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KLAMATH YACHT CLUB •

**December
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From our friend Stephanie Carpenter:

"This picture may be fun to publish. I took it in a pouring rain in the KYC parking lot, probably December of 2016. It looks like the ducks and boats are sailing! Thanks to Vince Wachter and Guy Jakubowski for this creative float for the Snowflake Festival Parade. So magical!"

KYC members Shirley and Bob Lockman have spent many hours over the years on the Snowflake Festival committee to make this event happen for our community.

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Commodore 's Report

As I write this the snow is falling in the basin. I always love the snow, of course I'm looking ahead at a full lake for sailing. It makes it easier to shovel when I put it in that perspective. I hope it snows until April!

We had a very nice time at the KYC Thanksgiving dinner. Ingrid Larsen cooked a fabulous meal. She stepped up at the last minute and really came through for a great traditional event at the club. A great big thank you goes out to her for the efforts she made for the holiday. It has been a nice event that the club puts on. Kim and I have really enjoyed attending the last two years.

The International Lightning Association had recently contacted the club and asked if they could tag onto our Firecracker regatta with their Pacific Coast Championships. They expect to have 10 to 15 boats in the race. Sailors will travel from as far as San Diego, CA, Vancouver, BC, and everywhere in between. If you are unfamiliar with a lightning sailboat, belly up to the Bar-ley Afloat. That is an old lightning that past members were brilliant enough to drag upstairs and form into our bar.

Klamath Yacht Club is ideally located in the Pacific Northwest, and we have some of the best sailing conditions around. Then to top it all off we have a unique facility and a friendly, hospitable membership. My hope is that we could host other fleets like this in the future.

I am always a fan of dividing and conquering, so I have formed a committee to get things going for the Firecracker. We always put on a great regatta and I hope to continue that. As always it takes the whole club to step up and make our visitors feel welcomed. If you have ideas that you would like to bring to a meeting, or a job that you would like to do please let me know.

Tim

Vice Commodore's Report

Greetings from the Vice:

November was a busy month with something happening every weekend, plus our regular Wednesday and Friday night get-togethers. A **Big Thank You** to the regulars for the great meals, you can't find a better or cheaper place to eat in town. Thanks to Bill & Marie Wright for the homemade chili.... Dick Ford for the Slow Smoked Pork.... Travis for always having pizza when we need it.... Ingrid and John Larsen for hosting and cooking the Orphans Dinner, and then bringing a killer casserole from the leftovers on the Friday after.... and finally Doug and Connie (with help from Sandy and Ernie) doing a Wednesday night "Something Tasty"- Indian Tacos. When any of these folks are cooking, it's a sure bet you will be getting some great food. Thanks again to all, we really appreciate it.

December isn't going to slow down much, as we already have volunteers for some of the Friday and Wednesday dinners. If YOU would like to volunteer for an evening let me know, and I'll set you up! The 14th will be the Ugly Sweater Contest hosted by the Waters. Please bring your favorite snack to share for this event. On Sunday the 16th we will be hosting our annual Tom & Jerry Party, with a bit of Irish Coffee too. This is a FREE members-only function. Please bring a snack to share for this event also. More info will be coming by email. That Sunday also marks the election of Officers and Board for the upcoming year. Be sure to vote and get your ballot back to the club by the 16th. At the end of the month, we will have our **New Years Eve Party** hosted by Suzi, with a catered dinner for a reasonable price. We will celebrate the different time zones for those who can't stay up late, or are just wimps! See you at the Club.

Cheers



Some "before" pictures taken over the years by Lisa Mulvey.



From The Rear:

Last article!! We would like to thank those that showed for the last work party. Mick said it was probably one of the best we've had in awhile. Thank you to all who showed! You will have to forgive him as he did not take notes on who was there. I have no names to thank you all. My bad as I wasn't there to make sure I got the names. Please know that **your efforts do not go unnoticed**. It is the club as a whole that makes things nice. Your presence, your attitude and your diligence help to make the club what it is. The Rear job is not an easy one but having participation helps immensely. Remember, **this is your club** and to **keep it looking good is EVERYONE'S job**, not just one person or small group.

One of the things that was done was the dunging out of the shed (or the RC's office!). There are actual bins for loose items and things were tossed and organized. I think it's probably been 2 years since someone took that responsibility on. Thank you!! **Ray & Marta !!** (He remembered!!)

There was burning, cutting, stacking, racking, cleaning, organizing etc. etc. You name it, it was done. Again, I apologize for not having your names.

Please keep in mind that your work hours are **your work hours**. It is not the job of the RC to remember and to report said hours. You have to report them to the treasurer so when they do the billing there won't be any errors.

Thank you all (again) for your support the past 3 years, there were some hard times but we got through it and your support did not go unnoticed.

Steady Winds,

Lisa, Mick, Steve & Dirk

As a reminder...The following is from the KYC Handbook.

*Moorage is due annually to all members who have boats at KYC. Moorage will be invoiced to those members January 1 of each year, and shall be PAID IN FULL, no later than April 1 of that same year. Late moorage payments may result in a member's prior year's moorage being reassigned. **New Members joining after January of each year, in need of moorage, shall be prorated from their new membership date, through December of that year.** (\$120 moorage @ \$10 mo. \$160moorage @ \$13 mo)*

Moorage and Storage Fees per Year Schedule.

Dry Moorage	\$120 yearly
Wet Moorage	
North Harbor	\$160 yearly
Center Harbor	\$120 ""
South (cat)Harbor	\$120 ""

DECEMBER 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3	4	5 Bar Open 6:00pm	6 Snowflake Parade Main Street 7:00pm	7 Bar Open 6:00pm	8
9	10 Dewey Decimal System Day	11	12 Bar Open 6:00pm	13  KYC BOARD MTG. 6:30pm	14 Bar Open 6:00pm Ugly Sweater Contest 7:00pm Bring snacks	15
16 Tom & Jerry party & Elections 1:00-4:00pm Bring snacks	17	18	19 Bar Open 6:00pm	20	21 Bar Open 6:00pm	22
23 Festivus Day	24	25 	26 Bar Open 6:00pm	27	28 Bar Open 6:00pm	29
30	31 New Year's Eve party 6:00pm by Suzi Catered dinner	<u>JANUARY 1</u> 	<u>JANUARY 2</u> Bar Open 6:00pm	<u>JANUARY 3</u>	<u>JANUARY 4</u> Bar Open 6:00pm	<u>JANUARY 5</u>
<u>JANUARY 6</u>	<u>JANUARY 7</u>	<u>JANUARY 8</u> Planning meeting 6:00pm	<u>JANUARY 9</u> Bar Open 6:00pm	<u>JANUARY 10</u>  KYC BOARD MTG 6:30pm	<u>JANUARY 11</u> Bar Open 6:00pm	<u>JANUARY 12</u>



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New Members

The following people have joined KYC in the last several months. Welcome! We are glad to have you on board.

Jean Lightfoot
William Dibrito

Many persons have a wrong idea of what constitutes true happiness. It is not attained through self-gratification but through fidelity to a worthy purpose.

Helen Keller



Ducks and boats on December 3 await the start of the festivities.

...DATES TO REMEMBER...

DECEMBER 13
UGLY SWEATER CONTEST

DECEMBER 16
TOM & JERRY PARTY & VOTING

DECEMBER 31
NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY

