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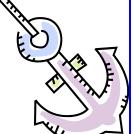
**ISSUE 4** 

The Weather is About to Change for the Better!!

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## 2014 ROSTER UPDATE

We say goodbye to a few

## Join us for Golf and Fun at Port Ludlow

April 11 - 13, 2014

On Friday evening, we'll have Chili dinner (with and without meat on the dock along with Happy Hour. When you arrive please call VHF Channel 68 for your slip assignment and call Tom Youngs at (206) 618-5050 for help with your lines. Saturday morning we'll make our own omelets on the dock. Golf T-times on Saturday start around noon and shuttle service is available from the resort. Please contact Commodore James Life (206) 321-2462 to participate in the golf activities. Non-golfers can enjoy the marine swap meet from 9am-2pm in the tent area at the head of the dock. Happy Hour and games will start at 4pmunder the tent. We're planning a flank steak and salmon dinner followed by s'mores around the fire. Some firewood and an appetizer for Saturday would be appreciated. Sunday morning we'll send you off with coffee, mimosas, bagels, muffins and fruit.

Special note: The Port Ludlow Yacht Club was kind enough to extend us the use of their club house in case the weather does not cooperate. Their bar will be manned Friday and Saturday evening. Otherwise, we'll use the big tent near the cooking area and fire pit.

See you in Port Ludlow!

Your hosts: Tom Youngs & Isabella McPeak, Robert & Christy
 McLaughlin and Paul Life & Lunaru Mott

p.s: If you did not reserve a slip yet, please call the Port Ludlow
 Marina at (360) 437-0513. There is a special package price for
 golfers which includes moorage.

#### Commodore's Corner



Hello to my fellow HHYC'ers and a very warm welcome to SPRING, Finally! I am definitely ready for some sunshine. For those very few that did not make it to Kingston for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Garlic Fest, you missed an absolutely fantastic event. I want to say thank you so much to all the Super-Hosts, Lleslie & Earl, Dane & Terry and Rick & Sharon. You all did an OUTSTANDING Job and all of your efforts are very much appreciated. The final count was 21 boats and 56 people. WOW, what a turn out!

The weekend started out early for Julie and me. We both took Friday off work and cruised over with V/C Mike & Sue Burke who graciously took us in for the weekend. We got right through the locks in the sun, cleared Shilshole and then headed to Kingston. We had a pretty good crossing with the exception of rising wind speed. We were cruising directly into the wind the whole way there and even took a few blasts of salt spray over the boat before dodging the Kingston Ferry and pulling around the breakwater of Kingston Cove. Sounds like the earlier arrivers had no issue with the wind. After getting settled in we had Happy Hour on the dock followed by fabulous Friday night appetizers, coleslaw and pulled pork sandwiches for dinner. After dinner there were a few that followed up with a shot of Fireball delivered up on the "Shotski", Thank you Howard for dessert.

After dinner and desert were finished, we were all invited by Alan Kester, Commodore of the Kingston Cove Yacht Club, for drinks. There was a small group that went up to KCYC for drinks and great conversations. Another group went on to the Main Street Ale House to secure some tables and to start the Karaoke. I had no idea how many talented singers there are in our Yacht

club and we were just getting started, it's only Friday.

Saturday came a bit early for some of us but we all rallied to head up to the KCYC Club House for eye openers and a delicious breakfast. "HHYC McMuffins" hot off the grill provided by our gracious Host and Hostesses. With breakfast complete we had several teams volunteer for "The Taste". This was a contest for the teams to come up with the most creative in Presentation and Taste. We were paired up randomly, and provided three ingredients, basil, garlic and a chunk of baguette. You could do anything you wanted to as long as the provided ingredients were used. Returning to the clubhouse with our finished appetizers the judges (Dane, Earl and Sharon) were impressed by all the entries. Everyone was so creative with each dish, but at the end they liked Brynn and Chandells the best! The rest of the afternoon was spent on more garlic games. We had the "garlic spit contest" to see who could spit the clove the farthest. There were a lot of impressive spits. **Kent** had the shortest spit about 2 inches. Yours truly had the longest spit of just over 21 feet. My Mom would be proud.

The next game, I think was called "musical men", where all the men stood in a circle and the girls circled around the men until the music stops. I'm not exactly sure what happens after that. I'm pretty sure that **Sharon** won, or maybe it was **Al**. Anyway we were all having Fun!

The last game we had was "Guess the Garlic". Now, I thought I had a lot of patience but Earl & Lleslie have proven that they could break me, They not only hand counted and loaded a very large bottle with Olive Oil and garlic, but did it twice. It turns out Olive Oil expands with heat and when you store a bottle of garlic and Olive Oil in your garage and the heat goes up, it becomes some sort of a garlic bomb. I think Earl decided

the second bottle would be vented. It turns out **Robert McLaughlin's** guess was the closest without going over. Saturday dinner turned into an EPIC event with 56 people for dinner, 10 pounds of Penne Pasta, Garlic Stuffed Meatballs, Meat Sauce, Puttanesca Sauce and Garlic Pesto Sauce. We had garlic appetizers, salads and desserts. The meal was over the top and there was plenty for everyone.

With dinner complete and the mess cleaned up we all got ready for round two at the Main Street Ale House for Karaoke. We ended up taking the place over and befriending the locals. It was a packed house with HHYC, KCYC, plus the locals. This was a crazy fun night with all of you that were brave enough to come and sing - Jeff Quinn, Patty Cossack, Dave Hoffman "Elvis", Sue Burke, Big Poppy and Slick. Sorry to anybody I missed, but man it was fun. We closed the place down and headed back to the boats.

Sunday came too early but again our Super-Hosts provided one more meal before departing. We had more eye openers followed by Frittatas and fresh fruit. Terry and Liz brought out their easy bake oven for some extra yummy Sticky Buns. With Sunday breakfast finished we all pitched in to clean up before heading back to the boats to prepare for departure. One by one, we all peeled off and headed home with another nice cruise in the sun. THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU for all of the hard work, Lleslie & Earl, Terry & Dane and Rick & Sharon. The event was a TRUE SUCCESS, because of all of you. Julie and I appreciate all of your efforts and support. I hope to see you all in Port Ludlow for

the next event. Hoping for more great

weather and safe boating!

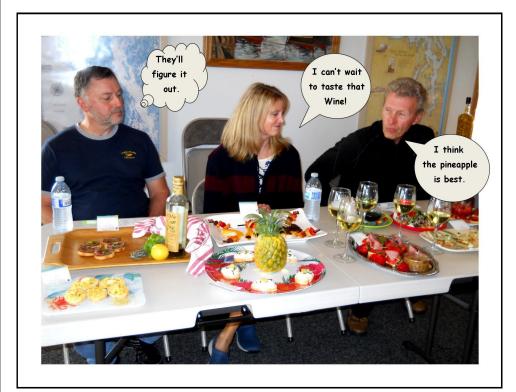
Cheers, James

The Port of Kingston Marina was full 21 Boats from HHYC

# Kingston Reeks.....

Opps, No it was HHYC 2nd Annual Garlic Festil













# Garlic or Saliva??







#### **April Birthdays**

#### Happy Birthday to:

7—Mark Quinn

12—Carolynn Rolstad

15—Larry Tughan

And everyone else who was born in April.

If we missed you and you would like it posted here please send info to.:

jpaulquinn@gmail.com Or Click the link Below

**Birthday Update** 

#### **Website**



Check out the new website.

Web Address www.hhycseattle.com

Check out your info and make sure it's correct. Add a picture of your boat. Ideas?
E-mail our webmaster
P/C Paul Quinn

#### **AWARDS**

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8BALL
Dane & Terry Fantz

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PC Bob Ridenour

# From Carol Soffel's Kitchen

#### ASPARAGUS WRAPPED WITH GORGONZOLA AND PROSCIUTTO

Asparagus... 16 Spears

Gorgonzola.. 5 oz. (or use any blue or goat cheese)

Prosciutto.. 8 slices

Blanch asparagus 3 minutes. Dip in ice water to cool. Dry.

Cut each spear in half. Both halves used for each hors d/oeuvre.

Cut each piece of prosciutto in half to make 16 pieces.

Spread Gorgonzola on prosciutto. Wrap around asparagus.

Place on spar greased baking sheet.

Broil 3 minutes. Turn. Broil additional 3 minutes.

Remove and serve.

#### **CRUISE NEWS**

#### Memorial Day Weekend May 23-26

Hey, HHYC'rs!

Come along for the 100 mile cruise. We'll rendezvous Friday night in Gig Harbor, with possibly a visit to the Tides Tavern. Saturday, cruise to Long Branch for the Memorial Day Grange Dance, featuring live music from "TBD". It's somewhere around \$15 for entry into the dance, with free transportation provided between the marina and the barn. Drink tickets for cocktails or the local artisan IPA. Doors open @ 7:00 PM, dance goes from 8:00 to 11:00PM. We depart Long Branch on Sunday and head to Poulsbo and then come home on Monday. The event is completely self serve and we will be anchoring out. For more info or to let them know you plan to attend please contact hosts Charlie Life.

No sign up necessary as far as your editor knows!!

# Kitsap Wine Festival August 8 –10 No Host

We originally had 15 slips on "P" Dock. They filled up as soon as we put the word out. We now have an additional 6 slips... oops 5 left now

SIGN UP IS WITH PAUL QUINN

NOT the Bremerton Marina if
you want to be with our group

#### **Boats Signed Up**

Ten Forward

Leeward

Sea Vous Play

Scaliwag

**EMME** 

Pacific Eagle

Martini Lounge

Madalena

Oliva

A' Lure

Island Affaire'

Luna

**Brass Tacks** 

Rogue

Cruise Attitude

**Knotty Girl** 

# New Roster Available

2014 Roster

is out for Downloading. If reading on-line

Click Here →

HERE

Or go to the HHYC website, Members only section and download from there....

Total Members 76
Life Time 17
Dues Paying 59



#### Sorry To See You Leave HHYC !!!

**ALHADEFF** 

**BRYAN** 

**BURDETT** 

**CASAL** 

CHACE

DRAGOY

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**FRYDENLUND** 

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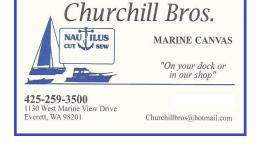
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#### 2014 Events Calendar

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS** 2014

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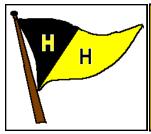
The board meets at 6:30 PM on the second Tuesday of every month (except August) at the "Eastlake Bar & Grill".

All club members are encouraged to attend!

Jan 11	Commodores Ball at Embassy Suites in Lynnwood	PC Dennis Kroeger & Brynn Sheridan
Feb 2	Super Bowl Party, Kenmore	PC Dennis Kroeger & Brynn Sheridan
March 21-23	Second Annual Garlic Fest at Kingston	Earl Summers & Lleslie and Dane & Terry Fantz
April 11-13	Golf and Marina Swap Meet in Port Ludlow	Tom Youngs, Robert & Cristy McLaugh- lin And Paul Life
May 24-26	100 Mile Cruise Memorial Day Weekend	Charlie & Terry Life and Tom Youngs & Isabella McPeak
June 27-29	Edmonds Marina	Glen & Debbie Read
Aug 29- Sept 1	Labor Day Second Annual Crab Derby in Anacortes	Howard & Chandell Gray Vic & Kari Portolese
Oct 31-Nov 2	Halloween Party in Poulsbo	Larry & Kelly Parrett and P/C Paul Quinn & Patty Cossack
November	Pay Your Dues Party	Grant & Giselle Warner and Tom Youngs

OFFICERS

**APPOINTMENTS** Treasurer: Sue Collins Awards: Kris Ridenour Secretary: Carolyn Rolstad Website: PC Paul Quinn Dennis Kroeger PC AI Heerensperger Fleet Captain: Newsletter: Judge Advocate: Sharon Lee Membership: Brynn Sheridan Sergeant-at-arms: PC Rick Lee Health & Welfare: Carol Soffel Clothing: Open



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Come to the Port Ludlow Event April 11-13 Golf, Swap Meet Fine Food and Fun