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CORONADO CAYS YACHT CLUB

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Fair Skies, 2024!



CCYC Speed "Friending" Dinner

February 3rd, 6:00 pm
\$29.95

**Three Rounds
Three Tables
Unimaginable fun & a fleet of new friends!**

WANTED: ALL MEMBERS

Been with the club for years?
New to the club?

Join us for the CCYC's First Ever Speed "Friending" Dinner...

YOUR MISSION:

Find your table for your First Course
Introduce yourself to your Table-mates
Take a pic of each & every Table-mate (w/ Big Name Tag)
When the bell rings, move to Table 2 for your Main Course
...&...repeat!

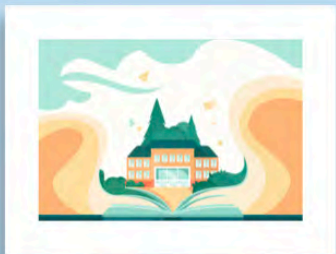


Table 1, First Course: Regional or School Roots Soup or Salad

*Where do you hail from?
NE, SE, MID-USA, SW or NW?*



Table 2, Main Course: Walk of Life

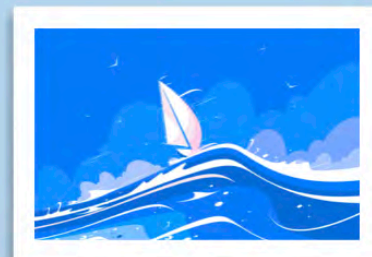
Pasta Extravaganza (a smorgasbord of sauces)

*What is / was your career?
Family Engineer? Educator? Medical? Military? Business?*



Table 3, Third Course: Leisure Pursuits Dessert

*How do you enjoy your free time?
Bookworm? Sailor? Adventurer? Crafter? Biker? Hiker? Sports?*



***RSVP by January 29**



From the Pilothouse
“Work like a captain, play like a pirate!”
Commodore Rome Ventura



I want to offer a big shout-out to Dave Murree for his steadfast support during the Change of Watch of our Bridge positions. In fact, on December 1st, he and I flew to Phoenix to meet with our landlord of the lawn area NE of our clubhouse.

The foremost item on my agenda is to get a long-term resolution to the state of our leasehold interests in that area and to secure additional parking space.

My in-person request of our landlord was that we pursue a paradigm shift in the nature of our relationship from severely adversarial to cordially collaborative.

We have made good progress in this direction, and I expect to schedule an opportunity for our membership to offer their input shortly.

ON THE HORIZON

We have hired a professional interior designer to help us update our restrooms. My goal is to get this done by the end of February, during our less busy season. We will bring convention-style mobile restrooms to our parking lot and get both restrooms done simultaneously.

Color boards will be set out for Member feedback before we proceed. (Yes, I heard you, taller toilets)!

Lastly, please come and enjoy the camaraderie of our new dinner event on Saturday, February 3rd. It's an entertaining way to cycle through a three-course meal while meeting other Members. You will be amazed at people's various backgrounds and activities in their history! Look for the flyer with details and register soon at CCYC.org.

Commodore

Rome Ventura

See you on the water!

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10AM - 2PM

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Hello from 50,000 feet in the air as I write this on the plane back to the UK for the Holidays. I hope everyone had a great Christmas season and a very happy, positive start to the New Year.

This far above the earth, one gains valuable perspective. CCYC is not just a club; it's a community of passionate individuals brought together by a shared love for the open seas, the thrill of the wind in our sails, and the camaraderie that comes with being part of this exclusive nautical family.

Reflecting on the achievements and memories of the past, I am inspired by the dedication and enthusiasm each of you brings to our beloved yacht club. Our club has not just weathered storms; it has sailed through them, emerging stronger and more united than ever. As we look forward to the upcoming year, let us set our sights on new horizons and uncharted waters.

Prepare for a calendar filled with thrilling regattas, social gatherings, holiday events, summer parties, great dinners, and community building. Whether you're a seasoned sailor, a novice, or just ready to get out there and meet new people, there will be something for everyone to enjoy.

Your feedback is invaluable to us. Please don't hesitate to reach out with suggestions, ideas, or concerns. The success of our yacht club is a collaborative effort, and your input is crucial.

As we embark on this new chapter together, CCYC will continue to be a beacon for maritime excellence and camaraderie. Here's to a year of smooth seas, thrilling adventures, and unforgettable moments.



Our employee of the month is bartender Jose Palma. Jose has won this award once before but continues to impress with next-level professionalism and creativity that promotes fun, dancing, and the occasional morning headache. I often see Jose walking out of the kitchen with various ingredients, eager to create a new cocktail! Members approach me regularly, singing his praises, and I am thrilled that we can celebrate Jose throughout January. Congrats!



Fair winds and following seas!

A View from the Crow's Nest
*"We can't control the winds,
but we can adjust our sails."*
General Manager Dan Parker

Greetings and welcome to 2024!

Every year seems to go faster and faster, and in that spirit, we were so honored to have such a large crowd ring in the new year with us at CCYC. We hope you enjoyed the delicious meal, great music by Side Traxx, and fun times at the event. Seeing all the black-and-white photos that members provided on the tables was so much fun.

We are sure everyone who participated in the ugly sweater bocce ball contest had as much fun as we did. Likewise, we hope you all enjoyed the Christmas caroling and the Holiday Family Trivia Night on December 22nd! Thank you to Rome and the house committee for coming up with this wonderful idea, and I think we have started a new tradition here at CCYC!

On a personal note, what a great success we had with Toys for Tots! Seeing how many people generously contributed to this wonderful organization warms my heart.

I also wanted to share that there was a minor email glitch early in December, so if you tried to reach me at vicecommodore@ccyc.org and have yet to receive a response, please let me know so I can follow up with you.



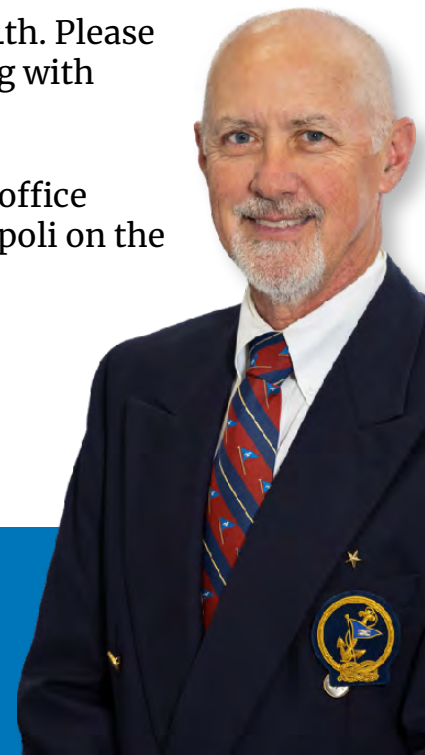
Many fun times are coming in the next few months, so stay tuned to your Navigator and E-blasts. I look forward to seeing you at the club!

Upcoming events include:

Super Bowl Sunday, February 11th - come share in all the festivities at the Yacht club.

Valentine's Day, Wednesday, February 14th. Please make reservations for dinner and dancing with Geoff Corey Five.

And finally, congratulations to our front office manager, Juliet Woodall, and Dominic Ripoli on the birth of their baby boy!



From the Quarter Deck

*"The bad news is time flies.
The good news is you're the pilot."*

Vice Commodore Kevin Brenden

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Yacht Club**

Welcome to 2024, fellow CCYC members!

As we embark on a new year, the Membership Committee is excited to share that our team is nearly complete. However, if you are interested in membership drive activities or have an idea, please don't hesitate to reach out; we welcome your participation.

Mark your calendars for Thursday, January 11th, as we host a special event – a screening of the movie "Captain Ron." Join us at 5:00 PM; the bar will be open, pizza will be ordered, or bring your own dish or snacks (note: the kitchen will be closed), and of course, the popcorn machine will be in full swing! The movie kicks off at 6:00 PM and is rated PG-13. This event, sponsored by the Gentleman's Book Club and the Membership Committee, is an excellent opportunity for members to connect and for you to invite neighbors interested in learning more about our wonderful Club.

Looking ahead, we're thrilled to announce upcoming new member events on various Tuesdays and Thursdays. Stay tuned for more details through our weekly flyers.

Our Club thrives on member involvement, and we encourage you to reach out to the respective Captains to get involved with raft-ups, sailing races (several boats are looking for crew), and the various charity events we proudly support, including Make-A-Wish Amazing Race, FOCUS, and the Big Brother/Big Sister boating event. There's so much to participate in.

If I can remember to wear my new name tag, a large gold chest plate that's hard to miss, don't hesitate to say hello; I'm here to make your yacht club experience even more enjoyable. I look forward to seeing you all at the Club!

Here's to a smooth 2024!

**Welcome Aboard**

*"Every year you make a resolution to change yourself.
This year, make a resolution to be yourself."*

Rear Commodore Steve Lock

SUPER BOWL SUNDAY

February 11th

\$22.95++

2pm Event Starts

3pm Kick Off

Buffet opens at 3:30pm

Bring your team jersey to the front desk, and
we'll hang it at the bar!

Choose your Reserved Seating Starting
January 8th

Seating Chart Posted in the Burgee Lounge

Valentine's Day

5:00-8:30 pm

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 14th

Music by Geoff Corey 5

DINNER MENU

Three Course Menu

Complimentary glass of champagne upon arrival

\$49.95++

To choose between:

FIRST COURSE

- Bacon wrapped shrimp OR
- Mushroom ceviche mini tostada

SECOND COURSE

- Lobster Bisque OR
- Mixed green salad with beets, pine nuts, blue cheese & citrus vinaigrette

THIRD COURSE

- Filet Mignon with cauliflower puree & baby vegetables OR
- Lobster raviolis with a butter truffle sauce OR
- Chicken confit a l'orange, potatoes & roasted turnips

FOURTH COURSE

- Chocolate crème brûlée OR
- Pistachio macarons

RSVP by Feb 7th at ccyc.org

Must have a party of 8 to reserve a table or seats will be assigned
7-day notice of cancellation required to avoid charges.



Ask about the daily specials!

Soup, salad bar, & baked potato: \$13.95

Add Choice of Protein

Chicken Breast, Burger Patty

or Portobello Mushroom: \$5.95

6 Shrimp: \$8.95

NY Strip 8oz: \$11.95

Dessert - Affogato

2 Scoops of Ice Cream: \$2.95

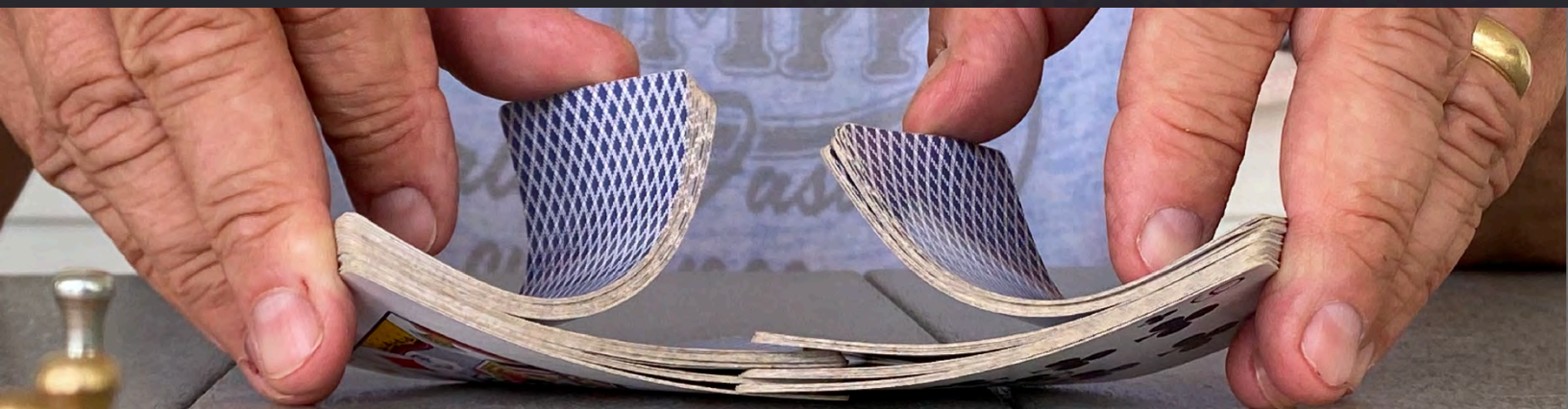
Chocolate Sauce or Espresso: \$3.95

Shot of Liqueur: \$5.95

Walk-In

WEDNESDAYS

RESERVATIONS NOT REQUIRED



saturday
TACOS
AND
Games

11am TO 2PM IN THE BURGEE LOUNGE

- Rummy Cube ♣
- UNO ♠
- Phase 10 ♥
- Exploding Kittens (NOT that KIND!) ♦
- Cribbage ♣
- Board games ♠
- Tile games ♥
- Plus many more! ♦

BYO games if you have them and if not, come anyway we'll share!

Grab a taco, margarita, and anyone you can think of and join the fun!

CCYC Marina Fleet Underway



As you probably know, all boats moored at our docks are required to go underway at least once a year. For some of our tenants, this can be a challenge.

We are therefore offering that on Saturday, March 2nd, we gather our dock mates and friends to standby at the Marina to assist with docking and fending for an early morning group cruise to buoy #1 (just past Loews) and back.

There is an early morning slack tide and minimal difference between the high and low tide on that day. The whaler Paws and Play will standby on the water to assist if someone has difficulty.

Let's start early, go from one dock to the next, and get the requirement done for 2024! Just let me know if you will be participating so we can gather enough Members to be human fenders!



Dockside
"Everything looks in Peppermint condition"
Port Captain Dave Knapp

Welcome all Sailors.

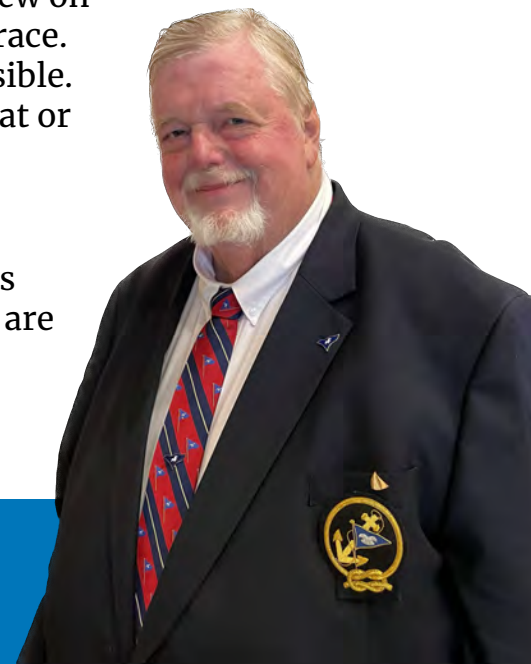
We had a great first race of the Winter Classics on December 3rd. The Harbor 20s won the day. They got to start first, but they stayed ahead the whole way. The rest of the fleet was catching them, and if the course had been longer, they might have caught them. The next race is Saturday, January 6th.



Volunteers Needed! Let me know if you want to race your boat, crew on another boat, or even volunteer to help the race committee run a race. We are trying to get as many people involved in sail racing as possible. We may be able to get a seasoned skipper to help you race your boat or even provide some new crew members.

We also have some members who want to create a group of sail enthusiasts interested in sailing but not necessarily in racing. This group is interested in social sailing in the bay. Let me know if you are interested in this.

Wishing you fair weather and a following sea.



Main Sail Trim
"Here's to another successful trip around the sun!"
Sail Fleet Captain Dave Smith

Movie Night

Thursday, January 11

Bar opens at 5 pm

Movie at 6 pm

PG-13

CAPTAIN RON



Free Pizza!

Sign Up in the
Hallway by
January 8th

Popcorn!

Or bring your
own snacks or
food if not
interested in
pizza

(Kitchen
Closed)

Starring Kurt Russell, Martin Short, Meadow Sisto, Mary Kay Place

Come Connect with Neighbors or Invite a Friend!

Sponsored by the Gentleman's Book Club & the Membership Committee



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The Spyglass

C-Gulls Captain Anna Paul

Our Club looked dazzling, sparkly, festive, and magical over the holiday season! Thank you, CCYC members, C-Gulls, and the Staff who worked tirelessly until all the trees, ornaments, ribbons, wreaths, and lights were placed just right. Special thanks go to Debbie Goelz and Mary Youngman, who organized and spear-headed this year's Holiday decorating gatherings.



I am pleased to introduce the 2024 C-Culls Board members and Standing Committee Chairs. These ladies have graciously volunteered to bring their experience, talent, and creativity to these positions to help inspire, entertain, and educate. They have also continued to raise funds through Regalia to improve our yacht club.

The 2024 C-Gulls Board of Directors: Anna Paul Captain, Linda Hayes First Mate, Linda Plambeck Purser. Carol Schaller, Keeper of the Log, Jennifer Luther, and Diana Jones-Cruise Directors.

2024 Committee Chairs: Kathi Kirigin and Carol Warren-Regalia. Mary Youngman-Parliamentarian. Debbie Goelz -Inspiration. Lisa Brenden and Carolyn Carswell-Historian.



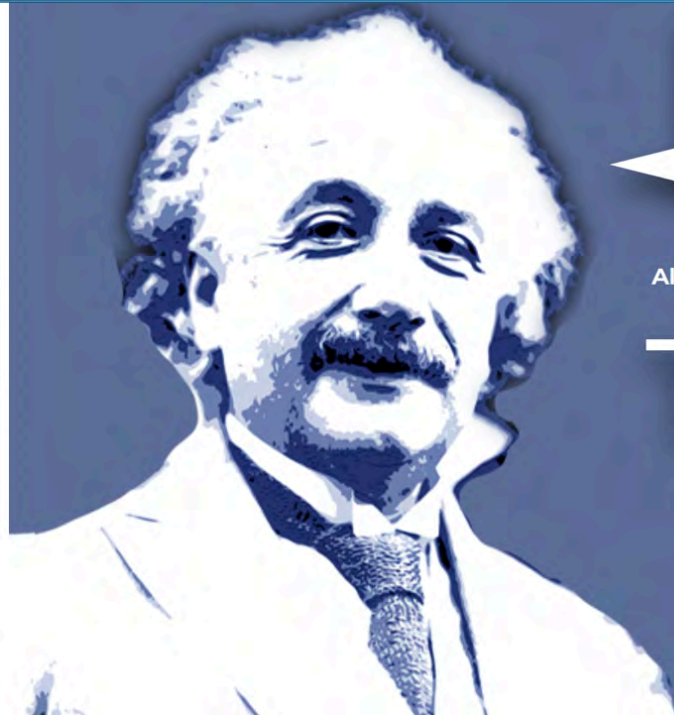
Mark your calendars for February 7th, 2024. Our Cruise Directors, Jennifer and Diana, will bring back "The Duetto" by popular request! These talented opera singers, Victoria Robertson and Bernardo Bermudez, will entertain us with opera and popular love songs. This event will be Valentine's inspired with a touch of red in all the black and white Décor. Come dressed up like you are "going to the Opera," or just come and listen to the beautiful love songs.

Linda Hayes, Membership, has a surprise activity, "Who Is She?". Linda will showcase a different C-Gulls member at every luncheon by describing their background, accomplishments, or funny anecdotes. And you will get to try to guess, "Who Is She?" What a great idea and a fantastic way to get to know your fellow members.

Now is the time to renew your memberships. Join us for another year of socializing with friends in a fun and positive atmosphere and continuing to improve and make our yacht club even more incredible. It is only \$50.00 per year. Get your checks in soon.

I will leave you with a quote from a woman named Eppie Lederer (she is also known as Ann Landers), "Be kind. It's the greatest gift you can give and it costs you nothing." – 1988.





Impress your friends with all that previously considered useless information that's been floating around in your head!

Always Popular and Fun

TRIVIA

WITH THE
COMMODORE

MONDAYS @ 6PM
IN THE DINING ROOM



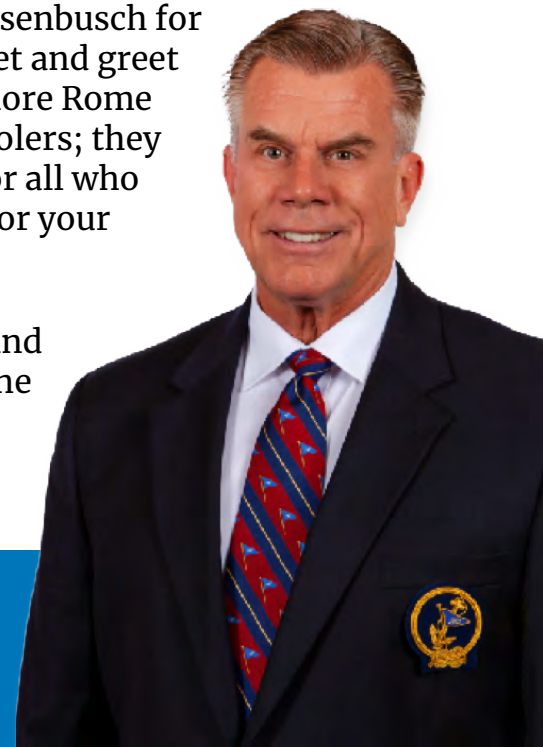
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This year's December joint holiday event with Focus was a great success. The feedback from the Focus Creating Magic attendees was very positive. On December 9th, we tried our first Holiday Festival of Boats as a substitute for the boat parade since interest seemed to be waning for the winter parade. We opened A Dock for a festive stroll, allowing people from the Focus event to stroll through the decorated boats on A Dock. We didn't worry about security as we had Gene Rowell and his boat front and center!

Thanks to all the members who made themselves available on the dock during the event. Thank you to Dave Knapp, Mike Palumbo, and Jerry Rosenbusch for making themselves available to meet and greet the partygoers. Led by our Commodore Rome Ventura were our CCYC Holiday Carolers; they provided festive music and songs for all who participated. Thank you, Carolers, for your support.

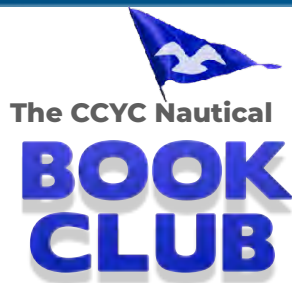
The Focus fundraiser was sold out and raised a significant amount for all the great programs Focus provides for the children of San Diego.



Scuttlebutt

"Ring out the false, ring in the true!"

Fleet Captain Glenn Cross



CCYC Nautical Book Club

The Nautical Book Club meets on the third Sunday of the month. Come join us in the Lipton Cup Room or on ZOOM!

— *Brian Smith*

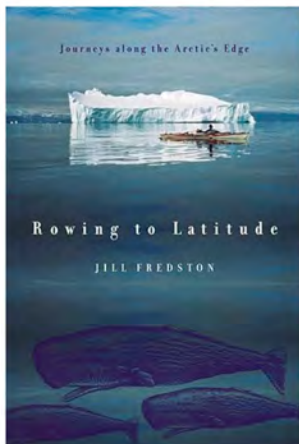
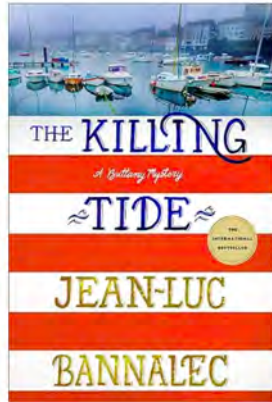
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NEXT MEETING: JANUARY 21st 12pm

JANUARY 2024 BOOK CLUB SELECTION

The Killing Tide - Jean-Luc Bannalec

Deep sea fishers, dolphin researchers, smugglers, and an island shrouded in myth in the middle of the rough Atlantic ocean: Commissaire Dupin had sworn he would never again investigate on the ocean, but this case takes him offshore, off the west coast of Brittany on a beautifully sunny day in June. He lands on the unique île de Sein, populated by more rabbits than people, where the hairdresser arrives by boat and which was formerly inhabited by powerful witches and even the devil himself. In front of this impressive backdrop—between the islands of Molène, Ouessant, and the bay of Douarnenez.



FEBRUARY 2024 BOOK CLUB SELECTION

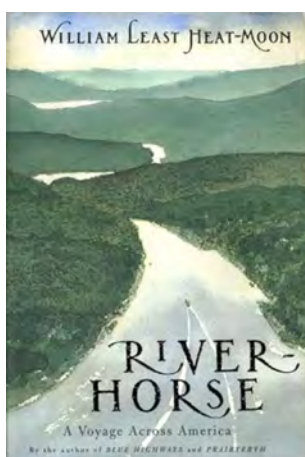
Rowing to Latitude - Jill Freestone

In this look at rowing some of the world's most isolated and pristine coasts, Freestone focuses as much on her personal experience and her relationship with her husband, Doug Fesler, as she does on their actual journeys. The two avalanche experts, researchers and rescue trainers canoe the Arctic and sub-Arctic coastlines of Alaska, Canada, Greenland, Norway and Sweden for three months out of each year.

MARCH 2024 BOOK CLUB SELECTION (Date TBD)

River Horse: A Voyage Across America - William Least Heat-Moon

The acclaimed author of *Blue Highways* and *PrairieEarth* chronicles his journey across America's waterways in his dory *Nikawa* (River Horse), encountering strange people, hostile cities, and hair-raising dangers.



Welcome to the latest edition of the January Navigator! As we set sail into January, there are exciting updates, upcoming events, and important announcements, all of which you will find on these pages. Also, check out our website regularly, ccyc.org, for the latest and greatest info and an electronic version of the Navigator. If you have any questions or need clarification on any of the articles or information, please don't hesitate to email me or any of the board members!

Speaking of questions, several members have asked me questions about the Navigator and general club stuff. So, each month, I will have a question-and-answer session called, are you ready?

Inquiring Minds Dock Here Where Answers Await Members!

Kinda catchy, don't you think!! Here's our January question, which I have been asked many times over the past month.

"We love the articles in the Navigator, but it's the pictures we are waiting for! Where can I send my pictures?"

Great question, as we can really use pictures of all events. It's easy: send your pictures to my email address commsdirector@ccyc.org. We love highlighting our events and members, so get a good shot of the fun and send away. We will do our best to get as many pictures in the Navigator as the layout allows us. Thanks for the great question and looking forward to getting all those great pictures! Email your questions to me, and I'll see what I can find out for you!

As We Dock This Edition, Keep the Channels Open!



Hot off the Press

"As We Dock This Edition, Keep the Channels Open!"

Communications Director Jill McCormack

CCYC.ORG LOGIN GUIDE

The new Coronado Cays Yacht Club website is now available for your use at www.ccy.org. We are excited about providing you with the most current online communication for club members.

Now you will be able to:

- View your statement online
- View and make reservations for upcoming events at the club
- Stay current on the announcements and information pertinent to your club membership
- View pictures of past events
- Communicate with the club staff and more
- Read current and past Navigators

When you first arrive at the site, you'll see the "public" face of www.ccy.org. This information is available to all visitors, and members. Please feel free to browse through the public side before logging in with your username and password. In the upper right corner of the Public home page you, you'll see a place for club members to log in to the "private" member site.

Logging in is simple - just click on this link: www.ccy.org

Your initial username is your **member number**

Your initial password is : **ccyc**

Upon your initial log in, you will be asked to change your user name and password. Please protect your login information as you would any other secure online information. You can click 'remember me' for ease of use on your next login.

Once logged in, you'll see a bulletin board of upcoming special events, as well as news articles of interest and a club calendar preview. Use the "Quick Links" to quickly access your statement, profile and member directory, and "Club Calendar" for our club calendar of events.

While on Coronado Cays Yacht Club's new website for the first time, visit the "My Profile" page under the "My Club" tab, and update your personal information as well as select the items you would like viewable in the directory listing and on your profile page.

We look forward to providing you with this new communication tool and functionality, to give you an instant connection to what's happening at the Club.

Please let us know if you have any questions or suggestions for content.

Poker News

In addition to the regular hold 'em' games each Monday, the CCYC poker bluffers have tournaments on the 3rd. Monday of each month. Points for participating and placing in the top ten each month are awarded, with the ten players with the most points seated at the final table in December to determine the club champion.

On December 18th, the top ten-point holders took to the tables to determine the 2023 club champion. Players were slowly eliminated after losing all their chips, and 4 remained. John Pippenger was next to go, finishing 4th, then Jim Shirey was eliminated with a 3rd place finish. This left two-time champ Ken Mischel (Yogi) against three-time winner Jonathan Gold (Dr. Evil) in a heads-up match. After much back and forth, the Doc prevailed with a pair of jacks over Yogi's ace high for his unprecedented 4th club championship. Enjoy the picture of Doc displaying his poker regalia while Don Smith holds his nose!

Regular games at 6pm every Monday. New players are always welcome. For poker fun, please contact Ken Mischel mischelco@msn.com 619 988 1733 or Buzz Hattersley at buzzhat@san.rr.com.



The Slow Burn SOCIETY

Join us on the lawn and enjoy the Beer Can races while sipping and smoking @ CCYC Wednesday Cigar Night!

BYO Cigars.

Come for dinner, stay for cigars.



BRIDGE

Tuesdays 9:30AM
Lipton Cup Room





Football Game Day Deal

Hot Dogs \$2.95

Please pay
at the bar



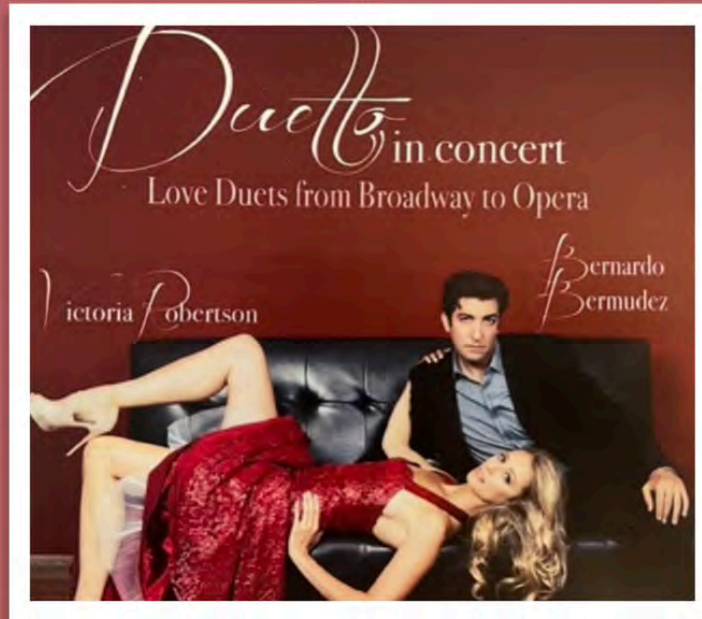
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C-GULLS FEBRUARY LUNCHEON:

Love is in the Air

WEDNESDAY
FEBRUARY 7th



RSVP BY
JANUARY 29

*Featuring "The Duets" Performing
Love Duets from Broadway to Opera*

11 AM MINGLE & SHOP
11:45 C-GULLS MEETING

MENU:

- TAPENEDE, CAPRESE SKEWERS
- CHICKEN OR EGGPLANT PARMESAN SERVED WITH PASTA & SEASONAL VEGETABLES
- LIMONCELLO
- G/F also available

TO RSVP PLEASE LEAVE YOUR CHECK AND CHOICE OF ENTREE IN THE C-GULLS BOX BY JANUARY 29TH.

Optional: Dress Up Like You are "Going to the Opera"

\$30 PERSON



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Fashion for the New Year From Regalia

Happy New Year Everyone!

For those nights on the town and an evening celebration, dear ladies, we have a clutch of wonderful Mary Frances bags: a martini with olives; a Queen Bee; silver and gold bees; a smiling Frog Prince; a dark- and a light-colored undersea world. These bags can be worn cross-body with gold or silver metallic chains.

To wear on those cold January evenings out to the Opera, our black faux fur FDJ jackets will keep you warm and in fashion. For more casual evenings, we have two-piece outfits from Astrologie in soft grey and charcoal grey with black faux fur-lined hoodies.

Tommy Bahama is stylish all year for both women and men. For men, we have full, half, and quarter zip tops in many colors: coconut, grey-blue, and mango. A matching Tommy t-shirt underneath is just the ticket if it gets really cold.

For women, we have a white full zip top with three shiny silver palm trees on the back—and another small one on the front. There are also lots of warm Tommy sweaters for both special occasions and every day. We have green, white, and red sweaters with subtle threads of glitter and chenille sweaters with hoods in melon, cream, pale blue, and light apple.

Our Regalia boutique is open for business every Wednesday and Friday from 5-7 p.m. The sales staff consists of the Regalia Team and 40 C-Gull members who volunteer to help sell our merchandise. To those C-Gulls who are reading this, if you are not part of the sales team, we encourage you to join. Selling Regalia is a great way to get to know the membership and helps raise money for all kinds of CCYC special projects, most recently, new carpeting.

We have training material and seasoned volunteers to help familiarize you with our selling procedures. It's a fun and functional way to spend time at the club, not terribly time-consuming, and volunteers earn a 20% Regalia discount card each time they sell. If you want to join our volunteer sales team, please get in touch with our volunteer coordinator, Carol Warren (619-861-8237 or cabw@ku.edu).

Best wishes for a wonderful year!! We look forward to seeing you at Regalia.

— **The Regalia Team**





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Ernie Barnes DJ



Friday
January 5th
6:30 pm

Friday January, 12th

The Geoff Corey 5 DJ

Starts at 6:30 pm

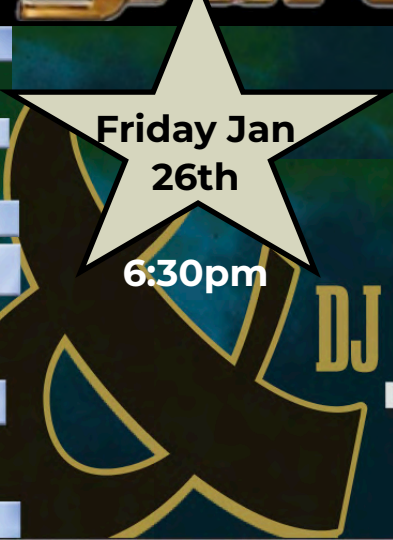


Friday
January
19th
6:30pm

Night Shift



KARAOKE DANCE



Friday Jan
26th
6:30pm

FEATURING
DJ PATRICK HILL
LET THE BURGEE
LOUNGE ROCK

Bocce: Balls of Destiny!

By Frank Youngman

With no snow in the forecast, 36 unconvinced bocce aficionados nonetheless bundled up in the dreaded winter apparel known as the ugly Christmas sweater and entered the enchanted forest known as the CCYC Bocce sports park for a seasonal frolic in the sun.

Alarming Cays residents with voracious hearty Ho-Ho-Hos were the teams of Gene Rowell and Marty, Connie Peacock and Mo Orey, Jason, and Angela Langham, Steve and Bridget Hurst, Mel and Jennifer Blair, Anna Paul and Kathi Kirigin, Jack and Sharon Kent, Jim and Kristin Caltrider, Mary Lawler and Trish Graisy, Steve and Becki Lock, Kevin and Lisa Brenden, Mike and Dianna Durgin, Ken Mischel and Carolyn Carswell, Frank and Mary Youngman, R.G. Head and Charlie Martoglio, Tom Bettis and Van Peterson, Mike and Diana Jones, and Roger and Suzi Lynberg.

After scaring dogs and small children with their attire, the early players presented onlookers with a grab bag of Christmas gifts in some riveting 9-8 games, balanced with some vicious 9-2 and 9-3 blowouts which seemed to violate the Christmas spirit, but such is the nature of major league bocce. (MLB)

As the contests continued, the eggnog rose to the top, as the teams of Van and Tom, R.G. and Charlie, Frank and Mary (a Christmas miracle), and Roger and Suzi Lynberg populated the semi-finals. Roger was co-designer/builder of the bocce courts with Mel Blair, and with Suzi was making a first appearance after a 10-year tour on the Florida circuit.



Frank and Mary were then handed a lump of coal in a 9-4 beatdown by Van and Tom, who smelled victory (or maybe an old sweater) and moved into the championship arena.

In the alternate bracket, Roger and Suzi ate R.G. and Charlie's Christmas cookies on a sleigh ride that vaulted them into the final facing Van and Tom.

Previous champions Van and Tom then perfected their candy cane hook shot to take a hotly contested victory over the Lynberg duo, putting a bow on the win with a Christmas kiss—a 2-point smoochie (ball touching the pallino) with an 11-7 final score.

As evening fell—there is no buzzer in bocce ball, so the games were lengthened by stops for numerous applications of Christmas cheer. Van and Tom were then presented with major

awards, including a pair of ugly imitation gold medals, expired \$25 club cards, a photo of Rudolph the red-nosed bocce ball, and offers of starring roles in an upcoming Hallmark movie. There are no returns allowed on prizes.

The next scheduled bocce extravaganza will be the March St. Patrick's Day tourney. It's sure to be an epic battle, as Kermit the frog says, "It's not easy being green."

"Christmas sweaters are only acceptable as a cry for help."

.....Andy Borowitz



Bocce
December 2023



Holiday Dock Stroll



Holiday Party
December 2023





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JANUARY 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Club Closed	2 Yoga 9 am Bridge 9:30	3 Regalia Sales 5pm - 7pm Dining WALK-IN WEDNESDAYS 5pm - 8:30pm Cigar Night 5:30pm	4 CATERED EVENT Yoga 9 am	5 Sail Fleet Meeting 6pm Regalia Sales 5pm - 7pm Dining 5-8:30pm Music: DJ Eric Barnes	6 Tacos & Games 11am - 2pm Sail Race
7 Brunch 10am-2pm	8 Dining 5pm - 8:30pm TRIVIA w/ the Commodore 6pm Poker 6pm	9 Yoga 9 am Bridge 9:30 Membership Lease Discussion 6 pm	10 Regalia Sales 5pm - 7pm Dining WALK-IN WEDNESDAYS 5pm - 8:30pm Cigar Night 5:30pm	11 Yoga 9 am Movie Night CAPTAIN RON 5pm	12 Regalia Sales 5pm - 7pm Dining 5-8:30pm Music: Geoff Corey 5	13 Tacos & Games 11am - 2pm
14 Brunch 10am-2pm	15 Dining 5pm - 8:30pm TRIVIA w/ the Commodore 6pm Poker 6pm	16 Yoga 9 am Bridge 9:30 CCYC BOD Meeting 5:30pm	17 Regalia Sales 5pm - 7pm Dining WALK-IN WEDNESDAYS 5pm - 8:30pm Cigar Night 5:30pm	18 Yoga 9 am CATERED EVENT	19 Regalia Sales 5pm - 7pm Dining 5-8:30pm Music: Night Shift	20 Tacos & Games 11am - 2pm
21 Brunch 10am - 2pm CCYC Nautical Book Club 12pm	22 Dining 5pm - 8:30pm TRIVIA w/ the Commodore 6pm Poker 6pm	23 Yoga 9 am Bridge 9:30	24 Regalia Sales 5pm - 7pm Dining WALK-IN WEDNESDAYS 5pm - 8:30pm Cigar Night 5:30pm Adventure Series 6 pm	25 Yoga 9 am	26 Regalia Sales 5pm - 7pm Dining PRIME RIB NIGHT 4:30-8:30pm Music: Karaoke	27 Tacos & Games 11am - 2pm Solstice Sail Race
28 Brunch 10am - 2pm	29 Dining 5pm - 8:30pm TRIVIA w/ the Commodore 6pm Poker 6pm	30 Yoga 9 am Bridge 9:30	31 Regalia Sales 5pm - 7pm Dining WALK-IN WEDNESDAYS 5pm - 8:30pm Cigar Night 5:30pm			

FEBRUARY 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	Friday	SATURDAY
				1 Yoga 9 am	2 Regalia Sales 5pm - 7pm Dining 5-8:30pm Music: TBC	3 Tacos & Games 11am - 2pm Speed Friending 6 pm
4 Brunch 10am-2pm	5 Dining 5pm - 8:30pm TRIVIA w/ the Commodore 6pm Poker 6pm	6 Yoga 9 am Bridge 9:30	7 C-Gulls Meeting 11:45 pm Regalia Sales 5pm - 7pm Dining WALK-IN WEDNESDAYS 5pm - 8:30pm Cigar Night 5:30pm	8 Yoga 9 am	9 Regalia Sales 5pm - 7pm Dining 5-8:30pm Music: TBC	10 Tacos & Games 11am - 2pm Winter Classic Series
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