

RECIPROCAL CLUBS 2003



Last year's reciprocal clubs (to be updated)

Aquatic Park Sailing Club
 Ashbridge's Bay Yacht Club
 Brockport Yacht Club
 Brockville Yacht Club
 Bronte Harbour Yacht Club
 Burlington Sailing & Boating Club
 Cathedral Bluffs Yacht Club
 CFB Trenton Yacht Club
 Crescent Yacht Club
 Dalhousie Yacht Club
 Fair Haven Yacht Club
 Fifty Point Yacht Club
 Frenchmans Bay Yacht Club
 Genesee Yacht Club
 Grimsby Yacht Club
 Henderson Harbour Yacht Club
 Highland Yacht Club at Bluffers Park
 Kingston Yacht Club
 Lakeshore Yacht Club
 Mimico Cruising Club
 National Yacht Club (The)
 Newport Yacht Club and Marina
 Pickering Yacht Club
 Port Hope Yacht Club
 Presqu'ile Yacht Club Inc..
 Pultneyville Yacht Club
 Rochester Yacht Club
 Royal Canadian Yacht Club (The)
 Smuggler's Cove Boat Club
 Sodus Bay Yacht Club
 Stormont Yacht Club
 Toronto Hydroplane and Sailing Club
 Toronto Sailing & Canoe Club
 Tuscaora Yacht Club
 Whitby Yacht Club (The)
 Youngstown Yacht Club

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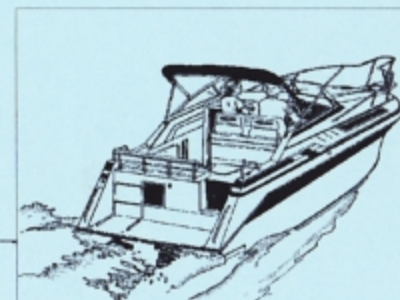
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CLUB EXECUTIVE

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COMMODORE'S CORNER

Welcome to another boating season. The weather finally is warming up, the ice is gone from Collins Bay and even a few boats are now in.

A winter project has been the creation of a website for the club kindly hosted by the marina <http://collinsbaymarina.com/cbyc>. We plan to have calendars, announcement of events as well as cruising and racing reports and even an on line version of the mixer. Check the site frequently as content is being updated regularly.

Another big announcement is after much debate the executive decided that we should bid for the Eastern Yachting Circuit regatta in 2004. We attended the EYC annual meeting and our bid was accepted so we are now committed to this regatta. Bill Visser, who has a lot of experience of organizing similar events continues to lead this project and will be coordinating volunteer

committees to make the event a success. This year's event is being hosted by PEYC.

The reciprocal committee met under Tony Johnson's chairmanship and based on feedback from some of the cruisers changes are being made to our reciprocal list. Dave Johnson is coordinating this.

Saturday May 10th sees the first Social of the year the annual Wine and Cheese party, you bring the wine and we will supply the snacks. This event is being organized Joan Legris and the executive.

The annual OJ and Bubbly Cruise, takes place on 17th- 19th May (Victoria Day weekend). As of the time of writing this we are looking for a Cruise Captain for this -please contact Dave White to Volunteer.

A number of cruises are planned this year; the web site has more details.

On 22nd May the spring series of Thursday night races starts. A number of improvements have been agreed to in a skippers meeting to improve the race procedures and the program.

The Safe Boating Week event is being held at CBM on 24th May. A CBYC boat will again be demonstrating Crew over-board procedures that day.

Brochures for the Sailing School are available from the Marina or call Al Pilon (230-6311) or Sarah Visser (634-1035). This year we are running courses to meet the CYA White Sail I-III, Bronze I-V and the CYA Basic Cruising (keelboat) Standard. Again details and an application form are on the website. This year we add one more new Hunter 140 dinghy so we now have four. These boats were a great success in attracting students last year to the white sail programme.

Enjoyable and safe boating

Phil Morris

Commodore

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COLLINS BAY MARINA NEWS

Spring launch is underway! Launch days are Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays May 3 and 10. Please call and let us know when you would like your boat launched.

G-dock construction is well underway. The new 22' dock will be ready for occupancy this June. A thank you to all of you who moved to accommodate these improvements. We will be in touch soon to return you to your new slips.

We are also in the process of upgrading the power distribution to docks A, B, C and D. A new feed will be brought down from the hydro pole to supply the increase in demand for power. The trenching will be covered up and returned to lawn status shortly.

We are pleased to announce that the new B-dock which was installed last fall is already 70% spoken for! As a result, you will be seeing a number of new boaters joining us this year.

We are pleased to welcome Dick Gee to our organization as our new Office Manager. Dick has been sailing on the Great Lakes for 30 years and is a most knowledgeable addition to our staff.

As always, it is wonderful to see the marina come alive as a vibrant boating community. Please let us know what we can do to make this and every season a more enjoyable experience for you and your families.

- Hub, Miche, Mya & Landon



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Sailing School News



The CBYC Sailing School is ready for another summer of fun and laughter with a 'whole lotta sailin' on the waters of Collins Bay. But in order to have the fun and laughter we need the students. Included in this

issue of The Mixer is a copy of this year's Sailing School brochure. We are asking you to pass this brochure on to someone you think may be interested in either our junior or adult programmes. There are neighbours, colleagues at work, grandchildren, children.... or just post it somewhere for people to find out about the sailing school. If you have further questions about the programme, don't hesitate to contact Al Pilon at (613) 230-6311 or Sarah Visser at 634-1035.

The Sailing School would also like to thank those members who volunteered their time at the CBYC booth at the Parks & Recreation Showcase at Portsmouth Olympic Harbour, March 28 & 29: Gary & Carol Logan, Carmen Knapp,

Chuck Francis, Phil Morris, Dan Desgrosseilliers, Malcom & Elizabeth Stott and Tony Johnson. We were very pleased with the number of inquiries the club received from people interested in sailing lessons as well as membership.

We'll be calling for volunteers for next year's show...

Thank you

Al Pilon and Sarah Visser



Safety Seminar

Connie Muus and Collins Bay Marina will be conducting a Boat Maintenance Safety Seminar at 10:00 am, Saturday, May 3. Various safety gear will be on display. We'll show you what's available, how to use it, where to get it and what it costs. Drop by, have a coffee and see how easy and inexpensive it is to do your work in a safe manner!

CBYC Cruises 2003-Tentative

OJ & Bubbly May 17-19

Mid Week July 15-17

Reed Home Aug 2-4

Waupoos Marina Aug 30-Sept 1

Fish & Chips Sept 20-21

Possible additions

Mid Week June 17-19

Canada Day June 28-July 1

Night Sail July 19-20

Cruise Captains are needed for many of these cruises! Email Dave White at captainjrw@yahoo.com to volunteer or with comments/suggestions

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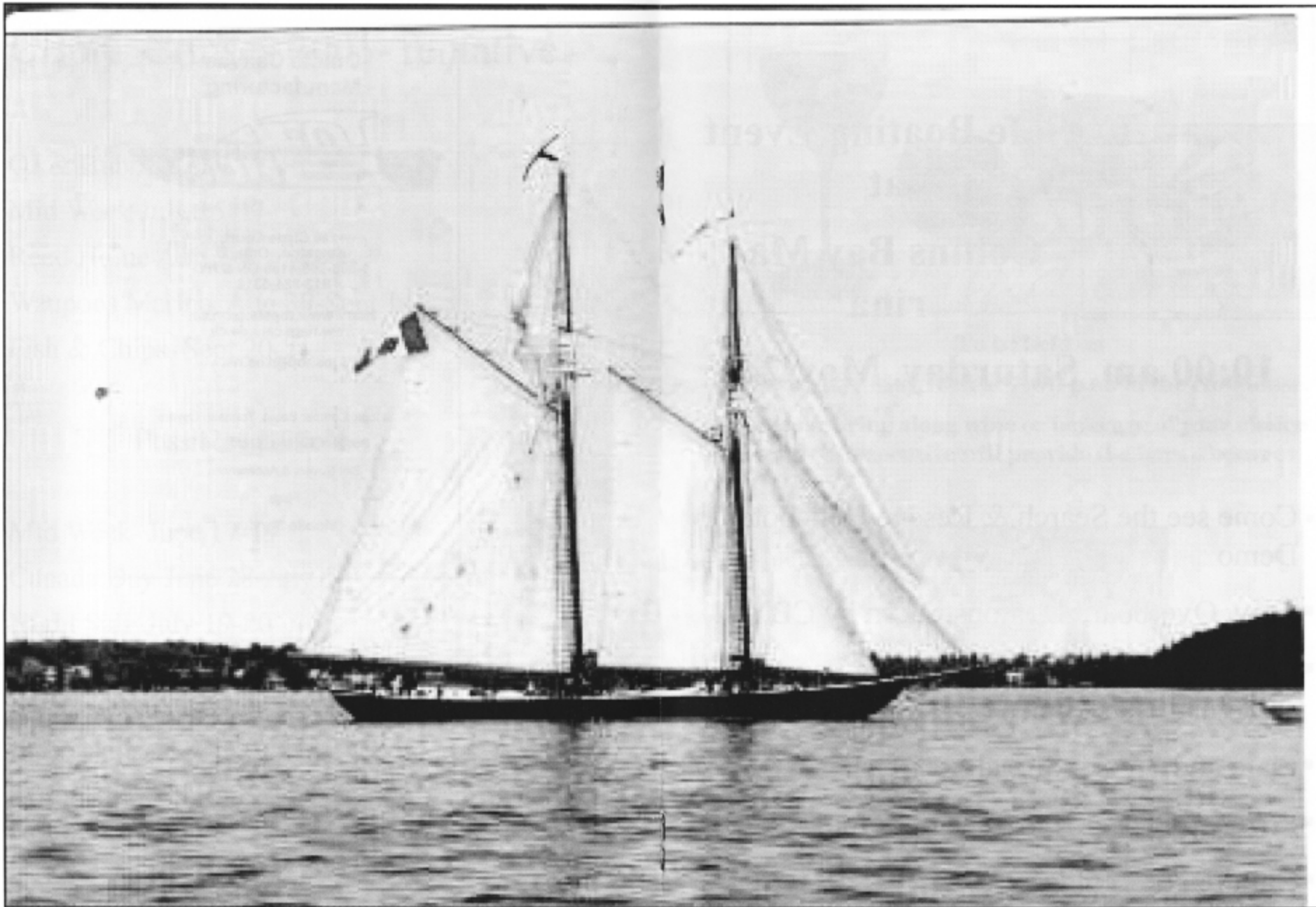
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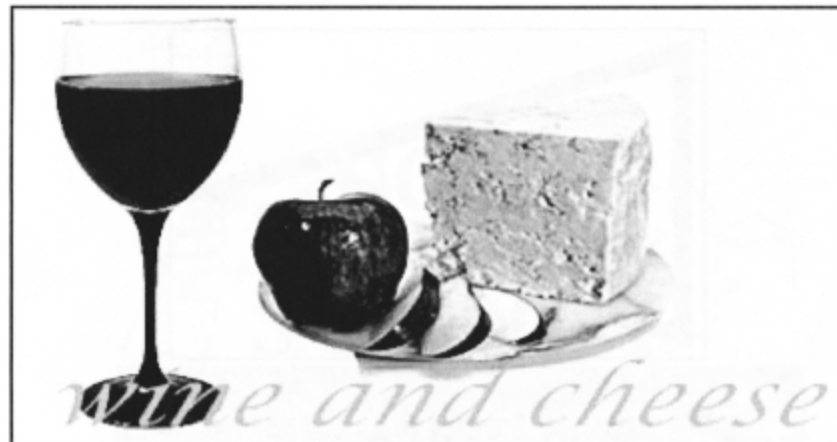


Safe Boating Event at Collins Bay Marina

10:00 am, Saturday, May 24

- Come see the Search & Rescue Helicopter Demo
- Crew Overboard Demonstration by CBYC!
- Fire Extinguisher Seminar (bring yours for an annual inspection)
- Flare and Smoke Signal Seminar
- Prizes, prizes, prizes (nice ones too!)
- Children's activities

Come on down, bring the whole family!

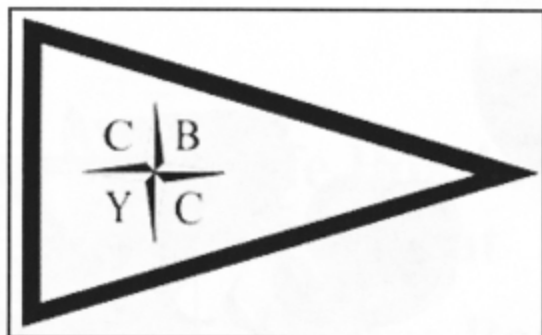


To be held on

Saturday, May 10th at 7:00 p.m. in the clubhouse.

**Please bring along wine or beverage of your choice
and the executive will provide the hors d'oeuvres**





Race Calendar

Thursday night Races

Practice race 15th May
 Spring 22nd May-26th June
 Summer 3rd July– 7th August

A minimum of four races to be completed to constitute a Thursday Night Series. More than one race per night may be held if conditions permit.

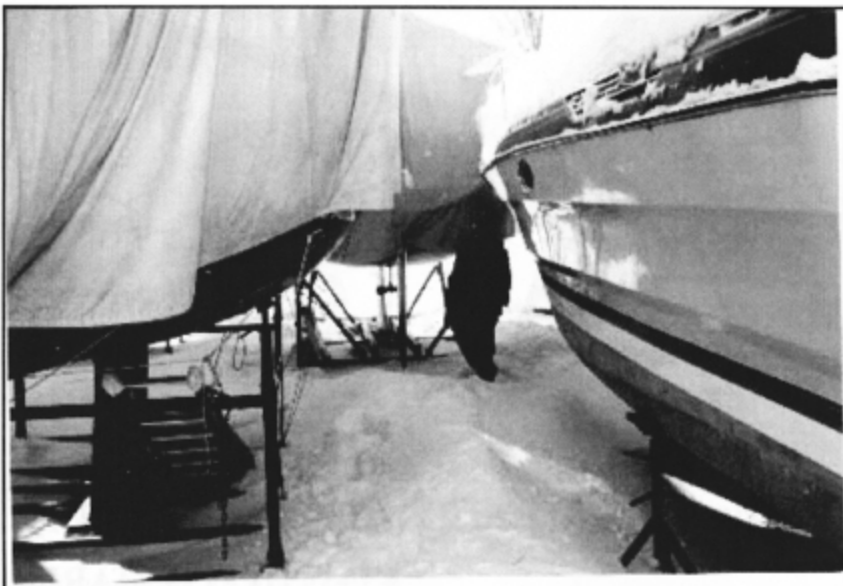
Distance races

Wolf Island Sat 7th June KYC race CBYC welcome
 Amherst Island Sat 14th June
 Main Duck Friday 18th July KYC overnight CBYC welcome
 Simcoe Island Sat 26th July
 Pigeon Island Sat Sept 6th
 Frostbite Sat 27th Sept Chase race with KYC



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Waiting for spring

Doug Wagner

Doug Wagner came to Kingston early during WWII as an RAF instructor for the Royal Navy Fleet Air Arm student Pilots. He met and married his wife Flo' and returned to Kingston after the war to run the local Flying Club. His early flying career also involved managing the Gananoque Airport, starting up Wagner Air Services back in Kingston as well as initiating international passenger and freight flights to and from Syracuse. This little airline was passed through a few hands until it became what you now see operating under the Air Canada banner at Norman Rogers Airport. He also started a Bonded Warehouse operation in Ottawa which included a major trucking business for delivery of overnight freight and parcels.

Doug, like many airmen, got into sailing and started up a Ships Chandlery in downtown Kingston with his partner, retired mayor Ken Keyes. He also took his own sailboat, "Alpine Star" to the Carabean and back on three occasions however his wife Flo' only did the long haul part once! He enjoyed challenges and overcame many of them during his floating career. He was a "Doer".

Doug stayed initially at the Loyalist Cove Yacht Club but moved to Collins Bay and was directly involved in bringing our "Youth Sail Training" program into being. He also

erved as our Commodore several terms and during one of them, had a major part in building and launching our current floating club house. No mean feat. Just ask Hub!!

Doug also ran a sail training program on his own boat. He was never idle and participated in many community events and programs. He was a past president of the RCAF Association and directly involved in the mounting of a Harvard aircraft on the pedestal at the entrance to our Norman Rogers Airport. As this was the aircraft he used while first stationed here, it must have been a great moment for him.

As a good airman, sailor, and friend, Doug will be missed by all who knew him.

May he find fair winds and pleasant times He has earned his rest.

(Thanks to Bill Worthy for this article)



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The Swap/Flea Market sale will be held from 10AM-2PM on the 10th of May at Collins Bay Marina.

All proceeds go to the Collins Bay Yacht Club Sailing School. You can "rent" a table to sell your own articles at for \$15.00 or you can place them on the Collins Bay Yacht Club Sailing School table on consignment with the club retaining \$5.00 or 20% for each item it sells (whichever is less).

Unsold goods or money for sold items can be collected at the Collins Bay Yacht Club after the sale. Contact Al Pilon 613230-6311 or 328-8935 or onboard "Scaramouche" Collins Bay Marina.