. Any member wishing to advertise in the directory should

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