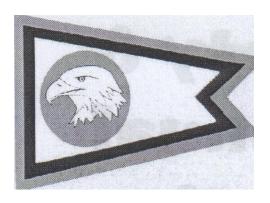
#### MARCO BAY YACHT CLUB



# **BAYLINES**

#### Welcome Back Party

On November 6<sup>th</sup>, 88 members welcomed each other back to the "Fun Club" with a lovely evening at Konrad's. Everyone looked happy to be back and spent the evening catching up over cocktails before sitting down to a dinner prepared and served beautifully by Konrad's staff.

Our commodore, Brent, moderated the annual meeting, which took place toward the end of the dinner as we enjoyed our strudel and coffee.







## Merry Christmas Happy Hanukkah

The Marco Bay Yacht Club has already had a lot of fun events this season beginning with our Welcome Back Party on November 6<sup>th</sup> at Konrad's, a First Mates Tea at the Ritz Carlton on November 12<sup>th</sup>, and the Everglades Isle Cruise November 18<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup>. By the time you read this we'll also have been to the Old Marco Lodge for Monday Madness on November 28<sup>th</sup>, the "Between the Holidays Cruise from November 29<sup>th</sup> to December 5<sup>th</sup> and Bonefish Grill on December 3<sup>rd</sup>. I'd like to thank Cindy Brown, Mary Ellen Mount, Claudette Gelfand, Betty Barter, Litha Lane, Ginny Rapp and Jim Lane for all their work on these events.

On December 10<sup>th</sup> the club intends to have a decorated boat in the "Christmas Island Style Boat Parade". If you are available to help decorate the boat on December 9<sup>th</sup> please contact me at <a href="mailto:Brentcook.net">Brent@Brentcook.net</a>. I'd also like to thank Charlie and Paula Skillern for hosting the Boat Parade Party at their home where they have an outstanding vantage point to watch the boats go by their dock two times that evening.

The Boat Parade on the water is quickly followed by the Marco Island Street Parade on December 17<sup>th</sup>. My thanks to Bill Horton for supplying his boat, Jack Barter for supplying his trailer, Bob Burns for pulling the boat and trailer and Joe and Sharon Doggett for their driveway for decorating and staging. If you are willing to help us decorate the boat please be at the Doggett house at 10:00 AM on Saturday morning, December 17<sup>th</sup>.

My thanks to those of you that volunteered to assist our Fleet Captain, Ginny Rapp, by leading cruises this coming season. The remaining cruise that needs a leader is April 11<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> to Key West. If you would like to lead this cruise please contact Ginny.

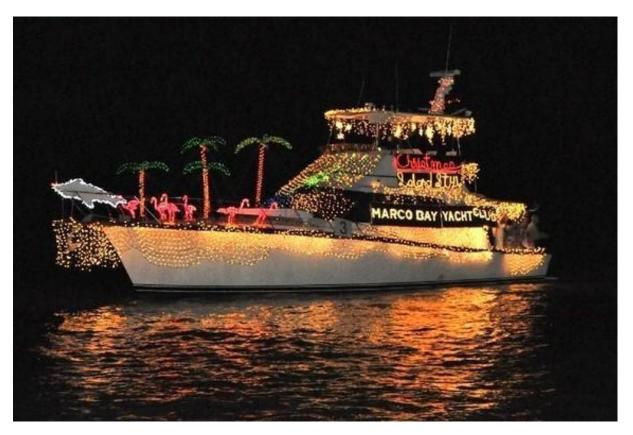
Once again I would like to remind each of you to please help the organizers of our social and cruise events by signing up early for these events. The club calendar and event flyers are all available in the Baylines and also on our club website at www.marcobayyachtclub.com

It's nice to have you all back on Marco and I'll look forward to seeing you on shore or on the water!

**Brent Cook** 

Commodore

### Marco Bay Yacht Club **Boat Parade Party**



Come watch the boats from our Dock & Terraces "Parade by" (twice)!

#### **Show your Holiday Spirit!**

**Heavy Appetizers Beer, Wine & Sodas** 

When @ 5:30 pm **December 10, 2011** 

Where Paula & Charlie Skillern's

1076 Old Marco Lane Map Link

\$10.00 Per Person

http://maps.google.com/maps?g=1076+Old+Marco+Ln,+Marco+Island,+FL+34145&hl=en&ll=25.959009,-81.722875&spn=0.030521,0.058837&sll=37.0625,-

95,677068&sspn=54,401733,120,498047&vpsrc=6&hnear=1076+Old+Marco+Ln,+Marco+Island,+Collier,+Florida+

→ We tend to have a busy street for Boat Parades - recommend `car pooling'. House directly across the street is under remodel - You can park there or on the vacant lot across the street. Name of Attendees for a total of:

Please send your check (by December 5) made out to "Marco Bay Yacht Club" to:

times persons

**Brent Cook @** 864 South Heathwood, Marco Island, FL 34145

#### FLEET CAPTAIN REPORT



#### **AHOY MBYC!!**

November was a very busy month for everyone in Marco Bay. Somehow over the summer when a lot of us are away from our Florida home, the "boat grimlins" pay our boats a visit and it takes a lot of time and work getting everything ship shape again for the Season.

Everglades City was a big success, with many people coming from Marco to participate in a variety of the functions from the carry-in on Friday, the dinner on Saturday and the brunch on Sunday. We came by boat, by motor yacht, by car and by motorcycle!! The only disappointment was that the smaller boats were not able to navigate the choppy seas in the Gulf on Friday, so everyone came by land yacht. There were 6 larger boats that started out to Everglade City and 5 that made it. Coming home on Sunday, two boats came back to Marco with no problems – and two boats came back at a snail's pace accompanied by Tennesea Waltz with engine issues. It all makes for good boating stories at our Monday Madness get together at Old Marco Lodge!! Look for this November event again next year.

Between the Holidays Cruise has a total of 10 boats signed up to go. We look forward to joining many more smaller boats for the Day Cruise to Naples and lunch at Bonefish on Saturday, Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup>.

The LOOP Cruise is filling up fast!! We have ten boats already signed up and we will be dividing into two groups – the boats who like to travel faster (Brent Cook's Group) and the boats who like to travel slower (Bob Herndon's Group). There are a few more spots left, so let me know if you would like to come.

I would like to invite more MBYC members to come to the larger boating events. Many of the larger boats have room to take YOU along on their boats for these cruises – you only have to make arrangements for a place to stay at your marina destination. For every cruise event, the Fleet Captain has lodging information available for you. If you are interested in riding with one of our Captain's – Call either Joanne Herndon or Ginny Rapp.

See you All in or around the water!!

**Ginny Rapp, Fleet Captain** 

# THESE COMING BOATING EVENTS!!! REVISED NOVEMBER 2011

Nov. 29th to Dec.5th-Laishley Park, Legacy and Naples Bay

**Dec. 3rd** - Bonefish Luncheon – Day Trip

**Dec. 10**<sup>th</sup> - **Boat Parade** – Skillern's House

**Dec. 17**th - **Street Parade** – Doggett's House

Jan. 5<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> - Loop Cruise – Clewiston, Stuart, West Palm

Bahia Mar, Sunset South Beach, Hawks Cay

<u>Jan. 21st</u> - Commodore's Ball

<u>Feb. 4th</u> - Presentation of the Fleet

**Feb. 11th** - **Captain Hook's Pig Roast** at Calusa Marina

**Feb. 16th to 20th** - **Tarpon Point/South Seas** or Tween Waters

**Feb. 25th** - **Fleet Captains Auction** at Old Marco Lodge

**March 3rd** - **Wild Goose Chase** (Baillies & Muellers)

March 8th - 15th - Palm Island, Marina Jack, Crow's Nest

**April 11th - 16th** - **Key West** (Possible Banana Bay/Hawks Cay)

**April** 20, 21, 22 - On The Hook

<u>May 2nd - 7th -</u> Last Hurrah - Boca and Burnt Store

**May 5th - Golf Outing** at Burnt Store





### **LOOP CRUISE**

#### **January 5th to 18th, 2012 (Revised 11-25)**

Jan 5 <sup>th</sup> , Thurs.	Roland Martin Marina	Clewiston	
Jan 6 <sup>th</sup> , Fri.	Hutchinson Marina	Stuart	
Jan 7 <sup>th</sup> , Sat.	Hutchinson Marina	Stuart	
Jan 8 <sup>th</sup> , Sun	Palm Harbor Marina	West Palm	
Jan 9 <sup>th</sup> , Mon	Palm Harbor Marina	West Palm	
Jan 10 <sup>th</sup> , Tues	Palm Harbor Marina	West Palm	
Jan 11 <sup>th</sup> , Wed	Bahia Mar	Ft. Lauderdale	
Jan 12 <sup>th</sup> ,Thursday	Bahia Mar	Ft. Lauderdale	
Jan 13 <sup>th</sup> , Fri	Bahia Mar	Ft. Lauderdale	
Jan 14 <sup>th</sup> ,Sat	Sunset Marina	South Beach	
Jan 15 <sup>th</sup> , Sun	Sunset Marina	South Beach	
Jan 16 <sup>th</sup> , Mon	Hawks Cay	Duck Key	
Jan 17 <sup>th</sup> , Tues	<sup>h</sup> , Tues Hawks Cay		
Jan 18 <sup>th</sup> , Wed	Return to Marco		

"COUNT ME IN" - I would like to be included in this fun event.

Name\_\_\_\_Boat\_

Room Accommodations Available for All Destinations. Return Form To: <u>Ginny Rapp</u> – 897 Collier Ct. or <u>Brent Cook</u> – 864 South Heathwood

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M	a Commodore Brent Cook & Mrs. Susan Cook	u	b	
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M	a to The Marco Bay Yacht Club	J	b	
M	a Commodore's Ball - Change of Watch	u	b	
M	A Hideaway Beach Club Saturday, January 21, 2012 6:00 PM - Cocktails	u	b	
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M	A Menu Filet Mignon &	u	b	
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M	Sherwer Cost - \$05.00	u	b	
M	cush bur (tux & gratuity included in arink prices)	u	b	
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M	Make Checks payable to MBYC – no checks accepted after January 12, 2012			
M	Send reservation and check to Cindy Brown 1641 Caxambas Court Marco Island, FL 34145			

# Marco Bay Yacht Clubb

#### **HALLOWEEN AND MONDAY MADNESS**

Photos by Cindy Brown













I will take this opportunity on this otherwise blank page to wish all MBYCers a very merry Christmas and a happy Hanukkah. Happy Holidays to you all!



Anyone who has articles, pictures, or flyers for the <u>Baylines</u>, please, please remember that the newsletter goes to the printer on the first of the month. Therefore, your editor needs all material a week before.

Thank you for your help.





# **CAPTAIN COOK'S PIG ROAST**

February 11, 2012

11:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.

#### At Calusa Island Marina in Goodland

Captain Al Rapp will lead the pirates coming from Caxambas Pass.

Captain Jim Lane will lead the pirates coming from the river.

Dock hands will be waiting to help us dock (appropriate tip is: \$5 min.)

PULLED PORK AND ALL THE FIXINS

BRING YOUR OWN DRINKS and FOLDING CHAIRS

There will be shade and bathrooms. Dress like a pirate or casual.

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#### Please RSVP BY Feb. 4th

Names:	_# of personsx \$10 = \$
Names:	
Coming: by car by boat from river	by boat from Caxambas Pass

Send to: Brent Cook, 864 S. Heathwood Drive, Marco Island, FL 34145

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO MBYC



# MARCO BAY YACHT CLUB 2012 PRESENTATION OF THE FLEET

#### **SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2012**

10:00 AM Boats gather in front of Esplanade

10:30 AM Ceremony and Review of the Fleet

11:30 AM Lunch at CJ's on the Bay

**LUNCH CHOICES** - \$16.00/person



- 1) Tropical Cobb Salad 2) New Orleans' Muffuletta
- 3) Fish Sandwich (Fried) 4) Grilled Chicken Sandwich

Includes Tax, Gratuity. and Drink

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**MBYC Presentation of the Fleet** 

I am coming by BOAT_	CAR
Names	Menu Selection #
Names	Menu Selection #
Names	Menu Selection #
NUMBER OF PEOPLE	x \$16.00/person = \$ Make check out to MBYO
Mail to: AL RAPP	- 897 Collier Ct. #704, Marco Island Phone: 393-4949

Your completed form and payment must be received by January 31st. 2012

#### **EVERGLADES CITY CRUISE**

Photos by Ginny Rapp











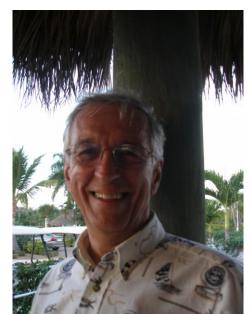




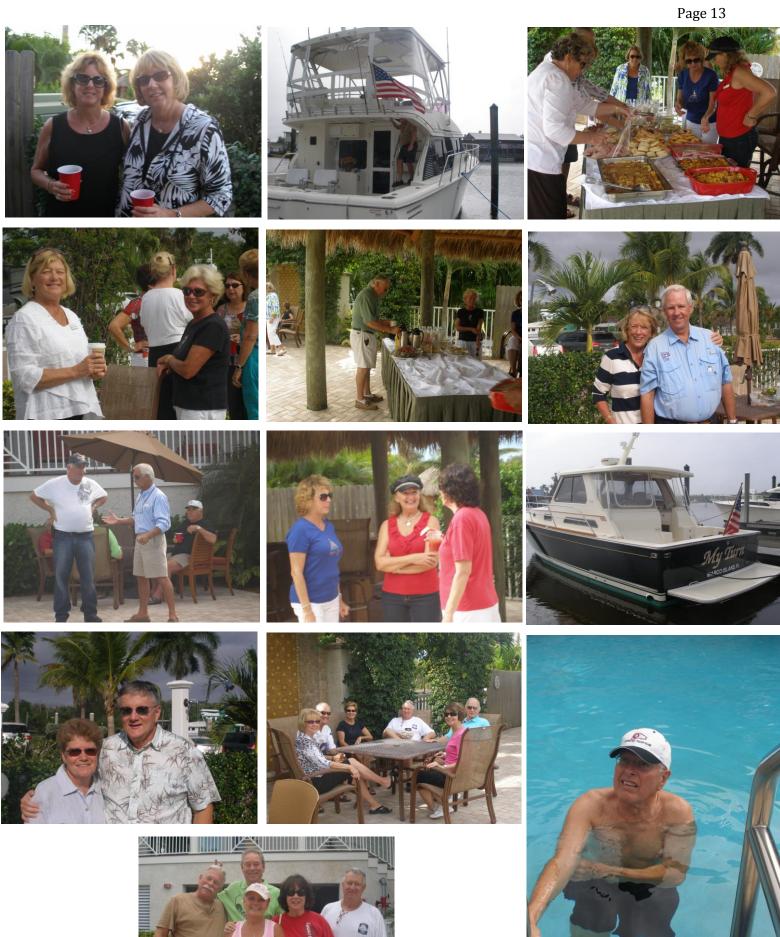














#### Marco Bay Yacht Club \* Ship's Store \*







#### 'Insignia Items' for sale

Club Tie		\$30
Burgee		\$20
Jacket Patch		\$20
Name Tags		\$10
Roster		\$10
License Plate		\$4
Hats (Caps)		\$12
Visors	NEW ITEM I	\$12
Polo Shirts (2XL add \$2)	NEW ITEM I	\$18
Tank Tops	NEW ITEM I	\$14
Roster	NEW ITEM I	\$10
Featurin	g this Month:	

#### Featuring this Month:

Navy-Red Trim 2XL add \$2	NEW ITEM I	\$65	
Tote Bags		\$20	

Have your Items monogrammed at:

#### Sunshine Stitchers 1106 1/2 N Coller Blvd

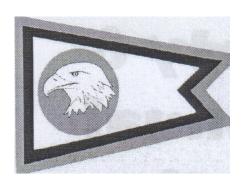
Merco Island, FL 34145
239-970-0200
Marco Island Chamber of Commerce
Building

#### Email or Call your order to:

E-mail:	Phone:		
Al or Linda Saunders	239.642.0394		
Luther or Jackie Hays	239.821.7566		







# MARCO BAY YACHTCLUB

DECEMBER 2011						
SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3 BONEFISH LUNCHEON
4	5	6 TOYS FOR TOTS PARTY	7	8	9	10 BOAT PARADE
11	12	13 BOARD MEETING	14	15	16	17 STREET PARADE
18	19	20	HANUKKAH	2 First Day of Winter	23	24
	26	27	28	29	30	Naw Year

#### IN **JANUARY** LOOK FOR THE FOLLOWING:

5 – Loop Cruise

21 - Commodore's Ball