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Hello Member!

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Commodore's Message:

The Easter holiday has come and gone. Our days are getting longer which means more time for boating and fun times with the Marco Bay Yacht Club!

Our March events were very successful. On March 3rd we conducted the Blessing of the Fleet at our home base, the Esplanade Marina. This event was a great success, with more than 10 boats participating in the review. I would like to thank every member and guest for being a part of this important event. On March 8th the ever popular Scavenger Hunt was held and again this event was very well

attended. Dorothy and I had fun being on Paul Krueger's boat with PC's Marcia & Al Orsolini and John & Elaine Hardy. On March 12th many of our First Mates made a trip to "Seasons 52" in Naples, for a cooking demonstration by Head Chef Tommy, followed by a delicious luncheon. On March 16th, with smooth seas, six extended cruisers under the leadership of Cruise Captain Charlie Skillern, cruised up to South Seas Resort on Sanibel. After four days of fun in the sun, the group cruised back to the Naples Sailing and Yacht Club for three days of shopping and dining and were joined by a group of fellow MBYC members that drove up for a canasta game and delicious dinner at the club.

The newly appointed MBYC Day Fleet Captain, Paul Krueger, had a successful day cruise planning meeting to develop a calendar of small boat events for the Fall 2018-Spring 2019 season. More details will follow.

On March 26th our Monday Madness held at CJ's Star bar was lots of fun.

We have an upcoming Board Meeting on April 10th and we would appreciate your feed-back on club activities, events and adding new members. Please let me or any of the Board members know your thoughts and suggestions so we can improve our activities and the involvement of all members.

Please check the Events Calendar for all upcoming events and plan to take advantage of the diversity of activities available by participating. We would love to have you.

Have Fun but be smart and safe on the Water....

Your Commodore *Rudi Landwaard*

Past Event Articles:

click on any [Article Title](#) or any "[read more](#)" below to see all of the Event Picture Portfolios

Photo Scavenger Hunt



We had a very nice turnout for the second MBYC Photo Scavenger Hunt. It was rather chilly and windy. Nevertheless, this type of weather doesn't stop our club members from having a fun time. The participants said that they liked the items on the Scavenger Hunt List because many were able to find most of them. The TALL canary palm turned out to be one of the hardest to find. We thought the clue to find a dog in a boat would be the hardest. However, many were able to get that clue! In fact, one of our members had a dog aboard! Ha!

The Lane boat was awarded first place, the Mulligan boat came in second, and there was a tie between the Tuttle boat and the Brown boat. We had a 7-card stud poker game to break the tie. Mike Brown won with a "Full Boat"! No pun intended!

There were bonus points if one was able to catch a fish. One of the participants asked a fisherman on the pier to give him a fish. We asked him if he indeed "caught" the fish. He said, "Sort of". We asked him to explain and he said, "The fisherman tossed me the fish and I Caught It!" Ha. Very, very clever.

As always, we are grateful that CJ's is able to accommodate the MBYC during the season. We found it easy to update our ever-changing headcount before the event. Laura Owens and her staff are always so helpful. We are so fortunate to have this restaurant located in such a beautiful setting for our festivities where we can also dock our boats.

A big thank you goes out to Lynn and Bob Tuttle, Josette and Mike Bonewitz and Mary Bayley, as they were so helpful at the restaurant when the boats arrived. They helped check Scavenger Hunt Photos and distributed the envelopes with the food choices to our members.

Thanks to all of the wonderful participants.
We enjoyed hosting Photo Scavenger Hunt!

Jo & Doug Baillie

Seasons 52



The First Mates had a wonderful demonstration and luncheon on March 12th at Seasons 52 in Naples. Delicious recipes were taught by head Chef Tommy and we all went home with terrific ideas.

.. And then we had a delicious luncheon that was part of our lesson and recipes. A very enjoyable experience for all.

Carolyn Cachianes
Shirley Southard

1968 Style Cocktail Party



On March 14th we celebrated MBYC's 50th year with a 1968 style cocktail/pool party at Pier 81. There were over 60 people there and we had a great time! Everyone got in the spirit with sixties costumes, peace signs, great music and retro appetizers.

Jo Baillie won the appetizer contest with her Rosemary's Baby deviled eggs.

Susan Cook was the champion hula hooper!

Brent Cook and Paula Skillern were without a doubt the best dressed hippies at the party.

Special thanks to Jack and Cheryl Coffin for the use of Pier 81's pool and social room it was a perfect venue.

Bob White provided a great play list and Betty Barter donated balloons with smiley faces and lots of great color!

It was fun!!!!!!!!!!!!

March Monday Madness



In lieu of a the usual summary of Monday Madness we offer comments of eye witnesses.

Marjorie Ligelis

Nick and I were the first to arrive at 4:20. No one else came until 15 minutes later and we were thinking maybe we missed a cancellation email. Lol

By 5 there were over 5 tables full of happy MBYC members and many more standing. The weather was perfect with no humidity and a slight breeze. We got to meet Lynn and Bob Tuttle who were the second to arrive. Enjoyed talking to Lynn a good portion of the evening. She didn't know about the women playing Mah Jongg on Thursday and Friday Canasta. Got Judy (filling in for Diane) to add her to the email blast and she joined us for Mahjongg the following Thursday.

Sandy LaMontagne

It was another beautiful day in Paradise. The smoke from the fires cleared up for the afternoon and we had a wonderful time at this months' gathering. There was a great turnout and it was great to see everyone.

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Word is that 50-50 must have been rigged.

Future Event Flyers:

click on any Flyer Title to open the Event on the website

Welcome Aboard New Member Party



*Join the Crew to
Welcome our New Members at
MBYC's
2018 Welcome Aboard Party
Wednesday, April 11th
at
The Marco Island Yacht Club
1111 Collier Blvd*

*5:00 Cocktail hour (credit card only bar)
6:00 Introduction of new members and dinner
followed by Music and Dancing with
MBYC's very own DJ BOB WHITE*

*Entree choices: Black Plum Braised Beef Brisket w/ Thyme
Black Peppercorn Sauce or
Lemon Sole w/ Lite Butter Chardonnay Sauce and Capers
All Dinners include Salad, Chef's Choice of Starch and
Vegetables, Dinner Rolls, Iced Tea, Coffee and Teas, and
Flourless Chocolate Cake*

Attire: Club Uniform for men, dressy casual for women

Please cut off and return with your check made out to MBYC
Mail to: Sally Orth, 1011 Swallow Ave. #208, Marco Island, 34145*

*Name(s): _____
Number of people attending _____ x \$55.00 = _____
(Note: Valet Parking included)
Choose one entree per person:
_____ Brisket _____ Sole _____ Vegetarian (chefs choice)
PLEASE RESPOND BY THURSDAY APRIL 5TH*

MBCY April Extended Cruise Schedule

MBYC 2018 Extended Cruising Schedule

The cruise team (Mike, Brent, Barry & Charlie) would like you to thank all of the boaters that participated in our extended cruises this season.

Our final extended cruise for this season is to Palm Coast near St Augustine, FL. We currently have 7 boats taking part in this 24-day cruise with a few returning a bit earlier. Please join us if you can.

April 16 to May 10 to Palm Coast
(This cruise has two return date options)

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 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: Brent@Brentcook.net . 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

Events Calendar :

*Go to the Events Calendar on the website with live links,
then click on Event date to open the Event info & Flyer
Flyers opened from the website Calendar will be printable.*

2018	
April, 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Board Meeting :: Tuesday, April 10, 2018 ■ New Member Party :: Wednesday, April 11, 2018 ■ Cruise to St Augustine & Keys :: Monday, April 16, 2018 ■ Monday Madness at CJ's :: Monday, April 30, 2018
May, 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Board Meeting :: Tuesday, May 08, 2018 ■ Mother's Day :: Sunday, May 13, 2018 ■ Monday Madness at CJ's :: Monday, May 21, 2018 ■ Memorial Day :: Monday, May 28, 2018
June, 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Father's Day :: Sunday, June 17, 2018 ■ Monday Madness at CJ's :: Monday, June 25, 2018
July, 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 4th of July Celebration :: Wednesday, July 04, 2018 ■ Monday Madness at CJ's :: Monday, July 30, 2018
August, 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Monday Madness at CJ's :: Monday, August 27, 2018
September, 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Labor Day :: Monday, September 03, 2018 ■ Board Meeting :: Tuesday, September 11, 2018 ■ Monday Madness at CJ's :: Monday, September 24, 2018
October, 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Board Meeting :: Tuesday, October 09, 2018 ■ Cruise to Pink Shell Marina :: Monday, October 22, 2018 ■ Cruise to Legacy Harbour Marina :: Friday, October 26, 2018 ■ Monday Madness at CJ's :: Monday, October 29, 2018
November, 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Cruise to The Galleon in Key West :: Monday, November 12, 2018 ■ Board Meeting :: Tuesday, November 13, 2018 ■ Monday Madness at CJ's :: Monday, November 26, 2018 ■ Thanksgiving :: Thursday, November 29, 2018
December, 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Holiday Party :: Saturday, December 01, 2018 ■ Hanukkah Begins :: Sunday, December 02, 2018 ■ Board Meeting :: Tuesday, December 11, 2018 ■ Christmas :: Tuesday, December 25, 2018 ■ NO Monday Madness :: Monday, December 31, 2018



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