

# NAVARRE BEACH YACHT CLUB NEWS

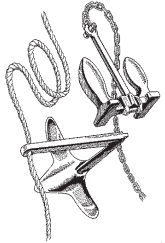
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### Commodore's Comments...



Ahoy, Mateys!

We had a great turn-out at the last NBYC meeting in spite of the brisk weather, and we got to meet and introduce quite a few new members. Welcome to Martha Christopherson and Larry Clark, Paul Gallant, Tom and Kim Shrewsbury, Philip and Patsy Schoonover, and Eric Chambers! Three of these are sailboat owners, so watch out, power boaters.... We're catching up! 😊 Everyone is anxious to start up a new season of boating and join in our fabulous line-up of NBYC events.



Lea Shaw, the club's webmaster, announced that she's added a new "memories" page on our [nbycweb.org](http://nbycweb.org) site. Any photos or videos of NBYC members/events (whether club sanctioned or not) that you'd like to share can now be posted on our website. Either get Lea a memory stick or send to her via email at [webmaster@nbycweb.org](mailto:webmaster@nbycweb.org). Thank you, Lea, for all the good work you do to keep our NBYC website updated and interesting.

Thank you also to Alan and Wanda Goldberg from Waikiki. They donated a Waikiki burgee to add to our yacht club burgee collection. They are the son and daughter-in-law of our members Bob and Ruth Goldberg. And speaking of Burgees, our storekeeper Lori has ordered a dozen more NBYC Burgees along with a new stock of t-shirts that should be coming soon. Thank you Lori for all the hard work you put into keeping us in Burgees and in-style! Thanks to Dave Villane for continuing to create our NBYC membership cards. The new cards are in OR we have

your updated sticker for your current cards at the next meeting. If you haven't done so yet, please come out for next Monday's meeting and get your new card or update your old one.

And since I'm on a roll of appreciation, I'd like to thank Dano Wakley, who has had the position of Marine Advisor for several years now. Unfortunately, he withdrew as Advisor during our last meeting, but he nominated Steve Rudzki to take his place. Steve was voted in and will now take over that position. Thank you, Steve!

On a sad note, I got word that one of our long-time NBYC members has passed away. Sherry Cockerham lost her battle with lymphoma, and I think I can speak for myself as well as all of us NBYC members that our hearts go out to Bill and family. We will take an officers' vote to allow up to \$100 donation for flowers or an in-lieu-of gift towards Sherry's memorial. RIP Sherry! You will be missed.

And now, after much rain and gloom, the sun is peeking out of the clouds as I type this report, and it's starting to feel like spring is in the air! Get those boats spruced up, oiled up, fueled up, shake out those sails, and let's get boating!!

Upcoming Events:

Mon, **Apr 4**, NBYC meeting - Juana's Club Pagodas

Fri, **Apr 22-23**, Full Moon Commodore's Cruise - Big Sabine - Steve R. Sponsor

Sat, **Apr 30**, Fun Fest All Call - Juana's Dock

Cheers!



*Commodore Juana*