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New Years Day *Brunch and Bowling*

by Anne Mirante and Gail Swift

The New Year was launched with a festive crowd and fabulous homemade food with a brunch on New Years morning in the club house.

Many thanks to the 50 people that attended. Special thanks to those that helped pull together the delicious menu with fresh Sticky Buns from Gail Swift, Frittata from Jay Townley, Quiches from Francesca Smith, Italian Sausage fried up by Tom Corbett, Bacon fried up by Leland Fishman and German Apple Pancakes prepared by Anne Mirante. Add fresh fruit salad, bagels, cream cheese and lox and we had a feast! Special thanks to Sheila Bride for loaning us her company's hot pots and donating a pound of Petaluma Coffee and to Drea Pierotti and Houston Porter for bar tending and pulling together the coffee bar.

And then on to bowling Gail Swift organized a special event at the Petaluma Bowling Lanes. Gail writes "*Remember What Happens at the Bowling Alley Stays at the Bowling Alley End of Article.....lol!!!*"

Ten of the bravest PYC souls dared to defy the odds of crippling themselves to get that bowling ball down the alley to knock the pins cockeyed!!! Can't tell you how many gutter balls were endured....on my best behavior!!!

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Fun was had by all whether crawling up to the line to release the ball or skipping!! We all had a good time laughing....one exceptional moment was "the last pin standing" when the bowler turned to the crowd totally expecting, as we all had, that the pin would remain standing..... but to everyone's surprise that sucker went down!!!

We only had stamina to bowl one game due to the antics of the night before, New Year's Eve.

For yours truly and Mr. Swift, a nap was what the doc called for...*maybe Stephen will publish Mr. Swift's Gumby socks as the photographer in his midst took a quick shot...payback for his snoring. (Ed. I did!)*

Lots of other PYC members were interested in attending but due to some being out of town or having company, or the flu, they could not join in on the fun. I say let's plan another time to do this again! Stand by for a date in the next few months!!



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PICYA Delegate's Corner

by Jill Olson

Petaluma Yacht Club was well represented at the PICYA 28th Annual Commodore's Ball and Installation of Officers held on January 18, 2020 at the Encinal Yacht Club in Alameda.



Outgoing commodore Bill Gargan presided over the installation of the Officers and Directors for 2020 and inducted Robert Willis, Ebony Boat Club as Commodore. Patti Mangan of the South Beach Y.C became the Vice Commodore and Jim Sweeney of the Corinthian Y.C & Classic Yacht Assoc. was enrolled as Rear Commodore

The PYC representatives certainly took the *Black Tie Suggested* instructions to heart and glammed up for the occasion.



PYC s/c McKenzie Smith, PICYA delegate Forrest Blue with Ox Bow yacht club staff Commodores Stephanie Duhau and John Sims.



l to r: Bryant Moynihan, Jill Olson, McKenzie & Francesca Smith

Membership News

by Co-Chair s/c Tom Corbett

The membership committee (myself, Linda Corbett & Todd Mendoza)'s overarching goal is to recruit new members in a transparent and timely manner. We believe new members bring fresh ideas and new energy to our club and they are the key to our sustainability.

We are now posting a chart on our Club Bulletin Board and on our website to allow you to see the applicants who are waiting to be voted on by our Board of Directors. See page 17.

As you may know, our by-laws require that we maintain a minimum of 67% boat owners to non-boat owning members. Our current ratio sits at 67.07% based on 55 owners to 27 non-owners and a total of 82 memberships meaning we cannot admit any new non-boat owning members at this time. This is a source of frustration to our applicants and their sponsors and emphasizes our

need to recruit new boat owning members. In light of this, we are asking all PYC members to reach out to their circle of friends and colleagues to encourage new "boat-owning" applicants.

Once the boat owning McDills attend their second meeting, the Board can then vote and, should they be approved, the ratio will change to 67.47%. However, since our Bylaws require that we remain at 67% or above we cannot vote any of our wait list applicants in as even one would bring the ratio below the magic 67%.

Good news! We have a new partner member. Jill Olson's application to add her partner, Bryant Moynihan, to our roster has been received by our Board along with her check and Bryant is now a PYC partner member. Welcome Bryant!



Martinez YC Cruise Out

by Co-Cruise Chair s/c Diane Parker

January's weather is normally not the best but we still wanted to offer a cruise for those of us that look forward to taking the boat out. For the first cruise of the year, we wanted to pick a place that was having an event. Martinez was chosen because of them having a Crab Feed.

Two sailing boats made this cruise. Roy and Barbara Johnston on the Lucy and Neal and Diane Parker on the Party Animal.

Martinez, which is true of many marinas, has depth issues and boats should not come in at low tide. On the day we came in, low tide was about 1:30 PM. Therefore, we had an option of coming in early morning with an outgoing tide or coming in mid-afternoon with an incoming tide. Roy and Barbara decided to take off from their home port about 6:30 AM to arrive at Martinez about 1:30. This picture was taken of Roy at the helm at dawn. Looking good Roy. There was some fog which slowed them down and they didn't get to Martinez until a little after 10. Roy was nervous since the water was going out, it may be to low for them to get in. Fortunately, they were able to come in with no problem.

Neal and Diane decided they wanted to come in when there was an incoming tide. Neal originally planned on arriving about 3:30 but got antsy waiting to leave and left earlier than planned. They arrived at Martinez about 3 and got stuck in the mud at the entrance. After about 20 minutes they got off the mud at the entrance and plowed through mud to the guest dock. Roy and

Barbara were waiting for them and helped them tie-up.

Neal and Diane went over to Roy & Barbara's boat where it was nice and warm and inviting. Roy & Barbara have a small dog, *Petey*, so Roy asked us to bring over our two dogs, *Tiki* and *Buddy*. We enjoyed visiting with them and playing with the dogs.

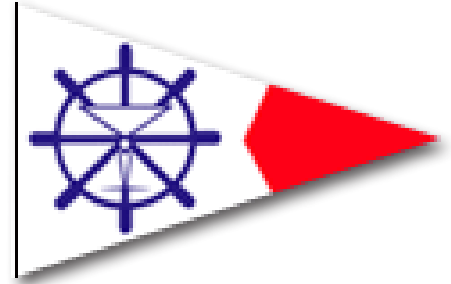
Saturday afternoon was windy and a little chilly. We walked to downtown Martinez for lunch. We went to the Firehouse Brew and Grill. Food was excellent.

Afterward, we walked to the Historical Society and had a tour of all of the information they had going back to the 1800's. It was truly amazing the type of information they had.

At about 5 PM we walked to the Martinez YC for cocktails before dinner. Soon Dave & Debbie Powell arrived by car for dinner. Then Tom Corbett and his friend, Jim, arrived. We had 8 people for dinner. The Martinez YC was packed, and the crab was plentiful. Good food and good friends.

Sunday morning both sailboats left Martinez at 9 AM. Chilly morning but the ride back was good.

Fun and successful first cruise of the year.





SINATRA NIGHT DINNER AND DANCING

Miles McKenzie performing

FEBRUARY 29TH

Cocktails at 5:30

Dinner seating at 6:30

PRIME RIB DINNER AND OTHER

SINATRA FAVORITES

“RAT PACK” MANHATTAN \$5 AND

K J GRAND RESERVE \$5

DINNER IS \$45 PER PERSON

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Social News & Calendar

by Anne Mirante

Events are made successful from the involvement of our members. With everyone's help our New Years Brunch we netted over \$450 for the club on the food and added over \$100 to the bar revenue!

If you can get involved with future events for the year please reach out to me at annemirante@yahoo.com or 510-541-1624.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday February 2nd - Watch the 49ers go for the WIN! David Quest will be organizing a potluck SUPER BOWL party at the club. More details to come via email.

Tuesday February 11th Dinner and Game Night – Kids eat free!

The 1st game night will be feature a fun card game called 5 Crowns. If you know how to play rummy you will pick up the game in less than 5 minutes so come and have fun, eat and bring the family. Leland Fishman will be our Game Captain and Anne Mirante will be serving up homemade pesto pasta, Leland's Caesar salad and Anne's homemade cookies! Gail Swift will be making her yummy cheese bread! \$10 for each adult and kids eat free.

RSVP to annemirante@yahoo.com so we can plan the food. Pay at the door

I am looking for Game Captains to keep this going every month. The Game Captain will lead the group in playing the game. Ideas that have been passed on to me are Texas Hold' em, Cribbage, Hearts, Bingo, Bunco, Scavenger Hunt, Dominos, 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.

Tuesday February 18th Wine Tasting Series begins

Darby and Chris did an incredible job last year introducing a tasting series to the club so we want to continue the fun. We will be organizing several tastings throughout the year with the 1st wine tasting on Tuesday February 18th. The Wilson Family wineries will be highlighted with the first tasting highlighting Wilson of Dry Creek. Each tasting is \$20 so come, enjoy and bring your friends. RSVP to annemirante@

yahoo.com and pay at the door.

Meadowcroft will be making a return visit on Thursday May 7th so mark your calendar.

More dates to come...

Saturday February 29th - Sinatra Night

Sold Out

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 is extremely popular and is sold out with over 60 people attending! Hosted by Leland Fishman, Anne Mirante, Esther and Kurt Schau.

UPCOMING ADVENTURES - Planning

St. Patrick's Day Celebration and Dinner

I need some helpers to make this event happen. Please email me – annemirante@yahoo.com

Cocktails at the San Rafael Yacht Club

We will take the Smart Train likely on a Friday evening on the 5:06 pm train and arrive at the San Rafael station at 5:41 pm. We will take a 14 minute walk to the San Rafael Yacht Club for no-host cocktails and catch the last train back at 8:37 pm to arrive back in Petaluma at 9:11 pm.

Round trip smart train costs \$15 for an adult and \$7.50 for senior 65 and over. Tickets for the train can be purchased at the station. More details to come.

Progressive Dinner

Keep your walking shoes ready...When the days get longer and the evenings are lighter we will plan a progressive dinner. The dinner will involve meeting at the club for cocktails and walking to a member's house for appetizers, then another for salad or soup and another for the main course with a return for dessert and after dinner drinks at the club.

PYC General Meeting Dinner 7pm, February 7th

Lautner's New England Clam Chowder!

A real authentic chowder and other New England accompaniments...

Price per person \$12.50

RSVP to Francesca Smith, Galley Mate

via email to fvspetaluma@gmail.com

or phone at 707 484-6889.

To make this special treat happen, we need your RSVPs by Friday January 31st!!

Galley News

by Francesca Smith, Galley Mate

Now hear this!

Events and Galley now have access to “*pycmail*” and we’ll be sending out our own email blasts about dinners and events. So please watch for our emails and reply promptly to our requests for RSVPs. A few (*too many, really*) members wait until the last day - *or beyond* - to reply with their RSVPs and as you can imagine, this makes it difficult on our volunteers to plan and prepare. Your kind consideration is truly appreciated.

Thanks for all the compliments on our new flatware! The “old” flatware is in a basket on the counter. If you spot items with a pattern that matches your flatware, please take it home. I’ll donate the remainder to our local shelter or food kitchen right after the February general meeting.

The purge of the galley cabinets continues... it’s an ongoing effort. Please let me know if you find anything that needs attention.

And remember “NO LEFTOVERS!” Toss, donate, or take it home. That is all....



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From Tom's Galley

Chevre with Honey, Thyme & Rosemary Spread



This hors d'oeuvre is simple to make but you will need a food processor. The key ingredient is the Chevre with Honey, which provides a sweet note to the cheese which goes well with the acid from the cherry tomatoes. If you cannot find the Chevre with Honey, any goat milk cheese can be substituted. This can be made several days in advance and taken on a picnic or boat trip.

Ingredients:

36 – 48 slices from a baguette, about ¼ inch thick

Buttery spray flavor

7-ounces cream cheese

2 – 5 ounce Chevre with Honey (goat milk cheese) at room temperature.

Available at Trader Joe's.

1/4 cup thinly sliced fresh chives

1 tablespoon fresh thyme leaves

1 tablespoon fresh rosemary leaves, chopped
Salt and ground pepper to taste

Cherry tomatoes, halved

Preheat oven to 350°.

Place baguette slices on baking sheet and spray with buttery spray. Bake in oven until lightly browned.

Place cream cheese in a food processor and process, scraping down sides, until cheese is smooth and creamy.

Break Chevre with a fork into chunks and add to cream cheese. Process until mixture is smooth.

Add chives, thyme and rosemary leaves and process until herbs are finely ground.

Season to taste with salt and freshly ground pepper and process.

Transfer mixture to a serving bowl and serve with toasted baguette slices and cherry tomatoes.

This spread will keep up to a week refrigerated in a plastic container.

Serves 12

This spread is very pretty when piped from a pastry bag with a large star tip onto toasted baguette or cucumber slices. If you are going to pipe the mixture bring it to room temperature for a smooth piping experience. It can then be refrigerated until ready to serve.

Or serve the spread with baguettes and a side of halved cherry tomatoes and cucumber slices.

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, land yacht or at home using only two burners or a BBQ.






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Party for the Lombardi

SUPER BOWL LIV (54)

Our 49ers VS Kansas City Chiefs *avored by 1 pt to win)*

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(*HINT- KC known for its BBQ so bring your favorite BBQ dish!*)

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	29.9	Avg Points Per Game	28.2	
	381.1	Avg Yards Per Game	379.2	
	19.4	Avg Opponents Points Per Game	19.3	
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2020 Cruise Schedule

by Cruise Co-Chair Mike Freeman

Hope your New Year is off to a good start. Diane Parker and I are co-chairing the cruise outs for 2020. As announced at the December General Meeting we have finalized the 2020 PYC Cruise schedule. Additionally, you heard at the January General Meeting, there are now 60 boats in our club. That makes it time to go boating! Please review the schedule, shown below, and send us your tentative sign up for each of the cruises. This will help as we negotiate with other clubs for berthing.

2020 Cruise Calendar

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|---|---|
| ⚓ January 17th-19th: <i>Martinez Yacht Club</i> | ⚓ Aug 21st – 23rd - <i>Benicia</i> |
| ⚓ April 3rd-5th - <i>Marin Yacht Club, San Rafael</i> | ⚓ Sept 18th – 20th – <i>Point San Pablo</i> |
| ⚓ May 15th -17th – <i>Alameda Cruise</i> | ⚓ October 4th-11th – <i>Princess Cruise Lines, Pacific Northwest Cruise. Organized by Tina Powell</i> |
| ⚓ June 5h – 7th – <i>Napa Cruise</i> | |
| ⚓ July 17th – 24th – <i>Delta Cruise</i> | |



Please feel free to contact me directly for additional detail or if you have any questions. See you on the water!

Treating Hypothermia

by Mike Freeman

Hypothermia is the abnormal lowering of the body's internal temperature resulting from loss of heat due to exposure to cold air, wind or water. It can occur even on bright, sunny days. Many deaths attributed to drowning are caused by hypothermia.

Hypothermia's effects appear more quickly in water than air and much more quickly in cold water. So be particularly careful in bay area waters which are typically ~56-60 degrees Fahrenheit year round.

To delay the occurrence of hypothermia, dress warmly, stay dry and keep out of the wind. If you fall into the water while wearing a life jacket, you can delay hypothermia by remaining inactive. A life jacket lessens the need to move around in the water and will help conserve and retain body heat.

Symptoms of hypothermia

- ⚓ Shivering, numbness, glassy stare
- ⚓ Apathy, weakness, impaired judgment
- ⚓ Loss of consciousness

What to do

- ⚓ Seek immediate medical attention.
- ⚓ Send someone to call for an ambulance. (On the water, radio for medical assistance on Channel 16.)
- ⚓ Check the victim's breathing and pulse.
- ⚓ Give rescue breathing and CPR as necessary.
- ⚓ Gently move the person out of the cold.
- ⚓ Remove wet clothing and dry the person.
- ⚓ Insulate the person's body from the cold ground.
- ⚓ Warm the person slowly by wrapping in blankets or by putting dry clothing on him or her.
- ⚓ Share body heat.
- ⚓ Hot water bottles and chemical hot packs may be used if first wrapped in a towel or blanket before applying.

What not to do

- ⚓ Do not warm the person too quickly, such as immersing him or her in warm water. Rapid warming can cause dangerous heart rhythms.
- ⚓ Don't apply direct heat.
- ⚓ Don't massage or rub.
- ⚓ Don't provide alcoholic beverages.

Flag Officer Reports



LELAND FISHMAN - *Commodore*

Happy February PYC, Things are really jumping at your Yacht Club. The Sinatra night event on February 29th is sold out, the 49ers are in the Super Bowl so we'll be throwing a Super Bowl Party on February 2nd, Anne and Darby are putting together a schedule of

wine tasting events and game nights start on February 11th. There are so many reasons to come down to the club I can hardly keep track. WOW!

So, given how popular our events have become, I thought it might be appropriate to remind everyone of our guest policy. Each member couple is entitled to bring up to six guests to the club during open bar nights and special events. Guests are defined as those non-members you host into the club who are NOT close relatives or current guests on your boat. Close relatives,

defined as your children, your parents, grand-parents, or brothers and sisters, are not considered guests and are welcome to enjoy the club with you when you choose to stop by. During special events please be considerate of your fellow members when making reservations for more than yourselves. While we encourage guests, it would be unfortunate if members were shut out of a popular event because the guest policy was abused. As always, let common sense prevail and all should be well.

I'd also like to encourage members who are between boats or are non-boat owners to check in with Mike Freeman about the current cruise out schedule. Many of our cruise outs have the option of traveling by car to the hosts marina allowing owners and non-owners alike to experience other yacht clubs. It's a lot of fun to visit other clubs and see their facilities. Plan to make one of the cruise outs this year and join in the fun.

Well, that's it for now. Hope to see everyone around the club very soon.

Your Commodore

Sunshine and Birthdays

by Sunshine Reporter Laura Brazil



Member Isabelle Truchon is holding an art show called "Wild Herd" Feb18-March 15 at the Petaluma hotel. Check out her amazing art work.

Jill Olson's partner Bryant Moynihan has officially joined the club. Welcome Bryant.

As always, if you have any news that I can or should share with the Club, please let me

know via email at fflaura@sonic.net



FEBRUARY

4th Dave Powell

10th Barbara Lind

10th Clyde Schultz

13th Meg Rosenfeld

17th Tom Griffith

23rd Garrett Hill



BRUCE STENDER - Vice Commodore

Ahoy!

The PYC bar had a very busy Holiday season serving our members and friends. Thank You to those members that have stepped up and did bar duty during this busy time of the year.

Jill Olson's "Spa-tini"

has been very popular and will continue to be the January \$5 Cocktail of the Month. We appreciate Jill sharing her Sonoma Coast Spirits "mixology".

February's Cocktail of the Month will be a \$5 "Valentines Cosmopolitan".

David Quist will be bar tending for the PYC Super Bowl Party on February 2. Let's get together and share in this exciting game! GO 49er's!

PYC members that have not signed up for bar duty need to do so as soon as possible in order to select a preferred weekend. Bar duty is a requirement of PYC membership. Please feel free to contact me with your choice of weekend.

The January "PYC Birthday List" is posted. Be sure to celebrate with your \$1 Birthday cocktail!

Let the adventure continue!

Club House Bar Duty

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

TBD

Fri 28th & Sat 29th

Susan Muscatell & Mike Deverell

March

Bar Manager: *Chris Keegan*

Fri 6th & Sat 7th :

TBD

Fri 13th & Sat 14th

Linda and Forest Blue

Fri 20th & Sat 21st

McKenzie and Francesca Smith

Fri 27th & Sat 28th

Jill Olson

April

Bar Manager: *Maureen Gotham*

Fri 3rd & Sat 4th :

TBD

Fri 10th & Sat 11th

Matthew and Jennifer Carter

Fri 17th & Sat 18th

Thom Knudson

Fri 24th & Sat 25th

John Wolthausen and Nancy Wolf

Did you know?

You can sign up for your bar duty by simply sending an email to pycinfo@petalumayachtclub.com with a subject of **Sign-up**. You will get an automatic reply with all the instructions. It's simple, easy and fast! Try it now!!





LEANNE GALLUP - *Rear Commodore*

Ahoy my PYC friends! I hope the beginning of the year is treating you well. As Rear Commodore, I've decided to list our current rentals below. I also have a calendar on the cork board with all events and rentals. If you have any questions

or have an upcoming event of your own, please let me know.

Lastly, please save the dates for our annual work weekend, May 2nd and 3rd. We will be working on building a place to sit upstairs and there will also be plenty to do around the club.

I'll close with a quote... "*A sail boat that sails backwards can never see the sun rise.*"

Upcoming Events & Rentals

- ⚓ Sunday February 2nd - **Super Bowl Party** at the Club.
- ⚓ Saturday February 8th Rental - *Club closed*
- ⚓ Tuesday February 11th - **Dinner & Game Night**
- ⚓ Tuesday February 18th - **Wine Tasting**
- ⚓ Saturday February 29th **Sinatra Night**
- ⚓ April 3 - 5 **Cruise Out** Marion Yacht Club
- ⚓ Saturday April 26 **Opening Day** on the Bay
- ⚓ Saturday May 2nd **Annual Club Spring Clean**
- ⚓ Tuesday May 7th **Wine Tasting**
- ⚓ May 15th - 17th - *Alameda Cruise*
- ⚓ June 5th - 7th - *Napa Cruise*
- ⚓ July 17th - 24th - *Delta Cruise*
- ⚓ Aug 21st - 23rd - *Benicia Cruise*
- ⚓ Sept 18th - 20th - *Point San Pablo Cruise*
- ⚓ October 4th - 11th - *Pacific Northwest Cruise.*

New Membership Application Status

See the Membership committee report on page 4. This chart is also posted in the club house.

Applicant	Application Date	Spnosored By	Boat	Status
John & Kristy McDill	12/26/2019	Taormina & Brazils	Yes	Pending
Sara Ferrandini & Terry Brown	3/20/2019	Niles & Mendoza	No	Wait
Vern Chang & Sandy Spring	6/24/2019	Corbetts & Harts	No	Wait
John & Robyne Hilton	7/26/2019	Keegan /Tarantino & Corbetts	No	Wait
Bill & Chris Diles	8/18/2019	Townleys & Harts	No	Wait

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General Meeting Minutes January 3rd, 2020

Meeting called to order at 8:00 pm

- 1) **Guests:** Bryant Moynihan (*guest of Jill Olson*); Kathy Wilson & Rick Lamb (*Linda Frost*); Joe Reinhartz (*Gerry's brother*); Kristi & John McDill (*Sal Taomina*); Robin and Kathryn (*Thom Knudson's sister and brother*)
- 2) **Eight Bells** for Lynn Knudson who recently passed away. In Lynn's honor, Francesca Smith read the "Crossing the Bar" by Alfred Lord Tennyson and concluded by ringing the 8 bells.
- 3) **Commodore Report** by Leland Fishman:
 - a) New Years brunch was a great success.
 - b) Petaluma River didn't make the federal dredging list. May be on a secondary list. The city does have plans to do a ½ dredge to 6ft.
 - c) A budget for the year was approved at last board meeting.
 - d) The audit will be done on time.
 - e) The AED training didn't happen for this meeting, but we will try to arrange it for next general meeting.
 - f) Next board meeting is January 15th.
- 4) **Vice Commodore Report** by Bruce Stender:
 - a) Thanks to Swifts and Smiths for putting on dinner today.
 - b) Thanks for drink special Spa-tini (*created by Jill Olson*)
 - c) Complimentary birthday celebrant will have to pay \$1 for beverage.
- 5) **Rear Commodore Report** by Leanne Gallup:
 - a) Rentals. Busy month last month. This month there are 2 possible.
 - b) The alarm key pad is sticky and needs to be replaced.
- 6) **Treasurers Report** – Gail C. No report.
- 7) **Committee Reports**
 - a) Galley Report – Francesca
 - i) Thanks for all coming for dinner. Daniel from Boulevard Café did the food.
 - ii) Cleaning cabinets and found an 11-year-old mayonnaise. Please don't leave anything when you bring things in.
 - b) **Events** – Anne Mirante
 - i) 50 people came to New Years Brunch. Bowling was fun too per Gail Swift. Ten

- people with 2 lanes. May do another one.
 - ii) Next event will be game night. Tues Feb 11.
 - iii) Sinatra night scheduled for February 29th. \$45 pp. Book early.
 - iv) David Quist is organizing pot luck for Super Bowl.
 - v) Wine tasting in February, May and October.
 - vi) Smart Train trip from Petaluma to San Rafael Yacht Club .
 - vii) Progressive dinner possibly in the summer.
- c) **Advertising** – Linda Corbett
 - i) Everyone renewed and we lost some and we are getting more.
 - d) **Membership** – Tom Corbett
 - i) Currently have 82 memberships. 67.07% boat owners. Can't accept any more non boaters at this time. We have 5 couples with applications pending but we need new boat owners before we can add them.
 - e) **PIYCA** – Jill Olson No report
 - f) **Photography** – Gerry R - no report
 - g) **Sunshine** – Laura Brazil .no report
 - h) **Cruise Outs** – Mike Freeman
 - i) Martinez cruise happening this month! January 17, 18 & 19. 3 boats attending as of now. Home of the Martini. John Muir had a home and there is a museum. Lots to do!
 - i) **Building** – Al Alys
 - i) Had an incident with Kiwanis club when a lady slipped leaving the building. Blood on her garment. They are well built stairs... looking into improving the banisters for more safety.
 - ii) Leland is looking at making the upstairs space more inviting with seating. There was a budget line for this, and we are working on this.
- 8) **For the good of the club:** Tina Powell introduced the idea of a 7-day Northwest Cruise. Sf round trip, Seattle, Vancouver and back. It leaves October 4-11 -2020. Talk to Tina for more information.
 - 9) Meeting adjourned at 8:40pm

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 Bartenders - Frank and Patty Paula <i>Club Opens At 5:30pm</i>
2 <i>Super Bowl Party at the Club at 3:00pm</i>	3	4	5	6	7 Bartenders - Tom and Linda Corbett <i>Club Opens At 6:00pm General Meeting At 8:00pm</i>	8 <i>Rental - Club closed</i>
9	10	11 <i>Dinner & Game Night at 6:00pm</i>	12	13	14 Bartenders - Roy and Barbara Johnston <i>Club Opens At 6:00pm</i>	15 Bartenders - Roy and Barbara Johnston <i>Club Opens At 5:30pm</i>
16	17	18 <i>Wine Tasting at 6:00pm</i>	19	20 <i>Board Meeting At 6:00pm</i>	21 Bartenders - Larry and Catherine Kubo <i>Club Opens At 5:30pm</i>	22 Bartenders - Larry and Catherine Kubo <i>Club Opens At 6:00pm</i>
23	24 <i>Newsletter Submission Deadline</i>	25	26	27	28 Bartenders - Muscatell / Deverell <i>Club Opens At 5:30pm</i>	29 Bartenders - Muscatell / Deverell <i>Club Opens At 6:00pm Sinatra Night at 5:30pm</i>

