

# PETALUMA YACHT CLUB

## Chicken Scratch

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## Change of Watch

by Commodore Leland Fishman

The 2019 PYC Change of Watch Celebration was held on November 2nd at the beautiful Petaluma Hotel Ballroom. Anne and I were pleased to greet over 60 members and guests that evening, for what turned out to be a truly grand affair. Guests were welcomed at the door with champagne, wine or beer and there were plenty of hors d' oeuvres to hold appetites at bay until dinner. Daniel from Boulevard Cafe acted as our bartender, and the Manhattans and Margaritas were flowing.

It was great to see everyone dress up for the evening. Tom Corbett and Mackenzie Smith, just to name two, were decked out in their tuxedos and all of the women in attendance wore their finest. Anne had the room and the tables decorated in PYC colors with a nautical theme, and I think the hours she put into planning everything was there for all to see. PYC favorite Mike Taraban was there with his guitar to entertain the crowd before dinner, and afterwards many could be found dancing to his easy listening style. Dinner for the evening was served family style by Daniel, his family and crew from The Boulevard Café. With steaming plates of Prime Rib and Salmon, I hope no one went home hungry.

It was my honor to open the meeting in place of then Commodore Todd

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Mendoza who was attending a celebration of life for his father. Our condolences went out to Todd, but we were pleased to greet his wife Connie Tudor. We introduced guests, conducted a short business meeting and then Mackenzie and Francesca Smith inducted me as your Commodore for 2019/2020. It was then my turn to induct Bruce Stender as your new VC and Leanne Gallup as RC. The Board was introduced, accepted their roles and with a quick motion by Mackenzie Smith and a second by Garrett Hill, your change of watch was complete.

I would be very remiss if I didn't once again give a heartfelt thank you to Anne for helping plan the event. She began working on decorations a few months ago and wouldn't stop planning until she had it just the way she

wanted. I know the event would not have been the same without her drive and creativity. A special thank you also to Francesca Smith and Jill Olsen who volunteered to help set up the room.

I'm looking forward to a fun filled year as your Commodore. As I indicated at the change of watch, we are a great club and I don't see a need to change much. I would like to see us plan more events that will draw more of our members to the club, and with Anne in charge this year I'm willing to bet we meet that goal.

So, Happy Holidays to all and we'll see you on Friday the 6th for my first general meeting.



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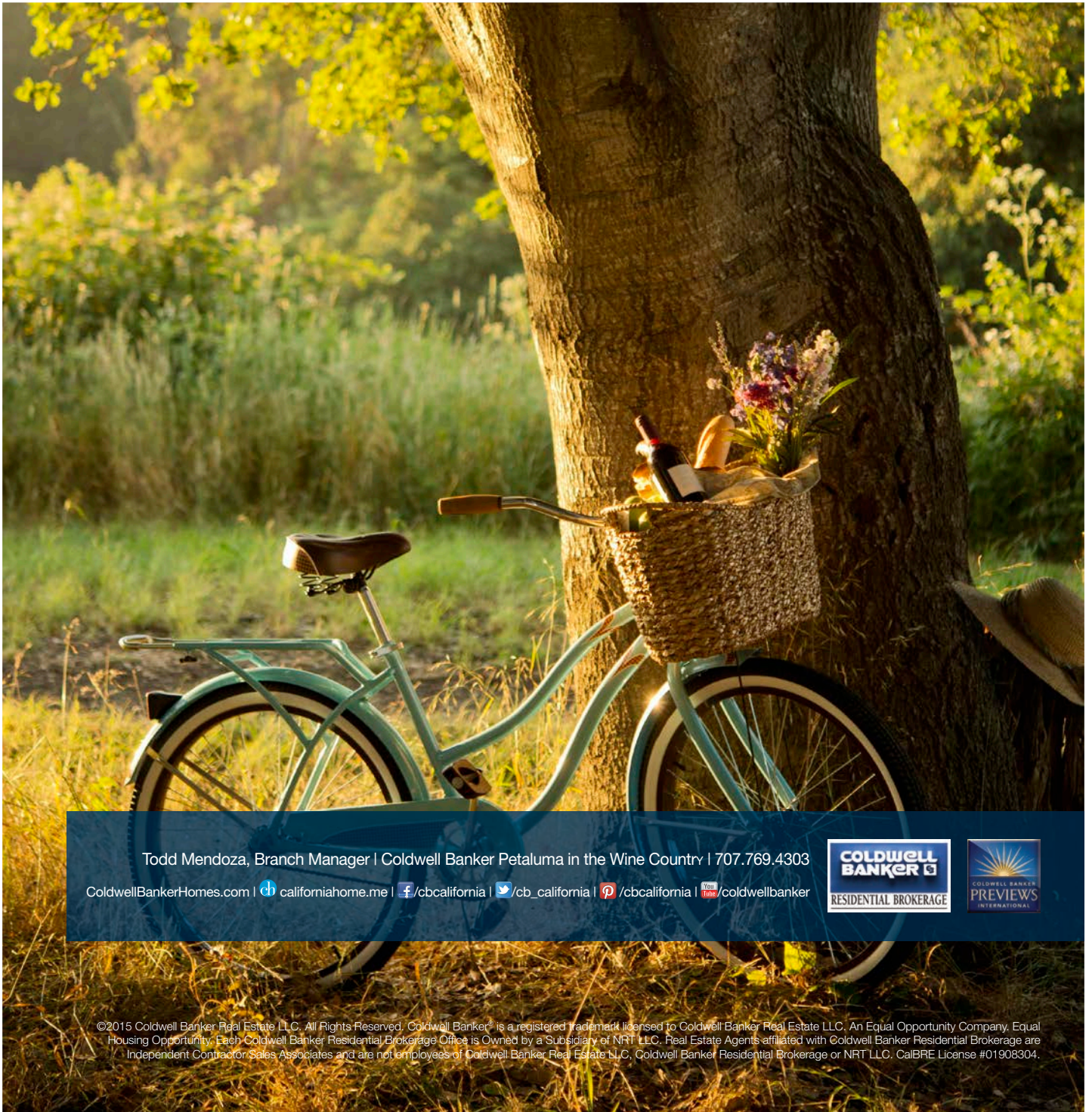






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# Social News & Calendar

by Anne Mirante

## Golf Outing



Last month McKenzie Smith teed off the events for the New Year with a golf outing at the Petaluma Country Club. It was a great event with 11 golfers playing either 18 or 9 holes.

The Golf Club had brand new carts that were a thrill to drive. There were snacks and cocktails following the game.

Another golf outing will be planned in the spring when all the grasses are green.

## Club House Tree Trimming - December 1<sup>st</sup>

Leanne Gallup is organizing a tree-trimming event on Sunday, December 1st from 2-5pm. Holiday music will be in the air and hot apple cider will be on the stove. Feel free to come with a nautical themed ornament to hang on our tree or if you're crafty; you can make one (Jill will lead this craft). Or just come and watch the elves scurry around the club. Either way, we would love to kick-off the holiday with you all.

As you can see, events take involvement from members of the club. I am looking for helpers for the following events for the year so please reach out to me at [annemirante@yahoo.com](mailto:annemirante@yahoo.com) or 510-541-1624.

## General Meeting - December 6<sup>th</sup>

It's that time of year... Our December General Meeting dinner on Friday December 6th will be a "Holiday Comfort Food Potluck." Here's a great opportunity to kick off the season with your PYC friends by preparing a personal favorite from your holiday traditions to share. Let's make it a special PYC holiday memory! RSVP to Francesca Smith - [francesca@mckenzie-smith.com](mailto:francesca@mckenzie-smith.com) and include what dish you will bring.

## Ladies Luncheon - December 8<sup>th</sup>

The annual PYC ladies luncheon will be hosted this year by Sherri Adams & Nance Keller. The event will be held at *Casa Adams* 1525 Tamar Dr, Petaluma on Sunday December 8th from 11 am - 4pm. Please bring a white elephant gift and a dish to share.

RSVP to Sherri ([asherri1525@gmail.com](mailto:asherri1525@gmail.com)) with your dish of choice by Dec 1<sup>st</sup>.

## New Years Day Brunch - January 1<sup>st</sup>

We are planning a New Year's Day brunch again this year. It will be from 10-1. In order to make this happen I need people to volunteer to help with the following food:

- ✚ Put together a toast bar
- ✚ Prep a fruit salad
- ✚ Fry up the bacon or sausage
- ✚ Pull together a coffee bar or
- ✚ Prepare frittatas.

It's always yummier homemade and less expensive, so please volunteer.

## Game Night at the Club

I am interested in starting a game night series on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month starting in January. Play games and enjoy light food (*think tacos or soup and bread, etc.*) and homemade cookies. I need Game Captains to make this happen, someone that will lead the group in playing the game. Ideas that have been passed on to me are Texas Hold' em, Cribbage, Hearts, 5 Crowns, Trivia, Bingo, Bunco, Scavenger Hunt, Spinners, Dominos, Backgammon, Bridge, etc.. So if you love games reach out to me and help make this happen - you pick the game! I will manage the food.



## Save the Dates

### Super Bowl Party Sunday February 2<sup>nd</sup>

David Quest will be organizing a potluck SUPER BOWL party at the club.

### Sinatra Night Saturday February 29<sup>th</sup>

Dinner and Dancing - Prime Rib dinner served with all the trimmings and Frank's favorite cheesecake from JM Rosen's. Miles McKenzie performing the old crooners songs. This event was extremely popular 2 years ago.



*Good Friends, Good Cheer  
It's that time of year!*



# Annual PYC Ladies Luncheon

*Hosted by Sherri Adams & Nance Keller*

**SUNDAY DECEMBER 8TH**

**11 AM - 4PM**

PLEASE BRING A WHITE ELEPHANT GIFT AND A DISH TO SHARE

RSVP to Sherri with your dish of choice by Dec 1st

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## Coop News

*by the Coop Chicks*

The Coop Chicks have been busy little Elf's decorating the display case for the holidays! We have lots of new blingy jewelry for you ladies. Men - This is a perfect opportunity to pick up some Christmas presents! Hint! Hint! We also have new black and blue beanies to keep your heads toasty during the chilly months ahead! They are only \$20 and already hot sellers and going quickly.

When we sell out, please jot your name down on an order form on the counter and we will order more and let you know when they come in. You can also e-mail me if you would like to order a beanie. [jill@sonomacostspirits.com](mailto:jill@sonomacostspirits.com) We

also have super cute Christmas ornament earrings for only \$5. Grab some now before they are gone! They make a great hostess gift!! Please support your Coop as the profits will be used to purchase things to enhance the clubhouse. A bartender will be happy to open up the Coop for you if a Coop Chick is not available. The key is in the cash register. Happy Shopping!!!



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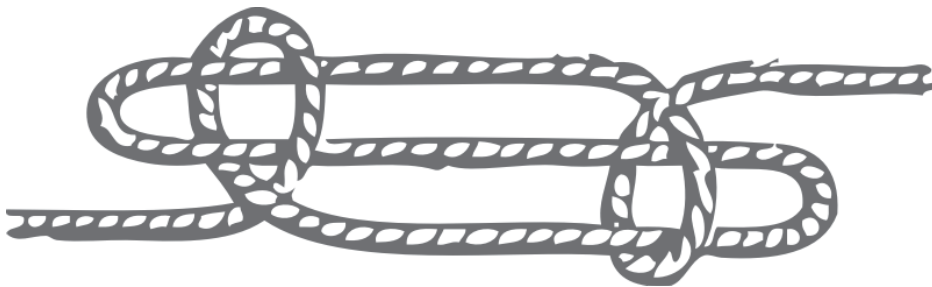
# PICYA Delegate's Corner

by Jill Olson



Did you know that the St. Francis Yacht Club has on-going Yachting Luncheons every Wednesday? They continue a 53 year tradition of relevant topics, friendly fun, and good food in a relaxed, informal setting.

The buffet lunch service begins at 11:45 am, and the program begins at 12:30 sharp. Presentations and Q&A usually wrap up at 1:30 pm and guest speakers often linger afterwards for conversation with the audience. All members of recognized yacht clubs are welcome at the Wednesday Yachting Luncheon. First-time guests are asked to please visit the front desk for a guest card. Please enjoy their luncheon fare, fabulous view and sailor's hospitality. \$15



## Galley News

by S/C Francesca Smith

*"Now hear this" ... from your 2020 Galley Mate...*

I just finished an initial purge of leftovers in the galley fridge and cabinets - whew! We now have new bar towels, oven mitts and pot holders. And some extra space in the cabinets... And almost everything in the fridge was way past (*read: years*) expiration.

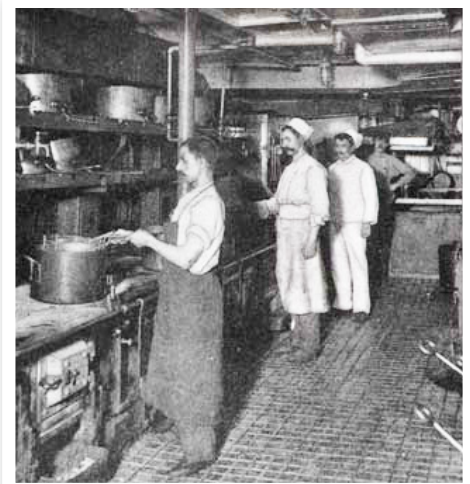
So here's a little galley contest: a cocktail of your choice at the December General Meeting to the member who can guess closest to the expiration month and year of the oldest item in the galley that was tossed... Hint: it was an open jar of pickles!! Email me at [fvspetaluma@gmail.com](mailto:fvspetaluma@gmail.com) with your guess by December 4th.

New galley orders: leave no leftovers in the fridge! Not from your event, not from your general meeting dinner, not from your cocktail party... nada... nunca... Remember - you still have four options - take it home, give it away, auction it off, or toss it.. When in doubt - just remember that jar of pickles?? *yuck...*

When I walk in the galley, I'm always reminded of Nancy Keller's fabulous sign that hung in the galley for many, many years... *"This is a self-cleaning galley... clean up after yourself!"*

Be sure to let your Galley Mate know if you spot a supply item that's running low.

Feel free to email me with any suggestions for the galley. Cheers!







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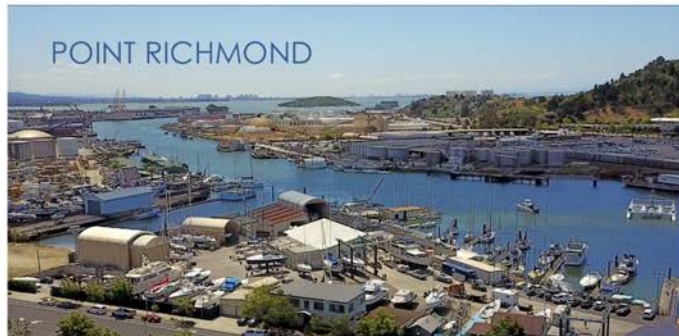


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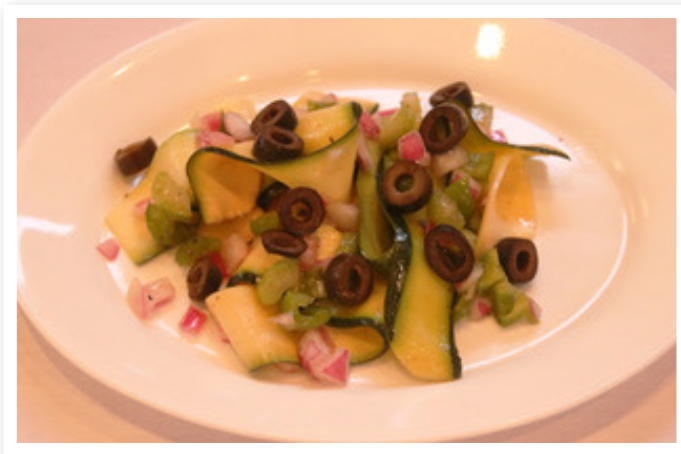
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# From Tom's Galley *Sweet and Sour Zucchini*



This is a very refreshing dish with amazing flavors and can be made a day ahead.

This is a very easy recipe to put together and the results will have your guests in amazement with the flavors. This can be served as an appetizer, a side dish or in place of a salad at dinner. Try this and let me know what you think.

## *Ingredients:*

- ⚓ 1/2 red onion, diced
- ⚓ 1/4 cup green bell pepper, diced
- ⚓ 1/4 cup celery, diced
- ⚓ 2 medium zucchini's
- ⚓ 1/4 cup red wine vinegar
- ⚓ 1/4 cup Raspberry vinegar
- ⚓ 1/2 cup sugar
- ⚓ 1/2 teaspoon salt
- ⚓ 1/2 teaspoon pepper
- ⚓ 1/4 cup Canola oil

Sliced black olives as garnish

Finely chop red onion, set aside.

Finely chop bell pepper, add to chopped onion.

Chop celery and add to onions.

With a vegetable peeler, peel zucchini into paper thin slices until seeds start to show.

Rotate zucchini and peel again. Repeat, rotating zucchini until you have 2 ½ cups or more.

In a bowl combine vinegars, sugar, Canola oil, salt, and pepper. Whisk to blend.

Add onion bell pepper mixture and mix to coat.

Add zucchini slices and mix well.

Cover and refrigerate 6 hours to overnight.

To serve, drain vegetables, plate and garnish with sliced black olives.

*Serves 6*

*These recipes have been created and developed by PYC staff commodore and chef Tom Griffith and are designed to be prepared on board your boat, using only two burners or a BBQ. They also can be prepared at home for any family dinner.*

*Bon Appétit!*

  
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# Tally Ho Heads South

by Cap'n Rich Brazil



Left Morro Bay 10 am. Dolphins! Rounded Pt Conception 9 am. Flat calm.

The send off dinner with our friends at Hotel Mac in Point Richmond was a calming welcome respite to the hurried pace we had set to finally get *Tally Ho* ready to head to Sunny Mexico. All systems were go for our 8:00 am departure from Marina Bay Yacht Harbor. Our good friend Kris happily joining us for the first leg to Half Moon Bay and the second leg to Santa Cruz.

Heading under the Golden Gate Bridge brought giant grins to our faces as we knew *Tally Ho* was more than ready to head to sea. A calm windless day had us lazily motor sailing the 7 hours it took to arrive and anchor out in HMB as we watched our first of many brilliant, ever changing sunsets. The next morning we quietly hauled anchor before sunrise and sailed on to Santa Cruz. 35 knot winds and very choppy and confused 8' seas easily pushed us down the coast and upon arrival to the channel we were greeted by a Humpback whale less than 20' from the boat!

The next day Kris was met by his wife who whisked him away by car, leaving Laura and I alone to sail the short 5 hours to Monterey. We spent 3 wonderful lazy days eating, playing tourist, soaking up the sun, catching up on sleep and mentally preparing for what lie ahead.

The next day was a 6 hour very rough and tumble motor sail to the beautiful and secluded anchorage in still water Cove adjacent to the famous Pebble Beach Golf Course. We celebrated our successful anchoring with a couple of cold Pacifico's.

We upped anchor at 5 am for a long and grueling 12 1/2 hour motor sail to San Simeon. The 10-12 foot seas were very confused causing us to hand steer most of the way. We finally anchored near (to near) the beach in San Simeon under Hearst Castle and quickly fell asleep. We had a very restless night listening to the breaking waves behind us as the wind had changed which put us on a lee shore.

Morro Bay was our next stop, and a magical downwind, not too rough sail ensued. It ended with our first attempt at catching a mooring. Success! Laura did great! We spent the next 3 days basking in the rare

85 degree weather. We visited the yacht club 3 times and made plenty of new friends.

We timed our next leg to pass the famous and dangerous Point Conception at night when it's hopefully at its calmest. We tossed the dock lines at 9:30pm and headed out. Sailing at night is very different but absolutely beautiful and amazing. We were escorted by a dozen or so dolphins swimming with us for 5 glorious hours, their bioluminescent trails and splashes lighting the way.



*Tally Ho* under sail

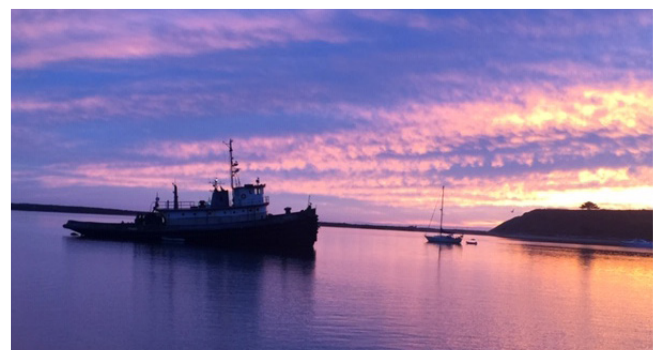
What a treat. Just after sunrise we were able to pass less than a quarter of a mile from Point Conception due to the flat calm seas. At 9:00 am we happily anchored in the seldom visited Cojo anchorage just around the corner, and quickly fell asleep. Later that day I kayaked to shore and promptly got dumped by the only sneaker wave I didn't see.

The weather finally took a turn for the better as we motor sailed to Ventura. 4-5 foot seas, a broken tooth for me and a badly bruised elbow for Laura highlighted our day. We were told to tie up to the guest dock which happened to be down a fairway that was too narrow and then a left turn into an almost impossible docking situation. Oh, and the shallow water alarm was screaming the entire time due to less than 2 feet of water under *Tally Ho*. What a nightmare! The yacht club said "*no problem! Easy peasy!*" I guess they didn't understand English when Laura let them know our details and requirements. There was no way to turn *Tally Ho* around using the engine so we called the Harbor Patrol who helped us spin the girl around by hand. This came in very handy later....

We met our friend Dina at the Ventura Yacht club that evening as she was joining us for the next 2 legs. Good thing! The next day after a pleasant early morning departure and morning motor sail we encountered the Santa Ana winds for 2 long hours. Sustained 35 knot winds with gusts topping 40. The waves were breaking over the bow and hitting the pilot house windows with such force that water was entering around the seals. Laura and Dina manned the towel and bucket brigade in between lots of choice words for the Gods of the sea and wind. *Tally Ho* did fine. The crew...*not so well*. The afternoon turned to pleasant sailing as we made our way to the wonderful Redondo Beach Yacht Club. Lots of nice folks interested in hearing our fresh, harrowing, nail biting story from the day. Showers for everyone, a fine dinner to be ready for our early start the next morning to Dana Point. Excellent sailing all the way to this 1000 boat marina. All the sails flying and *Tally Ho* stretching her wings. Checked the weather for the following day only to see small craft advisories with wind up to 25 knots until noon. Shouldn't be a problem for such a stout boat. *Oops....* I forgot about the crew. The morning started out fine. At 10:00 am

the unannounced, not in the forecast Santa Ana's reared their ugly tails and roared across our path. Waves were smashing across *Tally Ho* and being deposited into the sails which were 10-12' above the waterline. Not again! 38 knot steady winds bashed us for 2 hours as we clawed our way closer and closer to shore to seek shelter. We were in only 30' of water and 100 yards from shore when we were finally able to change back to our planned course. Laura learned some new swear words, Dina became a nun and I learned that *Tally Ho* is one hell of a strong boat. The rest of the day was a piece of cake until we tried to enter the San Diego channel. A freak south wind piped up 45 minutes prior to our entering the channel which created 5' waves on the nose. Our speed went from 6 to 3 knots in an instant. Throw in a giant kelp forest, a Coast Guard cutter, fishing boats and *oh yeah*, a war ship and we now had a Caddy Shack moment to deal with. Finally making the turn, and now heading down swell I hear Laura say, "*there's a boat coming up behind to port.*" As soon as I looked to port a 45' Navy escort patrol boat went flying by us at 30 knots! With two beeps of his horn the captain gives me a "*whats up dude*" wave. I reply in kind. At the same moment another one comes flying by to starboard! I can't control my emotions any longer and let go a "*HELL YEAH!*" Helicopters are flying overhead, the patrol boat wakes are slamming us around the channel, goosebumps are coursing up and down my back and I'm in a "*I'm damn proud to be an American*" moment. Wow, welcome to San Diego! Special thanks to Francesca and Mac's son Chip, who manages Koehler Craft Marine and was nice enough to secure a slip for us for the upcoming 4 days as we await the arrival of our 4 Petaluma friends who are doing the Baja Ha-Ha with us.

*To be continued in the next issue.....*





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# Flag Officer Reports

## LELAND FISHMAN - *Commodore*



Ahoy Fellow PYCers,  
It is my esteemed honor to serve you as this year's Commodore. I'm so very fortunate to be leading a club with so many capable members who are willing to step up and help whenever the need arises. I truly

expect this year to fly by with a minimum of angst and upset. We are a great club with a lot to look forward to and with a lot to enjoy.

I want to invite all of you to attend our monthly board of directors meetings if you are interested to see how the inner workings of the club come together. We

meet every third Thursday of the month at 6:00 pm. That's a change from the previous 7:00 pm start time. In January we will meet on Wednesday January 15th as I will be gone on the 16th. Bruce Stender, your Vice Commodore, will lead the meetings in April and September.

I encourage everyone to come down on Friday and Saturday evenings when the club is open. Bring your families, a little something for the BBQ and maybe a game or a deck of cards. Think of the club as an extension of your home where you and your guests should always feel welcome. If this is ever NOT the case, please let me know. This is YOUR club and you should want to use it.

That's it for now. Don't forget the tree trimming party on Sunday December 1st at 2:00 and we'll see you at the next general meeting on Friday 12/6.....

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## Sunshine and Birthdays



We are sorry to hear that recently installed members Isabelle Truchon and Sebastien Marquet are relocating to Oregon. We wish them well in their new endeavors.

Stephen and Fiona Hamilton have just returned from a three week vacation in Mexico including a week in San Miguel de Allende. Fiona says the next

trip there might be on a one way ticket, though Stephen says there isn't a yacht club in San Miguel!



### DECEMBER

1st Patty Paula	4th Salvatore (Sal) Taormina
2nd Susan Muscatell	
3rd Thom Knudson	20th Bente Niles
3rd Connie Madrid	23rd Drea Pierotti
	24th Lynn Anderson Day



## BRUCE STENDER - *Vice Commodore*

Ahoy!

Everyone really enjoyed the change of watch dinner at the Petaluma Hotel hosted by Anne and Leland-absolutely fabulous!

As your new Vice Commodore, I will do my best to supply libations to our thirsty members.

To start things off, I will be offering La Crema chardonnay and all Kendal Jackson grand reserve wines for \$5 a glass from Thanksgiving through New Years

day. Also, the December 6, General meeting dinner cocktail specials will be a Dark & Stormy (*Dark rum & Ginger beer*) and a Spiced Mule (*Vodka, Ginger beer & Apple cider*) served in copper mugs. Cheers!

Bar sign ups have been going well. However, I will soon be assigning those that have not signed up. Bar duty is a requirement of PYC membership.

Staff Commodore, Todd Mendoza has been working very hard on updating the verification of entry keys. The process is very tedious and time consuming but will allow accurate entry logs. Thank You Todd!

Let the adventure continue!

## Club House Bar Duty

### December

**Bar Manager:** *Bruce Stender*

**Fri 6th**

*Rich & Laura Brazil*

**Sat 7th**

Club Rental - Bar Closed

**Fri 13th**

Club Rental - Bar Closed

**Sat 14th**

*Kevin & Rosemary Hart*

**Fri 20th & Sat 21st**

*Larry & Denise Calvert*

**Fri 27th & Sat 28th**

*Ted & Sherri Adams*

### January

**Bar Manager:** *Linda Lockwood*

**Fri 3rd & Sat 4th**

*Janny van Aalderen & David Quist*

**Fri 10th & Sat 11th**

*James & Nance Keller*

**Fri 17th & Sat 18th**

*Renato & Connie Madrid*

**Fri 24th & Sat 25th**

*Nancy Walker & Gerry Reinartz*

**Fri 31st**

*Frank & Patty Paula*

### February

**Bar Manager:** *Leanne Gallup*

**Sat 1st**

*Frank Paula and Patty Paula*

**Fri 7th & Sat 8th**

*Tom & Linda Corbett*

**Fri 14th & Sat 15th**

*Roy & Barbara Johnston*

**Fri 21st Sat 22nd**

*Stephen & Fiona Hamilton*

**Fri 28th & Sat 29th**

*Susan Muscatell & Mike Deverell*

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## LEANNE GALLUP - *Rear Commodore*

Fall is here! One of my favorite times of the year. With the falling of leaves, and all the gorgeous colors in our landscape; comes change.

Fall means letting go of what was and embracing the new. It's an exciting time of year and so here I am... your NEW Rear Commodore.

Thank you to those who came to the Change of Watch event. It was a spectacular event! Thank you new Commodore, Leland Fishman, I look forward to serving you all this year and promise to always think about what's best for the club.

Can you believe the holidays are here? This means lots of rentals at PYC are coming in. If you are thinking of a date in the next few months for an event, please let me know asap. I want to make sure you are accommodated appropriately.

If you see any issues with our building, please let me know. I don't promise I will fix it myself but I definitely will make sure it gets done.

Lastly, but not least, our PYC Christmas tree will be going up Sunday, December 1st. Elves are needed to make our club look festive and full of life. We will be having a tree trimming party from 2-5pm on December 1st. This year, we will be having an all nautical tree. We have some nautical ornaments but if you would like to bring a new nautical ornament, feel free. Cookies and hot apple cider will be served. I look forward to seeing you!

## Upcoming Events & Rentals

- ⚓ Thursday Nov 28 - **Rental**
- ⚓ Saturday Nov 30th - **Rental** - *Bar Closed*
- ⚓ Sunday December 1st - **Tree Trimming**
- ⚓ Saturday Dec 7 - **Rental** - *Bar Closed*
- ⚓ Sunday December 8th - **Annual PYC Ladies Luncheon** 11am - 4 pm at 1525 Tamar Dr.
- ⚓ Friday Dec 13 - **Rental** - *Bar Closed*

- ⚓ Wednesday Dec 18 - **Rental**
- ⚓ Sunday Dec 22 - **Rental**
- ⚓ Wednesday January 1st - **New Years Brunch** 10am - 1 pm
- ⚓ January 18, 2020: **PICYA Commodore's Ball and Installation of Officers**, Encinal Yacht Club
- ⚓ Saturday April 26, 2020: **Opening Day** on the Bay

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# General Meeting Minutes

## November 1st 6th, 2019

- 1) Call to order at 8:02 pm
- 2) Guests. Multiple guests including Leanne Gallup's father, Bruce Stender's daughters, and Leland Fishman's two sons and family.
- 3) Treasurers Report. Gail Cardaropoli - No report.
- 4) Secretary's Report. Jay Townley – No report.
- 5) Commodores Report. Leland looks forward to seeing the dredging project move forward he hopes that will be in August 2020. He thanked all committee chairs from 2018 for their service to the club. He also expressed appreciation for all those that are stepping up again next year. Listed as follows:

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- At 8:30pm there was a motion to accept the new slate of board members by McKenzie Smith, and Garrett Hill seconded that motion. Motion carried and a great time was had by all. Leland and Bruce accepted their positions at 8:20 and 8:21 respectively. The board and committees will take up the mantel with all their new authority and keep our club in ship-shape throughout the next year.
- 6) For the good of the club – The special award for Member of the Year was presented to Darby Tarantino for her extra special efforts in Events this year with her wine tasting series. Darby, you are the best!!
  - 7) Because of the festive nature of the evening – no other committee reports were well...reported.
  - 8) Next board meeting will be November 21th at 6pm.
  - 9) Next general meeting will be: December 6th
  - 10) Adjourned sometime at 9pm.

*Respectfully submitted by Secretary Connie Madrid*



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8 <i>Ladies Luncheon At 11:00am</i>	9	10	11	12	13 <i>Rental - Bar Closed Club Closed - Rental</i>	14 <i>Bartenders - Kevin and Rosemary Hart Club Opens At 5:30pm</i>
15	16	17	18	19 <i>Board Meeting At 6:00pm</i>	20 <i>Bartenders - Larry and Denise Calvert Club Opens At 6:00pm</i>	21 <i>Bartenders - Larry and Denise Calvert Club Opens At 5:30pm</i>
22	23	24 <i>Newsletter Submission Deadline</i>	25	26	27 <i>Bartenders - Ted and Sherri Adams Club Opens At 6:00pm</i>	28 <i>Bartenders - Ted and Sherri Adams Club Opens At 5:30pm</i>
29	30	31				

