

# the BAYLINES

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# Marco Bay Yacht Club

# September 2017

Hello .... Member

#### Commodore's Message:

Hope all have had a great summer and are ready to start another boating season here on Marco. Many are returning to our Island Paradise and our phenomenal boating club the MBYC!

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This year get ready for some great boat trips, social events and fun in the sun as we head into our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary (1968-2018).

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In October our Board of Directors meets on the 10<sup>th</sup>, anyone in our club is invited to attend. By this meeting the Nominating Committee will have met and have a candidate for a Rear Commodore and any vacancies on the Board. If you have any interest or recommendations please pass them along to a member of the Committee. Yours truly, Rudi Landwaard, Bob Boland, Al Saunders, and Charlie Skillern comprise the Nominating Committee

this year. Our Elections will take place at our Annual Meeting held during the Welcome Back Party. This will occur on Wednesday, Nov.1<sup>st</sup> at Davinci's Restaurant.

Our first Long Range Boat trip this Fall will take place between Oct. 20<sup>th</sup> and Oct. 29<sup>th</sup> at Legacy Marina and Pink Shell Marina. For more specific information contact Mike Brown or Brent Cook.

I know we all despise when Christmas preparations start too early, but we have some planning to do.

Bob and Jo Herndon have graciously offered their boat "TenneSea Waltz" for our entry in the Island Style Christmas Parade to be held on Sat. Dec. 9th at 6 PM. We are still in need of a volunteer willing to enter their boat into the Island Style Street Parade the following Sat. Dec. 16th at 6:30 PM. If needed we have a tri axle aluminum boat trailer and tow vehicle available. The trailer can hold any outboard or I/O boat between 22' and 32' weighing less than 12,500 lbs. with a ten foot or less beam. All we need is for you to volunteer your boat! Each year we get a tremendous amount of help decorating the boats, I'm sure this year will be no exception.

Hopefully, you'll be able to participate in our planned events that our various committees work hard to present.

May your Seas be following and fair, may the wind be always at your back, and may you look forward to joining us for some "fun in the sun".

Your Commodore,

#### Frank Mulligan

#### **Past Event Articles:**

see all of the Event Picture Portfolios on the website

## **August Dine Around**





It was my pleasure to host the MBYC August Dine Around event at the beautifully decorated La Tavola on August 18 where 19 summer friends enjoyed a prix fixe 3 course feast. Dinner choices ranging from Italian favorites to Salmon or probably the most tasty and tender pork chop I have ever eaten in my life. At one point I looked over at Mr. Kernan and we both grinned with each bite. Spiced to perfection with just the right mix to achieve flavors without the stomach rattling unpleasantness that we older folk associate with the feeling that "we are going to regret this tomorrow". Dessert was a superb caramel brownie with a dollop of french vanilla ice cream.

After dinner, many Bayers retired to the lounge to see Rose Kramer sing and dance only to be surprised to have the unexpected pleasure of a Vegas style dance show by one Tennessean who put the others to shame. I don't want to spread rumors but I understand there are at least 3 talent scouts with contracts ready to present.

P.S. I went back 3 nights later for another pork chop and (just my luck) they were sold out.

Patrick Thawley

## **August Monday Madness**





Charlie was the center of attention at August Monday Madness. Not the big Charlie in the white shirt but the little guy he's holding. Don and Sally Orth brought the most recent addition to their family, grandson Charlie. He must have felt a little like a football being passed from person to person. I think everyone had a turn holding the little guy. What a good guy and great sport. I don't remember hearing a single whimper from Charlie the whole afternoon. I mean the little guy. It was nice to have Don and Sally in town for a few days and great to see them at Monday Madness.

Despite the typical August heat and humidity we perspired, persevered and enjoyed visiting and catching up with friends and sharing our travel and activities. We are looking forward to the return of several of our year around members who have enjoyed extended travel this summer. Looking forward to seeing you at September Monday Madness.

We plan to repeat the "What did you do this summer" gallery in the October Baylines. Please share a couple of pictures with a brief note describing location/activity. It interesting to learn what other members did during the summer. Please email to <a href="mailto:dan@danlowell.com">dan@danlowell.com</a>.

### **Future Event Flyers:**

click on any Flyer Title on the website to open the Event and download the flyer

## **MBYC 2017-2018 Extended Cruises**

# MBYC 2017-2018 Extended Cruising Season

The cruise team (Mike, Brent, Barry & Charlie) would like to give you a look at what we have planned for the cruise season beginning in October, 2017 and running thru May, 2018. Some cruises have confirmed slip reservations and some are in the works. Please consider them confirmed unless marked tentative.

October 20 - 24 to Legacy Marina October 24 - 28 to Pink Shell Marina

November 13 - 18 to Faro Blanco in Marathon

January 15 - 19 to South Seas Marina January 19 - 23 to Boca Grande Marina

February 19 - 21 to Palm Island Marina February 21 – 26 to Marina Jack February 26 – 28 to Pink Shell

March 16 - 19 to Tarpon Point Marina (Tentative) March 19 – 22 to Naples Boat Club (Tentative)

April 16 to May 9 to Palm Coast (This 23 day cruise is almost to St Augustine & Return via the Keys)

Most cruises are set up so that you can partake of the entire cruise or choose to just do part of the itinerary. While we all frown upon any boat traveling alone, usually we have several boats wishing to only do part of a cruise, as well as having some who wish to extend for several days.

In most cases, hotel accommodations, at the marina or nearby, are available for anyone wishing to come by either small boat or by car or just not wanting to overnight on their boat.

While most cruises fill up quickly, there are normally cancellations and, up to now, we have always been able to accommodate all who wish to join in.

While cruises will be led by various Team Members, to sign up for a cruise please contact Brent Cook at: <a href="mailto:Brentcook.net">Brent@Brentcook.net</a>. Cruising is the best way to make new friends, enjoy the camaraderie, see new places, enjoy the favorite old ones......and enjoy time on our beautiful water.

The MBYC Cruise Team

# **Articles, Announcements, & Club Notices:**

OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH EVERYONE IN FLORIDA AS IRMA APPROACHES. BE SAFE!

#### **Events Calendar:**

click on the <u>Events Calendar</u> link above to go to the website Calendar with live links,

then click on Event date to open the Event info & Flyer Flyers opened from the website Calendar will be printable.

	2017
September, 2017	Summer Dine-A-Round at Island Cafe' :: Friday, September 22, 2017 Monday Madness at CI's :: Monday, September 25, 2017
October, 2017	Board Meeting :: Tuesday, October 10, 2017  Cruise to Legacy Marina :: Friday, October 20, 2017  Cruise to Pink Shell Marina :: Tuesday, October 24, 2017
X CLUB LONG	Monday Madness at CI's :: Monday, October 30, 2017
November, 2017	Welcome Back Party at DaVinci's :: Wednesday, November 01, 2017 Board Meeting :: Tuesday, November 07, 2017 Cruise to Faro Blanco Marina :: Monday, November 13, 2017 Thanksgiving :: Thursday, November 23, 2017 Monday Madness at CI's :: Monday, November 27, 2017
December, 2017	Holiday Party :: Friday, December 01, 2017  Board Meeting :: Tuesday, December 12, 2017  Hanukkah Begins :: Tuesday, December 12, 2017  Christmas :: Monday, December 25, 2017  No Monday Madness in December :: Monday, December 25, 2017  No Mad Monday :: Sunday, December 31, 2017
	2018
January, 2018	New Years Day :: Monday, January 01, 2018  Board Meeting :: Tuesday, January 09, 2018  Commodore's Ball :: Saturday, January 13, 2018  Cruise to South Seas Marina :: Monday, January 15, 2018  Cruise to Boca Grande Marina :: Friday, January 19, 2018
February, 2018	Super Bowl Lll :: Sunday, February 04, 2018  Board Meeting :: Tuesday, February 13, 2018  Valentine's Day :: Wednesday, February 14, 2018  Cruise to Palm Island Marina :: Monday, February 19, 2018  Cruise to Marina Jack :: Wednesday, February 21, 2018  Cruise to Pink Shell Marina :: Monday, February 26, 2018
March, 2 <mark>01</mark> 8	Board Meeting :: Tuesday, March 13, 2018  Cruise to Tarpon Point Marina :: Friday, March 16, 2018  Cruise to Naples Boat Club :: Monday, March 19, 2018
April, 2018	Board Meeting:: Tuesday, April 10, 2018 Cruise to Palm Coast & Keys:: Monday, April 16, 2018
May, 2018	Board Meeting :: Tuesday, May 08, 2018  Memorial Day :: Monday, May 28, 2018



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