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# The Pointer

November 2018



## Upcoming Events

- **Round-the-bay, Saturday, November 10, 2018.**
- **Semi-annual General Membership meeting, Saturday, November 10, 2018, 5:30 P.M.**
- **November Social—CYC Annual Luau, Saturday, November 10, 2018, 6:00 pm.**
- **Fall Series Make-up Race, Saturday, November 17, 2018.**
- **Christmas Brunch on Saturday, December 8, 2018, 11:00 am.**

## From the Commodore by Butch Leger

CYC's Semi-annual General Membership Meeting is scheduled to begin at 5:30 P.M. on Saturday, November 10, 2018. Please attend as important actions will occur at this meeting, most notably the election of four board members for two year terms, and one for a one year term. The board's nominating committee will offer five candidates for election to the board. The general membership will have the opportunity to nominate additional candidates from the floor. A vote will follow that will select the four replacement board members who will serve a two year term, and one board member who will serve a one year term.

Also, the various committee chairmen will present their respective committee reports detailing the state of current affairs in each

area of club operations and/or activities, i.e., finance, membership, entertainment, race, and house and grounds, and will be available to answer any questions the membership may have pertaining to their respective committees.

Then the meeting will address such other business as may come before the membership.

Our monthly social and meal (annual Luau with cochon du lait) to follow the meeting.

At the next board meeting following the election, the board will elect flag officers, including commodore, for the coming year. One of the duties of the new commodore will be to appoint committee chairmen. Please consider volunteering to either chair one of these committees

or to assist the chairman in carrying out the functions of that committee. Remember, this is your club and if we are going to have socials and activities, then we are going to need your help as members to get involved.

Your attendance at this meeting is highly encouraged and the Luau is a must if you have never attended before. There is just something special about a suckling pig being roasted on a pit. Hope that you can make a day of it and enjoy the race, the fellowship and a great meal!

## November Social by Johnny Beyt & Lawrence Svendson

This month's social, our CYC Annual Luau, will be held on Saturday, November 10, 2018, following the Semi-annual General Membership meeting. Menu will include a cochon du lait, rice dressing, sweet potatoes and salad. BYOB. Cost for the meal will be \$10.00 per per-

son. Lawrence will be collecting at the door.

Please RSVP by responding to the Evite sent out to the membership.

Come out and become informed about your club and its activities, while enjoying

some fellowship over a great meal.

Hope to see you Saturday!

## Membership News by Butch Nolan

The current membership in good standing is 134.

Please note that the broadcast emails sent to you contain addresses of all active and some past members. You can use these email addresses to contact fellow members.

If anyone has a change in their phone number, address and/or email address, please send them to me to update our re-

ords so you can continue to receive newsletters and club notices.

If for some reason you did not receive a newsletter, you can always go to the club's website:

[www.cypremort.com](http://www.cypremort.com) to access the latest newsletter.

You can address any questions you may have about

your membership, membership card, access key, etc., by contacting me at the following e-mail address:

[breakwater@bellsouth.net](mailto:breakwater@bellsouth.net) or calling me at #337-278-4352.

FOR SALE:

## Racing News by Bill Whitehead

October was a busy racing month. The October 6 Round-the-Bay Race #3 featured an almost 11 mile course, brisk winds and a squall line to add some drama. Three boats competed with Mac & Brent Boulet finishing 1st (their 3rd win in the 2018 Round-the-Bay series), followed by John & Julie Conner and Ray Schwartz.

The 4th race of the fall Daily Iberian Cup Series was held on October 13, with 3 boats competing. The weather was perfect with wind from the E-SE at 11-12 mph. This was a really close race with Mac & Brent Boulet finishing under 2 minutes ahead of John &

Julie Conner. Dan Snow finished 3rd.

The Daily Iberian Cup race #5 featured 4 boats, light wind and a shorter course. This was another tight race with only 17 minutes separating the 1st & 4th finisher. Dr. Al Rees finished 1st, followed by Mac & Brent Boulet, John & Julie Conner and Joe Gary in that order.

We have completed 4 of the 5 scheduled Daily Iberian Cup fall series of races. Mac & Brent Boulet hold a slight edge over John & Julie Conner with Joe Gary in 3rd place. A make-up race is scheduled for November 17, 2018, to decide the series.

The Sunfish Splash Regatta scheduled for October 6 was cancelled.

Three skippers participated in the Sunfish Daysailer Adventure cruise on Sunday, October 14. It was a nice afternoon with the wind blowing 10-12 mph. Two Sunfish and a really cool Hobie Adventure Island sailing kayak-trimaran cruised over near the State Park, then North toward Marsh Island before returning to the point.

## Junior Sunfish Program by Bill Whitehead

Over the next several months, we will be working to repair and/or replace some damaged parts on some of our sunfish so we can get as many of them as possible in good order for some spring and summer sailing. If anyone knows of

any used sunfish or sunfish parts that can either be donated to the club or purchased at a reasonable price, please contact me by responding to this email. We are always looking for good used parts to keep our fleet competitive.





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## House and Grounds by Abby Lester

We will be adding more lime stone to the property soon. With the improvements along the bulkhead, drainage is much improved. Please take a moment to notice how rain and bay water from wave action is being directed away from the building.

Repairs to wet slips have been set in motion. We are waiting for a low tide and north wind to survey the project to determine which pilings are in need of replacing. Some expected juggling of boats in wet slips can be expected. We hope to partner with the marina during this project.

Jeff Jolet is spearheading a search for contractors to replace stairs on the north and south of the club house, as well

as helping with handrails. Jeff has been an invaluable force in maintenance everywhere on the property. We all owe him a great big thanks!

Replacing of floors will begin after the social on November 10. The club's upper deck may in is some disorder while this work progresses, but should not prevent members from using same with caution.

Unfortunately we are experiencing vandalism and trespassing. Please be aware of strangers on the property. If you notice an unfamiliar face, take it as an opportunity to make a new acquaintance. Introduce yourself, inquire if they are a member. If not, let them know that these facilities are for members only and po-

lately ask them to leave.

Thanks to all for your continuing cooperation with the drinks in the refrigerator. Please do not leave food items in the refrigerator. Our refrigerator is only for temporary storing of food and drink items. When you are finished cooking, etc., please take you items with you. When finished cooking on the stove or outdoor grill, please remember to turn off the gas.

If you notice any house and ground or maintenance issues that need to be addressed, please contact me to me at [wazzarunner@icloud.com](mailto:wazzarunner@icloud.com)

**PLEASE MIND THE 10 MPH SPEED LIMIT WHILE DRIVING IN THE MARINA.**