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2001 Mike Finleon
2002 Jerry Hause
2003 D. Van Leeuwen
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2005 Michael Bazar
2006 Sam Fisher
2007 Dave Herrington
2008 John Larkin
2009 Jesse Murphy
2010 Larry Price
2011 Joe Pyle
2012 Nathan Britney
2013 Jarrod Tubbs
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2015 Marty Chrisman
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From The Helm

Philip Costa Commodore

Ahoy Mates!

It's been exciting around the club lately. We have had two door busting parties and it seems like Friday nights at the club are the place to be. I want to welcome all the new members and invite everyone to join us Friday nights. There is usually some food and always good times.

As many of you know we are working on the website. There are still some problems that need to be worked out. Our new club administrator Tammy Ogletree has spent many hour learning our new system and trying to fill Carol's shoes. We are getting very close to having automatic credit card billing. She will still be sending out paper bills. The paper bill from Tammy is correct. Please disregard any email you may receive stating something different (these are auto-generated and may be inaccurate).

We are in the planning stage of making some changes to the building. My hope is that the building will look very different by the summer.

We have started a paddle board group. We had 7 people out for our first time out on the water. I would like to get lots of people to come paddle with us. If you have ever wanted to try it out please let me know. We have a board or two that we can share. The group is trying to meet around 6:00pm Mondays and Thursdays at the club.



Rockin' The Balls 3 will be July 16. The music will start at 11:00am. We are looking for sponsors and support. If you would like to be a part of keeping the fun coming just let me know.
Please text me 713 539-0371 or email me Philip.splash@gmail.com

JUST HAVIN FUN!

Philip

At The Helm… Watch Out!

Wow, What a Spring!

Randle Moore, RC Sail

The sailing program is in full swing. There is so much activity on the lake. Everything is being so well maintained. On Sunday, March 20th, HCYC hosted the HCYC / LCYC Collaborative Fleet Pro-Am Regatta. The races were held on Sunday due to forecasted high winds on Saturday. Although we avoided the blustery winds of Saturday, there was more than enough wind on Sunday, starting at 12 mph and eventually building to over 20 mph. Five boats came out for the regatta. **John Ruiz** was a singleton in the Big Boat fleet. **Mike Fennell** along with his girlfriend, **Mitzi**, and son, **Blake** took three first places in the non-spin fleet. LCYC members **Robin Engel** and **Harry Sutherland**, followed with two second places and an early retirement for the third race. In the Portsmouth fleet, **David Oates** and his crew, **John Hamrick**, scored three bullets. I should also like to note that they demonstrated an outstanding Man Overboard Drill in mid race and kept going.

HCYC's annual **Fiesta Regatta** is nearly upon us, **April 23rd**. This is the event in which both sailors and power boaters enjoy sailboat racing together. Sailors put on and join in the races and power boaters enjoy the view of the racing and cheer on their favorites while anchored on the race course. This is unique among the sailing clubs of the country. But then, we've known for a long time our club is uniquely gifted.

Share our passion for sailing ,

Randle Moore

HCYC Apparel Update:

For those of you that are not aware we are in the process of getting our HCYC apparel website completed. We have a few items posted on the apparel Website which is located on our HCYC website under HCYC Apparel. If anyone has any suggested items you would like to have added to the web site please let me know. See you at the Lake, Greg



Greg Theisz DOMRICO p.713.253.3422 e.gtheisz@royalpurple.com

Guadalupe Fleet #135 of the Day Sailer Association invites all owners of **O'Day Day Sailers** and persons interested in Day Sailers to their first Day Sailer open house to be held on Saturday, April 2nd beginning at 10:00 am at the Hill Country Yacht Club house on the docks at the Canyon Lake Marina.

This open house is for anyone interested in Day Sailer Boats.

Contact Randle Moore at:

hcyc.rcsail@gmail.com

or

David Oates at:

davidoates423@yahoo.com

for more information.

Please join us Saturday, April 23 for packed day full of events!! It will be our 3nd Annual Fuel Fill Up, Open House Membership Drive and BBQ Party featuring some great entertainment on HCYC deck!

Fuel Fill Up

The fun starts at 9:00 am with Fuel Fill Up at the gas pumps directly in front of the marina! Our sponsors Canyon Lake Marina, Royal Purple and Mothers Wax will be providing discount for gas, fuel additive and cleaning products for your boat! The Fuel Fill Up ends at 2:00 pm so come early!

Open House New Membership Drive

Open House will be held from 12:00 pm to 4:00pm. Please come, visit with members and take a tour of our club amenities!

BBQ Party

The BBQ festivities from 4:00pm to 11:00pm
Happy Hour (BYOB) @ 6:00pm
Dinner @ 7:00pm
Dinner will be provided by HCYC!
We strongly encourage you to RSVP no later than April 15 to hatican2@yahoo.com or text or call 830-822-5888

Featuring Music

DJ by Ruben Lopez
Brenda Varne will be singing
Double Down band with Larry and Mike

Have you ever missed an HCYC event because you didn't know or forgot? Wouldn't it be great if you could get a text or email reminder a week before or maybe even the day before? Now you can.

HCYC has setup a text reminder system. We'd like all HCYC members to join up. You may unsubscribe any time so there is no reason not to join.

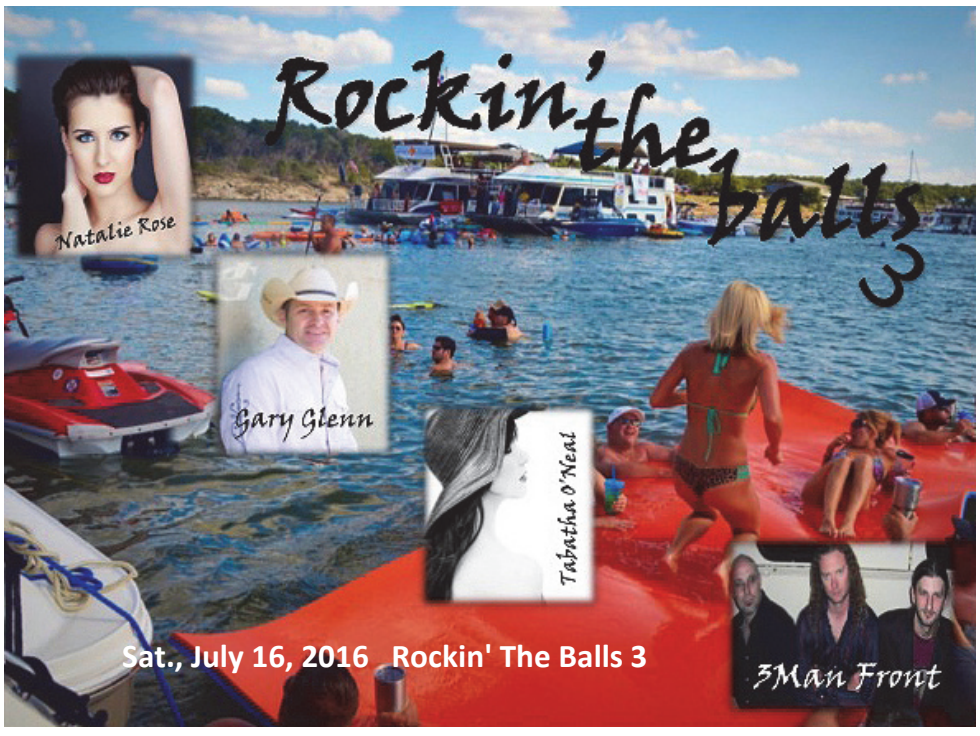
For email reminders, send an email to hcycm@mail.remind.com. No subject is necessary, unless your email service requires it. For text reminders, text this message, @hcycm to 81010.

Contact Randle if you encounter any difficulty. Randle Moore hcyc.rcsail@gmail.com









HCYC Planning Calendar 2016 **Updated: 04-01-2016**

Date:	Times:	Event:
	Meeting at 9:00 AM	Executive Committee Meeting
	To Be Determined	HCYC/LCYC Collaborative Spring Series - **Fiesta Regatta**
Sat., April 23, 2016	Social Hour 6:00 PM	Fiesta Regatta Party
Correction: April 23rd	All Day	Open House New Member Drive w/ BBQ & Live Band
Sat., April ~~30~~, 2016	All Day	**Fuel Fill Up Day**
Fri., May 06, 2016	Social Hour 7:00 PM	The kick off of **Friday Night at the Lake :** BBQ & Bingo
Sat., May 07, 2016	Social Hour 6:00 PM	**110 Proof Birthday Party** w/BBQ and live band. Members & friends are invited.
Fri., May 13, 2016	Social Hour 7:00 PM	**Friday Night at the Lake :** Fajitas & Line Dancing
Sat., May 14, 2016	To Be Determined	HCYC/LCYC Collaborative Spring Series - **Jamaican-Me-Crazy**
Fri., May 20, 2016	Social Hour 7:00 PM	**Friday Night at the Lake :** Line Dancing , 2 Steppin' & Pizza
Fri., May 27, 2016	Social Hour 7:00 PM	**Friday Night at the Lake :** Dominos & Dominos Pizza
	Meeting at 9:00 AM	Executive Committee Meeting
	Starting at 12:00 PM	Blessing of the Fleet
Sat., May 28, 2016	To Be Determined	Sunfish Regatta (Start times and format to be determined).
Fri., June 03, 2016	Social Hour 7:00 PM	**Friday Night at the Lake:** Bingo & Pizza Night
Sat., June 04, 2016	2PM until 5 PM	Sunfish in the Cove
Fri., June 10, 2016	Social Hour 7:00 PM	**Friday Night at the Lake:** Chicken Foot and Chicken Wings Party
	Starting at 11 AM	Jet Pack Demo Day
Sat., June 11, 2016	2PM until 5 PM	Sunfish in the Cove
Fri., June 17, 2016	Social Hour 7:00 PM	**Friday Night at the Lake :** Latin Dancing, Tacos, and Margarita Competition
	Meeting at 9:00 AM	Executive Committee Meeting
	To Be Determined	**HCYC June Regatta**
Sat., June 18, 2016	Social Hour 6:00 PM	Learn to Dance, **Party Entertainment by Brenda Varne**
Fri., June 24, 2016	Social Hour 7:00 PM	**Friday Night at the Lake :** Bunco, Brews and BBQ Chicken
Sat., June 25, 2016	2PM until 5 PM	Sunfish in the Cove
Sat., July 09, 2016	Meeting at 9:00 AM	Executive Committee Meeting
Sat., July 16, 2016	Noon until 8:00 PM	**Rockin' The Balls 3 w/Natalie Rose & 3 Man Front**
Sat., July 23, 2016	2PM until 5 PM	Sunfish in the Cove
Sat., July 30, 2016	2PM until 5 PM	Sunfish in the Cove
Sat., Aug. 13, 2016	Meeting at 9:00 AM	Executive Committee Meeting
Sat., Aug. 20, 2016	Skipper's Mting 2 hrs before Sunset	**HCYC Moon Light Regatta** 2016 Race Starts 30 minutes before sunset
	To Be Determined	Sunfish Regatta (Start times and format to be determined).
Sat., Sept. 03, 2016	Social Hour 6:00 PM	7 PM **Shrimp Boil**, Party & **3 Man Front Band**
Sat., Sept. 10, 2016	Meeting at 9:00 AM	Executive Committee Meeting
Sun., Sept. 11, 2016	Starting at 9:00 AM	HCYC Flotilla in support of the **9-11 Canyon Dam Freedom Walk**
	To Be Determined	**HCYC September Regatta**
Sat., Sept. 17, 2016	Social Hour 6:00 PM	7 PM Wine & Cheese Party w DJ and Dancing
Sat., Oct. 15, 2016	Meeting at 9:00 AM	Executive Committee Meeting
Sat., Oct. 22, 2016	To Be Determined	**HCYC Tour de Canyon** Long Distance Race , Pot Luck Dinner to Follow
	Check in Starting at 4:00 PM	HCYC Annual Club Meeting and Election of 2017 Executive Committee
Sat., Oct. 29, 2016	Trick or Treating at 5:00 PM	6 PM Social Hour, 7 PM Fajita Dinner & **Halloween Party w/ The Natalie Rose Band**
	Meeting at 9:00 AM	Executive Committee Meeting
Sat., Nov. 19, 2016	Social Hour 6:00 PM	7 PM **HCYC Annual Chili Cook-Off**
Sat., Nov. 05, 2016	All Weekend	LCYC Wurtsfest Regatta 2016 - Board Boats
Sat., Nov. 12, 2016	All Weekend	LCYC Wurtsfest Regatta 2016 - Keel Boats
Sat., Nov. 19, 2016	Meeting at 9:00 AM	Executive Committee Meeting
Sat., Dec. 10, 2016	Parade Starts at Dark	**HCYC Annual Parade of Lights,** Beef Stew served all day at the clubhouse
Fri., Dec. 16, 2016	To Be Determined	**Field Trip:** San Antonio River Holiday Lights Barge Ride (Details to follow)
Sat., Dec. 31, 2016	Social Hour 6:00 PM	7 PM **New Years Eve Celebration** , Dinner & Poker Night
Dates and times may change throughout the year. Keep up with everything going on at: hcyc-tx.com		

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Friendly Reminder: Some people have questioned why we are asking for an RSVP's for the dinners this year. We are trying to plan ahead so that we don't have a excessive left overs. Club members are always welcome and we will always have enough to go around, we're just trying not to be wasteful.



MEMBER'S SWAP 'N SELL

1986 Hunter 28.5 Cruiser located here at Canyon Lake with a new bottom job and hull paint, all new Sunbrella upholstery inside, v-berth reupholstered with 4" of memory foam added, Mack Pack system for main sail, new port windows, and very cold air conditioning!!! Surveyed in 2014 and all required repairs were made. For more details and pricing information call Bob Willis at 210-846-4230.

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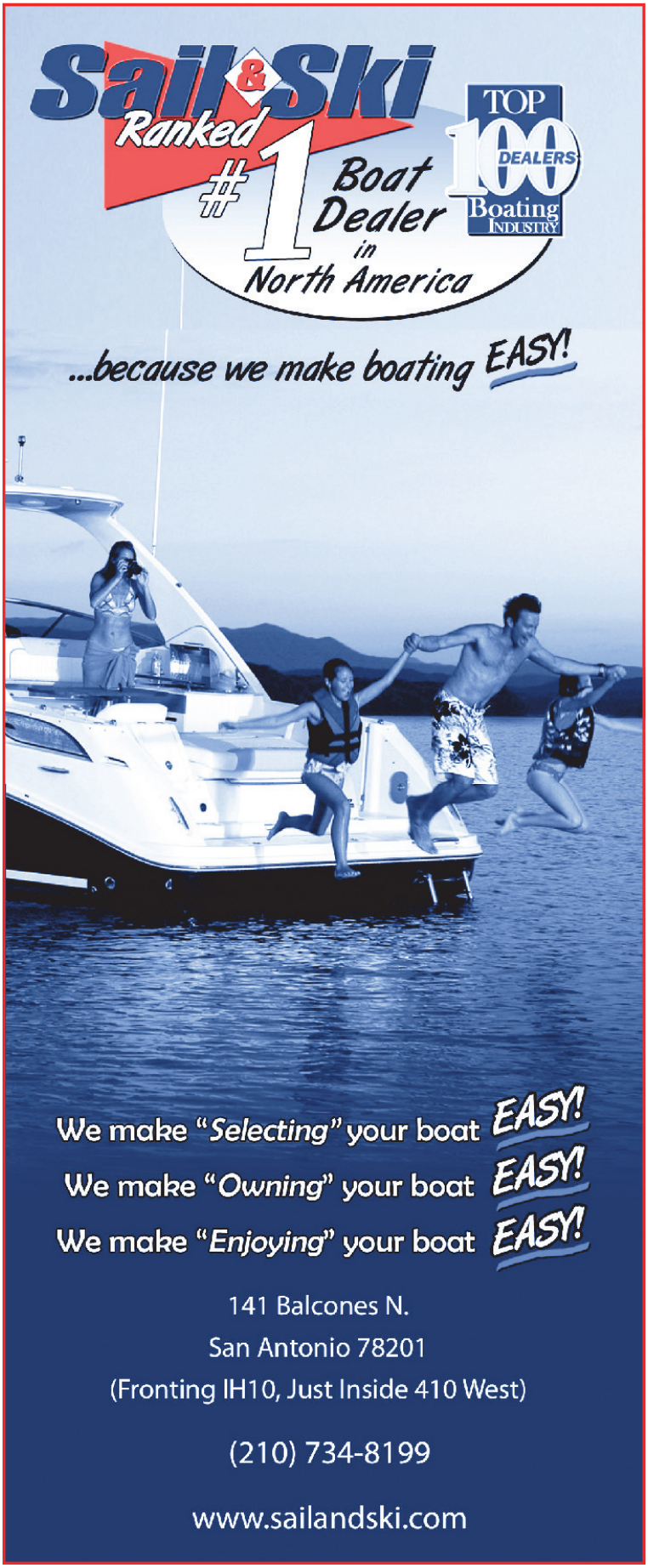


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Clubhouse Update:

Recently the club had to call a plumber out to clear the sewer lines. This was an senseless expense that takes away from the funds we have available for improving the club house and providing entertainment, food and supplies for our events. I say senseless because someone put a towel in a commode and flushed it. Hard to believe that someone in our club would vandalize it. But that is what appears to have happened. It would kind of hard to miss that your towel went into the toilet.

I'm writing alert all to this mean behavior and to ask you to be mindful of what is going on around you. Vandalism of this nature costs all of us. If you see someone destroying club property, and doing something that could cause damage to our club facilities, tell them to stop. If you aren't comfortable doing such, get a club officer to do so.

Thank you for helping take care of your clubhouse. We are striving to continue making improvements to make your clubhouse better for you and your guests.

Terry Hooper
Vice Commodore

2016 Executive Committee:

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Terry Hooper	Vice Commodore
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