

## Spring Clean-Up Day!

Saturday, May 9<sup>TH</sup>, @ 8:00 am

Spring is finally here and that means it's time for our annual Put-in-Bay Yacht Club Clean-up Day!



We would like to see as many members as possible, so join us in returning the club house, grounds, pavilion, storage areas and dock to shipshape condition for all of this year's activities. Please mark your calendar and join fellow members and friends on May 9th. If you can – please bring a rake or leaf blower with you. Let's have fun getting ready to enjoy a wonderful summer of activities at the Club. As always lunch will be provided and free dockage for any member coming to help clean up our club. There will be a Board Meeting immediately following lunch.

For Dockage: Call Barb 419-285-4505.

For more information e-mail RC Debbie Larson at [ddlkl@gmail.com](mailto:ddlkl@gmail.com).

Looking forward to a great 2015 season!  
*Debbie Larson, Rear Commodore*

## Memorial Service (names needed)

Sunday, May 24<sup>th</sup> @ 11:30am



Each year on Memorial Day weekend, PIBYC holds a brief service honoring those members who have passed away since the last Memorial Day. The officers

hold a service on the dock, and each member is commemorated by a red rose placed into the bay from our dock by our auxiliary. Please make us aware of any current or past member who has passed away since last May, even if you think we already know.

Contact either Marilyn Paselsky 740-965-9942 [paselsky@insight.rr.com](mailto:paselsky@insight.rr.com) or Barb Chrysler @ [manager@pibyc.org](mailto:manager@pibyc.org).

## PIBYC Yearbooks

Have you yearbook too late! Yearbook is advertisers,



renewed your ad yet? It's not The PIBYC paid for by its sponsors, and

patrons. There is still a need for more Event Page sponsors. You can sponsor a full page of photographs for \$100 or a half-page for \$50. The yearbooks will be mailed to those members who paid for the mailing. Others can pick them up at the clubhouse at the Eye Opener.

## Kroger Rewards Our Swim & Sail Program



The Kroger Community Rewards Program is again supporting PIB Community Swim & Sail Program in 2014. What this means is when you shop at Kroger (any location) you can direct Kroger to donate a

small percentage of your purchase to the Swim/Sail program. There is no additional cost to you. You must have a Kroger Plus card to enroll online at the Kroger Community Rewards website. There are instructions and a direct link to the Kroger site on the swim/sail website [pibswimsail.org](http://pibswimsail.org) to help walk you through the short enrollment process. Our organization number is 90301. IMPORTANT: The KCR program resets on April 1. If you were enrolled before that date you must "renew" or relink your Plus Card to Swim/Sail on or after April 1, 2015 (but not before Apr. 1). Every little bit counts. Help us shop our way to better funding for water safety education.



## PIBYC FATHER'S DAY FISHING EVENT

Mark your calendars for our 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Father/Son/Daughter PIBYC Fishing Event.  
June 21<sup>st</sup> – details upcoming!

## COMMODORE'S BRIEFING



The well-attended Winter Doldrums was a great and fun weekend. Rear Commodore Debbie Drake Larson really did put it all together with a great dinner at the new restaurant The Orchard. It was amazing that such a small place could handle as many

people as we had there and efficiently, I might add.

Our Vice Commodore, Bill Boag was our entertainment for the weekend. At the board meeting Bill just seems to add so much to the mix. And during the winter, Bill has kept the paperwork moving while I wasted my time away in sunny Florida.

Marilyn Paselsky has been quietly reminding me of some of the duties I am supposed to perform and I really want to thank her for that. She is probably one of the strongest catalysts that bind this organization together. And many thanks to her tireless work on the annual yearbook. It appears she may have some help this year in getting advertisers. Speaking of the Bahney clan, my hat is off (and that is a rare sight) to Bob Bahney Jr. (he is the older one) for watching over the grounds and clubhouse during the winter. He is still another one that this club cannot do without.

Thanks to outgoing Jib Sheet Editor, Barb Hodgson, for her great work last year, and particularly the scrambling she did to get the last one out in time before the Winter Doldrums.

Now we want to welcome and thank Scott Beam for taking over the role from Barb. Hoping this works well for Scott. Now all we have to do is supply him with material.

The winter has quickly passed for those of us living in the south..., probably not so fast for those of you still in the frozen tundra. And now we are only weeks away from joining together for a fun Cleanup Day on May 9<sup>th</sup> starting at 0800 hours with a complimentary lunch at noon, followed by a club Board Meeting.

Please use your club often this year, as we love to see you there enjoying the people and the facilities. We have all worked hard to keep the club an open and fun place to be.

**Rick White, Commodore**

### **PIBYC Club Rental**

Are you planning a wedding reception, reunion or other private party on Put-in-Bay? The clubhouse is available to rent to members and non-members subject to availability. Contact Barb Chrysler for information and pricing. Email —

[manager@pibyc.org](mailto:manager@pibyc.org)

## VICE COMMODORE'S CORNER



We started the 2015 season with a great Winter Meeting/Party at the Holiday Inn on Catawba. Thank you to Rear Commodore Debbie Drake Larson for coordinating the event. We had a good turnout for a cold weekend in January. During the

meeting and the weeks following we've been busy planning fun filled activities.

We will be trying a few different things to make it an even more enjoyable summer for our members. Our annual fundraiser will be held on Saturday, July 11<sup>th</sup> to 'Celebrate the Great Lakes' details to follow, but please save the date. Plan on joining us for a unique fun evening with activities that are appropriate for an event held on 7/11.

I'm looking forward to the end of another bitter cold Northeast Ohio Winter. The ferry schedule is posted and the ice is braking up with the help of Mother Nature and the Coast Guard Ice Breaker Neah Bay the boats will be running soon.

See you on May 9<sup>th</sup> at the annual Spring Cleanup!

**Bill Boag, Vice Commodore**

## REAR COMMODORE



We started out the year at The Holiday Inn Express on Catawba, for the annual Doldrums' weekend. Happy hour brought old friends and new friends together. Saturday was our Annual

Town Hall Meeting, it was well

attended with lunch and many decisions being made and problems being solved.

The ladies were found shopping at Newport Dry Goods in the afternoon. They were treated to wine and 40% off to all PIBYC members. Jewelry and clothing were flying off the shelves!

The evening happy hour and dinner was at a new restaurant on 53 - 'The Orchard'. Everyone enjoyed specialty cocktails and a fabulous meal!

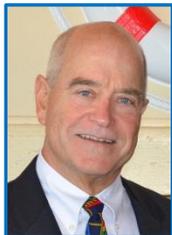
Things wrapped up at the Sandusky Yacht Club for a wonderful brunch.

We were looking out at the frozen waters of Lake Erie and the bare winter image of Cedar Point. If any of you haven't enjoyed The Orchard or the brunch at Sandusky Yacht Club, I would highly suggest you try it!

I would like to thank everyone that helped make it a successful weekend!

**Debbie Drake Larson, Rear Commodore**

## POWER FLEET CAPTAIN



While many PIBYC members, myself included, bundled up against the cold a sizable contingent descended upon Florida Keys for the Marathon Key – Key West Cruise-out and Drive-in. From the opening gathering on Friday evening through the Clam Bake Monday the

participants enjoyed great weather, food, fishing and camaraderie.

The festivities kicked off on Friday with cocktails and hors-d'oeuvres hosted by Cindy Bolte and Jack Houston of PCYC. On Saturday the fish held their own against three boat loads of reef fishermen but far out to sea the tuna fared poorly against the crew of the Huntress. Fishing was followed by dinner with about 40 people at LazyDays Restaurant. A relaxing Sunday followed with a four-hour afternoon cruise to end the day. The festivities wrapped up Monday with a clam bake at the Key Colony Beach Club. Special thanks go to Bill and Gayle Worley who organized the whole affair and to Cindy Bolte and Jack Houston of PCYC who hosted the Friday evening get together.

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Planning is underway for the summer cruising season. We're planning to kick off the season with our traditional "break-down" cruise-out to Huron and the Vermilion Yacht Club June 18 to 21. More details will be published in the May Jib Sheet. Check the calendar at PIBYC.org for the complete cruising schedule for 2015.

**Raymond Arth, Power Fleet Captain**

## AUXILIARY NEWS



The Auxiliary has many exciting events in store for the 2015 season! Here are just some of the events that are coming your way. Mark your calendars and come join us for some fun social and volunteer opportunities. The Auxiliary will be

providing babysitting and lunch for the children again this summer. It is important to sign-up if you plan on bringing children so we know that we have enough sitters and food. You will find sign-up sheets at the club or call or text Kyrie at 216-978-0364.

### 2015 Auxiliary Schedule of Events

June 16 Swim/Sale Welcome Back Potluck at club  
Bring your children and a side dish to share!

June 19 Swim/Sail Spaghetti Dinner

June 20th Saturday Night, celebrate the Summer "Sale-stice". Donate your collectables and gently used items (including household goods, accessories, children's clothes,) for re-sale with proceeds to benefit the Auxiliary and the Swim/Sail program. Items should be priced and dropped off at the club no later than June 18th. Contact Kyrie Lee with questions 216-978-0364.

June 23 Silver Sails Luncheon at club

June 30 Island History Luncheon at club

July 7 Moosemilk with Charles and Betty Finkbeiner at club

July 14 Road Rally Event

July 19 Sunday-Junior Sailor Submarine Sandwich welcome

July 21 ILYA Junior Race Week-no luncheon

July 28 Auxiliary Luncheon at Heineman's Winery

August 4 On the town Luncheon and Annual Meeting-TBA

We urge you to get involved. There really is something for everyone and the club needs our help to make things happen. Here are some opportunities....

- We will be collecting donations items for the summer "Sale-stice". This is going to be a fun filled event for all club members.
- The Swim/Sail spaghetti dinner offers a chance to support the junior programs.
- T-shirt sales and folding during I-LYA Regatta-many hands make light work!
- Join a committee for one of the Luncheons or other social events.

We hope to see you at the many events we have planned this summer. Come to enjoy! Sign up to get involved! See you soon!

**Kyrie Lee, Ladies Auxiliary President**



# PIBYC YACHT CLUB WISH LIST



This list is for items that the PIBYC needs or wants that are not currently in our budget. If you would like something added to the list – please contact Debbie Drake Larson at [ddlkl@gmail.com](mailto:ddlkl@gmail.com).

1. A new or slightly used bigger stove for the kitchen.
2. A blue tooth connection for our stereo and check up so that our speakers are working for us to PARTY!
3. Improvement to our front PIBYC sign with a similar style one.
4. Add a sign or artwork over side door.

If anyone knows of anyone that would be willing to donate time, energy, their expertise, or dollars for these items – again, please contact Debbie Drake Larson

## Commodores Walkway Memorial Bricks



Remember a loved one or commemorate your connection to PIBYC. Each brick is only \$100 and you may specify the location. The memorial brick walkway extends along the front patio down to the street. The

application form can be obtained on our web site [www.pibyc.org](http://www.pibyc.org) or by contacting RC Debbie Drake Larson at [ddlkl@gmail.com](mailto:ddlkl@gmail.com)



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## REMINDERS:



The deadline for the PIBYC Jib Sheet submissions is the 15th of the prior month.

Please email articles to Scott Beam at [beams427@gmail.com](mailto:beams427@gmail.com)

The PIBYC Jib Sheet is emailed to members with an email address.

Historical issues of the The PIBYC Jib Sheet can be found at [www.pibyc.org](http://www.pibyc.org)

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### Bayview Room Spring Hours

Thurs., Fri., Sat. 1700–2200

### Bayview Room Summer Hours

Wed., Thurs., Fri., Sat. 1700–2200

### Bayview Room Fall Hours

Thurs., Fri., Sat. 1700–2200



**April**

15 PIBYC Manager opens office

**May**

1 Swim/Sail Registration-by-mail deadline  
 8 Dock Opens  
 9 Clean-up Day 0800  
 Lunch 1200  
 Board Meeting immed. following  
 21 Weekday Wave Sailing Series Start (every Thursday) 1700  
 Bayview Room Spring Hours Start  
 22 Friday Dinner 1800  
 23 Weekend Wave Sailing Series Start (every Saturday) 1200  
 24 Memorial Service 1200  
 Eye Opener Brunch 1230  
 28 Wave Sailing Series 1700  
 29 Friday Dinner 1800  
 30 Wave Island Race 1000

**June**

4 Wave Sailing Series 1700  
 5 Mills Race  
 Club Rented (PIB Alumni Assn.)  
 6 Mills Race  
 Wave Sailing Series 1200  
 7 Breakfast (Mills Race) 0830-1030  
 8 Swim/Sail instructor orientation (thru 12)  
 11 Wave Sailing Series 1700  
 Garden Club 1730  
 12 Friday Night Dinner 1800  
 13 Board Meeting 0900  
 Wave Sailing Series 1200  
 14 Car Parade After-Party at PIBYC 1430  
 15 Morning Swim, Endurance Swim, and Learn-to-Sail Classes Start  
 16 Auxiliary Welcome Potluck 1730  
 17 Bayview Room Summer Hours Start  
 18 Wave Sailing Series 1700  
 Huron Cruise-Out  
 19 Swim/Sail Spaghetti Dinner Benefit 1700 (Public Welcome)  
 19-21 Vermilion Cruise-Out \* \* \* \* \*  
 20 Wave Sailing Clinic 0900  
 Auxiliary "Sale-stice" evening  
 21 Adult Sailing Lessons (Free) 1000  
 23 Auxiliary Luncheon (Silver Sails) 1200  
 25 Wave Sailing Series 1700  
 26 Friday Night Dinner 1800  
 27 Wave Sailing Series 1200  
 Club Rented  
 28 Dinner Cruise-out 1700  
 30 Auxiliary Luncheon (Island History) 1200

**July**

2 Wave Sailing Series 1700  
 3 Friday Dinner 1800  
 Bayview Rm 1600-2300  
 4 Board Meeting 0900  
 Gardner Trophy meeting  
 Family Freedom Party & Fireworks from Patio  
 5 Wave Island Race 1000  
 5-10 Cruise Out (Old Club)  
 7 Auxiliary Luncheon (Moosemilk) 1200  
 7-9 Club Rented  
 9 Wave Sailing Series 1700  
 11 Wave Sailing Series 1200  
 "Celebrate the Great Lakes" Fundraiser  
 13 T-shirt folding 1000 (tent.)  
 14 Auxiliary Road Rally 1200  
 16 Club Rented  
 Wave Sailing Series 1700  
 17 "Family Days" Friday Dinner 1730  
 Swim/Sail Awards 1930  
 18 Swim/Sail Fundraiser  
 Wave Sailing Series 1200  
 19 Auxiliary Sub-Sandwich Welcome  
 T-shirt sales start  
 19-23 I-LYA Jr. Sail  
 23 I-LYA Jr. Sail Awards Banquet After-Party PIBYC

24 Friday Dinner 1800

25 Board meeting 0900  
 Wave Sailing Series 1200  
 27 AYC Meeting @ PIBYC  
 28 Auxiliary Luncheon (Heineman's Winery) 1200  
 29-30 I-LYA Deepwater  
 30-Aug 2 I-LYA Sail

**August**

1-2 I-LYA Sail cont'd.  
 4 Auxiliary On-the-Town Luncheon 1200  
 5-9 I-LYA Power  
 6 Wave Sailing Series 1700  
 8 Island Race to School House Bay & Picnic 1200-1600  
 13 Wave Sailing Series 1700  
 Garden Club 1730  
 Pelee Cruise-out (overnight)  
 14 Club (front room) rented 1700-2200  
 Friday Dinner 1800  
 14-16 Leamington (Tomato Festival)  
 15 "Something Fun"  
 Wave Sailing Series 1200  
 20 Wave Sailing Series 1700  
 20-23 Detroit Yacht Club Cruise-out  
 21 Friday Dinner 1800  
 22 "Something Fun"  
 Wave Sailing Series 1200  
 24 PIB Road Races Reunion Meeting & Lunch 1000-1200?  
 27 Wave Sailing Series 1700  
 28 Friday Dinner 1800  
 29 Wave Sailing Series 1200

**September**

3 Wave Sailing Series 1700  
 4 Friday Dinner 1800  
 5 Annual Mtg. 1000  
 Board Meeting immed. following  
 Clambake, Time TBD  
 6 Island Race Series 1000  
 8 Bayview Room Fall hours start  
 10 Wave Sailing Series 1700  
 Garden Club 1730  
 11 Friday Dinner 1800  
 12 Wave Sailing Series 1200  
 Patio/bar open for Illumination  
 Wave Sailing Series 1700  
 17 Halfway to St. Patty's Day Dinner 1800  
 18-20 Cruise out TBD  
 19 "Something Fun"  
 Wave Sailing Series 1200  
 Wave Sailing Series 1700  
 24 Friday Dinner 1800  
 26 Wave Sailing Series 1200

**October**

2 Friday Dinner 1800  
 3 Board Meeting 0900  
 Change of Watch  
 Cocktails 1700  
 Dinner 1800  
 4 2016 Planning Meeting 0900  
 Wave Sailing Awards Lunch 1200  
 Friday Dinner 1800  
 9 Eye Closer/Member Appreciation Party, Time TBD  
 10 Bayview Room Fall Hours End  
 11 Club closes

**November**

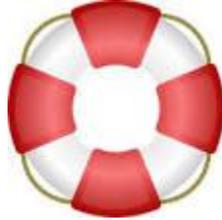
30 Membership Renewal Payment Deadline

**December**

4-5 I-LYA Winter Meeting (French Qtr.)  
 8 Hotel Reservation Deadline for PIBYC 2016 Winter Doldrums (TBD)

# SPECIAL EDITION – JIB SHEET

## APRIL/MAY 2015



***\*The following article was not included in the April/May PIBYC Jib Sheet.***

### SAIL FLEET CAPTAIN

Hello all.

As the last vestiges of a good old fashioned winter fade we are all looking forward to a beautiful summer at "The Bay". The sail fleet will kick with our first race on Thur May 21<sup>st</sup> followed by our first weekend series race on Sat. May 23<sup>rd</sup>. This season we are also going to try a new series to test some additional seamanship skills by having some long distance race s(well not to long) around some of our neighboring islands. We may throw in some twists by making them team events eg: bring your significant other or choose whichever direction you think will be fastest.

The idea will be to do some different things and get more members involved in sailing. With that in mind we hope to offer sailing lessons for beginners to just get out on the water or for others who may know how to sail who would like to try sailing a catamaran. We may also offer higher level clinics (racing) if some of you express interest.

Rather than just offer this opportunity once a year, myself and other of our talented races will offer this every Sunday morning as much as possible. We'll meet around 10 am at the club starting Sun May31st and go from there.

Please call me at 216-210-2108 to let me know if you are coming on a Sunday for the learn to sail or if you have any questions regarding sailing at the club.

Hope to see you at club cleanup day!

***Doug Seib, Sail Fleet Captain***

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## PIBYC JIB SHEET – April/May 2015



### CLUB MANAGER



I'm back and there are lots to look forward to in the next month. May 9<sup>th</sup> is cleanup day and I want to remind everyone that not only is it a fun, productive day but just for helping you get free dockage (reservations 419 285-4505) and lunch! Among our normal cleanup activities we will be focusing on the pavilion. I'll have the list ready so please plan on joining us as we open the club for 2015!

Our first Friday night dinner will be on May 22<sup>nd</sup>. Dick Bliss has volunteered to look over our food and beverage offerings and has promised some new and exciting ideas. We encourage any suggestions.

May 24<sup>th</sup> is our annual Memorial service at 1200 followed by our delicious Eye Opener brunch. This year it is important to make reservations for the brunch so please call the office and let us know you will be attending.

We will again be hosting the Mill's Trophy Race on June 6-7. Your help is always needed so please don't wait for someone to call you, call us! I will also have a sign-up sheet on the board. Your help is always appreciated.

I have the new 2015 Yachting Club of America Reciprocal Courtesy Cards in the office so please stop by and pick one up. Carry this card and you will be welcomed at over 700 Yacht and Sailing clubs throughout America!

I'm looking forward to seeing everyone and continuing to make our club the place you want to be in 2015!

**Barb Chrysler, Club Manager**



## ***HELP WANTED***

Our dock opens on May 8<sup>th</sup> and we need a dock master! If you or anyone you know would be interested please give the office a call (419) 285-4505. The dock master answers dockage calls, answers e-mails, docks boats, keeps the club clean and generally is an all-around helper. This position is at least 40 hours a week (more if you help with events) and pays \$10.00 per hour.

## ***STORAGE AT THE CLUB***

All boats, Trailers and Golf Carts to be parked on the club grounds longer than 24 hours MUST BE REGISTERED with the club manager PRIOR TO STORAGE. Limited seasonal storage is for boats on trailers and golf carts May 1<sup>st</sup> through October 15<sup>th</sup>. (NO CARS, TRUCKS, CAMPERS, JETSKIS, ATVS, TRAILERS WITHOUT BOATS, ETC AND NO WINTER STORAGE). For questions, contact PIBYC Manager (419) 285-4505 or [manager@pibyc.org](mailto:manager@pibyc.org)

## ***LOST AND FOUND***

Are you missing your favorite jacket, sweater, towel etc? Our lost and found has lots of items so check with Barb in the office, we might just have it!

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