

# NAVARRE BEACH YACHT CLUB NEWS JANUARY 2017

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## *Commodore's Comments...*



Well, we had some excitement in early January, as John Conner pointed out our scheduled meeting date/time coincided with the NCAA Football National Championship game. We quickly realized (1) a lot of members would be home or watching the game with friends, and (2) it would not end well if we asked Juana's patrons to be quiet for our meeting in the Club during the middle of the game. We quickly decided the best option was to move the meeting to the next night at Sailors' Grill enclosed deck, Juana and Kevin made it available to us, and Sue got the word out to everyone right away, and we had a pretty good turnout for a Tuesday night.

Before I go off on another tangent, let me express my thanks to Juana for serving as commodore in 2016, AND for a great Christmas party. As always, the food was fantastic, Juana's gave the club a great price and threw in 2 drink tickets per person.



I am looking forward to a great year as commodore. I am still working, at least through July, so I will do my best to make as many events and meetings as possible, and Phillip Schoonover and John Conner have agreed to assist as needed. I also want to say thanks to Sue, Linda and Lori for agreeing to stay on in their roles as recorder, purser and storekeeper. Say thanks to them early and often folks, the club would not be the same without them, and I would probably lose my mind.

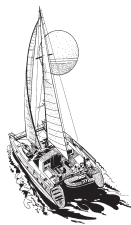
We have lined up a great calendar of events at our planning meeting held on 14 Jan at Juana's, and there are still dates for more events, just let us know what you want to organize/sponsor and we will get it on the calendar and get the word out. We would like to have several events each month. I will of course sponsor the Bog again in Oct, since the Big Bogger's paddle has been passed on to me by Dave Villane, along with Jim Shaffer, Chuck Howard, and Pat Griffith. I plan to do a Commodore's Cruise/Raft Up in late Sept, the location is TBD. And as usual, I expect there will be pop-up All-Calls on the docks at Juana's or elsewhere. Here's to a mild and short winter, so we can all get out on the water early and often.



The Navarre Beach Mardi Gras parade is coming up very soon, and we are looking for some help securing a spot for a get together. John Conner has gotten us an RV from a friend for a couple of years. John has a contact we can ask to borrow it again, but neither John nor I can be there this year. We are looking for a volunteer to get the RV, put it in a good spot at least a day before the parade, and publicize it. As usual, the event is BYOB, BYO Food to share, and BYO Fun.

See you on the water, at the dock or in the bar!  
Thanks!

*Commodore Drew*



**Upcoming Events:**

**Feb 6** - NBYC Meeting - 7:30 pm at Juana's Club

**Feb 11-12** - Grand Marlin Raft Up & Dinner

**Feb 18** - Navarre Beach Mardi Gras Parade

Full Moon names date back to Native Americans, of what is now the northern and eastern United States. The tribes kept track of the seasons by giving distinctive names to each recurring full Moon. Their names were applied to the entire month in which each occurred.

**January – Full Wolf Moon.** Amid the cold and deep snows of midwinter, the wolf packs howled hungrily outside Indian villages. Thus, the name for January's full Moon. Sometimes it was also referred to as the Old Moon, or the Moon After Yule. Some called it the Full Snow Moon, but most tribes applied that name to the next Moon.

2017: January 12

Source: The Farmers Almanac.

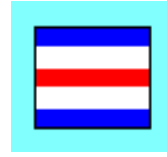
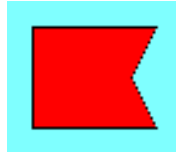
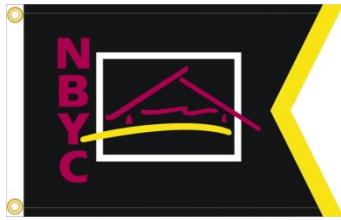


**DUES ARE DUE!**

NBYC dues are paid from February through February. Members started paying dues in December with the Christmas party tickets, but if you haven't yet paid your 2017 dues, you can bring them to the February meeting or mail to:

Navarre Beach Yacht Club  
PO Box 5455  
Navarre FL 32566

Family      \$35  
Single      \$25



**NAVARRE BEACH YACHT CLUB**  
**2017 CALENDAR OF EVENTS**  
**As of January 2017 (edition 1)**

***January***

- 10 Meeting, Juana's, 7:30 PM
- 12 Full Moon
- 14 Activity Planning Meeting, Sailors' Grill

***February***

- 1 Dues overdue for 2017
- 6 Meeting, Juana's, 7:30 PM
- 10 Full Moon
- 11-12 Grand Marlin Raft Up & Dinner
- 18 Navarre Beach Mardi Gras Parade

***March***

- 6 Meeting, Juana's, 7:30 PM
- 12 Daylight Saving Time begins; Spring Forward
- 12 Full Moon
- 18 St Pat's All Call, Juana's Dock
- 31- 1 Apr April Fools Raft Up, Pirates' Cove

***April***

- 3 Meeting, Juana's, 7:30 PM
- 11 Full Moon
- 16 Easter
- 28-29 Navarre Fun Fest All Call, Juana's Dock

***May***

- 1 Meeting, Juana's, 7:30 PM
- 10 Full Moon
- 13 Butt Roast, TBD
- 14 Mother's Day
- 27 Conners' Raft Up
- 29 Memorial Day

***June***

- 5 Meeting, Juana's, 7:30 PM
- 9 Full Moon
- 9-11 Howl at the Moon Raft Up, Big Sabine
- 16 Gallery Night, Palafox Pier &
- 17 Pirates' Cove Raft Up
- 18 Father's Day
- 29 Juana's & Sailors' Grill 27th Anniversary(for reference)

***July***

- 7-8 Blue Angels, PCola Beach
- 8 Full Moon
- 10 Meeting, Juana's, 7:30 PM
- 22 Christmas in July Dock & Decorate All Call, Juana's

***August***

- 7 Meeting, Juana's, 7:30 PM
- 7 Full Moon
- 9-13 Emerald Coast Poker Run (for reference)
- 19-20 Navy Yacht Club Bayou Grande Raft Up

***September***

- 4 Labor Day
- 5 Meeting, Juana's, (Tuesday), 7:30 PM
- 6 Full Moon
- 8-10 Juana's Good Time Regatta (for reference)
- 16-17 Commodore's Cruise, TBD
- 22 Ft McRee &
- 23-24 Terry Cove, Sportsman Marina Raft Up & Dinner

***October***

- 2 Meeting, Juana's, 7:30 PM
- 5 Full Moon
- 9 Columbus Day
- 14 The Bog, TBD
- 22 Chili Cook Off, Juana's (for reference)
- 28 Halloween All Call, Juana's Dock

***November***

- 4 Full Moon
- 5 Daylight Saving Time ends; Fall Back
- 6 Meeting, Juana's, 7:30 PM
- 10-12 Blue Angels, Pensacola NAS (Ft McRee)

***December***

- 3 Full Moon
- 4 Meeting, Juana's, 7:30 PM
- 9 Christmas Party, Juana's

**Note: Outings in bold print are NBYC-sponsored events. Dates/locations are always subject to change at membership meetings or for sponsors' scheduling needs. Check your Newsletter or Web site at <http://www.nbycweb.org> for the latest details**

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