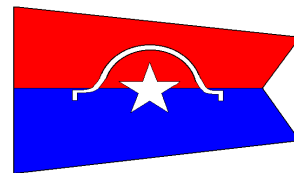


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From The Helm

Clayton Perry, Commodore



Howdy! Well the Labor Day Weekend was probably the last larger raft up in Party Cove this year! It was great but the lake has flipped

and the water is now cold. We still have a lot of great parties this year at the Yacht Club including September 23rd. Please make every effort to attend!

Now let's talk a little business. We have elections coming up this next month at the end of October at the Halloween Party. We need you to step up and take a leadership role in running the club. If you'd like to volunteer

this next year, please talk to one of us on the board to let us know. We are also in need of someone to be our club administrator. Tammy has done an excellent job in getting our books straightened out but she will be leaving this position in December. This is a paid position that collects monthly dues, deposits them, and keeps our books in order. If you'd like to make some extra cash doing this type of job for the club, again let us know.

Our five year lease with Suntex has been signed! Thanks to **Don King** for working with us! The marina will also be replacing the bad deck boards this month and will repaint after the

replacements are installed. The roof sealing is almost done and once it's completed, the stained ceiling tile inside the clubhouse will also be replaced. A lot of things still going on at the lake and clubhouse, so stay engaged and lend a helping hand when you can. Thanks and have a great month!!

Fair Winds and Motors!!

Commodore Perry

Fair Weather afore the Mast



While our Canyon Lake Summer is winding down, the excitement certainly isn't. Late August saw Hurricane Harvey spin up rapidly into a Category 4 storm before coming ashore near Rockport. Our prayers go out to those who lost loved ones and/or lost their homes and belongings. While on the topic of heavy weather, particularly winds, I can't say enough about the importance of securing your boat

in it's slip. Having both properly-set dock/spring lines is inexpensive insurance to help protect your boat. For you sailboat owners, securing halyards when not in use will prevent them from banging against the mast, shrouds, etc., to prevent premature wear & tear. Using halyards damaged by chaffing is asking for trouble, and they'll probably fail when you need them the most. Because the winds here may come on strong at a moments

notice, you're wise to secure all running rigging frequently.

Our September sailing regatta will be held on Saturday, the 23rd. This will be a board boat event to cater to our Guadalupe Fleet #135 folks with Day Sailers. In honor of our friend, John Alesch who sadly passed away several weeks ago, I've decided to dedicate this event in his name, the "John Alesch Memorial Board Boat Regatta", which is open to all



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Social Scene

Michelle Van Fleteren and Susan Hooper, Social Directors



Wow! How about the Grateful Geezers! What a good band we had for our Annual Shrimp Boil. Plenty of great food, great people, great tunes, and last but certainly not least "being at the Lake". Life is Good!

We would like to extend a very **Special Thank You** to **Brenda Click, Laura Theisz, Hati Cantu, Terry Hooper and Bryan Lindsey**. Am I missing anyone who helped out? You guys and gals Rock! Thank you so much for helping our club to be one of the best places to be in Canyon Lake.

Hey mark your calendars for the September party at the Club House event. We're going to be serving up some good Tex-Mex on the water.

Beef Tacos, with Spanish rice and beans with all those yummy extras, guacamole, Pico, queso, variety of tortillas. It's going to be a good time.

See you at the lake,

Social Directors

Michelle Van Fleteren

Susan Hooper



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board boaters, from Day Sailers, to Sunfish, and any boats with either a daggerboard, swing keel or other non-fixed keel rig. Registration for this event is open, so please be sure to register as soon as possible. For you keel boaters, we have one more open regatta remaining, the October 21st "Tour de Canyon" Regatta, which will windup our sailing events for 2017. Watch for our weekly "Blast" newsletter to see when registration opens up.

Looking forward to seeing you out on the lake!
Be safe out there!

"Fair winds and a Following Sea"

Annie Wilenken

Rear Commodore for Sail

The last part of August, I was blessed to get to spend a week up on San Juan Island, WA visiting with family. This was my first time in the San Juan islands and, for those of you who've never seen them, this is a boater's paradise. Numerous pine tree-covered islands are an adventure to visit. I kayaked on Roche Harbor one day but the trip's highlight was helping return a Hunter 45 from a repair yard in Sydney, B.C., Canada to her home in Friday Harbor, WA. The San Juan's are one of my "Bucket List" items, I'll definitely have to return to put in some serious sailing there!



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What's New

Greetings to all.

Have you ever noticed that time just keeps moving on? I have begun to realize there are some things that I'd like to do, but in order to do them, I have to give up things I'm doing now. The time has come to give up some of the odds and ends I've been doing for HCYC.

We are in need of a Communications Chairperson. This entails minding the Facebook pages, sending out weekly Email Blasts (easy as pie), and sending the Remind (a website makes this easy) texts for events. We also need a Webmaster and Ship's Log Editor. No real experience is necessary as we have a great provider that makes it easy once you learn how. Webmaster requires you to be as creative or non-creative as you wish. Much of the webmaster stuff is procedural behind the scenes. We also need an assistant to the Membership chairperson. This involves contacting applicants with form emails, contacting newly approved members with form emails, sending club burgees to members promoted from provisional with a form letter, and contacting members who are leasing the club (yep, you guessed it... with a form email). We also need a Sunfish sailboat repairer. Fiber glass repairs and light carpentry experience are helpful.

Please contact Randle Moore or Clayton Perry if interested.

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