

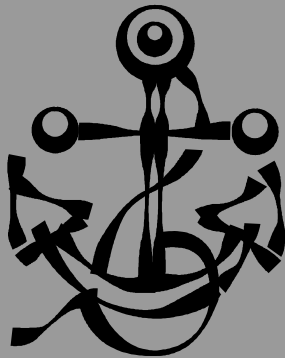


Rainier Yacht Club Burgee

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Commodore's Report
Richard Leonard

I must say that time really does not stand still. Only two years ago I was trying to compose my first Burgee report. Now VC Tim Subert is in his second year and our newest Bridge members Rear Commodore JR Harrison & Fleet Officer Richard Scott will begin to share their words with all of us in this monthly format.

Well this summer has come and almost gone. Shirley and I were not able to attend the July 3rd Pot Luck as we were vacationing with our grandson, 3 nephews and niece at Ocean Shores. I might have used the wrong word when I said vacationing. Maybe it was a long time away from work. The highlight of this trip was DJ our grandson who began walking at 9 months. This was a memorable life experience for a new grandpa.

We did return in time for wagon wheel. Although many of us have experienced better days it was a good time outside of having to readjust our anchoring position to hold the circle. I want to thank all of you who came out to continue our summer tradition even though Day Island decided to moorage the weekend at SYC. Rainier also participated in the Renton River Days Parade and that was a fun experience. I want to again thank the Bridge, Officers and Members who came out to participate and assist. It was also great to see those of you who lined the parade route as we paraded by. I want to say a special thank you to Michelle for procuring a boat, trailer, truck and driver from Sea Ray.

In August we meet for our pasta feed or community night out with a good showing. Even though the weather forced us to eat inside we still had a goodtime. August 10th was the annual Officer Cruise to Bremerton; the Commodores, Vice Commodores and the new incoming Rear Commodores attend this cruise. I'm pleased to say that the class of 2010 looks to be a talented group with exceptional leadership representing Rainier. The "Lively Lobster" as they are referred to, came to be, thanks to the persuasiveness of Rainier's new Mr & Mrs. Rear's JR & Michelle Harrison.

I look forward to this year as the Commodore of RYC and most important is your support, participation and input. Shirley and I only hope that we can continue the great tradition of the many who have served the club before us. Thank you again for the confidence you have placed in us to represent you in the Grand 14.

We hope to see many of you in Poulsbo, Labor Day weekend and or at our September 11th Dinner meeting. Dress whites will be the attire for the Dinner Meeting so that we can complete our annual photos during the social hour. I would also like to have a member's group photo taken in the front of the club. Just as a reminder this year we will be enforcing the new late fee policy, for all late return invoices, so be sure to get your dues in on time.

Have a safe and enjoyable time on and off the waters.



Vice Commodore's Report

Tim Subert

Hope everyone had a nice summer of cruising.

Thanks to everyone that helped with the painting of the club. I'm not going to name names because I'll leave someone out. Special thanks to Tim Lodermeier for supplying scaffolding and to Jerry and Dennis for bringing pressure washers. We had a great team. We'll be finishing the remainder soon.

It's that time to get started on the RYC Yearbook. I'll be asking members to update their contact information at the September meeting.

I'm, looking forward to seeing everyone at the dinner meeting and hearing stories of your summer adventures.

Rear Commodore's Report

JR Harrison

Michelle and I are looking forward to this year as your Rear Commodore and another season of boating with our club members. We just recently returned from our first Officers' Cruise and had fun meeting all our counterparts and being "initiated" into the Grand 14.

It's that time of year again to start up our regular dinner meetings. Please let Michelle or myself know if you are interested in decorating the tables for any particular meeting. I will have a sign up sheet at September's meeting.

I am looking for someone to be RYC's Quartermaster. This position requires little time and commitment. I need someone to set up and display items for sale during the social hour each meeting, process sales and place orders for merchandise. Please let me know if you are interested.

You may have noticed most of our building was painted since Change of Watch in June. We still have the north side of building and the deck to paint along with some minor repairs. I will announce at the next meeting when a work party is scheduled; currently I thinking September 20th and 22nd would be preferable to the weekend since the football season upon us.

Our new leasing agent, Diana Leonard has done a fantastic job with rentals this summer. Diana can be reached via email or by phone. Her email address is leonardd@steeler.com and her cell phone number is 206-719-1318.

2006-2007 Permanent Dinner List

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| Dianne Bomberg | Karen LaRusso |
| Tim & Sandy Subert | Richard & Shirley Leonard |
| Dan & Sylvia Croy | Tim & Barbara Lodermeier |
| Jim & Sharon Danielson | Lonnie & Linda Yates |
| Gene Fujita | Sam & Sharon Olsson |
| Jerry & Michelle Harrison | Paul & Cheryl Winchester |
| Brad & Kristi Hartman | Cheryl Webber |
| Tom & Leslie Hill | Brian Skaggs |
| Jerry LaRusso | Dennis & Marlene Voss |

Fleet Captain's Report

Richard Scott

Hello all

I want to thank you all for your vote of confidence as your Fleet Captain of Rainier Yacht Club. I want to especially thank the Suberts and the Leonards for taking over as co-captains of the wagon wheel in my absence. Wagon wheel was a bit different this year, Day Island waited until nearly the last minute to decide that they will not be coming this year so the wheel consisted mostly of RYC boats. It was reported to me that a good time was had by all that did attend.

Summer has been great but way too short, fall has snuck up on us quickly and the Labor Day cruise to Poulsbo is just around the corner, we have a great turn out of boats scheduled to attend. It will be a lot of fun. Thanks to all for responding to my emails and calls regarding information needed for Poulsbo, it makes my job much easier when I am armed with the information needed to plan ahead. You should have received an itinerary of events for Poulsbo with the information you need to attend. Please contact me Via Email: Rscott1797@aol.com Phone: 206 715 1339 if you didn't get the itinerary or have any questions.

If I don't see you at Poulsbo I hope to see you at the Sept. dinner meeting. Please be prepared to fill out a cruise questionnaire at the meeting. I want to hear your thoughts on cruising destinations both long range and short range.

Thank You

INVASION OF POULSBO

Labor Day Weekend

August 31st-Sept.3rd



Club News:

Birthdays:

Sept 21 John Maskers

Anniversaries:

Sept 3 Brad & Kristi Hartman
 17 Dave & Dianne Bomberg
 25 Mick & Carol Martinson

Who Ya Gonna Call & Schedule of Events

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| <p>Commodore Richard Leonard (206)772-4003 MonSac@aol.com</p> <p>Vice Commodore Tim Subert (425) 788-9355 Beachmusic235@msn.com</p> | <p>Rear Commodore JR Harrison 425-271-9476 mbhrock@msn.com</p> <p>Fleet Captain Richard Scott (206) 715 1339 Rscott1797@aol.com</p> | <p>Sept. 1st – 3rd 11th 25th</p> | <p>Calendar of Events Labor Day Cruise to Poulsbo Dinner Meeting Board Meeting</p> |
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