



Rainier Yacht Club Burgee

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Commodore's Report

Cheryl Webber

Hello, Everyone! Rainier Yacht Club was in full spirit this Daffodil week-end! It was good to see such a good turn out from our club and most enjoyable to be together as usual. The weather was spectacular.

From daffy drinks, dining, dancing and onto the trivia contest with our very own daffodil, Sam Olsson, who, I might say, was quite a sight. V/C Dennis and R/C Richard kept me and the RYC gang busy dancing into the night. Marlene Voss, you did a fantastic job on Sam's costume and Sharon Danielson with her talents pulled off a creative light bulb hat. Way to go, gals!

A special thank you to Jerry LaRusso for hosting the officer's boat as we all had a great time aboard with CO Cheryl's navy. A special thanks to Leslie and Tom Hill for the use of their parade flags.

As usual, Tacoma Yacht Club did a great job hosting Daffodil week-end! Our hats off to TYC.....

Next gig is Seattle Yacht Club Opening Day, and RYC will be bringing home the gold! Under the creative leadership of Sharon Danielson and the countless volunteers, we are sure not to miss. Don't miss the boat and join the crew on the decorated boat by contacting Tom and Leslie Hill.

RYC is quite proud of our very own PC Randy Rockhill playing taps for the second year in a row at SYC Opening Day.

Well folks, this is just about a wrap for me being your Commodore; the year has gone swiftly with many adventures and learning curves. I have three more CO balls to attend, and I am most grateful for the friendships I have made within the Grand 14. This has been a distinct privilege and opportunity to have experienced while representing RYC.

There has been a light, a certain kind of light that has shone on me this past year.

Vice Commodore's Report

Dennis Voss

What a wonderful weekend in Tacoma for Daffodil! Rainier showed a great presence with 10 boats, 1 motor home and a few couples who drove down for the weekend. Sam was a great token and looked wonderful in his daffodil dress. Thanks, Sam, for being such a great sport. Marlene and I were able to take this opportunity to get to know some of the new members. We had great support and organization in decorating the officer's boat. Jerry, thank you for volunteering your boat and time.

As we all know, elections are coming up in May. The club is still looking for someone to be the Rear Commodore. Let me or Richard Leonard know if you are interested. It has been a great experience for Marlene and I, and we have made some great new friends and met some more boaters in the great Northwest.

Hope to see all the members at Opening Day. Come out and support our club.

Rear Commodore's Report

Richard Leonard

Hi members of RYC! I really want to say thank you for a great April dinner meeting turnout. Not only did you show up, you stepped up to the call to bring in guests who are interested in learning more about our club. I look forward to this same enthusiasm flowing over into our May and June meetings.

By the time you receive this we will be gearing up for **Opening Day**. This will be the first time for Shirley & me on **O** dock. We look forward to participating in opening day activities from a new prospective and boating with RYC. I hope to see all of you out there and don't forget Tyee's steak fry on Saturday May 6th.

I'm not sure if you heard yet, but Dave & Dianne Bomberg recently lost an adorable family member, their pet Valentine. Valentine was recently laid to rest by the family after enduring multiple seizures. I'm sure she will be missed not only at home but especially running around the marina while Dave works on Scampi.

Our next to the last dinner meeting will be held Tuesday May 2nd. Our caterer for the evening will be Maya's. If you are not on the permanent dinner list and will be attending the dinner meeting be sure to let me know by **Friday April 29th**. Also if you are on the list and **will not** be attending you will also need to let me know by **April 29th**. You may leave a message at **206-772-4003** or e-mail me at Our dinner meeting set up will be done by Jim & Sharon Danielson with Jerry LaRusso tending bar. Thank you for your support and participation.

Permanent Dinner List

Dianne Bomberg	Karen LaRusso
Tim & Sandy Subert	Richard & Shirley Leonard
Dan & Sylvia Croy	Tim & Barbara Lodermeier
Jim & Sharon Danielson	Tom & Chris Neal
Gene Fujita	Sam & Sharon Olsson
Jerry & Michelle Harrison	Randy & Willa Rockhill
Brad & Kristi Hartman	Michael Mc Bride
Tom & Leslie Hill	Brian Skaggs
Jerry LaRusso	Dennis & Marlene Voss
Paul & Winchester	Cheryl Weber

Lonnie & Linda Yates

Fleet Captain's Report

Tim Lodermeier

Ahoy everyone!

Opening day is getting closer by the day! We will have a great time as always. I noticed that Queen City Yacht Club will have Plan "B" playing on Friday and Saturday night starting at 2030 hours, so anyone who wants to dance can participate. They will be celebrating Cinco de Mayo on Friday. Sounds like fun. Of course, Tyee Yacht Club will be having its steak fry on Saturday night starting at 1800 hours. They always have a great meal deal. This is always a busy fun-filled weekend. Some of us will be rafting up on "O" dock and some of us will be on the log boom. Please come join in the festivities, no matter what your preference is.

Memorial Day weekend will be here before we know it. This means we will be taking over Bremerton Yacht Club with Gig Harbor Yacht Club and cooking and playing as hard as we possibly can. Get your reservations to me as soon as possible so we can plan on the proper amount of food. I will let you know the cost at our May dinner meeting.

You
are cordially
invited to attend

Rainier Yacht Club
Women' s InterClub Council
Picnic in the Rainier National Forest

- Thursday, May 18th, 2006 -

In commemoration of the anniversary of one of the
world' s most fascinating volcanic eruptions of all time!

Please join us for lunch in the trees followed by an exciting presentation
about Mount St. Helens and our Cascade volcanic range by Bill Steele of the U.W.'
s Earth Sciences Department and The Pacific N.W. Seismograph Network. How
much do you really know about this geologic
wonder in our backyards? Guaranteed thrills!

Social at 11 o' clock a.m.
Lunch served at noon

9094 Seward Park Avenue S.
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Please RSVP to Kristi Hartman
425-277-1998 by May 10th

Cost of the luncheon is \$12.00 per person. Please mail checks made payable
to Rainier Yacht Club to Kristi Hartman at 206 Wells Avenue N., Renton, WA 98055

Well folks, the time is almost here! Yes, it's that time of year that RYC hosts the annual WIC luncheon. Joining us this year will be members from Day Island, Meydenbauer Bay, Port Orchard, Queen City, Tacoma and Tyee Yacht Clubs. Thanks to Shirley Leonard for joining me recently at the Bremerton Yacht Club for a Mad Hatter's Tea! If you have not yet attended a WIC luncheon this year, I would sure appreciate your commitment to volunteer for the event or attend the luncheon on our home court. We

have a good start on our team for this event, but will still require some more hands for set-up, serving, and breakdown. I will also need some help with hosting at the door from 10:45 to 11:45 or so. If you have fake Christmas trees without lights we will need to set them up the day before the event. I would appreciate it if you could plan to bring them by on Wednesday the 17th. We will have a set-up pre-funk around 6:30 - 8:30 pm on the 17th with refreshments for all attending! Please call me at 425-277-1998 or drop me an e-mail at splashnw@aol.com if you can help. THANK YOU! Kristi Hartman

Other Club News:

Birthdays: Bob Brown 5/4 Vance Christensen 5/23
Barb Lodermeier 5/25

Anniversaries: Barb & Tim Lodermeier 5/4 Leslie & Tom Hill 5/8
Mary & Alan Guthmiller 5/9

Recipe:

Bacon, Leek & Goat Cheese Crustless Quiche

A-h-h-h, nothing better than to sit outside on a gorgeous sunny morning with a steaming mug of “Joe” and a luscious plate of quiche with oodles of goodies inside!!!

4 large eggs ½ t. salt & ¼ t. ground black pepper
½ c. evaporated milk scant ¼ t. dried thyme leaves
2 t. Dijon mustard 6 oz. crumbled goat cheese

Filling:

½ lb. sliced bacon, cut into 1-inch pieces 1 large leek, 8 to 10 ounces

Trim the darkest green from the leek; quarter the light green & white sections lengthwise, then slice thin & wash thoroughly.

Preheat skillet on med-high heat and fry bacon until crisp; drain in a small colander, reserving 2 T. of drippings, which you will put back into the pan. Add leek and sauté until tender, about 5-6 minutes, then scrape into the colander with the bacon.

Grease a 9” Pyrex pie plate. Adjust oven rack to the center position and heat to 400 degrees. Whisk eggs, milk, mustard, salt and pepper. Add thyme, goat cheese and prepared filling. Pour into pie plate; bake until just set, about 20 minutes. Remove from oven and let stand 5 minutes. Cut into wedges and serve. Serves 6

Who Ya Gonna Call & Schedule of Events

<p>Commodore Cheryl Webber (206)650-4645 CW4645@aol.com</p> <p>Vice Commodore Dennis Voss (425)413-8217 dmvoss@comcast.net</p>	<p>Rear Commodore Richard Leonard (206)772-4003 MonSac@aol.com</p> <p>Fleet Captain Tim Lodermeier (425)277-6851 timlody@comcast.net</p>	<p>May 2 May 5-7 May 18 May 26-29 June 6</p>	<p>Calendar of Events Dinner meeting Opening Day Weekend, SYC WIC Luncheon Memorial Day Cruise to Bremerton Change of Watch</p>
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