

# THE Main Sheet

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## Commodore's Corner

August 2007

As you likely already know, Carter Gebert has advised that he wishes to leave his job with the club in the not too distant future. At the same time, he has generously agreed to stay with us until we have been able to find a replacement. Carter continues to faithfully serve the club and we appreciate his commitment to an orderly process and smooth transition to a replacement. In order to get the search process started, The Bridge and Stewards have asked Dennis Foley, a Past Commodore of the club, to chair the search committee. This is a challenging undertaking and all of us should help Dennis and his committee in this task. Dennis encourages you to offer suggestions, prospects, and any other input you might wish to make. Please telephone him at his home at 843-341-3826 or grab his ear during one of your visits to the club.



If fall is coming, then the club's annual general meeting, election of stewards, and change of watch can't be far behind. As you know, three steward positions are at stake each year. The Nominating Committee, chaired by David Stortz, will be working to identify candidates for the coming election. Please let David know of your interest in serving and/or if you have members that you wish them to recommend for the board. Please note these dates for your calendar: General Meeting, Monday, Oct. 22; Change of Watch, Saturday, November 10.

We are approaching the last weeks of summer and it won't be long until our friends who left for the summer will be back and the club will be in full swing. August special events include our famous Lobster Dinner, a Fireworks Cruise, and a Jimmy Buffett evening with live music. Join in these good times!

See you at The Club!

-Jim Landis

## Calling all you Parrot Heads!!!!

Don't forget in mark your calendar and bring your  
*"Lost Shaker Of Salt"*

For:

# The Jimmy Buffett Party



On August 25<sup>th</sup>

**Cheeseburgers in Paradise.. Margaritas...Boat Drinks**

"Can't you just smell the shrimp beginning to boil?"

Live Music by Brad Nelson, who happens to be a huge Parrot Head himself!

Join us at 6 o'clock for some Island Sun. Don't step on a pop-top and don't forget your *"lost shaker of salt"*





Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29 Awesome Brunch All-u-can eat \$8	30	31	1 Hackers Golf	2 Beer Can Fun Races	3 TGIF: Meat loaf	4 Lunch served
5 Awesome Brunch Mahjongg <b>Lobster Dinner</b> Market Price Reservations required	6	7 <b>Fireworks Cruise</b>	8 Hackers Golf	9 Beer Can Fun Races	10 <b>Nauti Ladies Meeting</b> TGIF: BBQ pork chops	11 Lunch served
12 Awesome Brunch All-u-can eat \$8	13	14 Mahjongg	15 Hackers Golf	16 Beer Can Fun Races	17 TGIF: Enchiladas with rice and beans	18 Lunch served
19 Awesome Brunch All-u-can eat \$8 Mahjongg	20 <b>Board of Stewards</b>	21	22 Hackers Golf	23 Beer Can Fun Races	24 TGIF: Chicken Cacciatore	25 Lunch served <b>Jimmy Buffet Party</b> Reservations required
26 Awesome Brunch All-u-can eat \$8	27	28 Mahjongg	29 Hackers Golf	30 Beer Can Fun Races	31 TGIF: Shrimp Creole	1 Lunch served
2 Awesome Brunch All-u-can eat \$8	3	4	5 Hackers Golf	6 Beer Can Fun Races	7 TGIF: Pasta night	8 Lunch served

**Luncheon Times**  
**Dinner Times**  
**Special Dinners**  
**Leftovers**

Friday and Saturday -12 PM to 2 PM price varies      Sunday Brunch -11:30 AM to 2 PM \$8.00 all-u-can eat  
Friday and Special Dinner Nights, 6 PM Cocktails, 7:15 PM TGIF: Dinner \$12.00  
Require reservations - unless you cancel 24 hours in advance, you will be billed  
Check with Steward after dinner

**Sunset Fireworks Cruise aboard**  
**The Island Queen**  
**Tuesday, August 7th.**

Leaving from Broad Creek Marina at 7:15 pm. Be on board at 6:45 pm. Bring picnic-type food to share. Beer and Wine will be available to buy. Bring anything else you'd like to drink. Limited to 40 people. Sign up sheet is at The Yacht Club.



## Nauti Ladies Notes

The Nauti Ladies met Friday, July 13<sup>th</sup> with 13 members present. After much discussion it was voted on and approved that the Nauti Ladies will assume the responsibility of all monthly events except the Change of Watch. This includes St. Patrick's Day, Derby Day, July 4<sup>th</sup> The Talent Show and Christmas. This only means that the Nauti Ladies will see that there is an event every month and help with putting it on any way that they can. Of course, any member of the club, not only Nauti Ladies, can sponsor an event and expect the help of the Nauti Ladies.



Mary Ann MacAlarney volunteered to write up the duties of the Primpers and Greeters and send a copy to each member and also a copy will be placed in the restroom. This will be a big help to those new members who are doing the Primpers and Greeters duties for the first time.

Water aerobics are happening at the pool on Monday and Friday from 10:30 to 11:30. A reminder to sign up for the Fireworks Cruise on August 7<sup>th</sup> and Jimmy Buffett Night on August 25<sup>th</sup>. Laurie Etchells and Carol Jordan are chairs for the Jimmy Buffett Night

We are still planning to have Life Touch do a pictorial directory for us in the fall. Come join us for our next meeting on August 10<sup>th</sup> for lunch at Noon with the meeting to follow promptly at 1:00 pm.

-Betty Y. Bush

## Mah Jongg Update



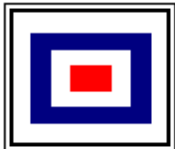
The YC Mahjongg group meets Tuesday's and Sunday's. Please contact Pat Foley for the dates. Above are pictures of the group taken when they met at The Safay's House while the club was closed for renovation.

## Flags of the Month

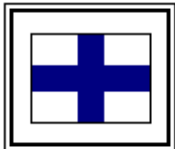
This month's featured flags are:



**V** - Victor I require assistance.



**W** - Whiskey I require medical assistance.



**X** - X-ray Stop carrying out your intentions and watch for my signals.

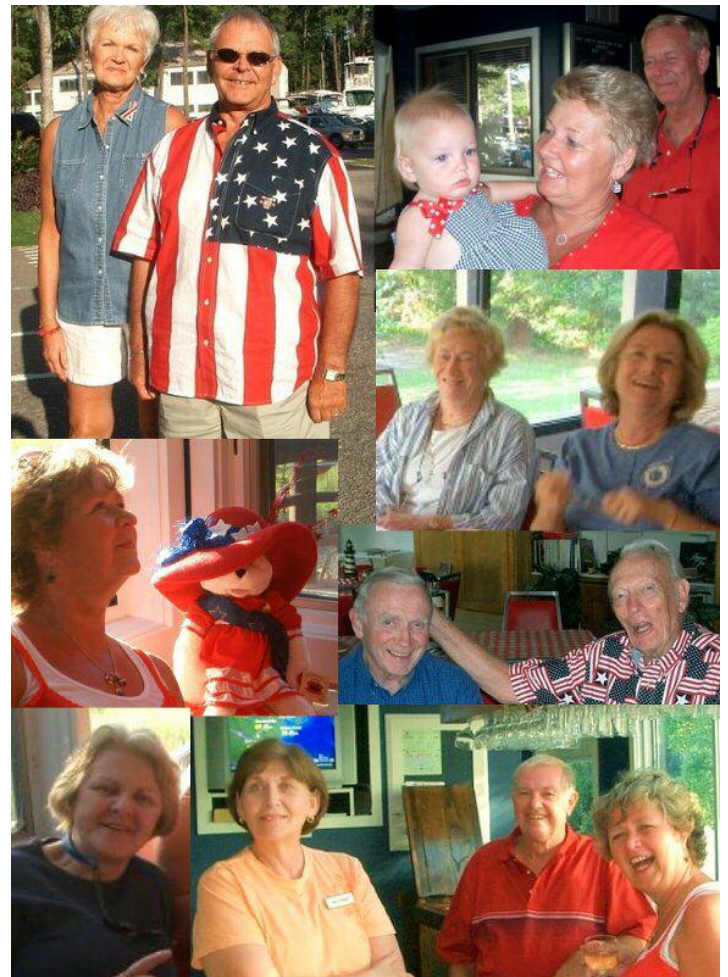
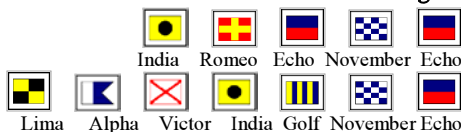


**Y** - Yankee I am dragging my anchor.



**Z** - Zulu I require a tug.

-aka Irene Lavigne



The July 4<sup>th</sup> Picnic gave members a chance to celebrate our country's independence. The Nauti Ladies decorated and Mike Wallis stepped up to the grill to provide all who attended a chance to show off their patriotism in traditional red, white and blue style.



## The Yacht Club of Hilton Head

is located on Broad Creek at Palmetto Bay Marina. Reciprocity with other member clubs of the Yachting Club of America is a valuable benefit of membership that Yacht Club members have. The 2007 Reciprocity Guide, The Register Of American Yacht Clubs, is available at the Yacht Club in hard copy and online at [www.ycaol.com](http://www.ycaol.com). Once at the website a club User ID and Password are necessary to view Members Only information. Members may obtain these from Mary Ann MacAlarney the club secretary at [merimaccsr@aol.com](mailto:merimaccsr@aol.com) or 843-671-5813. The Main Sheet is published monthly by The Yacht Club of Hilton Head Island and distributed free to members. Members of The Board of Stewards are reminded to have their submission ready by the monthly board meeting. Please submit articles to Editor, Ruth Thomas at [ruthiethom@gmail.com](mailto:ruthiethom@gmail.com) Information about The Yacht Club of Hilton Head Island and the Mainsheet is also posted on the Hilton Head Yacht Club's web site at [www.yachtclubhh.org](http://www.yachtclubhh.org)



Carol and Larry Jordan doing research for the next YC Talent Show

## Small Boat Sailing Fleet



The Flying Scot series went down to the final race day. Four boats competed for the season but only three raced enough races to qualify. The final results were:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Old Blue sail #3143 Skipper Joah Etchells and Tommy Bisca crew
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Yacht Club One sail # 2195 Skipper Chris Maxim and Don Robbins crew
- 3<sup>rd</sup> (but a *very close* third) Golden Hind sail # 3428 Skipper Jim Vaughn and son James crew

The Flying Scot fleet elected (more like assigned) a new fleet captain, Joah Etchells. The Fall Series is due to start in September. Race days will be posted on the board at the club and in next month's Main Sheet.

*Jim Vaughn*

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