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#### From The Helm

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Welcome to my first artical of Spring 2001!

Important, the General meeting will be on April 20th @ 8pm because of Good Friday Holiday and I can't move the meeting to the previous Friday as the By-laws say because of the Fish Fry on April 6th.

Members, don't forget Good Friday is work day and I would like to see many people as possible down to give us plenty of help, we will have lunch on the club and liquid refreshments. The bar will be closed until 5 pm and also the kitchen will be closed all day.

At the General meeting we will be having elections of about 20 new members from our waiting list of 52. For those of you that missed our St. Patrick's Day Dance, you missed a real good time. And also there is this guy called Grandpa that missed his annual Birthday cake at the Dance at 84! But Happy Birthday Raymond!

P.S. The Bar and Kitchen will be closed on Easter Sunday April 15th.

Till Next Month Bill Lynk, Commodore

#### From The Ward Room

Hello,

Spring is finally here I hope. So spring on down to your club and enjoy fine food and drink. Dave Page Fish Fry is on Friday April 6th, tickets remain at \$7.00 each and available at the bar. I encourage all new members who love fish to come on down, you don't know what your missing. Also Mother's Day is coming up on May 13th, check kitchen article for details. I personally would like to wish all of you a Happy Easter and a safe summer.

Thanks Again, Walt Dobosz, Vice Commodore

#### Calendar of Events April 2001

April 6th

Dave Page Fish Fry 6pm-8pm

Fishing Committee 8 pm

April 7th Race NIte!

April 13th Good Friday Clean up

April 14th

Children's Easter Party
10 to noon

April 20th

General meeting 8 p.m.

**April 23rd** BOG - 7:30 p.m.

#### From the Rear Commodore

The St. Patrick's Day dinner and dance was a great success. Some said it was the best ticket in town. I think some people are still dancing! Thanks for everyone's help. Our next event will be a race night on the 7th of April. Tickets will be available soon at the bar. The Easter kids party will be held on the 14th of April 10am till 12 noon. Please let me know how many children you will be bringing so I can accommodate them all. The forms are at the bar and donations are being accepted.

I Hope everyone that is able will continue to support our club. See you at the races!

Larry Ursitti, Rear Commodore

#### FYC Women's Auxilliary

Spring is finally here and our returning slate of officers and Board members are ready to begin a new year. Our installation went well in March. Upcoming is the Fish Fry on Friday April 6th from 6:00 to 8:00 where we will be selling donated desserts and coffee. Please bring a dessert that evening or contact me and I'll arrange to have it picked up. Also, we will be having our "Bunnie Raffle" at the Children's Easter Party on Saturday, April 14th at 10:00. You can bring your bunny that morning or to our April 11th meeting or call me to arrange a pickup. We will be having a Chinese Auction after our April meeting so bring a new or old item in good condition if you want to participate. We are also looking into the possibility of having a guest speaker after our May 9th meeting who will talk to us about investing options. Guests would be welcome. I should know for sure by our next meeting where I hope to see you.

Until then, Ginny Lussier - President (203) 333-5388

### From the Dockmaster's Office

Another boating season is coming up and the launch and dock activites will be starting. I'm hoping this year will be one of the best. As you all know the launch operator & dock crew are here to make sure that everything runs smoothly during the season. If you need help don't be afraid to ask.

Again as usual we are looking for a few good hands (dock crew) plus (launch operators). If you are interested in or know someone who is interested in any of these positions, have them get in touch with me thru the club, or by way of Ron Simms Sr. and I'm looking forward to meeting you all through the season.

"Safe Boating"

#### FAYERWEATHER KITCHEN

	April 2001	
Kitchen Hours:	MonFri.	11:30 -1:30
	Sat. Sun.	11:30 -3:00 10:30 -3:00
Kitchen will also b from 5:30-7:30	e open on We	dnesday Nights
	ırsday Nights	Menu
Dinner Hours from	6-8, Coffee inc	cluded with meal
April 5th Veal & peppers ov	er Spaghetti	8.45
Roast Beef w/po	t & veg	8.45
April 12ab		
April 12th Stuffed Sole w/pot	& veg	8.45
Linguini w/clam sa	uce	8.45
April 19th	and Irra Arma	0.45
Stuffed Chicken Br Baked Meat Loaf w		
	, poe at 1-8,	
A. 11 24 4		
April 26th		0.45
Baked Lasagna Roast Loin of Pork		
Trouse com or rorr	importa reg.	
***All the above wit	h salad bar	
Try our fre	esh and delicio	ous desserts
Always available: Pasta w/salad Bar		4.25

#### Mother's Day .....

Children's Menu:

Hot Dog or Hamburger

or Grilled Cheese ......

Mother's Day Breakfast Brunch from 9:30 to 11:00 Dinner served at 12:00 and 2:30 - Prime Rib -Stuffed Chicken - New England Scrod - At 2:30 we will also offer Lobster

2.00

#### MOORINGS

It is spring and time to get our boats ready for sun and fun. The first thing is to check - repair or replace our mooring chain and buoys (ball) pick-up and pennants. Next is to place (set) them in the mooring field. There will be sign up sheets on the board next to the bar. The sheets will be setup for for Saturday and Sunday drops owner should be there for this. If you have a question of would like to set the mooring during the midweek call me at 203-255-6844 Jim Anderson

# Annual Dave Page Fish Fry Friday, April 6th 6:00pm Donation \$7.00

### Children's Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday April 14th, 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, 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

#### FISHING COMMITTEE

The next Fishing committeee meeting is supposed to be on Friday the 6th of April, There is a Fish Fry That Day, I'm scheduling an informal meeting at 8pm anyway because we have to plan the Floundar Tournament which is May 6th with Hunky Turky on May 4th. We need some help on those days ..... hopefully the people that volunteered to help run them last year will again help run them this year, Don't forget to pick up your fishing buttons before the tournament.

One Note the raffle tickets say E&B and should say West Marine...I didn't realize they had finally changed the signs, anyone asks, the certificates will be for West Marine for a \$250 dollar value (5 fifty dollar certificates). Sorry about that.

Frank Stirna Fishing Chairman

#### Fayerweather Yacht Club Haberdashery

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

	Fayerweather Light	Caps\$12.00 Assorted styles and colors
8	Fleeces (While they last!) As Marked	Children's Caps\$10.00
	Jackets, Pullovers and Vests; Navy & Gray	Polo Shirts\$25.00
	Long Sleeve V Neck Sweaters As Marked	Assorted Colors
	V Neck Sweater Vest As Marked	Sweatshirts\$25.00
	Jackets As Marked	Assorted Colors
	Assorted styles and colors	Burgees\$14.50
	Knit pull-over hats\$12.00	Tee Shirts
h	Denim Shirts\$35.00	Tan or Gray; Long or short sleeve
	Blue, Rose, Neutral and Green	Directories (Under Re-Construction) Free

m sometene quartite, and more importantly, to have enough help in the

## Get your crew together! This is a member Guest event the more people the better!

## Race Nite Saturday, April 7th Tickets only \$6.00!!!! Dinner at 7pm

Includes Roast Beef Dinner and Night at the Races
Great night to bring friends to the Club!

#### SASSR, What is it?

Look for the information for Mother's Day Breakfast and Lunch in the next month's Foghorn and on the weekly menu It is the Swim Across the Sound Sailing Regatta. The date of the Regatta is July 15th. This is not the date of the Swim but a chance to participate in a worthy cause. This year, the proceeds from the event will be designated to the St. Vincent's mammography unit.

The committee has been meeting on a regular basis. The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, April 2nd at 7:30 at FYC. Check out the website hometown.aol.com/sassrfyc.

Volunteers are needed to coordinate several of the land-based events i.e. captain's meeting, after-sail social. Anyone wishing to help should contact Tom Lee 259-0435.

The entry fee for the event will be a donation of \$100 per boat. The day will consist of three race classifications, spinnaker, cruising and point-to-point (drag race). The point-to-point class is an informal race from the starting line to an ending point. Return trip is how you get there to join in the fun afterward. The intent is to get as many boats to participate as possible.

#### Sailing News

The frostbite season has officially ended. It will go into the record book as the one with least number of races conducted. The dinghy results show fifty races, for this year compared to eighty-eight for last season. The Awards Banquet was held directly after the closing race. It was a grand affair, with three (count them!) dif-

FYC 2001

Laser Regatta

	The state of the s	TA MARCH 10,2001	
Name	Sail number	Points	Place
Steve Girling	15014	12	1
Richard Shattuck	1	31	2
Nigel Thomas	170326	34	3
Brian Raney	158689	39	4
Tim Maier	167170	40	5 Top Master
Ed Rickard	167278	40	6
Eric Barreveld	169402	41	7
Tim Anto	170053	53	8
Ferdi Hellweger	118943	54	9
Halsey Bullen	168463	64	10
Ed Lobo	136	69	11
Jesse Stewart	170724	71	12
Nick Burgly	170146	73	13
Ryan Eric Minth	167154	97	14
Stephen Fisk	133745	104	15

aser Frostbite score sheet summary			Date			11-Mar-01
			Total Frostbite Races	40		
			Minimum to qualify		16	
Name	Total Points	#Races	Races count	Points count	AVE. Score	Qualified
Ed Rickard	61	34	25	33	1.32	Y
Ed Lobo'	87	34	25	52	2.08	Y
Kevin Tisdall	96	35	26	58	2.23	Y
Chris Anto	58	17	17	58	3.41	Y
Chris McNeil	70	17	17	70	4.12	Y
Dan Lent	7	5	5	7	1.40	N
Ann Hannan	27	14	14	27	1.93	N
Tim Anto	13	4	4	13	3.25	N
Blake Lobo	18	3	3	18	6.00	N
	Top Master	4			dean si	

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			Total Frostbite Races to Date Minimum to qualify		50 20	
Name	Total Points	, #Races	Races count	Points count	AVE. Score	Qualified
Pat Hickey	84	46	33	44	1.33	Y
Terry Roach	101	44	33 32	53	1.66	Y
Paul Dohan	145	48	34	82	2.41	Y
Bob Kubis	130	41	31	84	2.71	Y
Gloria Roach	99	29	25	79	3.16	Y

ferent kinds of pizza. The class winners are shown in the final results (below).

Laser Mid-Winters Regatta

The Laser Winter
Regatta for 2001, was held
on Saturday, March 10th, in
blustery conditions. Wind
velocity at the beginning of
the first race, was approximately 20 knots, with gusts
to 25 knots. Everyone had
a dip in the 36 degree
water.

After Ryan Minth took the first race, Steve Girling won the next five races, to easily win first place for the Regatta. Richard Shattuck sailed consistently in the eightrace regatta and took second place, just ahead of Nigel Thomas, who placed third. Brian Raney was in fourth place, Tim Maier was in fifth and also the Top Master.

Digital photo awards were presented at the dinner following the racing activities.

#### FLEET CAPTAIN'S CORNER

SHELTER ISLAND CRUISE BREAKFAST.....APRIL 21...AT NINE...\$5.00

We look forward to seeing all the old cruising folk as well as any new people who would like to consider joining us this year. This breakfast is in lieu of the dinner we normally would have had last November or December. Power and Sail....everyone.

Please call and let me know that you are coming so that I can tell Frank in our kitchen how many to expect. This will enable him to order food in sufficient quantity and more importantly, to have enough help in the kitchen to do the job correctly.

We will go over our cruising plans for this year...July 7 to Block Island and Narragansett Bay, and August 4 to SHELTER ISLAND.

CLEAN-UP DAY GOOD FRIDAY...need people with rakes, shovels and if possible a wheelbarrow or vo. Muscle and endurance are optional...no prior experience is necessary. Owners of dinks currently on racks at the Club are especially invited for reasons which will be made known to you on that day.

Bob Butler....268-5775....Fleet Captain April 01 issue.

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#### **BOAT FOR SALE**

1997 Hunter 37.6 offered at price equivalent to net proceeds from dealer sale. Boat has all initial equipment plus dodger, electronics (Garmin Map), power winch, 9.2 Seaworthy dingy, including 3.5 hp outboard plus much more. Available for inspection at the Cove until launch date. After launch, will be on H Dock. This offer open until June 30, 2001 when it will be listed with dealer. If interested call Jack Hunter 372-6459

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