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Tiburon Yacht Club



Latitude 37° 54' N.

Paradise Cay
Tiburon, California



Longitude 122° 28' W.



COMMODORE'S COMMENTS



by Shirley Vaughan

We made it through January!!! Oy, that was a piece of work. We deserve to relax and enjoy ourselves among good friends. Read on for opportunities to make that happen.

But first, how about that Crab Feed? There are very few sure things in life, but the spectacular seafood extravaganza known as the **TYC Crab Feed** never disappoints. For our patience and flexibility with the date, about 100 of us were rewarded with 250 pounds of delicious sweet crab, salad, garlic bread, and mmm panettone bread pudding. Of the 34 or so volunteers it takes to put on this feast, a few stand out: Patty Cerf and Walt Bilofsky for helping with the website changes and refund hassles, Ruth Fults for shopping, garlic bread, and salad, Rene Matthew for that bread pudding, Eric Lyons and Jerry McNulty for tending bar, and Dan Higgins, lead man on the crab line. Thank you to everyone who helped, and especially to Susie Woodrum for making it all happen.

Now, where was I? Oh yeah, **Super Bowl!** this Sunday. Well, first are the **Midwinters** on Saturday: come down and have a beer and check out the racing. Sunday there will be some kind of football game on, with the bar open at 2:30, an hour before kick-off. Around half time we will serve up some of Trip's famous chili, sausages, and dogs, and throughout the day you will be treated to a retro beer tasting. At \$10, that's a real bargain, even before we throw in the root beer floats for dessert! [RSVP](#) or just drop by. Hope to see you there!

The **Chinese New Year Celebration** on February 11 is shaping up to be a really great party. Chinese tradition is to set the new year off right for a happy and healthy life, and to that end we offer a fabulous feast, a special cocktail, games for good luck, music and entertainment, prizes for best Chinese costumes, and fun for the whole family. Watch your inbox and the Tidings for more details. We're trying **something new**, since not everybody likes to pay online. You can register online and pay \$20, or you can simply register, and then pay \$23 at the door/\$10 for kids under 12. This one's going to come up soon, so [sign up now](#); don't delay! Guests are always welcome.

In the works: A Life on The Water movie night in March, The Commodore's Cocktail Party with live

music in April, a Cinco de Mayo Fiesta, and The Commodore's Cruise and Picnic. We'll cruise the lovely, warm San Rafael Canal to the San Rafael Yacht Club, where we'll enjoy a barbecue, maybe a free background concert from Terrapin Crossroads next door, dinghy races, maybe sailing lessons for the kids, kayaks, paddleboards, We tried to do something similar last year for the 4th of July, but the weather did not cooperate. Watch for more details soon.

Please make sure your dues are paid! This is just a small sampling of the fun we intend to have this year, and you won't want to miss out. Please watch for the email if you have not yet paid. You can get a copy of your form at membership@tyc.org

Upcoming events:

Midwinters #1&2 Saturday Feb 4, first gun 1 pm

Super Bowl this Sunday Feb 5, 2:30 bar open, 3:30 kickoff

Chinese New Year Feast and Celebration Saturday Feb 11, 5:30 bar open, 6:30 dinner

Midwinters #3 Saturday Mar 4, first gun 1 pm



Celebrate American Macrobrews at TYC's



"You go high, we go low"
Super Bowl 51 Tailgate Party



Blind Beer & Root Beer Tasting Game!



Hot Dogs or Sausages,
& Trip's award winning Chili
\$10 per person



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February 5th

Bar opens 2:30pm



Kickoff 3:30pm

Please sign-up at TYC.org



Chinese New Year 2017

Come Celebrate The Year of the Rooster at TYC!

Bring Good Fortune for 2017



Enjoy a Chinese Feast, Specialty Cocktails, Dances, Fortune Cookie Game, Gifts
and
Come in Traditional Chinese Dress - You May Win a Prize!

Saturday February 11, 2017

Only **\$20** Prepaid, **\$23** at the door - **\$10** kids under 12






Bar opens at 5:30, Dinner at 6:30






Families and Guests Welcome
TYC.org for reservations

May you enjoy a healthy life and endless luck in this brand new year!













OFFICERS










Commodore	Shirley Vaughan	
Vice Commodore	Michael Destein	
Rear Commodore	TBD	★
Secretary	Jen Irwin	
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Past Commodore	Nancy Bilofsky	

Directors	
Patty Cerf	
Doreen Clark	
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Hal Mooz	
Lauren Selmeier	



STAFF AND COMMITTEES

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Port Captain	Jon Price	
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Westerlies Editor	OPEN!	★

Bar	Eric Lyons**	
Cruise	OPEN	★
Marketing	Walt Bilofsky	
PICYA Delegates	Bob & Patty Cerf	 
Program	OPEN	★
Rentals	OPEN/Melanie Wegner	
Stores	Susan Hoehler	
Webmasters	Walt Bilofsky/Eric Lyons	 
YRA Delegate	Ian Matthew	

**Eric would love to have a Co-Chair

