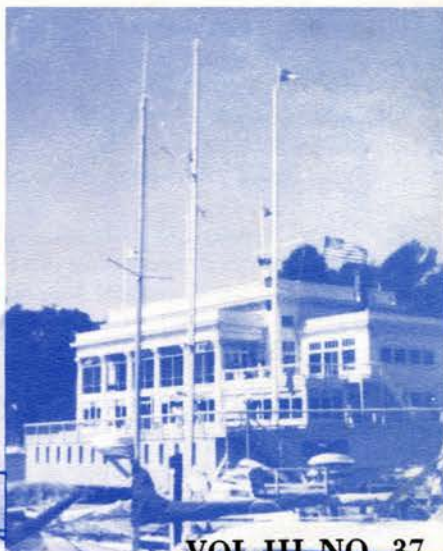
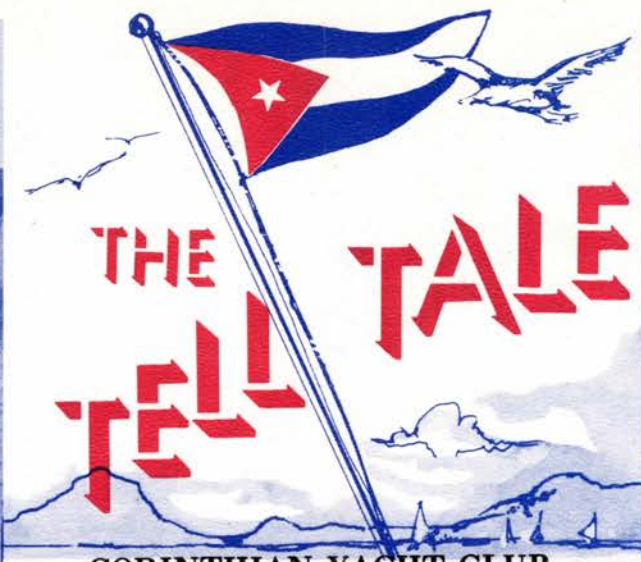


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COMMODORE'S REPORT

As of this early date, February 17th (which is the Tell Tale deadline) the club has received replies from approximately 30 percent of the members with respect to approval of the reconstruction financing. The response so far indicates an overwhelming approval for the Board to proceed as requested.

In the event the majority of members do give their approval, it is conceivable that the reconstruction work could commence by the beginning of April. Paul Brent's committee will keep the membership informed of all progress.

We expect to have completed redecoration of the main bar by the time you receive this, including construction of a firewood box, dry cleaning of all the burgees and some rearrangement of the pictures. Most of this work will be done in-house with the balance coming from the M & I Account (which was established for such purposes). As part of our on-going improvement program we hope to install new carpeting in the main bar to match the dining room; refinish the dining room walls and tackle the upstairs bar with a slightly better canopy over the bar itself and refinish the walls for the proposed new gallery of present member's yachts.

Russ Schneider, Director, 35-year member of C.Y.C., and one of the top Bay racers (with so many season championships to his name it is almost embarrassing) recently underwent open heart surgery and is recuperating nicely. We all wish him a speedy recovery.

John Colver
Commodore

PORT CAPTAIN'S REPORT

Any members who are renting dock space please be advised that when you remove your boat from your appointed spot on the deck that you replace your boat in the same spot. This will eliminate much confusion.

Also in the last issue of the Tell Tale, I requested anyone having any articles in the upper storage in Pneumonia Alley to please identify them with a name tag. At this point, no one has responded and I am, therefore, going to be forced to remove these items as we need the room for storage.

In regard to water conservation here at Corinthian, the water in the harbor will be turned off during the week. If any member requires use of water, the valve can be located on the side of the Harbor Company office near the coke machine and is painted white. Please be sure to turn the valve off once you have finished. Also if any member sees water running anywhere on the grounds or in the clubhouse, please notify the clubhouse office. The showers have been padlocked to conserve water. If you find a need for using the showers, a key may be obtained at the office.

George Haggett
Port Captain

OPENING DAY 1977

Corinthian Yacht Club will again sponsor the "Blessing of The Pleasure Crafts" on Opening Day of the 1977 Season, April 24, 1977.

As in the past 14 years we will again be honored in having a Navy ship to act as the Chaplain's ship for the ceremonies. It will be anchored in Raccoon Straits where the many pleasure crafts will pass in review and receive the Blessing. Aboard the Chaplains' ship will be:

Captain Robert Osman, CHC, USN, District Chaplain;
Rabbi Joseph Messing (Colonel, U.S. Army, Retired); and
Father George Johnson, St. Hilary's Catholic Church, Tiburon.

This annual event is being Chaired by Captain Elmer Towle. Past Commodore Milton Stannard and Roland Fontant are serving as Co-Chairmen.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS.....
BE WITH US FOR THIS BIG
EVENT**

More detailed information at a later date.

Elmer J. Towle, Chairman

SUMMARY OF DIRECTORS MEETING FEBRUARY 8, 1977

The Board wished to express its best wishes to Russ Schneider for a speedy recovery.

Corinthian will not guarantee member's charges at San Diego Y.C. We still have all the inter club privileges but without the charge guarantee.

The Board approved for posting:
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EDITORIAL

TELL TALE is your newspaper! Is it serving your needs? there are so many pieces of mail that are sent each month that could be incorporated into the TELL TALE and SAVE Corinthian Yacht Club money. Think about it. Again we say use your TELL TALE for ads, stories of interest and any other tidbits or happenings that will be amusing or of interest to all of the members.

The Editor

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

1. Arnold Oinoner: Associate Member
2. Wm. E. Simmons: Crew
3. Charles L. Baird: Junior
4. Klink: Racing
5. Lynn Smith: Associate Member

The Port Captain has completed the up dating of fire protection equipment. A new deck steward has been hired-Robert Presly. To conserve water, the club has closed the showers and will use a paper-plastic plate in the dining room.

The House Committee reported that insurance policies are being reviewed and that Doug Whyte has received his contract for the food service. A new policy was set for all private parties held at Corinthian: Up to 100 people one guard is to be on duty; over 100 people two guards.

A new contract is being reviewed for the mooring grounds and a decision will be finalized at the next board meeting.

A letter of explanation concerning the reconstruction financing will be sent to all voting members. The letter will lay out the costs involved and the payout. A post card will be included in the mailing; this is to be returned with the member's confirmation or denial.

Next meeting is March 8, 1977 at 8:00 p.m.

Robert Turnbull
Secretary

RACE CALENDAR

- | | |
|-------------|---|
| Fri. May 13 | Buckner Cup (IORDA) Jr. Buckner (MORA) |
| Sat. May 14 | Buckner Cup (IORDA) Jr. Buckner (MORA) |
| Sun. May 15 | Buckner Cup (IORDA) Jr. Buckner (MORA) |
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Races To Be run Concurrently

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| Fri. May 20 | FRI. NITE RACE |
| Fri. Jun. 3 | FRI. NITE RACE |
| Fri. Jun. 10 | FRI. NITE RACE |
| Fri. Jun. 17 | FRI. NITE RACE |
| Sun. Jun. 19 | IORDA BAY RACE |
| Fri. Jun. 24 | FRI. NITE RACE |
| Sat. Jun 25 | KIF Regatta - 2 races |
| Fri. July 8 | FRI. NITE RACE |
| Fri. July 15 | FRI. NITE RACE |
| Fri. July 22 | FRI. NITE RACE |
| Fri. July 29 | FRI. NITE RACE |

The race is still neck and neck with John Harris coming up fast on the outside. Based on new members admitted through the Board meeting of February 8, George Haggett has the lead with 1100 points, followed by John Harris with 722 and Russ Schneider and Bill Reich tied for third at 650 points. But based on posted potential members, who are not included in the "official score", John Harris may take the lead. It's not too late for you to get into our race to Hawaii. The drive runs through the end of April. With Opening Day fast approaching...and with our minds turning to the yachting season....now is the time for you to talk to your friends about joining Corinthian. Remember that we do have room for more boats....the mooring grounds are available and at under \$15.00 per month are an excellent way to save money. So, again, it's up to you.

Harry Salesky

THE 201st ANNUAL MEMORIAL
TEA CADDY REGATTA

Once more, in a daring display of nautical skill and naval tactics, the three British Knarr boats on the Bay have challenged their American rivals to a yachting duel to determine once and for all supremacy on the high seas!

Corinthian Yacht Club and its adjacent territorial (as well as aquatic) claims has again been selected as the battleground. Incidental to this dazzling spectacle of international yacht racing at its finest, will be:

THE GREAT TEA BAG BASH!!!

In view of the ridiculous price of coffee, all guests will be given their own complimentary tea bag. For those who still bear a grudge after 200 years, there will be copious amounts of champagne, cracked crab, hors d'oeuvres, bagpipers and the one and only:

TURK MURPHY and his Dixieland
Jazz Band....

Mark your calendar and await further details:

SUNDAY, MAY 15, 1977....
CORINTHIAN YACHT CLUB

(ALL PROCEEDS WILL BE
DONATED TO THE 1977 KNARR
INTERNATIONAL FUND)

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY OFFICERS

| | |
|----------------------|-----------------|
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| Hospitality | Barbara Krieg |
| Membership | Eleanor Johnson |
| Publicity | Ellie Salesky |
| | Joan Steinman |
| Telephone | Mignon Stannard |
| Activities | Joan Milchman |

MATES MEMO

On March 2, the Auxiliary will have its St. Patrick's Day luncheon, at which time a film will be presented by the Marin County Unit of the American Cancer Society. The very informative film entitled "Breast Cancer Where Are We" is a part of the public educational service of the Cancer Society and is of interest to all women.

Irish coffees will be served and those who wish may participate in the games following the luncheon.

Looking forward to the April luncheon, Doug will demonstrate and suggest various easy-to-prepare menus to serve on the boats for Opening Day.

Joan Steinman



FLAG OFFICERS

| | |
|----------------------|-----------------|
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CORINTHIAN YACHT CLUB

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|-------------------------------|--------|---|---|---|------------------------|---|
| | | 1 WOMEN'S AUXILIARY LUNCHEON | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 PRIVATE PARTY ***** LADIES REGATTA |
| 6 | 7 | 8 CYC BOARD MEETING 8:00 PM | 9 | 10 HARBOR CO. BOARD MEETING 8:00 PM | 11 PRIVATE PARTY | 12 PRIVATE PARTY |
| 13 | 14 | 15 COAST GUARD AUXILIARY 8:00 PM | 16 | 17 ST. PATRICK'S DAY TELL TALE DEADLINE* | 18 | 19 SAN JOSE SAIL-IN* |
| 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 OPENING DAY PRE-MEETING 8:00 PM | 24 | 25 | 26 HAWK FARM 28 REGATTA |
| 27 HAWK FARM 28 REGATTA | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | | march |

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DEADLINE FOR TELL-TALE

Deadline for ALL TELL-TALE articles is the 17th of each month. Doing this, the TELL-TALE can be mailed with your monthly statements, thus saving money for the Corinthian Yacht Club.

CORINTHIAN GALLERY

As announced in a previous Tell Tale we are planning a gallery of pictures of current Corinthian yachts. We need an 8 x 10 picture of your boat, either black and white or in color. Please turn in your pictures to the office with your name and the name of the boat.

Some members have indicated that they would like the committee to arrange for a picture taking session. Please watch the bulletin board for a sign up list for this project. If you will not be at the club over the next few weeks, and do want to have a picture taken of your boat, drop me a card to that effect, and I will see that you are included in the planning.

Looking forward to seeing your picture soon....

Harry Salesky

**PAY YOUR CLUB BILLS
BY THE 10th OF
EACH MONTH!**