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THE CORINTHIAN YACHT CLUB OF TACOMA
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Commodore Report

Hi CYCT!

Boy that summer ended fast, didn't it?

I'm anxiously awaiting our very first meeting at the SandBAR for October. Like Brendan, I did a little market research, and their food is pretty darn good. Can't wait to see you all in person!

On to some business:

I would be remiss if I didn't remind everyone that the end of the year is coming, and we need to fill our officers/board for next year. Please see Breandan about openings and how you might get involved in YOUR club. It takes a village to run this thing, and we need your help!

Remember, when you're out there racing, you're representing CYCT. I'm honored to sail with some of the best sportspeople there are, and generally you all represent your club well. Remember to follow the rules and be good sports about things. Set the example for other non-members out there. I know there are a couple non-members who have played fast and loose with the rules at times, so please keep setting the example by following the rules! Thank you.

Special Thanks goes out to Danny for all the hard work this summer running races. You and your crew did AWESOME!

Finally – I wanted to thank you all for your support of the Pink Boat Regatta again this year. We came up a bit light in boats, but those that did race brought the fundraising. We're still reconciling expenses but suffice it to say: Ya' done good, CYCT. We are THRILLED with the efforts of the Tacoma sailing community to help END breast cancer. And how about those Orcas... I may or may not have sold my soul to get that treat for you on Pink Boat Day! Special thanks to Danny and his crew for running the race and keeping track of all the mulligans. (a 'mulligan' in Pink Boat terms is paying money to run your engine for 5 minutes during the race. We raised a PILE of money on mulligans, thanks to the wind. I apparently used up all my mojo on the Orca, instead of the wind... October is breast cancer awareness month, so you can still donate to the cause – head on over to <https://pinkboatregatta.org> and click the "Donate Now" button on the home page. 100% of our net proceeds goes to the Breast Cancer Research Foundation. Thanks for your support!

See you all at the meeting... or on the water... or at the bar...

John Coyne
Commodore
S/V Wild Thing
commodore@cyct.com



Vice Commodore Report



Hello all,

Well the Cougs are 4-0 to start the year and hopefully 5-0 with a big win over UCLA at the Rose Bowl by the time you read this. Our next meeting is Monday October 9th at our new location, Sandbar and Grill (on 509 near Hybelos). Social hour is at 6PM and meeting starts at 7PM.

The slate is starting to come together nicely, however we are still looking for volunteers for different positions within the club for next year. Feel free to reach out to me at 425-293-2222 if you are interested in volunteering. As we mention when you get initiated in the club, the more you get involved, the greater your membership experience becomes.

Brendan Smith
Vice Commodore
S/V Knotty Coug



Rear Commodore Report



Happy Fall from the Rear Commodore:

As the weather changes and we drift from summer to fall, I wanted to give a big thank you to all those this year that helped in cleaning and maintaining our clubhouse, it truly is an easy job when a lot of members pitch in, we use this facility a lot, Lidos, meetings, Racing, and impromptu get togethers. Thank you all.

As a reminder, November is when we elect members to fill club positions, please consider volunteering, you will have fun and you are not alone, I know we have had a lot of help in the positions we currently hold. If you have ideas and thoughts of improving club functions this is a great way to keep us moving forward.

So for Shari and I, we are getting our wish list for boat improvements underway, and look forward to winter cruising, Quiet moorage, and warm food.

Keep on boating,

Clay Anderson
Rear Commodore
S/V Firefly



Treasurer Report

Bank accounts

Cash: Up a bit more than 2.5% from last year at this time

Romeo Charlie Reserve: Up a bit more than 6% from last year at this time

Total, including reserves: Up more than 8% from this time last year

The Romeo Charlie Reserve is a planned effort to be prepared in the case of the need to replace the race committee boat or its engine. It is primarily funded by monthly transfers of \$300 from the checking account.

Race fees

We've received \$8,035 in race fees, the rough equivalent of 40 members paying for a full season. About 40% of race fees are paid by non-members. On the same date last year, we'd collected less than 1% less.

Dues

We've collected the equivalent of 66.25 paid active memberships. In 2022 we had collected the equivalent of 68.25 active memberships.

Audit Committee

The annual review of the club's financial records, typically done between September 15 and October 15, is likely to happen in late September. If you volunteer to serve on the committee or are invited to serve by the Commodore, I look forward to your participation at a meeting at my home in North Tacoma /Old Town. No experience required.

Ken Whitney
CYCT Treasurer



Membership Report



No Report Submitted

Greg Greene

CYC Membership

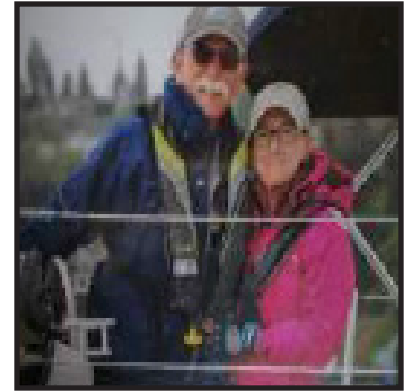
SV Whisper

Lido 14 #4326 Huzzah!

Lido 14 #4525 Tally Ho!



Cruising Report



Hi Cruisers:

Well September was busy, and the weather was amazing, wind was not always cooperative but certainly a blast. In Nov. 17th to 19th at Arabellas in Gig Harbor is our final cruise of the year, Pirate theme and chili, soup, chowder cook off. Skippers must contact Arabella marina online to reserve a slip, user ID 441329, codecyctnov2023, click on Event Organizer Log in to access and reserve moorage. There will be an email coming out with all this info also. Please RSVP cruising@cyct.com with how many in your party and if you are coming by land or by sea.

For the Labor day Cruise, we had 8 boats, plus one from Puget sound cruising club that landed in our star raft by mistake, Lol the Tripp 47 looked good in the raft. Shari Anderson cooked up about 20 lbs of nachos on Sat and passed them around the fleet, we had Emily Wood and her lido come out plus numerous others who were taxied out by various dinghies, at one time we counted 13 people hanging out on Firefly. Weather was decent except the wind really picked up and our raft was up till about 330am trying to get tightened up, don't you love boats. There was lido racing and just a lot of fun.

Pink Boat followed with warm weather and no wind, but we had a blast and Orcas showed their support by coming to see the fleet off. For Firefly, we spent Friday night on the boat and moved over to Rock the Dock Saturday morning to decorate and grab the crew, thanks to the crew of Bo-jinka for supporting Pink Boat and hanging with us. Firefly couldn't stay for all the festivities, as we wanted to get over to Dockton before dark to help set up for the Cyct picnic.

Shari Anderson
Fleet Captain Cruising
S/V Firefly





Social

Christmas Party

Gary and Joy Ballentine will work on getting BPIC reservations for Friday December 8 or Friday December 15.

Commodore's Ball 2024

Tentatively scheduled for either Friday January 12 or Saturday January 20. I will know sometime this June or July. Once a date has been reserved, I can see if The Lost and Found band from last year is available. Or, if you have other band considerations shoot me an email.

Angie Morales

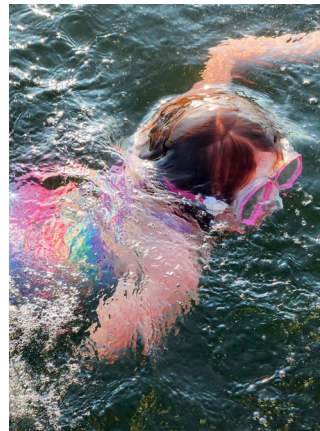
social@cyct.com

S/V La Gitana

M/Y Cactus Clipper (CC)



Club Picnic September 17, 2023



Don's Celebration of Life



Browns Pt. Improvement Club
201 Ton A Wan Da Ave. NE
Tacoma. WA 98422
Nov. 12th, 2023

From: 1:00 - 4:00 PM



Racing Report

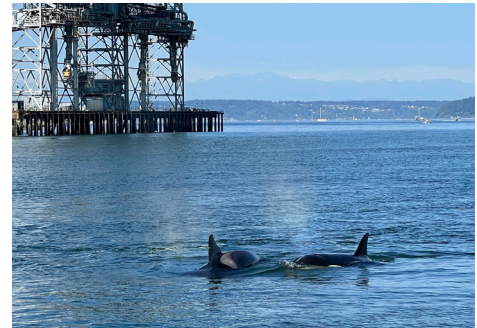
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Danny Kenck
CYCT Co-Race Chair



Pinkboat Tacoma

September 16, 2023





Lido 14 - Fleet 82 News

No Report Submitted

Greg Greene
CYCT Lido 14 • Fleet 82 Captain
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Crew Events

Get out on the water, meet some new people and learn about the fun sport of sail-boat racing! RSVP on the CYCT Meetup page: https://www.meetup.com/CYCT_racing/events/292570016

OCTOBER CALENDAR

**FOR MARCH EVENTS, PLEASE CHECK UPCOMING EVENTS ON THE
CYCT WEBSITE:**

[HTTPS://CYCT.COM/EVENTS/](https://cyct.com/events/)

CYCT FACEBOOK PAGE:

[HTTPS://WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/GROUPS/257572770984529/](https://www.facebook.com/groups/257572770984529/)

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

William (Skip) Broadhead	2-Oct	Terry Paine	18-Oct
JohnCoyne	4-Oct	Timothy Potts	25-Oct
Tom Saul	4-Oct	Billy Carter	25-Oct
Debbie Simmons	13-Oct	DickSeward	26-Oct
Michelle Miles	13-Oct	Derek Youngberg	28-Oct
Christian (Chrissy) Hunt	15-Oct	Gary Ballentine	28-Oct
Margaret Gallimore	17-Oct	Elizabeth Dwyer	29-Oct
Rebekah Foelker	17-Oct		

Classified Ads

Have nautical related item/s to sell, donate or gift? Contact the manisheet to list it here.

BASIC RULES:

- You must be a CYCT member or sponsored by a CYCT member to post an item.
- Each month the CYCT posting member must submit their items for sale before the 25th of the month (send your post to mainsheet@cyct.com).
- Items must be submitted each month or they will not be reposted.
- You are responsible to sell your item so you must include your contact information (items without contact information will not be posted).



Vacu-flush Marine Toilet

Only a couple of years old. I've sitched to electric.
I also have the pump unit which may be no good but it has
24 volt motor on it which is a few years old. It's all in storage here at Tye.
FREE to folks in the club



MAX PROP:

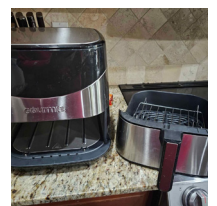
2 Blade Feathering SailDrive Easy, 18 inch diameter, 20MM
Nut, Left Hand rotation, Pitch adjustable by replacing
pitch bolt. Used 2 months. **\$750**
Call Ron Holbrook 253-826-5109

LIFE RAFT:

Revere six person Offshore Ocean in valise.
Needs certification - refund if not certified.
Call Ron Holbrook 253-826-5109.

Gourmia 6QT Airfryer:

Like new condition
Great stand-alone model if you want an airfryer on the
boat. **\$25**
Contact Jennifer Tenney 206-331-6766



Gardylloo Consulting LLC

Eric Nelson - Manager

253-380-3947 gardyconsult@gmail.com

Residential and Commercial New and Renovation Work

Construction Management and Estimating, Constructability Reviews,
Site Planning, Work Scope Development

Erosion and Sediment Control Design, Review, and Monitoring

2023 CYCT Officers & Board

FLAG OFFICERS

Commodore: John Coyne
Vice Commodore: Brendan Smith
Rear Commodore: Clay Anderson

BOARD POSITIONS

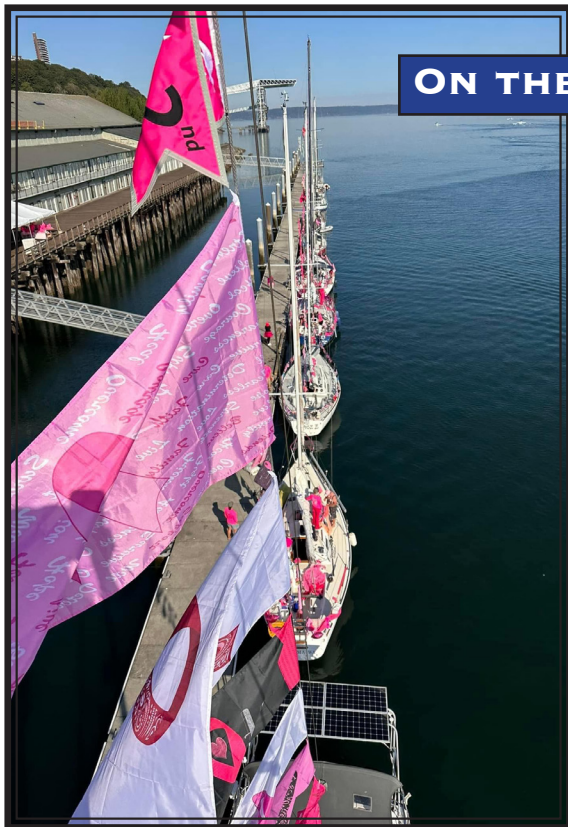
Secretary: Evie Engnoth
Treasurer: Ken Whitney
Membership Chair: Greg Greene
Fleet Captain-Cruising: Shari Anderson
Fleet Co-Captain-Racing: Danny Kenck
Past Commodore: Michael Stanford

REPRESENTATIVES

PHRF Handicapper: Eric Nelson
PHRF Director: Eric Nelson
PIYA Rep: Eric Nelson

STANDING COMMITTEES

Crew Coordinator: Eric Johnson
Floating Asset Chair: Dan Walker
Club Merchandise: Jen Tenney
Mainsheet Editor: Jen Tenney
Sunshine: Evie Engnoth
Web Site: Will Kamp & Aaron Milligan
Social Media Editor: Kristi Coyne
Publicity: Vacant
Trophies: Christine Nelson
Education: Ed Pinkham
Social: Angie Morales
Historian: Vacant
Long Range Planning: Greg Greene
Lido 14 Fleet Captain: Greg Greene
Racing Protest: Dan Walker



ON THE COVER...

PinkboatTacoma

Pinkboat Tacoma entries lined up at rock The Doc in Tacoma

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