

February 2018



# THE MAIN SHEET

Monthly Newsletter of The Yacht Club of Hilton Head  
Island

## **BOATING SEASON COMING SOON!**



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# Commodore's Comments

by Cecil Viverette



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## **BOARD OF STEWARDS**

### **Class of 2018**

*Candi Hough*

*Deb Pepe*

*Bob Golden*

### **Class of 2019**

*Carol Lang*

*John Shkor*

*Sonny Compher*

### **Class of 2020**

*Hap Todd*

*Andrea Shotz*

*Leslie Gilroy*

Some of our members are on the water this time of year in spite of the chilly temperatures. Many of us (me included) though, are dreaming of warmer weather, messing with our vessels and reading about boating adventures. Also, through YouTube, we can occupy our time with an endless assortment of sailing, power boating, fishing and water sports video clips. Many of these clips have to do with accidents. I recently watched one (it also made some news outlets) that reminded me of some of the Nautical Rules of the Road that we all know and follow. Mostly though, it reminded me of how quickly a great day on the water can turn deadly, as almost happened in this case. To see the clip, pull up "Columbia River boating accident" on your search engine or YouTube. While we look forward to a new season on the water let's make sure that we stay safe and watch out for the "other" guy! An excellent way to start is by getting a Vessel Safety Check from an examiner with the Coast Guard Auxiliary or U.S. Power Squadron.

A key focus of your Board of Stewards this year is recruiting new members. In that vein Vice Commodore Mary Ryan is heading up a Blue Moon recruitment party on the next Blue Moon, Saturday, March 31. A Blue Moon is a second full moon in a calendar month. Mary will be asking a few members to serve as hosts for the event. We look forward to showing prospective members all that we have to offer and hopefully bringing some of them into our ranks.

Painting of the dining room is now largely completed thanks to the efforts of Mike Gilroy and Mary Ryan. The room is bright and it greatly contributes to the dining enjoyment of us all. Also, Dave Stortz took on the task of staining the base of the appetizer table. The whole table now matches the bar and looks great. Thanks Dave!

**To see a complete list of all events go to:  
[www.YACHTCLUBHH.org/calendar/](http://www.YACHTCLUBHH.org/calendar/)**



# NAUTI LADIES REPORT

Mary Ann Compher  
President

Carol Lang  
Vice President

Mary Ryan  
Secretary

Diane Stortz  
Treasurer

Kathe Golden  
Sunshine

## President's Report

Many thanks to Marilyn Owen for arranging the trip to the Might 8th Air Force Museum on January 23rd. 28 Yacht Club members and guests enjoyed the guided two (2) hour tour. After the tour, we enjoyed lunch at 201 Seafood.

The next NautiLadies meeting will be held on Thursday, February 15, 2018 at the Yacht Club. We will have a style show and luncheon beginning at Noon. Some of our own ladies will be wearing outfits from Trade Winds. Door prizes will be given, so be sure to invite your friends to join us. The cost is \$20 and the meal will be prepared by Miss Pat. If you would like to attend, please **email** Betty Bush at - bushhhi@roadrunner.com. You can pay at the door, but we need a reservation no later than Monday, February 12, 2018.

### *The Greeters for February and March are as follows:*

February 2	Lynne Harlan
February 9	Deb Pepe
February 16	Frances Viverette
February 23	Anne Landis

March 2	Carole Moore
March 9	Carol Lang

### *February Birthdays are:*

February 10	Mary Ryan
February 20	Jeanne Christenson
February 24	Lynne Harlan

There were no February Anniversaries noted.

We would like our newest member to the NautiLadies, **Lynne Harlan**. We are glad to have you as a part of our group.



**Style Show February 15, 2018**

# Food & Beverage Report

Leslie Gilroy  
Chairwoman

Carole Moore

Carol Lang

Al Pepe

Remember you can pickup a To-Go meal  
after dinner for only \$12. See Ms. Pat!

## February 2

6:00 to 7:00 Happy Hour

7:00 Dinner

**Mississippi Pot Roast**

**Bar-B-Que Chicken**

## February 9

6:00 to 7:00 Happy Hour

7:00 Dinner

**Grouper**

**Chicken Étouffée**

## February 16 **\$25**

6:00 to 7:00 Happy Hour

7:00 Dinner

**Prime Rib**

## February 23

6:30 to 7:30 Cocktail Hour

7:30 Dinner

**Mexican Pork**

**Ravioli with Marinara Sauce**

*Watch for your weekly Constant  
Contact reservation notice.  
Remember reservations help to  
save money. Please make your  
reservation by 12:00 noon on  
Wednesday online.*



Pat Foley  
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# Bartenders for February

**February 2, 2018**

**Norm & Andrea Shotz**

**February 9, 2018**

**Jim Vaughn**

**February 16, 2018**

**Nancy Watts & Ed Weber**

**February 23, 2018**

**Arlene Walker and ???**



# The Ship's Store

Hello from the Ship's Store

## Check out the Ship's Store

*by Betty Bush*

As for now, I have just gotten 'boat bags' in two sizes and a great quality that you simply can not be without! Also I have attractive, adjustable aprons that are suitable for men or women and have the Yacht Club's logo embroidered on them. Stop by the store. It is open every Friday evening.



**Y'ALL COME  
BACK NOW!**



Sailing/  
Regatta/  
Boating  
Activities  
Committee  
Reports

Jim Landis  
Large Sail Boats

Jim Vaughn  
Fleet Captain Flying Scots

Mike Gilroy  
Power Boat Events

# Committee Report

## **YCHHI Members Welcome at the Harbour Town Yacht Club**

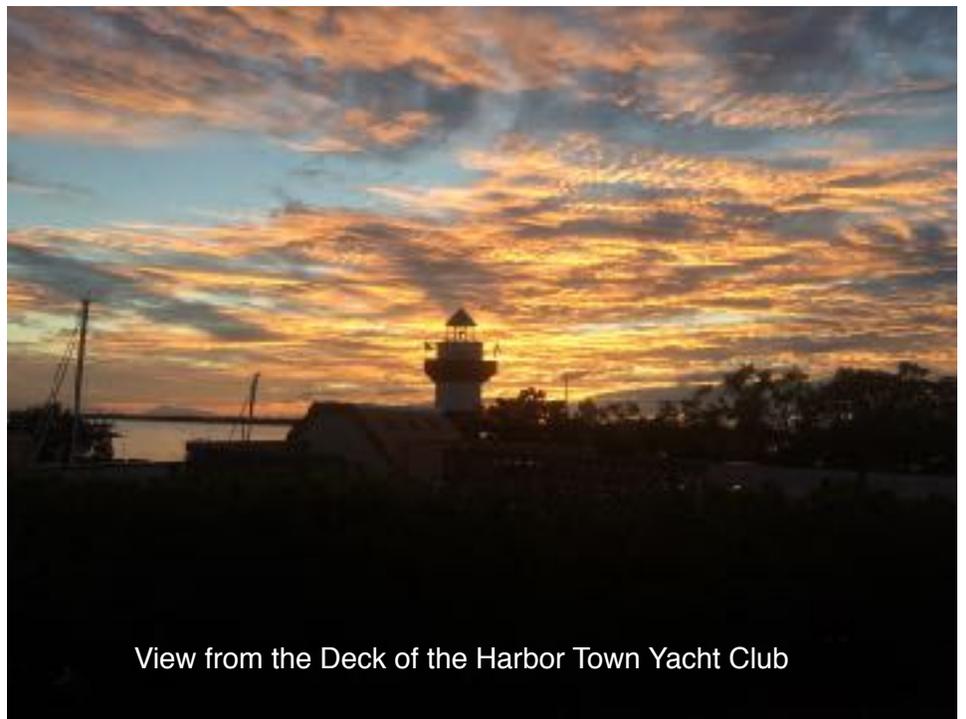
*by Jim Landis*

The YCHHI and the HTYC are both members of the YCOA, Yachting Club of America. Members of the YCOA have various levels of access to yacht clubs all around the country.

Recently a number of our members visited the HTYC. The HTYC is located in the heart of Harbour Town. The club bar is open seven days a week from four in the afternoon. It's a great place for a break during a visit to the attractions of Harbour Town.

YCHHI members should have in hand their YCHHI membership card as well as the Yachting Club of America membership card to facilitate their visit. Cards are available for YCHHI members at Friday night dinners or by contact with the club secretary, Kathe Golden.

Links on our website provide information about both the Harbour Town Yacht Club and the Yachting Club of America.



View from the Deck of the Harbor Town Yacht Club

# **2018 Yacht Club Boating Activities**

## **April**

- |    |            |             |
|----|------------|-------------|
| 4  | Yacht Club | Flying Fish |
| 17 | Yacht Club | Cottage     |

## **May**

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|----|------------|-----------------------|
| 9  | Yacht Club | Huey's                |
| 23 | Yacht Club | Palmetto Bluff Dinner |

## **June**

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| 6  | Yacht Club | Tubby's Tankhouse |
| 19 | Yacht Club | Plum's            |

## **July**

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| 11 | Yacht Club | Links Dinner        |
| 25 | Yacht Club | RAINOUT MAKEUP DATE |

## **August**

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|----|------------|---------------------|
| 1  | Yacht Club | AJ'S                |
| 29 | Yacht Club | RAINOUT MAKEUP DATE |

## **September**

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|----|------------|------------------|
| 19 | Yacht Club | Eagle's Nest     |
| 27 | Yacht Club | Salty Dog Pigout |

## **October**

- |   |            |                     |
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| 3 | Yacht Club | RAINOUT MAKEUP DATE |
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# The Fun[d] Committee Report

## Committee Members:

Candi Hough

Deb Pepe

Mary Ryan

Babs Erny

John Lang  
Speakers

Marilyn Owen  
Consultant

## February is a Dreary Month or it can be a Fun(d) Filled Month



Super Bowl Party - Feb. 4 6:00 to 9:00  
Kick Off is at 6:30  
Come root for your team the Eagles or the Patriots.  
Bring some food to share.  
Mostly, come and have a good time.



Mardi Gras Party - Feb. 9  
Wear your best mask and beads. The Yacht Club will be celebrating Mardi Gras in style. Get ready for some New Orleans style fun.

Casserole Cook-Off - Feb. 20 6:00 - 9:00  
On a chilly winter eve what is better than a piping hot casserole. Comfort food. Come and enjoy four different casseroles prepared by our members.

Needed - 4 chefs to make their famous casseroles  
1 person to make a salad  
1 person to make dessert  
If you would be willing to be a chef or salad or dessert person, please let Mary Ryan know you are willing to volunteers. [Maryryan10@gmail.com](mailto:Maryryan10@gmail.com)  
Donation event