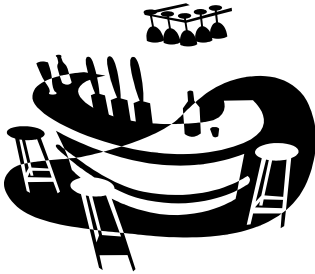




OGYC NEWS

February 18, 2011
Happy Valentines Day!



Rear Commodore News

as submitted by Jim Fry

As the new season begins the OGYC Bar committee has decided on some changes in the bar that hopefully will add to all the members' enjoyment. Plastic cups will be used to allow the members to enjoy their drinks on the deck without fear of any glass breakage. Glass will still be available upon request. The committee has consolidated the number of beverages in order to improve the effectiveness and efficiency of bar operations. The bar will be featuring specials throughout the season and hopefully all members will be able to take advantage of these specials. We will be featuring a different beer each quarter for your enjoyment. The first quarter will be Kalians Red. We hope to provide a specialty drink each quarter at reduced prices.

There have been numerous requests from members to have a more formal schedule of when the bar will be open. The committee would like this as well, but we will need more volunteers to be bartenders. Anyone interested in volunteering their time would go along way to facilitate regular operating hours at the club. Please let any of the bar committee members know or e-mail to ogycbar@yahoogroups.com or jfryog@aol.com.



Slips and Ground Space

As submitted Riley Applegate



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Photo taken by Lynda Kennedy

Ground Space Applications will be available soon on OGYC.net.

Spring is fast approaching and OGYC still has one large slip available. I will be contacting the folks on the Slip Waiting List to see if they are interested in the one slip we have available. If no takers then an email will go out to the membership. Contact me by phone or email if interested, 732.267.3799, snapcom@hotmail.com

Slip holders who have paid their deposit are reminded that the balance of the slip fee, registration and insurance information are due by March 31. Thank you for your cooperation.



Social

As submitted by Joella Nicastro and Donnalee Snyder

FEB. 26TH

**Ocean Gate Yacht Club & Ocean Gate Fire Dept.
INVITE YOU TO:**

BINGO NITE



Basket of cheer

50/50 RAFFLE

Cash Bar

OPEN TO OGYC MEMBERS & GUESTS

6:30 - 9:30 pm

FREE ADMISSION* BINGO BOARDS FROM \$1 - \$10

PROGRESSIVE THROUGHOUT THE EVENING

BINGO SUPPLIES AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE

COMP. COFFEE/CAKE

**ALL PROCEEDS WILL BENEFIT THE SCHOLARSHIP
FUND FOR THE CHILDREN OF FALLEN POLICE
OFFICER JAY MARLES**

St. Patrick's Dance



AT
Ocean Gate Yacht Club

Sat. March 19th 7:00p.m.

Eat-Drink-Dance

And BE IRISH



Entertainment by
the ever popular
EVER ENTERTAINING

"Waterfront Duo"

RESERVATIONS
A MUST

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at 732-269-8899

rmastronardy@bhbins.com

& mail check to

P.O. Box 174

Ocean Gate 08740

all you can eat
FULL CORNED BEEF

DINNER BUFFET

dessert & coffee

CASH BAR

TICKETS \$24



O.G.Y.C. Members & Guests





OGYC 2011 Social Calendar

Please note: All events are subject to change based on volunteer participation from inception to clean-up. Only the events marked confirmed are for certain. The others we are seeking volunteers to run. Please contact Joella or Donnalee if you can help out. Thank you.

January		None-no volunteers available
February	2/6	Super bowl-Applegate
	2/12	Chili Night-Morrow
	2/26	Bingo Night-Fitzgerald Confirmed
March	3/19	St. Patrick's Day Dance-Butow confirmed
April	4/9	Dinner-Foote/Rebman/Bechold/King confirmed
May	5/7	Kentucky Derby
	5/29	Commodores BBQ-Morrow confirmed
June	6/11	Commodore Ball at Metedeconk YC
June	6/20	Sailing Begins
June	6/24	Friday Night Family Dinner
	6/26	Victorian Tea-Snyder/Gashlin/Cleary confirmed
July	7/2	Red, White & Blue BBQ-Butow confirmed
		Friday Night (s) Bar Open & Casual Family Dinner
		Saturday afternoons Bar Open with Snacks offered
		Saturday Night Events to be announced
		Sunday morning coffee
		Sunday afternoon bar open with snacks offered
	7/4	Fireworks on deck
August		Friday Night (s) Bar Open & Casual Family Dinner
		Saturday afternoons Bar Open with snacks offered
		Sunday morning coffee
		Sunday afternoon bar open with snacks offered
	8/6	Classic-Foote confirmed
	8/7	Bay Day-Foote confirmed
	8/20	Sailing Awards
	8/27	Elections/Adult Awards/Sub Dinner
September	9/5	Labor Day Dinner
October	10/9	Bonfire
November	11/13	Soup Party
December	12/11	Christmas Party

Tentative Events based on Volunteer Availability. If you would like to choose one of these events please do so. You can also team up with other members. It will be easier to do an event with friends and a lot more fun. For the most part these events will be on Friday or Saturday nights from late June through September. Please call ASAP to volunteer so you can choose the date and we can confirm the schedule for all members. Thank you!



Jr.'s Auction (Kennedy/Love)
Cheese Steak Night (Jr's)
Talent Show (Kennedy/Snyder/Trem)
Pizza Party with outdoor movie (Andolson)

Summer Dance Party
Fish Dinner
Victorian Tea (Snyder/Gashlin/Cleary)
Dock Party (Snyder)



Sailing

Questions and Answers:

At this time we are accepting any questions that you may have concerning the 2011 upcoming sailing program.

Please forward all your questions to Peter Genakos, vice commodore and sailing coordinator, via email to peter.genakos@covance.com

Be assured that all correspondence will be kept in complete confidence.

NOW IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO VOICE ANY CONCERNS THAT YOU MAY HAVE...

Opti for Sale.

Opti, Dolly, Sail, New Airbags, New Sale Bag, New Rudder Bag –

Great for Beginner Sailor!

The Whole Package - Asking \$700.

Please contact Scott Sucar @ 908-930-5717 for information, pictures or questions. Thank you!

FYI :



Great gifts for the sailor in your family, mom and dad (who work so hard to get you there), your coach or team leader / chairman

**A perfect time to say
"thanks for always being there" !!!**

Along with our full line of Opti and 420 jewelry, attire and accessories, we now offer Zinka Zinc Colored Nosecoat, Nautical Jewelry and Michael Denali Seagrass Hats.....

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General Announcements

Newsletter Information

If anyone has any changes for the OGYC member yearbook (besides what you might have indicated on your membership renewal form) please let Jay Snyder know by March 11th.

Also, if anyone is interested in placing an ad on the yearbook's sponsor page, contact Jay about that too. Call 732-269-4032 or 908-477-9201 or e-mail to donnaleejay@aol.com. Thank you.

From this point forward, I, Lynda Kennedy will be completing the monthly newsletter. If there is any important information, special announcements, photos, etc. that you would like have published and shared with the other members, please send to me by the 15th of each month. You can contact me at decorlynn@comcast.net.

Member Updates

- Peter Seymour, one of Ocean Gate's past instructors and an absolute favorite of all of the sailing kids, has been invited to row at "The Royal Henley Regatta" in England this summer.
Our congratulations and best wishes go out to Peter and his family.

Condolences

- Phyllis Dolin, mother of Donnalee Snyder, died on January 26, 2011. Phyllis was 84 years old. She moved to Bayville to live with her daughter Donnalee and son-in-law Jay Snyder in 2003. She was very fond of the relaxing times spent on the deck of the Ocean Gate yacht club, overlooking the peaceful waters of the Toms River and watching the beautiful sailboats. She will be greatly missed.
- Condolences to Tom & Chris Cleary for the passing of Tom's mother Gloria Cleary. Mrs. Cleary passed away in Florida.
- Condolences to The O'Brien Family for the passing of Barbara's Mother.

Community

- The sand that was dredged at the Yacht Club will be removed by the Borough once again and should be off the property by mid-March. Also, the Borough has chosen the storm drains that lead into the bay by the yacht club to be the first on the river/bay to use the new storm drain technology. This new experiment is broken down into 3 Stages:
 1. The first stage removes the debris-plastic bottles, cups, bags, and your basic downstream garbage.
 2. The second phase removes the silt and sand and floating particles.
 3. The third and final Phase is the particle separator that removes the hydrocarbons (oils), grease, heavy metals, and other pollutants and discharges water that is 99.99% oil, sand and silt free.

This project is an experimental one and at no cost to the borough. Testing will be done from now and throughout the next year.

Paul J. Kennedy
Ocean Gate Mayor