

## Clover Island Yacht Club Kennewick, Washington

#### From the Helm

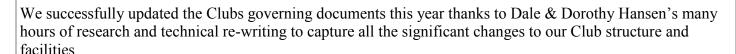
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Commodore	Larry Kuga
Vice Commodore	Jolene Grimes
Secretary	Mark Cope
Entertainment	Dave Chojnacki
Building and Grounds	Jeff Lomax
Docks	Kent McCue
Past Commodore	Dan Bunn

A new era at the Clover Island Yacht Club has begun! For the first time in our 63 years, we have a woman at the helm. Congratulations to Jolene Grimes as our first female Commodore! We also have another first. There are two women on the Board this year, and I look forward to the new dynamic that should bring fresh ideas and added enjoyment to our already amazing organization. Please congratulate the entire new Board of Directors and get ready for another active year.

With deepest appreciation, I thank all the current Board members and their spouses for a fantastic job this past year. Special thanks go out to Suzie

Hammer, our Club Purser, who always keeps the administration of the Club rolling smoothly, and Kathie Bunn, our newsletter publisher, who keeps us informed and entertained each month. Additional thanks to those Past Commodores who continue to assist and guide the Board each year with their

valued experience and sage wisdom.



Thanks to the Grimes and Lomax's for another spooktacular Halloween Party! Costumes were very creative and the selection of food items was outstanding. Mike & Jolene took first place in the adult costume with their rendition of a "One Night Stand!" Children's costume winners were Ryan & Chayo Smith's kids as those adorable Minions.

The Christmas Lighted Boat Parade is December 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> and I hope to see many boats participate in this much-loved community event. Remember, you don't have to be a yacht club member to be in the parade, so tell your other boating friends to come join in.

Put on your formal wear and come to the Commodore's Ball on Saturday, December 12<sup>th</sup>, and help welcome in the new Board of Directors.

Also, the New Year's Eve party at the club is on. Dan and Kathie Bunn have volunteered to host this party.

It has been an honor serving as the Commodore this year of such a fun and wonderful group of boaters. Thank you all for the opportunity.

Always summer....Larry



#### 2016 Board of Directors



Commodore, Jolene Grimes



Secretary, Jim Sarpolus



Vice Commodore, Mark Cope



Past Commodore, Larry Kuga



**Building & Grounds** Dave Chojnacki





Docks, Kent McCue



Cruise & Entertainment **Dorothy Hansen** 



#### Sunshine Report By Genie Sigler



Members that received a little extra Sunshine in October are:

Patricia & Enrique Ramirez – birth of a baby girl, Congratulations Jim Sarpolus – had knee surgery Kathie Bunn – had neck surgery

I appreciate all who notify me about our members who could use a little extra Sunshine in their lives. Please call me at 543-7586 or my cell 492-6104. Thank you. Genie Sigler

### **November 2015**

	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
General Meeting  The General Membership Meetings are held	1	2	3 General Membership Meeting	4	5	6 Friday Night BBQ	7
the first Tuesday of the Month, starting at 7:30 PM.	8	9	10	11	12	13 Friday Night BBQ	14
This meeting is proceeded by a potluck dinner at 5:30 PM. Each member coming to the dinner brings a main dish, salad, or dessert to serve at	15	16	17	18	19	20 Friday Night BBQ	21
The Board of Director meetings are the last Tuesday of the month at	22	23	24 Board Meeting	25	26 Happy Thanksgiving	27 Friday Night BBQ	28 CIYC Children's Christmas Party
6:00 PM	29	30					

## Cruise and Entertainment By: Dave Chojnacki



## Dave and Thora Michels...Cruise/Fleet Captains Mark and Joyce Buxbaum...Entertainment Committee Chairpersons

#### **Past Events in October:**

- October 17, 2015....Fall work party. We had a great turn out and we would like to thank all that participated that without you the club would not look as good as it does. There is more work to be done and we will be shutting off the water soon so be ready to blow out your boat house systems to prevent pipe freezing.
- October 24, 2015...Halloween Party hosted by Lomax and Grimes was a SPOOKTACULAR party with good food and great music. The costumes were great as always and congrats to Jolene and Mike Grimes for winning the first prize. Thanks to all who helped put this together because without you great parties like this one would never happen.

#### **Upcoming Events to plan for in November 2015:**

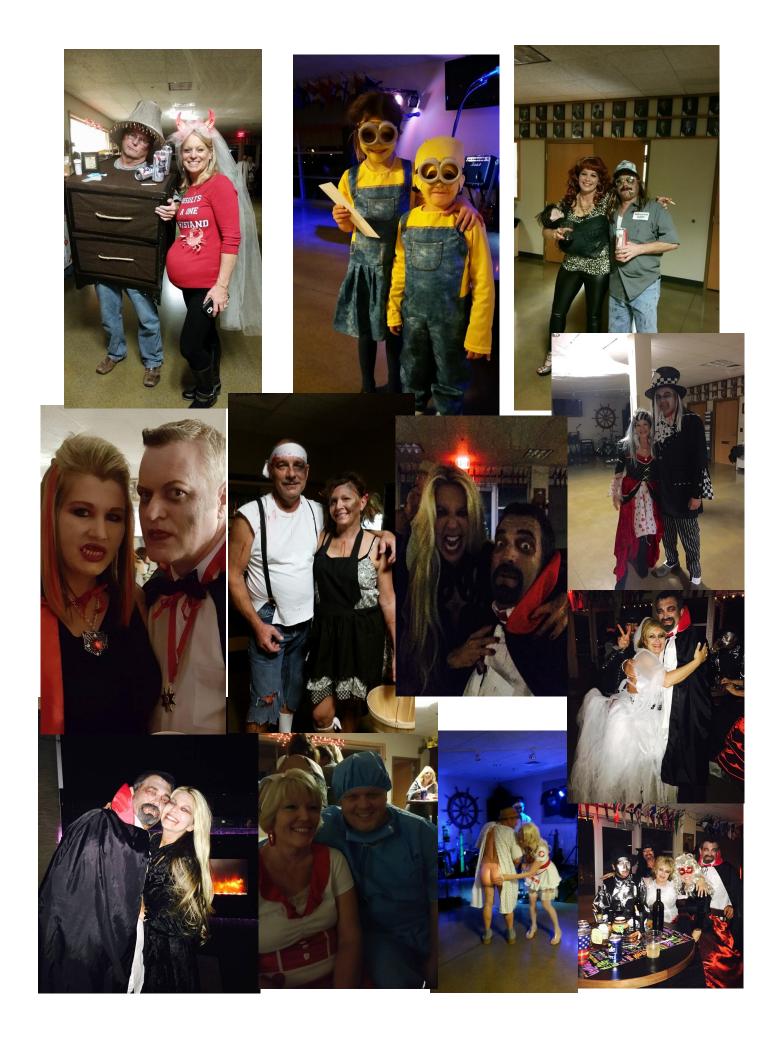
**November 28, 2015...**Decorate the club for the Children's Christmas Party hosted by the Hammers/Bunns.

- NOTE: Seattle Boat Show tickets are available now for \$300.00 which includes bus ride and hotel. Tickets for the show are not included. Seats are going fast so don't procrastinate.
- Don't forget to attend the November meeting to vote in your new Board Members for 2016. We are looking forward to another great year.

#### **Upcoming Events to plan for in December 2015:**

- **December 4-5, 2015...** Lighted Boat Parade hosted by Kuga/Grimes. For the new members this is a great opportunity to show off your skills and participate in a Tri City tradition that brings smiles to all the children and adults. Bring in the Christmas season with spectacular lights on the water and a little hot buttered rum.
- **December 12, 2015...** Commodore's Ball hosted by the Kuga's is a ball affair and an opportunity to wear your best dress and see the club transformed into a gala event. This is also a great time to roast our outgoing Commodore and bring in the new. You will be treated to spectacular food and drink so plan to attend.
- **December 31, 2015...** New Year's Eve Party is a go. Dan and Kathie Bunn have volunteered to host this year. See attached flyer for more details.

Once again, we want to thank all our Hosts and their committees on these events!! Their efforts and the club participation is what make our outings a wonderful success. (It can't be done without ALL of you!) It is extremely important, when applicable, to sign up early to help in the planning for the food and entertainment to support events. Contact the event host with the number in your party that will attend.



#### **FOR SALE**



#### Great Boathouse For Sale CIYC - A-9

18 ' x 45' with an 11 ½ ft. wide well, and can be extended to 60 ft. Has all new electrical with shore power connection. Living area has a bar, refrigerator, water heater, microwave and futon.

Includes a 4,000 pound lift

This is on "A" row, so it includes easy boat access and has beautiful evening view of the cable bridge right out the back door.

1998 Reinell 240 with 454 also available in excellent condition, has dual batteries, marine radio Bimini top and both cabin and full boat cover

\$ 90,000 OBO (without boat) \$104,000 OBO with boat Call Dennis at 509-521-8462 or Dan Bunn at 509-528-5313



In Stock Now 6,000 lb/8,800 lb Boat Lifts

Contact Ryan Smith at 509-531-9209 For your Fall specials

#### **Boathouse A-8**

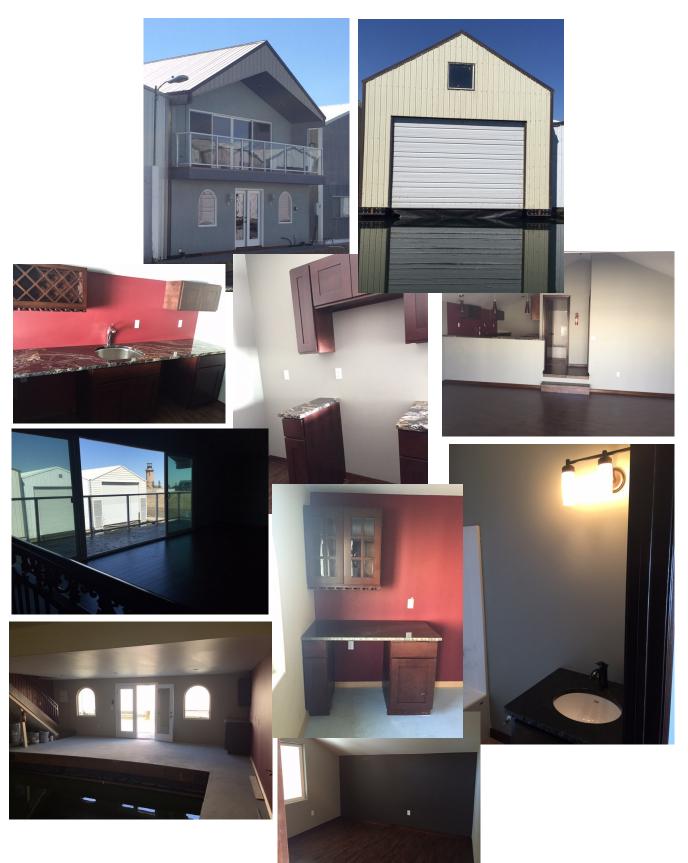
24'x60', loft 20'x24', well 15'x40'expandable.

Ready for your boat.

Asking \$180,000. Call Cindy or Lynn at 509-521-0399

Anyone wanting to post items for sale can send an email to: Kathie Bunn at bkath6@aol.com

FOR SALE: BOATHOUSE C-3 Contact Audel Mendoza for more info 509-430-8722



#### CIYC 2015 Cruise & Entertainment Schedule

Date	Event	Hosts
January 16	Oyster Feed at Friday Night BBQ	Buxbaum
January 17	Crab Feed	Buxbaum
January 24-25	Bus Trip to Seattle Boat Show	Coffland/Lomax/Grimes
February l	Super Bowl Chili Cook-Off	Buxbaum/Kuga
February 14	Richland Yacht Club - Valentine 's Day Dinner/Da	Richland Yacht Club
March 13	CCA Banquet at the Trac	Brad Schilperoort
March 14	St. Patrick's Day Party/Casino Night	Sarpolus/Sedgwick/Cunningham
March 22	Spring Work Party	Board
March 28	Easter Egg Hunt	Morris/Hood
April 24-26	Fish Hook Cruise	Jeffrey/Wood/McCue/Morris
April 25	Richland Yacht Club Opening Day	Richland Yacht Club
May 2	Cinco de Mayo Party	Worman/Grimes/Coffland/McCue
May 9	Swap Meet/Yard Sale	CIYC/RYC
May 10	Richland Yacht Club - Mother 's Day Brunch	Richland Yacht Club
May 29 – 31	Visitor's Weekend	Board
June 13	Richland Yacht Club - Margaretville	Richland Yacht Club
June 21	Richland Yacht Club - Father's Day Brunch	Richland Yacht Club
June 26-27	Umatilla Day's Cruise	Sigler/Wold
July 4	Old Fashioned Barbeque	Worman/McCue/Beltran
July 11	Richland Yacht Club - Beach Party	Richland Yacht Club
July 25-26	Boat Race Weekend	Open for Suggestions
August 8	Pizza Pig-out	Bunn/Hammer/Kuga
August 15	Richland Yacht Club - Dock Crawl	Richland Yacht Club
August 29	Moon Dance on the Deck	Hood/Tudor
September 4	Labor Day Cruise (Local)	CANCELED
September 19	Progressive Dinner on Docks	Grimes/Cope/Click
September 25-27	Fishhook Cruise	Wood/Kuga
October 17	Fall Work Party	Board
October 24	Halloween Party	Lomax/Grimes
October 31	Richland Yacht Club - Halloween Party	Richland Yacht Club
November 28	Decorate Clubhouse Children's Christmas Party	Hammer/Bunn
December 4-5	Lighted Boat Parade	Kuga/Grimes
December 12	Commodore's Ball	Kuga
December 31	New Year's Eve Party	OPEN Please see Dave if you are interested in hosting this event.
January 15-16, 2016	Oyster/Crab Feed	Buxbaum
January 23-24, 2016	Seattle Boat Show	Grimes/Lomax/Jeffrey
January 31, 2016	Super Bowl/Chili Cook-off	Kuga/Buxbaum

## **Kids' Christmas Party**



Saturday November 28, 2015, 3:00pm

Lots of fun activities, pizza, snacks and kids' Christmas movies.

Special early season appearance by Santa!

Please RSVP to Suzie by Nov. 22nd with kids' names and ages. I really need this info so Santa knows what to bring!

(845-3600/Hammer@InlineComputer.com)

## **Christmas Kickoff at the Club**



Saturday November 28, 2015, 3:00pm

In conjunction with the Kids' Christmas Party, we'll also be hosting a Christmas Classic Movie Marathon!

**Greg's Amazing Turkey Enchiladas Provided.** 

Bring your own beverage (and something else to eat if you're tired of turkey)!





## Clover Island Yacht Club's Commodore's Ball

December 12, 2015

5:00pm Cocktail Hour 6:30pm Dinner & Program 8:30pm Music & Dancing

Dinner catered by Clover Island Inn
Appetizers during cocktail hour
Music by Reckless
Pictures available by Real Life Photography until 6:30pm

Your Choice of:
Slow Roasted Prime Rib
Salmon Filet with Crab and Hollandaise
Roasted Pork Loin
& Dessert Selection

Attire is Cocktail/Evening

\$60.00 per person

Reservations needed by Monday, December 7, 2015.

Make your check payable to Clover Island Yacht Club and mail to: Julia Cunningham, 480 Cherry Blossom Loop, Richland WA 99352

Any questions, contact Julia Cunningham at 948-0732

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# CLOVER ISLAND YACHT CLUB "NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY



Please join us to bring in the New Year

Thursday, December 31st.

6:30 Social Hour

7:30 Catered Pasta Bar

9:00 Dance to FALLOUT!!!!

**\$20.00 PER PERSON** 

MARGARTIA'S FOR \$3.00 OR CORONA'S \$1.00 Or BYOB

**CHAMPAGNE AT MIDNIGHT** 

QUESTIONS: CONTACT DAN (528-5313) OR KATHIE (528-8103)

