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NOTICE

addendum to house Rules
Rule 21

Proper Attire Required after 6 pm. No bathing suits. Gentlemen, no sleeveless shirts.

Vice Commodore

Summer is finally here, and hopefully we're done with the rain.

The roof over the back hallway is fixed, we had plenty of rain to test it -thanks John.

Wayne Murray donated 11 new umbrellas, all we need is some sun to put them to use, Thanks Wayne. P.S. if you are the last one to leave a table at night, please take a moment to drop the umbrella.

Remember Wednesday Nite the kitchen is open serving the lunch menu, come down and enjoy a meal and drink on the deck. Keep your eyes and ears open for a possible F.Y.C. band jam.

I would like to remind every member its your responsibility to return any glasses or bottles to the bar when you are done. Ref: House Rule #13 in the new membership booklet.

Thanks, Jim Hasak

FROM THE REAR COM-MODORE

Summer in finally here, hurray.
HAPPY 4TH OF JULY MEMBERS.

Hope you all enjoyed the fireworks. I look forward to seeing you all, DOCKSIDE, SATURDAY JULY 5 FROM 4 TO 8 PM. The PENFIELD REEFERS BAND are returning by popular demand for music, dancing and food. Tickets still available at the bar \$ 10.00.

CARIBBEAN NIGHT - JULY 26, AT 7 PM DOCKSIDE. BAND, DANCING

Calendar of Events

July 2003

July 5th

JD and the Penfield Reefers

July 11th

Fishing committee 7pm

July 26th

CARIBBEAN NITE

July 28th

BOG - 7:00 p.m.

AND FOOD. It will be a fun night under the stars. Prize for the best Island attire. Tickets available at the bar.

Come and enjoy the wonderful harbor views from the deck. Sip a cool drink, enjoy breakfast, lunch or dinner. Hope to sea you all, happy boating.

DEE POWERS

From the Dock Master

Any personal items left on the Dock, Patio, Tables, or Chairs by members or non-members will be collected and stored in a "lost and found" bin in the basement by the Dock Staff at the direction of the Dockmaster with no liability for such personal items stored to this club. The dock shack is not a warehouse, or dump, for wanted or unwanted personal items of the membership. Richard D. Blanchard, Dockmaster

FYC WOMEN'S AUXILIARY

It was nice to see so many of you and your guests at our Pot Luck Dinner which was our last get together before September. The food was great and enjoyed by all. Also, I'd like to thank Kim Ruggiero for selling tickets for our opening day raffle and Mary Ann Callahan for helping Kay at the Bake sale. The June article was due prior to the event and I didn't know all who would be helping.

Please keep our November Holiday Fair in your thoughts over the summer. The success of this fund raiser will depend on how many items we have to sell (books, white elephant, crafts, etc). We all thank FYC member Jack Wheeler and his wife for their donation of books.

I have some ornaments that we could make if any of you would be interested. We could meet at the club on Wednesday, July 9th at 6:30. The kitchen will be open if you don't want to cook. Call me and let me know (203) 333-5388. Also, remember that you can have the auxiliary logo put on any of the haberdashery items and there are still some flag pins left for sale. Have a safe and happy summer.

As Ever, Ginny Lussier - President

FAYERWEATHER KITCHEN

July 2003

Kitchen Hours

Open for Breakfast
Tues.- Sun.
9:30am-11:30am

Lunch

Tues.-Fri. 11:30 - 1:30
Sat. 11:30 - 3:00
Sun. 10:30 - 3:00

Open Weds. Nights for the duration of the races
5:30 to 9:30

Thursday Nights Menu

Dinner Hours from 6-8, Coffee included with meal

July 3rd

Roast Pork8.95
Baked New England Scrod w/ potato and veg.8.95

July 10th

Roast Beef w/ potato and veg.8.95
Veal and peppers w/spaghetti...8.95

July 17th

Baked Meatloaf8.95
Stuffed Pork Chop w/potato and veg.9.45

July 24th

Lobster 14.95
Ribeye Steak w/potato and veg.13.95

July 31st

Baby Back Ribs BBQ 10.95
Stuffed Chicken w/rice pilaf and veg.8.95

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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

EVENTS

- July 5th - Dockside 4-8 JD and the Penfield Reefers
- July 19th - Swim Across the Sound Sailing Regatta
- July 26th - Caribbean Niite, Music, food, dancing



Swim across The Sound Sailing Regatta Update

It's almost here! Saturday July 19 is the date of the Fourth Annual Swim Across The Sound Sailing Regatta. In previous years, we've enjoyed good weather on the day of The Regatta, so hopefully this year's monsoon season will have reached its conclusion by race day.

There are four clubs co-presenting The Regatta this year: FYC, Black Rock, Cedar Point and Housatonic. Regatta organizers are expecting a large turnout, with many participating boats from the other clubs. The fantastic new club dock will certainly make it easier to accommodate a big guest fleet, although there may be some crowding between 1000 and 1130, as boats in The Regatta arrive and depart. If you're not sailing in The Regatta, please make plans to refuel your boat, or take on passengers, at an earlier or later time to avoid congestion at the dock.

As in past Swim Regattas, there will be only one race for each fleet, in order to get everyone back to FYC in time for the picnic and awards presentation at 1600. There will be multiple starts (for the PHRF spinnaker and non-spinnaker boats, as well as separate starts for boats like Catalina 30's, J/24's, Ideal 18's or any other class represented by three or more boats.) If you sail one of these popular boats, be sure to tell your friends who own the same type of boat that they should enter The Regatta. Race Committee Chairman Earl DeWitt, ably assisted by Rob Stephan from BRYC, is prepared to start as many classes as are entered. Earl and Rob will, as at every past Swim Regatta, be assisted in scoring and preparing boat photos and award plaques by Ed Lobo and Dave Riordan.

If you've known about The Regatta, but have not entered in previous years because you thought it was just for hardcore racers, you should know that this is one of most low-key, and FUN, sailing events on the Sound! Naturally, all of the yacht racing rules apply, but because the focus of The Regatta is to support a worthy cause (and to have a great time!), sportsmanship is paramount, and protests are discouraged. (and when Earl discourages protests, they tend not to happen!)

Let's not forget the Fun Sail. This increasingly popular segment of The Regatta is in the capable hands of Jay Jost, who promises that this year's event will be more fun than ever. Sailors will be navigating around a course, and collecting clues posted on each mark. These clues will then be used to solve a puzzle. If you'd otherwise be going for a sail with family and friends on the 19th, why not sign up for the Fun Sail, and help raise funds to provide free mammography screenings in Fairfield County? The \$100 entry fee is tax-deductible, so you'll need a very good reason not to sail in this year's Regatta! There are some great pieces of maritime art that will be raffled off at the Regatta picnic, donated by artists Chris Blossom, Bob Ledoux and John Schreck. Bob will also be displaying his creations at the picnic, and has kindly offered to donate a generous percentage of his sales to The Regatta.

Thanks,
Bob!

FLEET CAPTAINS CORNER

We would like to extend our thanks to Fred Immerman and Chris Blossom for their efforts in making our club more presentable and functional. Fred did the refurbishing of the shower, complete with new walls and fixtures. Chris did the installation of "FAYERWEATHER YACHT CLUB" and "BLACK ROCK" on the stern of our launch. Kudos to each.

We now have the longest dock on Long Island Sound...exactly 25000 feet (give or take a few)...and when the electricity is installed, we will have a dock of which we can be truly proud.

The Newport-Block Island Cruise date is July 12, departure time 0900. The Shelter Island Cruise date is August 8, again we leave at 0900. The Shelter Island pre-cruise meeting will be at the Club on July 30, at 7:30. Bring any questions and charts you may have. We will go over the itinerary and general plans and will at that point be able to generate a complete listing of all participants with descriptions of boats and crews.

Again a reminder: if you are planning to stay at the main or transient dock overnight, advise our dock people and pay up front. This will save embarrassment all 'round and make their jobs that much easier.

Fleet Captain...Bob Butler

FISHING COMMITTEE

The weather has finally broke, a new electronic digital scale has been ordered. There have been entries in three fish categories although low weights. The Budweiser/Beacon Point Bluefish Tournament is August 3rd. Members Only. You need to turn in your application by July 16th in order to get a shirt and hat. Applications on Bulletin Board.

Raffle tickets are here.

1st prize 1 day fishing trip with Dave Shacket

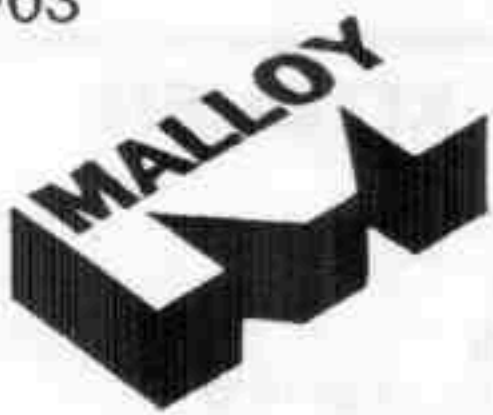
2nd prize Penn 310 reel and rod

3rd place \$50 Gift Certificate to West Marine

Tickets \$2.00 each book of 5 \$10.00. We need your support.

Thanks Walt Dobosz, Chairman

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