

CYCA LOG

ROCK'N AT ROCK HALL



CYCA once again overwhelmed a marina with our outstanding turnout of 21 boats and 64 members and guests. Haven Harbour Marina was cool under fire, scrambling to find slips to accommodate our fleet. Mission accomplished! Friday night cocktail hour was beautiful with a fabulous presentation of member provided food as the sunset on the bay in Rock Hall. Saturday, Mother Nature smiled upon us once again with sunny skies and a gentle breeze. Saturday morning our own Fred Shallcross gave an outstanding mini seminar on the Coast Guard Auxiliary Courtesy Vessel Check. Saturday nights crab feast was another amazing display of food and fun. Not even the rain could dampen the Club spirit as we moved from under the stars to under the pavilion to finish our meal. Take a bow Fleet Captain Dana! Great Year!

Commodore Ramia was greatly missed for this event!

Vice Commodore Chatter

Well, we have all survived another CYCA boating season. So much fun, it doesn't seem fair that summer is only a few months long. As I type this note, I am warmed by the thoughts of the many days that we all spent together, the cherished discussions, the solidifying of friendships and the hope for next year to come just a little sooner.

We are all one big family with a common bond; the

love of life and the pursuit of happiness. It just so happens that classic yachts are the catalyst for our congregation. I had given a toast on Saturday night and I was asked to repeat it in this log by Mrs. Susanne Max. This toast I feel embodies the true meaning of our wonderful club and it's beautiful members.

"There are good ships, there are wood ships, there are ships that sail the sea, but the best ships are Friendships, and may there always be."

V/C Chris Morrison for Commodore Ramia

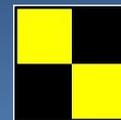
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EVENTS SCHEDULE

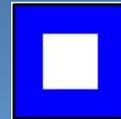
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March 24, 2012
Ice Breaker Dinner & Casino Night
[Kent Island Yacht Club](#)
Chester, Maryland



June 8 - 10, 2012
Flag Raising Rendezvous
[Annapolis Landing Marina](#)
Annapolis, Maryland



July 13 - 15, 2012
Mid-Summer Rendezvous
[Skipjack Cove Yachting Resort](#)
Georgetown, Maryland



August 17 - 19, 2012
Classic Yacht Festival Rendezvous
[Bay Bridge Marina](#)
Stevensville, Maryland



September 21 - 23, 2012
Late Summer Rendezvous
[Haven Harbour Marina](#)
Rock Hall, Maryland



October 20, 2012
Change of Watch
[Aqua Sol Restaurant](#)
[Summit North Marina](#)
Bear, Delaware

Change of Watch at Aqua Sol Restaurant

Can it be that our last event of the year is quickly approaching? Change of Watch and our annual meeting is Saturday October 20, 2012. The venue is Aqua Sol Restaurant at Summit North Marina in Bear Delaware.

This event will be a plated meal with choices of prime rib, mojo marinated chicken or teriyaki salmon. Even as a formal event of our annual meeting, presentation of the Classic Yacht Festival awards and installation of the new Bridge and Board; this will be a fun event and a last time to see this year many of our CYCA family. Oh an let's not forget this is when I get to that long

awaited day of Past Commodore!

It is hard to believe that my year serving this great club as Commodore is quickly coming to a close. Other P/C's had said that the year would go by quickly. I must say it has. I will reflect on the year in the COW newsletter.

I hope to see many of you at the dinner so we can share some more laughs and most importantly welcome and support our new Bridge and Board. This is what makes our club great and strong while providing good memories along the way.

Formal invitations will be arriving in your mail box. RSVP to the event to close out our year.



*Change of Watch &
Annual Meeting*

*Aqua Sol @ Summit
North Marina
October 20, 2012*

*Don't miss our last event
of the year!*

2012 Classic Yacht Festival



*"Glacier" our CYCA Spirit Award
winner.*

What beautiful lines!

Our 2012 Classic Yacht Festival was a huge success again this year with representation in four categories.

Category 2 - 40' and Over - Wood (C. Irwin Hochhaus Memorial Award)...and the winner is **Trouper II** a 1935 40' Consolidated

Category 3 - Under 40' - Non-Wood...and the winner is **Nadine** a 1972 36' Chris Craft Commander

Category 4 - 40' and over - Non-wood and the winner is (wait - we have a tie!) **Bella Nave'** a 1966 57' Chris Craft Roamer and **Billingsley** a 1978 42' Grand Banks

Sailboats - tough call...**Laze Daze** a 1983 34' Hunter

Best in Fleet (W. Douglas Weir Award) **Trouper II**

CYCA Spirit Award - Went to **Glacier** based on the total restoration by Chris Morrison. Great job, Chris! and Dana!



Fall Boating

Fall is still a great time to use your boat. The air is crisp and clean with crystal blue skies. As you travel familiar rivers you will see things along the shoreline that you hadn't noticed all summer! Don't miss out on the fall colors and the vibrant sunsets.

This is the third season of boating. So get out there and take in all of mother nature's beauty that you only fully appreciate from the water! Enjoy that labor of love that costs X number of boat units each year. Happy End of Season!

Bridge & Board

The Bridge and Board contribute greatly to the success of the club year and devote many hours to provide a great season. I am fortunate to be part of an outstanding team. Please be sure to thank them through out the year for their efforts:

Vice Commodore	Christopher Morrison
Rear Commodore	Craig Collins
Fleet Captain	Dana Morrison
Secretary	Stephen Meloy
Treasurer	DeeAnn Harris
Governors	Dale Harris (Webmaster)
	Cheryl Holt
	Jon Lines
	Esther Newman
	P/C Dave Ochipinti
	Dr. James Ricely (Fleet Surgeon)

CLUB NEWS



BoatUS

Group ID: GA 84908Y

Each CYCA member who registers with BoatUS as a member of our "group" has their member dues renewal automatically sent out at the coop discounted rate which is one-half the usual annual rate.



New Members

Looking forward to welcoming two to three new members next month.

Prospective members George & Karen Blewitt with a Viking 44' and Patty Soppe with a Pacific Seacraft 38'.

V/C Morrison did some dock recruiting of Chuck & Joan Hutchings on their Egg Harbor 38'.