

May 2018



# THE MAIN SHEET

Monthly Newsletter of The Yacht Club of Hilton Head  
Island

**BOATING SEASON IS COMING!!!!!!**



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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*



The Once in a Blue Moon Party held on March 31, was a great success. Its purpose was to introduce folks to our club and to hopefully produce a few new members. Both of these items were accomplished thanks to the hard work and dedication of Mary Ryan, Babs Army, Erin Rota and a host of other volunteers. Those attending enjoyed themselves and seemed very engaged. Three people submitted their applications that evening and another application was submitted later. The Board has approved all four applications.

Our new members are:

Randolph and Alice Vlad who were previous Freedom Boat Club members in North Carolina. Randy has crewing experience and is a USPS instructor, while Alice has

USPS training and enjoys kayaking. The Vlads reside in the Point Comfort area.

John Hollman is a teacher and coach who is active in the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. He enjoys cruising, fishing and having fun on his Wellcraft Sportsman 220, "Steel City South". He plans to keep his boat in the club yard. John lives in the Old House Creek area.

Mark Falkenstein is a retired air traffic controller who now works as a ranger at the Plantation Club in Indigo Hall. His boat, "Babett" is a Boston Whaler Super Sport 13. Mark lives near the Club on Helmsman Way.

Charlie and Judy Hadley Brown are former members who we welcome back. They have experience in power boating and kayaking and are both members of the Hilton Head Sail & Power Squadron. Charlie is a long time USPS Vessel Safety Examiner. Charlie and Judy live near Buckingham Landing.

Please join me in welcoming these new members to our Club

**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

by Mary Ann Compher

### APRIL SHOWERS BRING MAY FLOWERS

Our last meeting was held on Thursday, April 19, 2018. Over 20 members and spouses attended to hear from one of the Host Coordinators of the Hilton Head Heroes, Marilyn Healy.

Longtime resident and entertainer, Greg Russell and his wife Lindy founded the Hilton Head Heroes in 1998. It was born out of a desire to help very ill children and their entire family enjoy a vacation that would not be ordinarily possible, a time for them to recharge and regroup as a family away from the doctor visits and medical interventions.

The families are housed in the Hilton Head HERO house located in Sea Pines Resort. They are given gift certificates to local restaurants, grocery stores as well as island amenities.

The Yacht Club supports this non-profit organization by taking these families on club members' boats for a tour of the local waterways. Dave Shkor is the contact person between the Hilton Head Heroes and the families. Thank you, Dave, for all you do.

The NautiLadies and the Yacht Club provides the funds to the Captains for the fuel that is needed.

The NautiLadies Greeters will be sent to the 35 members in the next email notice.

Our next meeting will be held on Thursday, May 10th.

Many thanks to all of you ladies for what you do for our club.

# 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!

## May 4, 2018

11:00 to 2:00 Happy Hour

7:00 Dinner

Chicken Enchiladas or Grilled Mahi Mahi w/ Roasted Corn Salsa  
Carrot Cake

## May 11, 2018

6:00 to 7:00 Happy Hour

7:00 Dinner

**\$26**

## SEAFORD FEST

## May 18, 2018

6:00 to 7:00 Happy Hour

7:00 Dinner

Pork Schnitzel or Beef Brisket

## May 25, 2018

6:00 to 7:00 Happy Hour

7:00 Dinner

Meatloaf or BBQ Chicken

*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 May

**May 4, 2018**

**The Houghs**

**May 11, 2018**

**The Stortz**

**May 18, 2018**

**The Ahr**

**May 25, 2018**

**The Moores**



# 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

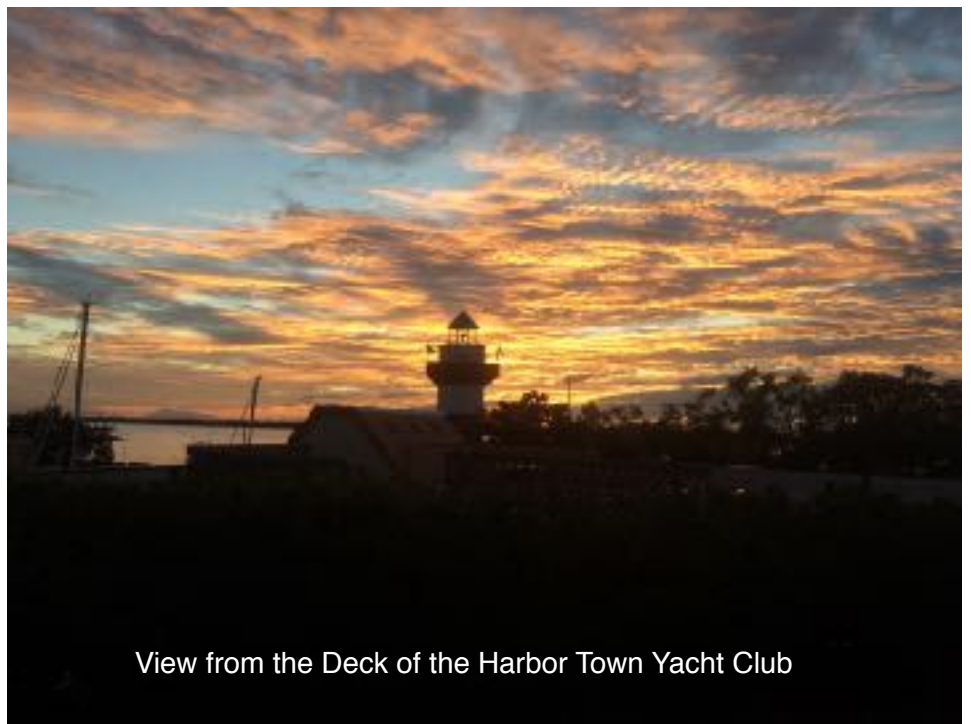
*by Jim Landis*

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

# Power Boat Events

## 2018 Yacht Club Boating Activities

### April

- |    |            |                          |
|----|------------|--------------------------|
| 4  | Yacht Club | Flying Fish              |
| 17 | Yacht Club | Cottage <b>POSTPONED</b> |

### May

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

### June

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

### 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 Lunch          |
| 29 | Yacht Club | RAINOUT MAKEUP DATE |

### September

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

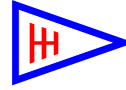
### October

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|---|------------|---------------------|
| 3 | Yacht Club | RAINOUT MAKEUP DATE |
|---|------------|---------------------|





## YCHHI Flying Scot Racing 2018 Notice of Race



### Spring Schedule

<b>March 24</b>	<b>Boat clean up/prep day</b>
<b>March 25</b>	<b>First race</b>
<b>April 28, 29</b>	<b>This is the DeSole Cup at Windmill Harbor</b>
<b>May 12, 13</b>	
<b>May 26, 27</b>	
<b>June 9, 10</b>	Make up days as needed

### Summer Break

The fleet has discussed racing some during the summer if there is enough interest. These would be "one off" competitions and not a part of the Gibbs Trophy series

### Fall Schedule

<b>September 24, 25</b>	
<b>October 6, 7</b>	<b>This is the SCYC Ocean Challenge weekend.</b>
<b>October 13, 14</b>	<b>This is the YCHHI Calibogue Cup and HTC weekend</b>
<b>November 10, 11</b>	
<b>December 1, 2</b>	Make up days as needed

**The first warning signal is scheduled for 11:00 each race day**

***The race area will be in the Calibogue Sound off Brahms Point or in Broad Creek. Race times are subject to change with warmer weather, the onset of the summer, and the prevailing sea breeze pattern. Any changes to the schedule and/or race times for the upcoming weekend will be sent to the fleet via email and posted at the YCHHI by Friday at 17:00 Fleet race rules (SIs) and scoring methodology can be found in the YCHHI directory***

**End**

### Items of note

1. Wexford has again agreed to host our fleet for dockage between Saturday and Sunday race days and will keep the YCHHI Scots at their docks all spring and summer. YCHHI members will be able to use the boats but will need to coordinate with Mark Dryden the Wexford harbormaster for access. Mark's phone is 843-422-7966
2. We are asked to take just one car per boat into Wexford on race days. My suggestion is to organize crew and gear at YCHHI before going to Wexford and to car pool.
3. Mark D is working on getting us privileges to have lunch and/or drinks at the Wexford clubhouse on race days.
4. REMEMBER THAT THE WEXFORD HOMEOWNERS ARE OUR HOSTS AND MARK HAS BEEN GRACIOUS IN CHAMPIONING OUR FLEET SITUATION WITH THEM. PLEASE BE COURTEOUS GUESTS! It will only take one pushy fleet member to get our privileges revoked.

Submitted by Fleet Captain Jim Vaughn 2-27-18

# The Fun[d] Committee Report

## *Committee Members:*

*Candi Hough*

*Deb Pepe*

*Mary Ryan*

*Babs Erny*

*John Lang*  
*Speakers*

*Marilyn Owen*  
*Consultant*

## **March was a fantastic month for the YCHHI.**

Candi Hough won the Casserole Cook – Off. Yea Candi!!!!

The Once in a Blue Moon Party was a success. We have four new members and we expect two non-resident new members in the fall. 57 people attended and most had never heard about the club.

Many, many, many thanks to ALL of the volunteers. Too many volunteers to list each person. Thanks to the gang for the grounds work. Thanks to all who cleaned the club and fixed the fan blades. The place is looking much better. Thanks to all who attended the party and staffed the bars, welcome table, ticket tables, and club info table. Thanks to Jim Vaughn for all of the free printing. Thanks to Mary Ann Compher for shopping, preparing the food and coming in under budget. Thanks to brownie makers and deviled egg makers. A very, very special thanks to Babs Erny who had the idea and worked tirelessly to make the party a success.

## **April**

In honor of Heritage Golf week we had a contest for the Snappiest Dressed Golfer and the Worst Dressed Golfer.

Jim Vaughn won the Snappiest Dresser. Yea Jim!!!

Marilyn Owen won the Worst Dressed Golfer. You go Marilyn!!!!

Host and Toast with Candi and Tom Hough on April 25 is full. Another great event for members.

## **May**

May will be another busy month for the members. Get ready to have some FUN!

Kentucky Derby Party on May 5. This will be a pot-luck and a donation event. Pick your horse!!! 5:00 to 8:00 PM.

May 25 – Friday Night Dinner is also BLACK AND WHITE NIGHT!!!  
Wear something black or white or BOTH. Best outfit wins a special gift.