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Hill Country Yacht Club Newsletter ~ FALL 2018

Commodore's Report

It is wonderful to finally get to enjoy some cooling weather as we approach our Annual Membership meeting in October. You'll be electing new officers for 2019 at this meeting, so it's critical you participate, especially since this is also a Halloween costume party! We've been very fortunate to so far have a rewarding year! One of our Executive Board's goals this year was to upgrade our clubhouse. Thanks to the particular efforts of Bryan Lindsey and generous contributions from several of our members, we're blessed with new furniture. Many thanks also to Terry Hooper and others who helped with assembling our new furniture!

Susan Hooper and Michelle Van Fleteren, our "amazing" Social Directors have made sure each our clubhouse is appropriately-decorated for our monthly parties and to top that off, they always prepare wonderfully delicious meals! I'm very honored to have both Susan and Michelle on our Board to help HCYC provide all you members outstanding "socials"! Since our Social Directors go to such trouble to provide y'all these fabulous meals, please "RSVP" whether or not you'll be attending so they can plan for right amount of food.

Our annual "Rockin'-the-Balls" flotilla was a resounding success, particularly since we were blessed with better weather this time. We received lots of enthusiastic feedback from many of you on this year's event.

One of our less attractive, yet still important items is our Clubhouse and Deck Rules "pet policy". Following some unfortunate occurrences last year, our Executive Board decided to revisit our existing pet policy and reword it. Our original rule for pets was that "No pets are allowed in (the) clubhouse at any time. No pets are allowed on (the) deck during club functions." Our new rule on this topic (I'll paraphrase for brevity) "... *pets are allowed in the clubhouse and on the patio deck as long as they do not pose any health or safety hazard unless there is scheduled club function. Pets must be controlled by their owner and restrained while in the clubhouse or on the patio deck. . . Additionally, pets in the clubhouse are not permitted on chairs nor tabletops. Pets shall not be permitted in the kitchen area at any time*". All members are expected to honor the Clubhouse and Deck Rules.



Photo courtesy of Jeremy Switt—Rockin-the-Balls V—2018

As my term of Commodore winds down, I'm extremely grateful to all of our valued members and our hard-working Executive Board; Terry Hooper, Joe Pyle, Terry Cleveland, Susan Hooper, Michelle Van Fleteren and Past Commodore Clayton Perry for making my 'job' easy! I also want to thank our Administrator, Valyn Boothe for performing an outstanding job of coming up with a new accounting/billing program with the help of Terry Cleveland, and for performing several other functions historically held by separate individuals. My hat is off to all these individuals!

I'm looking forward to seeing all of you at our Annual Meeting next month!

Arnie Wilenken
Commodore

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HCYC Clubhouse & Deck Rules

The work done for HCYC and its membership is mostly done by HCYC volunteers. Following these rules will increase the enjoyment of our membership as a whole and decrease the time volunteers must use to maintain the quality of HCYC and the premises.

The rules that Hill Country Yacht Club ("HCYC") have adopted regarding use of HCYC's facilities are listed below. Please take a few minutes to look them over.

A. To take the proper care of HCYC's facilities;

1. Treat the clubhouse and deck with the same respect and care as you would your own home. Keep the clubhouse and deck as clean as though you were expecting guests. If you use dishes, utensils, glasses and cookware, wash them, dry them and return them to their proper storage location. Leave the clubhouse in the same clean and neat condition that you would like to see it when you return.
2. No personal property is to be left on the deck or in any part of the clubhouse. If you brought it with you, take it with you. Any items left are subject to removal without notice.

B. To set a level of expectation for behavior in and around the clubhouse and deck;

1. Clubhouse and deck facilities for the entire membership at all times. Behavior shall be in accordance with family standards. Ladies should wear cover-ups over bathing suits; men should wear shirts, Speedos should be covered with shorts. Revealing clothing is not allowed.
2. There should be no lewd or profane language or music.
3. Moderation should be exercised in the consumption of alcoholic beverages.
4. Consumption of alcoholic beverages in the area of the clubhouse or deck by persons under the age of twenty-one years is not allowed.
5. Members must be respectful of the rights and feelings of other members.
6. In order to preserve the rights of all tenants, noise control is the responsibility of each HCYC member and guest. Precautionary measures must be taken to avoid disturbing the peace and tranquility to which marina tenants are entitled.
7. Since the clubhouse and deck belong to HCYC, and are maintained for the use of all members, any member observing violation of facility regulations is encouraged to notify an Executive Committee member.
8. Pet Policy; Restaurant rules apply. Pets must remain on the floor and leashed. Pets are not allowed in chairs, countertops, lap or tables. Unruly pets will be asked to leave, including owners. No pets are allowed in the clubhouse or on deck during club functions. HCYC members must immediately clean-up any pet excrement. Recurring offenses could lead to termination of membership.
9. Repeated violations of the rules and regulations, as determined by the Executive Committee, are grounds for termination of Club membership.

C. To assure the Club that members will be present when they have either children or guests on club premises;

1. At all times, children twelve years old and younger must be accompanied by a responsible care giver not less than fifteen years old.
2. Guests must be accompanied by a member at all times when on the club's premises.

D. To set a standard that will meet our contractual agreement with Canyon Lake Marina: To follow marina rules at HCYC.

1. Boats should not be unattended when moored to the HCYC deck. A boat shall be considered unattended when the owner/skipper is not on HCYC facilities. Mooring to the land side of the deck is restricted to extremely short term loading and unloading when the marina store is open.
2. No boat shall be moored to the HCYC deck overnight.

E. To best give all members equal benefit of the HCYC facilities.

1. Members shall refrain from hosting large groups of guests. Not more than four guests, per membership, are allowed during high member use periods (such as HCYC functions, summer weekends & holidays). For parties and special events, members should give at least two days' notice to the Social Committee Chairs of the names and number of guests expected; members should pay \$5.00 for each guest at a function with a band or HCYC supplied food. Note that wrist bands or other identification, as the Executive Committee may determine, may be required for all attendees of HCYC clubhouse events.
2. Because our HCYC facilities are available to all members 24 hours per day, 7 days per week; special use of the facilities is limited to non-peak times. Contact the Vice Commodore at least 45 days in advance of desired use to determine facility availability and conditions for use.
3. Facilities are for the exclusive use of HCYC members in good standing.
4. No camping or fishing shall be allowed at HCYC facilities.
5. No personal property shall be stored on or in HCYC facilities. If you brought it with you, take it with you. Any item left may be used by any other member of HCYC or may be discarded without notice.
6. During HCYC functions, access to the kitchen will be restricted and no cooking, inside or outside, or kitchen privileges will be allowed on an event day when food is served. The refrigerator will be cleaned out on a regular basis; personal foodstuffs should be stored on members' boats. If you leave it, you will lose it. On the Thursday before party weekends, all members' foodstuffs may be removed from the refrigerator and discarded.

F. To reduce opportunity for trespassers to utilize club facilities without payment, and to secure the club's property;

1. No door code should be shared with anyone. Each membership has a code that is exclusive to that membership.

G. To help members know each other and appropriately welcome new members and guests.

Please report any misuse or misconduct within the clubhouse to a board member.

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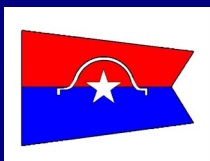


We still have Rockn'-he'Balls V t-shirts available if you'd like one. Reach out to hcybill-ing@gmail.com and we'll send you an invoice!



Burgee Tables!

How cool is the burgee table The Hooper's created for the club. We plan to complete the rest of the tables to display the remaining burges we've collected as a club. Great idea!



Please Note!

We are reducing our current weekly cleaning schedule to twice a month now that we're in the off season. HCYC members are responsible for cleaning up after themselves and their guests. The cleaning we pay for is only for deep cleaning.



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**Please pick up
after your pet**

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RSVP—Requirements



HCYC members are required to RSVP for any and all special events organized by the club. There are several ways to RSVP. You can RSVP on the website, via Facebook event invite, or email. It is important to RSVP so our social directors can prepare accordingly for our events. If you do not RSVP, you will not receive a plate. With today's technology and the many ways and options to RSVP, there is no excuse not to click a button out of respect for your social chairs volunteering their time to provided a memorable event for our club and it's members.

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members and to protect the clubhouse and
surrounding areas..*

2019 SLATE OF OFFICER POSITIONS

Commodore: Jarrod Tubbs

Vice Commodore: Robert Marr

Rear Commodore-Sail: Justin Cooper

Rear Commodore-Power: Chad Austin

Treasurer: Terry Cleveland

Secretary: Barbara Cooper

Social: Tracy Abbott and Melanie Marr

The annual meeting is scheduled for Saturday, October 27th at 6:30PM at the BUNKHAUS. Sign in will begin at 6:00PM and the meeting will begin promptly at 6:30 followed by a social hour and dinner.

*****Please mail your ballot if you do not plan on attending.*****



Contact Us

We're here to help and make HCYC the best it can be for our community and members!

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UPCOMING EVENTS



SATURDAY,
OCTOBER
27th

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17th



SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8th



SATURDAY, DECEMBER 29th

