



Long Beach Singles Yacht Club  
"The Single Sailors"

# BOSUN'S PIPE

We're having fun at sea. No boat needed. We have the boats.



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## LATEST BEAUTY TRENDS

### SCUTTLEBUTT

**QUARANTINE** Now that everybody has been sequestered at home and only going out for work or provisions, it sure has put a crimp in the club plans. I hope that everybody has been obeying the personal protection and social distancing requirements.

We don't need any club members coming down with the virus. There are more testing places open at little or no cost, but you need an appointment to get a test. That would provide most of us with anxiety relief. In the mean time, I hope you have been taking the most precautions possible washing your hands, cleaning hard surfaces especially those that are used often, doing laundry more often and doing everything possible to keep the virus out of your life..

**CRAB POT UPDATE** or Good News and Bad News. The Crab Pot is currently planning to reopen on Friday, June 6th. It will be for limited capacity with the 6 foot rule in effect. The inside and outside bar areas will have tables 6 feet apart. The inside bar area will only have seating for 12 people for the time being. They are going to be operating at about 60% capacity. This means that for the very near future, there will not be enough seating plus the 6' separations for us to have a meeting there yet. Hopefully, the separation thing will soon go away and not soon enough. The mask thing is going to be with us for a while.

**PARTY THOUGHT:** What about a party in a picnic area with tables and bring your own chairs, food, beverages like we do for a dock party? It would have to be a place

that we can have alcohol or get away with it. This is just an idea to get a gathering together since dock parties are out for a month or two more. We'd still need masks and separations, but something is better than nothing. Your thoughts?

### AVALON COMMUNITY STILL NEEDS YOUR HELP

Our nearest island community has been hard hit by our state's Shelter-In-Place directives. On average, the Avalon Community Church's Lord's Pantry helps feed five to seven families, with as many as a dozen in the leanest winter months. Without the regular tourism that supports the service business that is the primary income source for so many on the island, and without the generous food donations from the many restaurants, the food pantry's resources are being pushed to their limits.

This is an opportunity for the members of SCYA to help those who help make our summer visits to Avalon great. Should you desire to make a donation, please go to [www.cityofavalon.com](http://www.cityofavalon.com) web site. Click on [www.cityofavalon.com/coronavirus](http://www.cityofavalon.com/coronavirus) and scroll to the red COVID-19 Avalon Mutual Aid Donations button on the right hand side of the page..

**JOHN L MARSHALL, SCYA COMMODORE**

### ALAMITOS BAY MARINA FUNCTIONS

According to the Marine Bureau, the July 3rd Fireworks is cancelled. Also, the Bureau wants dock parties to get permits for more than 6 people. That pretty much kills dock parties for a while. They are talking August before they will issue any permits. Hopefully, this will be a temporary problem and Sacramento will reconsider their position on this.

Bottom line is that it looks like we will not be able to have any dock parties before August. We have kept a Dock Party on the July Calendar in case the Bureau changes it's mind. Things are evolving daily. At this point, who knows what will be possible.

In the meantime, Go Sailing!

*Dave*

## CORONA VIRUS

### CDC RECOMMENDATIONS

#### SYMPTOMS:

- **FEVER**
- **COUGH**
- **SHORTNESS OF BREATH** Can't hold breath for 10 seconds of more

#### OTHER SYMPTOMS MAY INCLUDE:

- Loss of taste
- Itching in non normal places

#### WHEN TO SEEK MEDICAL ATTENTION

If you develop Emergency warning signs for Covid-19 get medical attention immediately. Emergency Warning Signs include but not limited to:

- **TROUBLE BREATHING**
- **PERSISTENT PAIN OR PRESSURE IN THE CHEST**
- **NEW CONFUSION OR INABILITY TO AROUSE**
- **BLUISH LIPS OR FACE**

Consult you medical provider for any other symptoms that are severe or concerning or to get tested if you feel ill.

#### THINGS THAT HELP

- **SCRATCHY THROAT?** Warm liquids — soup, tea. Gargle with warm salt water or Listerine.
- Wash hands often with Soap and warm water for 20 sec.'s or use hand sanitizer.
- Disinfect hard surfaces
- Take off or disinfect shoes, clothes after going out to grocery, etc.
- Use grocery bags or disinfect your reusable ones upon home arrival. Many stores now will not allow your reusable bags & only their bags.

## JUNE BIRTHDAYS

### GEMINI

11. Jenny Magarity
12. Bruce Clark

### CANCER

22. Douglas Hurnblad
26. Gym Greenwald
30. Glinda Davis



**FROM THE COMMODORE,**

Ahoy Mates,

I know that you all urging to enjoy the warm weather yet stay safe as you can. My urge turns toward the sea as this poem describes:

Freedom's taken a liking to me  
 Maybe it's the lure of the sea  
 Look in my eyes 'cause my belt's broke free  
 Maybe it's the lure of the sea  
 The Pirates Of Penzance,  
 they have nothing on me  
 Maybe it's the lure of the sea

Remember to use sun block as our skins are very pale from the winter. This lock down cannot last much longer and we will get back to explore our ocean and the freedom to get out of the house. We are looking ahead to what is next and what to do with our free time. We have some decisions to make about the club but stay the course. We will resume club meetings as soon as the virus diminishes enough to get meetings safe again.

Fair Winds & Following Seas,

*William Anast*



**FROM THE VICE-COMMODORE**

Aloha Sailors,

It appears that we may be getting together at the Crab Pot soon! I'm looking forward to it. I recently read an article that "Ullman Sails" is creating face masks to help with the shortage, kudos to them.

I have been keeping relatively busy. I went to Palm Springs over Memorial weekend. Riverside County (which includes PS) has opened up dine-in restaurants, malls, and casino's although the temperature is in the 100's (Sunscreen!).

I received an email that the Avalon Food Pantry located on Catalina Island is suffering because of so many islanders out of work. If you desire to make a donation go to [www.cityofavalon.com/coronavirus](http://www.cityofavalon.com/coronavirus). Any help will be much appreciated!

Take care all and I hope to see you soon. "I need to practice social distancing from the fridge!"

Mahalo,

*Jill Beideman*



**FROM THE REAR-COMMODORE**

To Fellow Sailors and Partiers,

As a substitute Teacher out of work for the time being, I miss that and my main form of entertainment, Sailing and Socializing. I can hardly wait for us to be able to have meetings and social events. In the mean time, Stay Safe and healthy!  
 Your sailor friend,

*Karen R.*



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Programs		
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**FROM THE FLEET CAPTAIN**

Hi Sailors & land lovers,

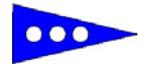
This is a time to appreciate what we can't do! I want to plan a dock party and boating activities, when the marina says, "No restrictions".

At the beginning of the Stay @home order, I learned what we, as boat owners can do. Small gatherings are permitted. We need to stay our social Distancing on the docks & wear a face covering, if possible. We are only in close proximity with our immediate family, since I have underlining health conditions.

Please enjoy our beautiful weather!  
 I'd rather be sailing,



*Ruth*



# JUNE 2020 (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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21	22  ?	23  ?	24	25	26 <b>HAPPY HOUR</b>	27
28	29	30			<b>HAPPY HOUR</b>	

**13, DOCK PARTY, 5PM** Dock 22 ABM, Bring food to share, BYOB, folding chair & layered clothing.. Weather & virus protocols Permitting . **CANCELLED**

**22, BOARD MEETING, 7 PM, ??**



**23, MEETING, 4TH TUESDAY CRAB POT**

Members.

**6:30 PM:** Social hour,

**7:15:** Skipper's meeting

**7:15** New people orientation

**7:30** Meeting host, **BILL ANAST**

**7:45 SPEAKER: TBA**

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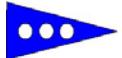
**HAPPY HOUR AT THE CRAB POT, 5 PM** Alami-tos Bay, Crab Pot Rest. Next to Dock 3. Discounted drinks and food. Happy hour runs from 2-7pm .Mon-Fri.

**WE ARE LOOKING FOR PARTY HOMES.** If you are interested in hosting a party at your home or party room that allows alcohol, Please contact Wendell 562-537-4973





# JULY 2020 (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)



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### 3, JULY 3RD DOCK PARTY & FIREWORKS

**5PM ?** Dock party on Dock 22. Providing the fire-held and we get permission to have the usual food to share, folding chair, BYOB and warmer clothes for the evening. Personal mask also.

**CANCELLED**

tancing With Masks. Providing The Marine Bureau gives permission.

### 27, BOARD MEETING, 7 PM, ??? THE CRAB POT



### 28, MEETING, 4TH TUESDAY CRAB POT

Members.  
**6:30 PM:** Social hour,  
**7:15:** Skipper's meeting  
**7:15:** New people orientation  
**7:30** Meeting; host, **BILL ANAST**  
**7:45, PROGRAM: TBA**



### 14, MEETING, 2ND TUESDAY CRAB POT

Members.  
**6:30 PM:** Social hour,  
**7:15:** Skipper's meeting  
**7:15:** New people orientation  
**7:30:** Meeting host, **BILL ANAST**  
**7:45: SPEAKER: TBA**



### ANY FRI, HAPPY HOUR AT THE

**CRAB POT, 5 PM ??** Alamitos Bay, Crab Pot Rest. Next to Dock 3. Discounted drinks and food. Happy hour runs from 2-7pm. Mon-Fri.



**25, POSSIBLE DOCK PARTY 5PM ?** Dock 22 ABM, Bring food to share, BYOB, folding chair & layered clothing.. Weather & virus protocols Permitting including social dis-

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**

On Saturday, May 23rd, a small group of us was invited to a birthday party for Life Time Member and our first Commodore, Tom Duncan. His wife Susan wanted to keep the gathering small, to comply with Covid restrictions especially since Tom is currently undergoing more Chemo. Therapy. It was a nice afternoon on the patio. Great food with chicken, hot dogs, grilled Pineapple, corn on the cob, potato salad, cole slaw, etc. Happy 76 Tom. Thanks, Susan for a wonderful late afternoon. Our prayers are with you

BTW, we all kept our distance except for a quick lineup to get this and other photos.

**OPENING DAY** had been tentatively moved to May 30th at the San Pedro Yacht Club floating facility in Wilmington. Since then, we had to **Postpone** the event. Will we have an actual Opening Day this Year? Since many of you are holding off renewing your membership, it may not be fiscally wise to do it this Year. Remember, we have expenses for insurance, dues and other expenses.

**RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIPS.** Even though we are not meeting or having any functions due to the virus constraints, we still have obligations as a club and your membership is very important. Renewal forms are on the website (lbsyc.org) on the About Us page where there are renewal form PDF's that you can fill out on line, print and bring to a meeting or mail in. Melba is also be sending out emails and snail mail with the form attached. Help Keep our club Strong and renew. Your membership fee covers Insurance, SCYA membership, Opening Day and other costs to keep the club running. We can't do it with out your support. And yes, the club PO Box is open again.

**WHALE WATCHING**

We're going Whale Watching out of Davey's Locker in Newport Beach. **Just when** is still up in the air. Unfortunately, the current virus situation forced Davey's boats to stay dockside. We will notify you of a rescheduled trip, if possible, this season. There are many other whale species than Gray Whales that transit the area. Blues, Orcas, Humpbacks and several others.



**WELCOME to LBSYC, Long Beach Singles Yacht Club** (formerly LBSSA). Couples welcome. Our club is a volunteer organization to promote sailing and socializing. Membership is approximately **30% boat owners** (sail and power) and **70% crew**. Meetings are on the **2nd and 4th Tuesdays** of each month at **7:30 pm** (see map ) Happy Hour 2:30-7pm.  
**New Members Welcome !**

**The Crab Pot**

215 N. Marina Drive

Long Beach, CA 90803

Social Hour: 6:30—7:30 pm

Newcomers Orientation, 7:15 pm

General Meeting, 7:30

Program, 7:45 pm

End of meeting, Approx. 8:30 pm

After the meeting we socialize in the bar.

We encourage skippers to post "crew wanted" lists for day sails or club events. **All are welcome**

No experience needed.

No boat needed.

So what is needed?

Be over 21 and have a desire to sail and have fun.

Website: WWW.LBSYC.Org

This newsletter is always available on the website @ Events/Bosuns Box.

**OVER THE SIDE**

*Joseph W. Rogers*



Oh my gosh, I wondered what happened to Bob !

**NOTABLE QUOTES:**

Too bad the only people who know how to run the country are busy driving cabs and cutting hair.

— George Burns

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