



The "Tell Tale"

The Point Yacht Club Newsletter

February 2006

Message from the Commodore- Guy Storey

The 2006 Calendar is ready for release, and will be presented at the Board meeting on Feb.9. As I mentioned in the last edition of The Tell Tale, we're planning for a very active social calendar this year, and have scheduled at least one membership meeting/social function each month.

I hope that you will plan to attend the first event, The Chili Cook-off Party on Saturday, Feb. 11, which will be held at The Party Barn in Josephine. Rear Commodore and Vice President of Fun, Lee Pelfrey and Rear Commodore, Brenda Pelfrey, have organized this event as a Valentine's Day celebration, AND fund raiser for the Club.... and, the opportunity for "braggin' rights" to the best chili recipe in the culinary category of The Point Yacht Club. If you did not receive the email notice for this event, please contact me or the Pelfrey's for more information. Please join us for this gastronomical soiree, and bring your best pot of competition chili!

Fund Raisers will be key issues this year for the Club, and have been the topic of conversations and emails from several of our members. I am envious of our sister clubs in GYA that have the benefit of income from bar and restaurant sales, and the amenities offered by club facilities that house their offices, dining rooms and kitchens, ship's store and equipment storage. Without the "brick and mortar," we lack the amenities to offer that dining experience we all desire, the Christmas Party gathered around a fireplace, enjoying the perfect martini with friends at the bar, and ultimately, the ability to attract new members to help grow our fine organization.

Pirate's Cove is home to The Point Yacht Club, and we have been fortunate that the Mueller family has been so accommodating, allowing us to stay on site even in the wake of the many natural disasters that have damaged the property. It's our hope that we will be able to remain at The Cove, in some physical capacity. Upgrading The Point Pavilion, aka The West Wing, would offer an improved site presence, but we need to raise funds to cover building materials and labor, should we elect to enclose the facility.

We certainly don't have an immediate resolution to this challenge. Without a steady income source, and limited financial resources, we have little or no leverage to make such an acquisition. This issue will be on the agenda at the membership meeting at the Party Barn on February 11. The Board would like to hear your ideas and suggestions on this key issue! Your input is needed, and welcomed. See 'ya on the water...and, hopefully, at the Party Barn!

On a sad note, Jon Weyand's father, Walter Weyand, passed away January 26. Please join me in extending deepest sympathy to Jon and the family.

Guy

Club Officers

Commodore - Guy Storey 975-1947
Vice Commodore - Randy Simmons 967-1306
Rear Commodore - Lee Pelfrey 987-5967
Fleet Captain - Brett Holk 981-3432
Secretary - John Weyland 987-5711
Treasurer - Carson Williams 987-6325

Board Members

Gary Beson 987-1421
Larry Chapman 987-1901
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Open Position - Please Volunteer!

\$\$ 2006 Dues Invoices \$\$

Please get your 2006 dues in by February 10 if you want to be listed in the PtYC member directory.

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February Calendar of Events

February 9—Board Meeting
6:30 PM at The Josephine Firehouse

**February 11—Chili Cook-Off/
Membership Meeting**
5:00 PM at The Party Barn
29320 Rosemary Ln, Josephine
If you haven't registered as a cook or RSVP'd for the event, please call Lee or Brenda Pelfrey at 987-5967 ASAP.

Plan to attend our first function of the year. It is going to be fun!