

June 2015

THE MAIN SHEET

Monthly Newsletter of The Yacht Club of Hilton Head Island



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Commodore's Comments

by Michael Roe

As spring turns to summer on Hilton Head, I notice there is a slowing in the general pace of things around our island. However, this is not the case at the Yacht Club where the activities seem to be heating up.

Boat trips are planned for the coming month and sailing and boating activities continue. On June 8th there will be a trip to Bloody Point on Daufuskie Island and Flying Scots races are being held almost every weekend. Our 'Boats on the Water' program continues to provide boating opportunities to those members without boats and significant efforts are being made to bring our fleet out of mothballs.

We are also happy to announce that our club has made an agreement with the Sailing Center of Hilton Head which will be beneficial to both them and our members. We have agreed to lend them our Sunfish which they will use as training boats in their kids training programs, and in exchange, they have agreed to make our boats available to our members when not in use in their training programs while also cleaning and maintaining the boats. This arrangement eliminates the onerous procedure we currently must follow of transporting the boats to the public dock, launching them, and then retrieving them for return to our club. Now a simple call to the sailing center will provide a boat in close proximity to the water. More time sailing and less time launching sounds like a good deal. As details unfold we will keep you advised.

Our June special events calendar includes a Wine Tasting on June

2nd. One of the three family owner/spokesperson of Cambria Estate Winery of Cambria, California will join us to describe the various wines offered by the Cambria Estate Winery. This wine tasting will be paired with a very special menu developed by Chef Mick. Coming in July is a very special South Carolina event - we will be having a Pig Roast. Look for further announcements for the date.

Our second quarterly meeting on May 22nd was attended by a large number of members with some great ideas about how to further improve the operation of our Club. One suggestion was that we reinstate the buffet style meals at our Friday dinners. This change was implemented immediately following the quarterly meeting. It was also decided that a satisfaction survey will be emailed to all member attendees after each meal to assess levels of satisfaction and areas for further improvement or change. The results of these surveys will be published each month in the Main Sheet and you can see May's results in this edition.

Our strong financial condition has allowed us to begin improvements on the facility. Early in June three new ovens were installed in the kitchen. Work on repairing and painting the building continues. As soon as the final bid is received we plan on engaging a contractor to begin the painting work. We are hoping to begin work during the next sixty days based on the painter's schedule.



Nauti Ladies Report

by Frances Viverette

Many of our Nautiladies enjoyed lunch last month at The May River Grill with a trip to the Bluffton Farmer's Market afterwards. We shared many laughs together over a wonderful meal. What a great group we have!

Our trip to SCAD is now confirmed for Friday, October 9. Everyone in the YCHHI is invited as well as friends. We will meet the bus at 9 AM at the College's flagship building, Poetter Hall, located on Bull Street. If there is a special interest amongst those joining the tour, i.e. fashion, film & television, interior design, we can tailor our tour to those interests. Typically we can tour five SCAD buildings, beginning at Poetter Hall and ending at the SCAD Museum of Art. Put this date on your calendar. We hope to have a great turnout. As usual, food is always involved with our outings. Thus lunch together will follow. More on that later.

Special thanks go to Marilyn Owen for planning and ordering the beautiful flowers for the Mothers Day Brunch at our club. Marilyn is always thinking ahead for our special events.

Deb Pepe is planning the Pelican tour later in the fall when the weather is cooler.

The next meeting of the Nautiladies will be June 12.

Frances Viverette, President

MENUS for June

June 5, 2015

6:00 - 7:00 Happy Hour

Coq au Vin
Roasted Root Vegetables



June 12, 2015

6:00 - 7:00 Happy Hour

Mushroom & Onion Pork Loin
Mashed Potatoes and Green Peas



June 19, 2015

6:00 - 7:00 Happy Hour

Linguini with White Clam Sauce
Asparagus



June 26, 2015

6:00 - 7:00 Happy Hour

\$20
per person

Prime Rib
Baked Potato and Broccoli au Gratin



Watch for your weekly Constant Contact reservation notice. Remember reservations help to save money. Please make your reservation by Thursday online.

Chef Mick Connors at SouthernPoultryMick@yahoo.com

Pig Roast



*We are planning a
Special Event Pig Roast
during the month of July.*

Watch for a Constant Contact Announcement

**BARTENDERS
FOR
JUNE**



June 5, 2015

Leslie & Mike Gilroy

June 12, 2015

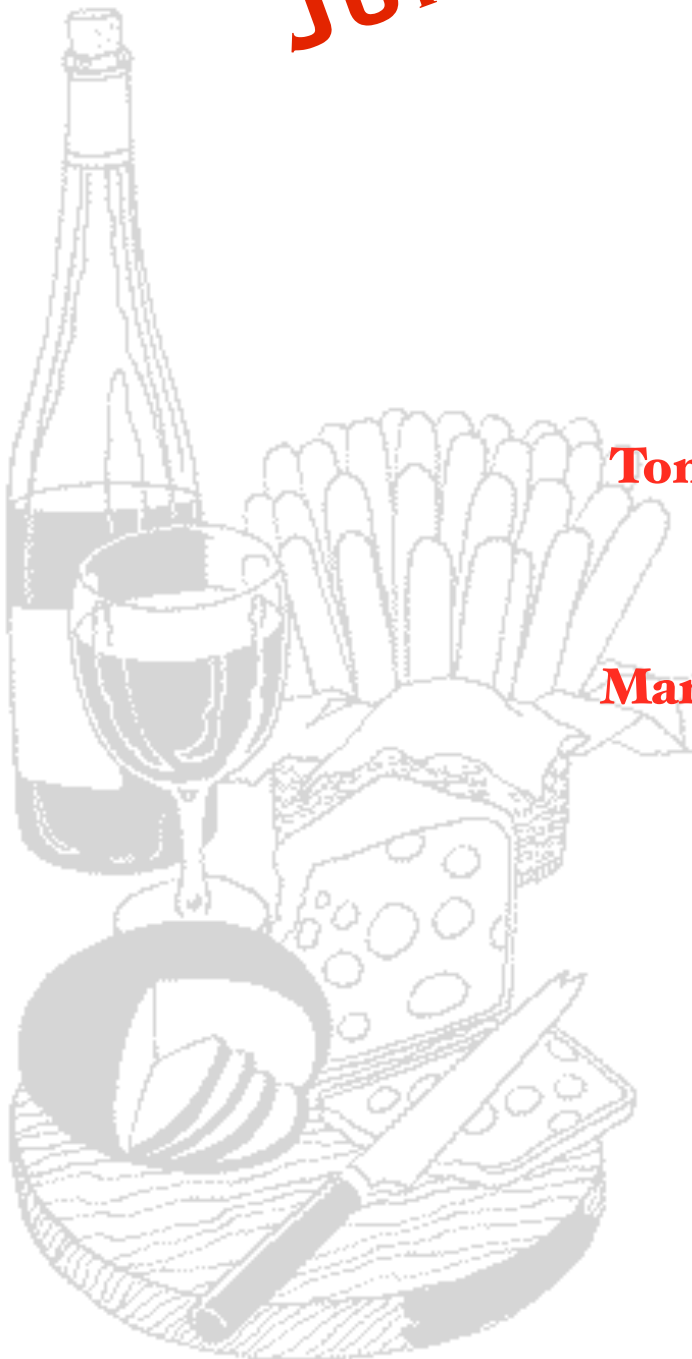
Tom Caldwell & Dave Shkor

June 19, 2015

Mary Ann & Sonny Compher

June 26, 2015

Julie & Jim Vaughn





June 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 6:00 - 10:00 Rotary Club	2 1:00 - 4:00 Mahjong	3 Hackers Golf	4	5 6:00 - 10:00 Dinner	6 9:30 - Flying Scot Races 9:30 - Boats in the Water
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Boating Committee Report

by Deb Pepe, Boating Committee Coordinator

Your Boating Committee met May 4 to discuss our progress.

Boats in the Water - members who would like to go boating meet the 1st and 3rd Saturdays at the Clubhouse at 9:30. Jim Landis reports that he has taken about 15 members out, some more than once, since this program started. We decided to keep it going and encourage Club members to take advantage of the offer of an hour or three for a casual sail on the local waters.

Racing - the wind cooperated last Saturday for an enjoyable three races. If you are interested in crewing, experienced or not, on a Flying Scot for one of these informal races, please contact me.

Red Saturn Dinghy - will contact River Supply Company in Thunderbolt to find out about evaluating it for repair.

Dock - Considering using our floating dock to tie up the Flying Scots for the weekend so we could schedule racing Sat and Sun. Also, look into building a ramp to pull Blue Boat out onto the dock to keep it available.

Sunfish - As we have no one to sail them, will look into selling or donating the three usable hulls and stripping and doing away with the others. No one showed up for the announced Sunfish Work Day. Will keep our emphasis and energy with the Scots. Please contact me if you have any other ideas or any objections.

Mirror (small sailboat under the clubhouse) - will look into selling.

Jim Landis will order more Calibogue Cup Regatta t-shirts. They are selling and profits go into the sailing program. Thank you, Jim.

Green Kayak - is missing. Yes, it is a little beat up, but it is a nice little kayak and we'd like it back. Hoping someone borrowed it and will return it soon. Any information? Let me know.

A "thank you" to Mike Gilroy for leading us to a great meal at Dockside!

A small group of us returned to the club on Sat eve to enjoy the decorations and watch the Derby. As one member said, "Fun follows us around".

******Lock your boats and trailers!! **** A large trailer was stolen off our property. Also, check your boat owners insurance. Your trailer should be covered under it.**

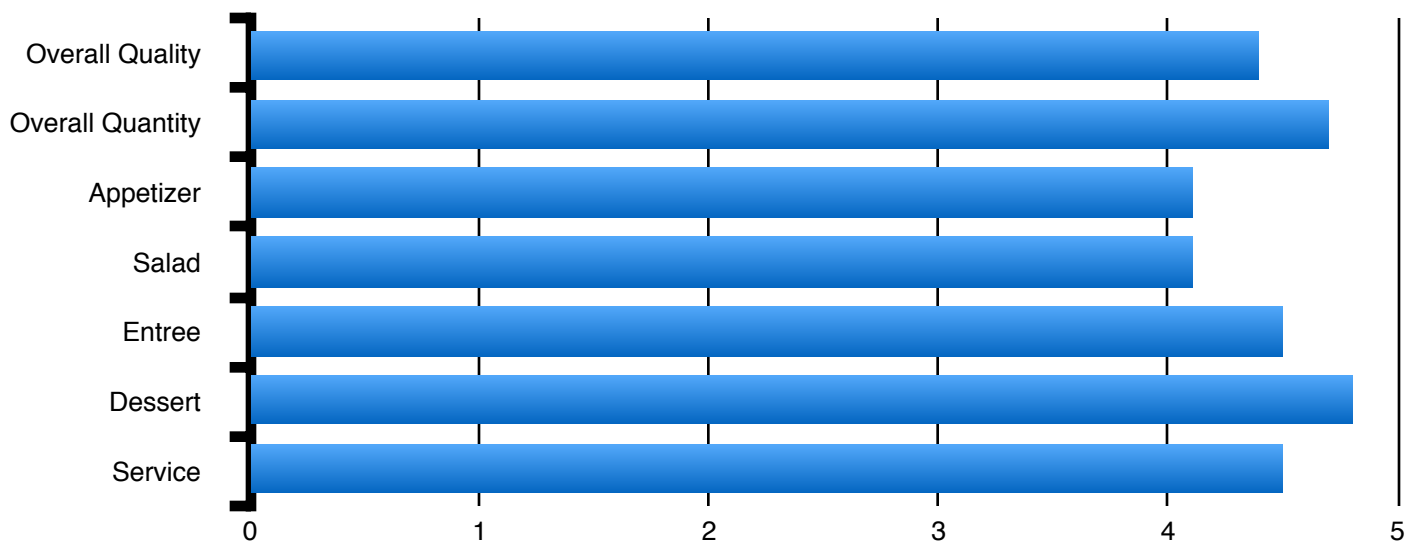
Questions, comments, concerns? Please contact me.

Meal Survey Results for May

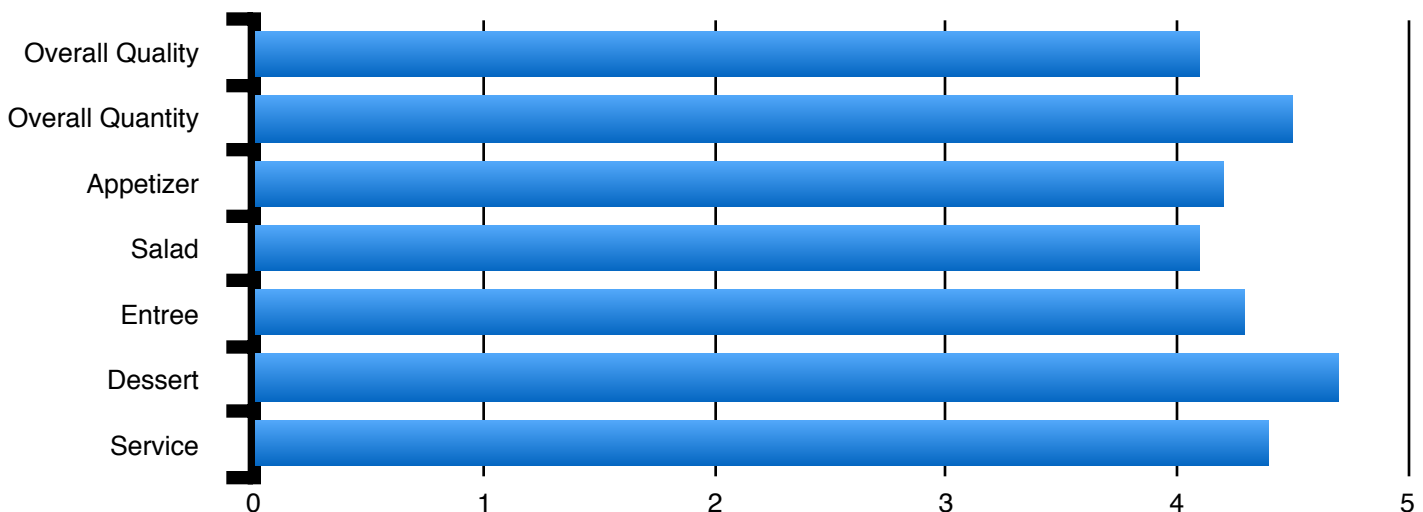
Meals are rated on the following scale:

1 = Poor, 2 = Below Average, 3 = Average, 4 = Above Average, 5 = Excellent

May 22 Shrimp Scampi



May 29 Stuffed Pork Loin



Volunteers Needed

GROUNDS AND LAWN GROUP NEEDS YOUR HELP.

We need between 4 and members to provide about 1 hour of working time each Friday to mow, edge, rake and maintain the YCHHI Yard. Please let me know if you are interested, at

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or

843 683 3826.

Thank you,
Dennis Foley