

# The Binnacle Charlevoix Yacht Club

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February/March 2010

## From the Helm

A big thank you goes out to Judy Gordon and her board and committee members for all their efforts and hard work. I am looking forward to being your new commodore and will try to keep things running as smoothly as she did with the help of my board and committees and all members that help make this a great club. I am always open to new ideas and comments. So, to stay on course and/or chart new ones, let's combine our energies to make CYC the best club we can.

Thanks

*Roy Herald*

Commodore

## January Events

On January 8, the Board met and installed the 2010 Board: Roger Nesburg, Richard Hodgson II, Lean Olson, Mark Pirie, Jennifer Richardson, and Jerry Seymour. Officers for 2010 are Roy Herald, Commodore; Beth Uehlein, Vice Commodore; Mark Pirie, Treasurer and Carol Pirie, Secretary. The Board will meet at 6:30 pm at the club the second Wednesday of each month through April and the second Monday of each month through the racing season as posted on the Club Calendar. Members are welcome to attend.



On January 15, members enjoyed "Captain Ron" while filling up on Burgers and salads compliments of Chef Gloria. This was the first of what will be CYC Movie Night the third Friday of each month. Coming soon, "Animal House," "The Three Amigos," and "Monty Python Marathon." Fun & Food along with pleasant conversation.

Thank you, Jim Stewart and Kate Fox for hosting on January 29 and helping us celebrate the birthday of Robert Burns. Kilts, Scottish food and music were delightful! Make sure this event is on your calendar for next year. We hope Piper McBain is feeling better and knows he would be welcome at the club on another occasion!

(Please note: Although many of our Friday night hosts choose to have a theme, it is not a requirement. A welcoming smile and pleasant conversation is much appreciated. Leave the work to the bartender.)

## Coming Up In February & March

**Movie Night @CYC on February 19** features “Animal House”. Toga-Toga-Toga. A Pizza and salad bar will be available for just \$6.00. Sounds like fun, wrap a sheet around and get in the spirit!

On Friday, **February 26**, Noel and Lynn Smolenyak will be hosting and are planning a night of music with an “**Oldies & Vinyl**” theme.



### Rules Seminar

Saturday, **March 13**, Alan Teske will lead our Rules Seminar, open to all Interested sailors. The fee is \$25.00. 9 am to 4 pm and includes lunch

**Movie Night @CYC on March 19** features “The Three Amigos”. A Taco Stand will be available for a donation of \$5.00. Our bartender, Steve Scully, will be preparing Margaritas for those who wish to indulge.

### WANTED:

Hosts needed for Fridays at the Club. We have openings in March and April. If you are available for any of the following Fridays, call Carol Herald at 547-2863.

*Please sign up  
to Host!*

March 26 –  
April 2-  
April 9-

Additional dates are available in May  
& June. Please check your calendar!

## America's Cup

The Cup will return to the USA and the San Francisco Yacht Club! Oracle bested Alinghi in a best of 3 competition. Races can be viewed at [www.americascup.com](http://www.americascup.com).

## Web Camera

There is now a web camera at the entrance of Lake Charlevoix set up by Lake Charlevoix Association. The camera provides a live view of the lake looking east from the Belvedere Club at the mouth of the entrance to Round Lake. If you go to their web site, [www.lakecharlevoix.org](http://www.lakecharlevoix.org) you will see the current picture on the left of the page and a link to see the “on the hour picture” for the last 24 hours. Check it out!

## CONGRATULATIONS!

- Board Member, Rich Hodgson II, his wife Perry and their son Alex on the birth of their baby boy Raymond on December 30.
- Jennifer and Ben Muladore on the birth of their son Jacob on December 3.



Don't tell anyone, but “spring is in the air...” **Skipper's Meeting and Pot Luck is scheduled for Wednesday, April 28.** So just when you thought PS%#@Y Phil's prediction and you had 6 more weeks of winter to dream about those tweaks, you might want to get busy making some of those dreams a reality...maybe it is a **bit early**, but a girl can wish.



## Save the Date!

The 2010 Commodores Ball is scheduled for May 15 at the Gray Gables. Live music for your dancing and listening pleasure will be provided by "Nightblend" with Maggie and Jeff Dickson. Tickets will be available from any Board Member or by calling Carol Herald directly at 547-2863.

## Membership Renewals

You can still renew your membership for 2010. Mike Carland is working on the Directory and would like to include all 2010 members. So, send in your renewal so we can meet our deadlines.

## Advertising

Members may advertise in the Directory at \$25.00, business card size or \$100.00 for a full page ad. Please contact Mike Carland if you wish to have an ad appear in the 2010 Directory. Thank you for your support.



## 2010 Officers and Board

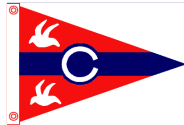
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## Board of Directors:

Richard Hodgson II	231-547-7296	Mark Pirie	231-547-5464
Roger Nesburg	231-547-4979	Jennifer Richardson	231-357-1786
Leah Olson	231-547-2031	Jerry Seymour	231-547-5490

# 2010 Committees

<b>Bar Manager:</b>	John Kunitzer/John Ochs
<b>Bar and Kitchen Supplies:</b>	Karen Attee
<b>Binnacle:</b>	Kim Simpson/Judy Gordon
<b>Building Committee:</b>	Doug Simpson/Roger Nesburg/Joe Wollam
<b>Club Usage &amp; Keys:</b>	Kim Taylor
<b>Directory:</b>	Mike Carland
<b>E-mail:</b>	Jerry Seymour
<b>Facility Committee:</b>	Mark Pirie/Doug Simpson/Roy Herald
<b>Membership Committee:</b>	Jack & Crissie Staats/Lynn Smolenyak
<b>Power Fleet Captains:</b>	Richard Hodgson II/Jerry Seymour
<b>Race Committee:</b>	Mike Miller/Joe Wollam
<b>Red Fox Regatta:</b>	Lynn Smolenyak
<b>Social Committee:</b>	Gloria Barnes/Jen Richardson/Carol Herald
<b>Store:</b>	Annette Nesburg
<b>Website:</b>	John Friedly/Jerry Seymour



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