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Eagle's View

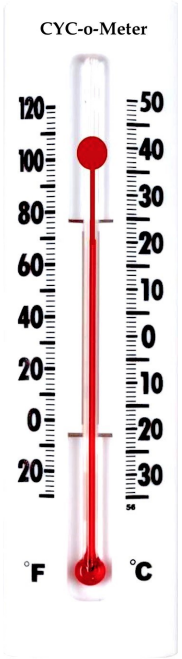
Commodore Dean Eckenroth & wife Nancy

This month's definition: **TOMORROW** … One of the greatest labor saving devices of today.

The 13th **Sharp Hospice Regatta** hosted by Coronado Yacht Club is now behind us. Working with Sharp Hospice's **Bill Navrides**, his staff, our many CYC volunteers and staff, boat owners and sponsors, a slew of participants, and Chaired by the dynamic duo of **Kathy Bongiovanni** and **Sherri Summers**, the annual regatta raised valuable funds to fuel needed hospice care and facilities. Along the way, it was a three day party that took a year to plan. During our partnership over these 13 years, we have helped raise over three and a half million dollars.

Thanks go to Regatta Planning Committee and CYC members **Sue Bartsch**, **Jackie Busch**, **Dave Flint**, **Jeff Jakus**, **Tracy Lyon**, **Marita Malskis-Bodkin**, **Jill Powell**, **Bill Sandke**, **Nancy Strickland**, **Bonnie Van Vugt**, **Alyce Vessey** and **Sarah Vogel** for their year-long efforts.

Special thanks go to **Fabian Arreola**, **Dave Flint** and **GM Lou Milioti** for securing slips, placing boats and making our Club shine during this amazing event, and to those CYC members who vacated their slips for a number of spectator boats. And deserving recognition are CYC member spectator owners and boats: **Gary** and **Penny Boggs** – *Oh! Penelope II*, **Jack** and **Karen Bollinger**—*Karen Ann*, **Frank** and **Kathy Bongiovanni**—*Pilar*, **Bev Burroughs Jakus** and **Jeff Jakus**—*Destiny*, **Scott** and **Bridget Grimes**—*Silver Lining*, **Max Gurth**—*Kiley Shae*, **Fred** and **Suzanne Hawes**—*Anona*, **Wayne Hunter**—*Epiphany*, **Chris** and **Barbara Kleber**—*Crowning Aroun*d, **Todd Marshall**—*Bravissimo*, **Susan McKnight**—*Dream Sequence*, **Bubbles** and **Arlene Nordgren**—*Sea Bubbles*, **Robert** and **Monica Oder**—*Cosmo*, **Jim** and **Kathie Parish**—*Blue Moon*, **Steve** and **Susan Schelkun**—*Bonejour*, **Patrick** and **Elise Shaw**—*Rhapsody*, **Craig** and **Melissa Smith**—*Pau Hana*, **David** and **Barbara Snodgrass**—*Quartet*, **Dick** and **Annetta Townsend**—*Spellbound*, **Arie** and **Bonnie Van Vugt**—*Island Magic*, **Mike** and **Erin Yeakle**—*Imagine*, and **Bruce** and **Donna Young**—*B Liner*. And many thanks to all the volunteers and contributors who are just too many to list. Because of you, this was a hugely successful event.



Also, a big shout out to **Chef Benito** and staff for producing a record number of meals and service for upwards of 1,500 attendees over these events. Tremendous effort under trying and hot conditions.

During the Friday evening gala dinner at the Hotel Del, CYC's own **Dr. David Botkin** and **Marita Malskis-Botkin** were recognized with the **2018 Distinguished Service Award** by Sharp Hospice for years of dedicated efforts on behalf of all in need of the special care that hospice provides. We are proud of you both.

And lastly, congratulations to ***Elusive's*** crew, Captain **River Paquin**, skipper **Rick Harris**, **Tommy Rudowicz**, **Crew Fritsch,** and **Tristan** and **Jim Richmond,** who brought home the **Greg Walker Cup** for the second year in a row. According to **John Paquin**, they are going for the three-peat in 2019.

We have reviewed and submitted suggestions for a new five-year lease from the Port and await comment from **Port Leasing** on our input. We are hopeful it will be resolved soon, and we can focus on planning for either a remodeled or new clubhouse.

The **Crab Fest** is sold out for the 16th. Who would have thought that someone having crabs would be a good thing. Only at CYC. Also, don't forget the "**baconater**" event on September 29. As the **Whittemore's** always say "Bacon, there is nothing it can't do."

Thanks to our membership and the Special Meeting on Air Conditioning, relief is in the air for our Club as we prepare to install three new air-conditioning units and ductwork. Kudos to **V/C Tom Lyons**, **R/C Scott Grimes**, the Finance Committee Board of Directors, and our members for seeing this through.

Respectfully submitted,
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Upcoming Events in September

1	Lipton Cup Appreciation Party
3	Labor Day: Weekend Menu & Bar Open
5	Last Day of Bounce House/ Movie on Wednesday Nights
6	Membership Meeting
7-9	Guest Dock Reserved
8	Private Event: Side Lawn
7	Neil McGuinness Series 4/4
8	Slip Cost Analysis Workshop
9	Private Event: Dining Room
10	MNF Starts Paint Night Party Finance Committee Mtg.
13	Board Meeting
14	Band in Bar: Uplift Band
15	Kitty Muhl's Ladies Day Race
16	Crab Feast
18	Trivia Night Last Day of "In-Season" Hours
20	Private Event
22	Private Event: Portside Patio
23	Private Event: Side Lawn
23-26	Dana West Yacht Club Raft-Up
25	Bar Area Closed for Renovations
27	Employee Appreciation Day
28	Band in Bar: Nitro Express
29	CYC's Bacon Tasting Contest

All events are subject to change.
Check page 19 for detailed two-month calendars

Office

Mon., Tues., Thurs. ..... 9 AM—5 PM
Wednesday ..... 9 AM—7 PM
Friday ..... 10 AM—7 PM
Saturday ..... 9 AM—5 PM
Sunday ..... 9 AM—5 PM

Bar Hours (In-Season)

Mon, Tues, Thurs ..... 4 PM—8 PM
Wednesday..... 4 PM—9 PM
Friday ..... 4 PM—10 PM
Saturday..... 10 AM—9 PM
Sunday ..... 10 AM—8 PM

CYC Restaurant

Dinner
Wed. & Fri. .....5:30 –8:30 PM

Weekend Menu
Sat. & Sun.....9:00 AM–5:30 PM

To-Go Menu (Snack Bar)
Wed. & Fri. .....5:30 –8:00 PM
Sat. & Sun.....9:00 AM–2:00 PM

From the Crow's Nest

By General Manager Lou Milioti

September brings us to the end of summer, the start of the school year, college and high school football season and hopefully a much needed break from the summer traffic and heat that our little slice of paradise has experienced these past three months.

I want to thank all of the members who participated in the Special Meeting on August 18th approve Capital Improvement funds to replace the clubs H.V.A.C. system. A special thank you to **Dave Krock & Staff Commodore Lyons** for researching and approving the vendor and monitoring the progress of this club project. **Dave Krock** has shown on numerous occasions during his Flag membership at CYC on what makes our club such a special place and it is due to the VOLUNTEERISM that each member brings to the club that participates on a committee. Thank you Dave and all committee volunteers and Board members!

Speaking of volunteerism: in August the Flag members of CYC donated boats, time, funds and support to both the Sharp HospiceCare Regatta and our second annual Cornhole Tournament to benefit the Cystic Fibrosis foundation, raising over $400,000.00 for charity in one month alone. **WOW!** We have such an amazing membership that truly supports our local charities and community. THANK YOU to all of the membership for not only volunteering but allowing YOUR club to be used for such noble causes.

This month, we will be conducting an audit of our *PADDLE BOARD, KAYAK & BIKE RACKS*. If your paddleboard has been stored in a "friends rack" or "open" rack, please REMOVE it. Those boards/kayaks that are found not to be in compliance with the CYC decal and rack assignment audit by October 1st will be removed and placed in the CYC workshop until October 30, 2018, at which time they will be donated to a local charity. Also, per the CYC House Rules page 10 #8., "Bicycles are to have a CYC decal and be MAINTAINED IN GOOD CONDITION, those appearing to be abandoned will be disposed of."

This summer surpassed last year's record-breaking summer and was the busiest summer we have had on record at CYC for member participation in food, beverage and special events. I am really amazed at how much the club has transformed the last eleven years in becoming such a vibrant exciting relevant place to be and "the IT place to be" in Coronado this summer season.

Are you ready for some football? CYC's fabulous Monday Night Football tradition continues this season with co-chairs Ms. **Cathy Brown** and Ms. **Cheri Aegerter** organizing the dinners. Please contact **Cathy** & **Cheri** to get a briefing on how to produce one of the dinners and you can sign up to cook in the binder at the desk. Your club is the best place on the island to watch the games, great food, drink specials, and of course your fellow members. The first game of the MNF season will be on September 10, shown in the CYC bar.

Our food service team will continue to serve dinner on Wednesday & Friday evenings, even after Beer Can races ends this month on September 26. We will be featuring Prime Rib, Lobster Tail nights as well as themed buffets on Wednesday evenings this fall. Our menu items have an emphasis on fresh local ingredients and we always have two fresh catches of the day for you to enjoy. Our salad bar has over 30 fresh items for you to create a healthy meal from as well as it includes pasta, pizza and dessert for those looking for something a little more substantial besides fresh vegetables.

The weekend menu will also be available for your enjoyment on Saturdays and Sundays from 9:00 am to 5:30 pm. The menu features both breakfast and lunch items so you can have a burger at 9:00 am or an eggs benedict at 4:30 pm. Please come down and support your food service operation during this traditional slow time. I guarantee that you will enjoy your dining experience!

The bar will continue summer hours through Labor Day and return to winter hours September 18th. The family programming on Wednesday evenings will conclude on September 5th. The bounce house and evening movie in the Jr. Clubhouse will still be available on Friday evenings.

We will be having our "End of Summer Employee Appreciation Party" on September 27 so that we may have as many employees participate as possible. ***The clubhouse and club services will be closed at noon on Thursday, the 27th and will re-open at 10: am on Friday the 28th.***

If there is anything that our staff or I can do to improve your membership experience, please do not hesitate to contact me lmilioti@coronadoyc.org.

Aloha
Manager Lou

Rebus Oeconomicis

By Vice Commodore Tom Lyons

The club is performing very well financially year-to-date with a very healthy bottom line and overall balance sheet. We have made small improvements to our clubhouse and grounds over the last few years, which has improved the member experience. CYC is the place to be, as evidenced by positive activity at the club and members enjoying the club more frequently.

The finance committee met on August 6th.

We discussed a report from the Investment Subcommittee. The subcommittee met on July 27th to review the investment portfolios of the Slip and Capital Improvement Funds for CYC, discussed the latest update on when funds will be needed, the overall allocation of equities to fixed income, and the current economic and interest rate environment and the liquid cash position. For both the Capital Improvement Fund and the Slip Replacement Fund, the Finance Committee approved the Investment Subcommittee's recommendation to use proceeds from matured fixed income securities to purchase 12-month U.S. Treasury Bills. Our investment strategy remains conservative.

We are starting to work on the 2019 budget and plan to have the budget finalized in September.

The committee discussed the Marina cost tracking and analysis worksheet and agrees with its findings, accuracy, methodology, and what we are measuring. After compiling six months' worth of data, we held a member workshop on August 18th. The feedback from members was positive. We plan to hold another member workshop on September 8th before writing motions for this year's annual meeting. The Finance Committee will discuss member feedback at the September 10th Finance Committee Meeting. As costs change from year to year, the methodology and formulas of the of worksheet will serve as the basis for calculating future slip costs. Additionally, wet slip electricity charges will be split off to each individual slip holder, now that we can measure the usage of each wet slip through metered pedestals, versus the pooled rate that is currently in our overall cost per linear foot.

The committee also had a good discussion and debate regarding the need for new air conditioning units. Our air conditioning units are not functional and are beyond repair. The committee discussed member and staff comfort and experience versus asking members and staff to "grin and bear" no air conditioning until we know what our plans are for improving the clubhouse. This August, there were days that clubhouse was 95 degrees inside. After receiving and examining three bids, the Finance Committee approved an amount of up to $65,000 from the Capital Improvement Fund to install new air conditioning units, which was then approved by the Board of Directors on August 9th, and subsequently approved by membership at a Special Meeting on August 18th. The Finance Committee, the Board of Directors, and the members that attended the Special Meeting all enthusiastically approved this decision. Based on the bids we received, with the help and contacts of Staff Commodore **Bill Lyons** and Flag Member **Dave Krock**, we believe that we will only need to spend about $30,000 of the $65,000, and the air conditioning should be installed by early September, just in time for a few good Fall Santa Anas. These units are fully intact and can possibly be moved and utilized after building improvements occur, depending on the timing and age of the units. I want to thank Rear Commodore Scott Grimes who brought the HVAC issue to the forefront and volunteered his time to quickly research solutions.

It is important to remember that we are in the hospitality business, and when it comes down to it, whether it is in business or life, people remember most how you made them feel. By making small improvements to our club, we are creating a positive virtuous cycle of people wanting to spend more time at our club, which also equates to additional revenue and a healthy bottom line. Through new membership applications alone, because CYC is the in high demand place to be, close to $80,000 year-to date has been contributed directly to our Capital Improvement Fund. If we were not focusing on hospitality and a positive member experience, we would not be attracting this many new members and be in such a healthy position financially. The A/C is an investment in continuing to promote a positive, comfortable, and welcoming member and staff experience.

Respectfully submitted,
Tom Lyons
Vice Commodore
Chair, Finance Committee

Port Captain's Report

By Port Captain Dave Flint

1. **Much appreciation and gratitude** to all the members of our Coronado Yacht Club for all their volunteer work and contributions to the August **2018 Sharp HospiceCare Regatta** weekend. A very special THANK YOU to all of our wet slip holders who kindly moved their boats out of their slips to allow Spectator boats to use their slips for the weekend. These members included: **George/Nancy Hall,** "Inkling", **Dina Balfour,** "Johnny D", **Nick Petriccione,** "Northern Wind", **Tom/Debbie Riddle,** "Pelican", **Earl Petznik,** "Sea Snake", **Brian Bilbray,** "Southerneze", **Bob Wilson,** "Still Nasty", **Ned Imming,** "War", **Ken McGlashan,** "Shamwari", **Bill Kelly,** "Heat Seeker", **Mike Bixler,** "Viola", **Mark Surber,** "Derivative" and **Mike Chase,** "Whistle Wing V". Sharp HospiceCare truly greatly appreciates your efforts and generosity. We look forward to you helping us out again next year. At the writing of this report it was rumored the total contributions to Sharp HospiceCare this year set a record of about $400,000.

Wet Slips and Shed Assigned:

C-16	40'	**Ed/Tamra Henken**	Ready Wait Slip List
C-23	40'	**Steve Streifer**	Better Slip List
C-25	40'	**Glenn Welch**	Better Slip List
Shed	#3	**Mike Lewis**	Shed Wait List

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The 2018 Nominating Committee is now accepting nominations for the **2019 CYC Officers and Directors!**

THE DEADLINE FOR NOMINATIONS IS SEPTEMBER 30, 2018.

Please submit your nominations (including incumbents), resumes and background statements, **before the deadline of September 30th.**

The Nominating Committee will be **posting the final slate on October 13, 2018.**

The election of your 2018 Officers and Directors will occur at the Annual Meeting, November 13, 2018

*****If you are interested in learning more about Board service, have questions about the process, or interested in joining the 2018 Nominating Committee please e-mail Jr. S/C Bill Sandke at billsandke@gmail.com*****

Thank you,
Bill Sandke
Jr. Staff Commodore

Membership Status
The Numbers

Flag	618
Jr. Flag 50%	15
Jr. Flag 100%	9
Social	7
Flag Member Total	**649**
Absent Flag 25%	17
Absent Flag 50%	3
Junior Paying	98
Jr. Non-Paying	32
Life Flag	3
Senior Flag	31
Deferred	64
Total	**897**

NEW MEMBERS

Shannon & Justin Nevitt—Flag
Bethany & Thomas O'Reardon—Flag
Brooke LaRocco—Non-Paying Jr.
Paige LaRocco—Non-Paying Jr.

CHANGES

Clinton Snyder—Deferred to Flag
Kelly Granillo—Non-Paying Jr. to Paying Jr.
Elizabeth Tipton—Abs. Flag 25% to 50%

RESIGNED

Culver & Elisa Parker—Flag

APPLICANTS

Bethany Windle—Social
Bill Sandke

Walter Brown & Kathryn Justice—Flag
Jack & Gina Kosters, Clark & Kathy Nichols

APPROVED, AWAITING VACANCY

Steven Pittendrigh & Karen Greenberg—Social

Jeffrey & Linda Schlachter—Social

Allan & Lyndsey Arendsee—Social

Matthew & Allison Smith—Jr. Flag

8 BELLS

Neil McGuinness
Long time member since Nov. 1981
Passed away on August 19, 2018

Beverly Snyder
Long time member since August 1972
Passed away on August 23, 2018

DEADLINE FOR MOTIONS

FOR THE 2018 ANNUAL MEETING

DEADLINE: OCTOBER 4

MEMBER & COMMITTEE MOTION TIMELINE

Oct 4	Deadline/7 Days before October Board Meeting
Oct 11	October Board Meeting: Board assigns motion to Bylaws or any other Committee(s) as deemed appropriate
Oct 12-25	Committees(s) & Bylaws Committee works with member/Committee to finalize drafts of motions
Oct 26	Bylaws Committee submits finalized drafts of motions to office for inclusion into the Call
Oct 30	14 Days Before Semi-Annual Meeting/The Call is electronically distributed to the membership
Nov 8	November Board Meeting: Board hears presentation on motion and votes to support/oppose motion

THE ANNUAL MEETING IS TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 13, 2018 AT 7:00 PM IN THE CLUBHOUSE

Rod and Reel Report

By Rod and Reel Chairman S/C Paul Dodson

The results of the 21st Annual South Bay Combined Fishing Tournament are as follows:
The event was held on August 4th and was open to CVYC, NYCSD, CCYC and CYC, hence "The South Bay Combined Fishing Tournament".

The Ladies Category was wide open with only **Rose Ann Krock** registered. Reportedly, **Rose Ann** hooked onto two large dorado however was unable to get them on the deck. A special thank you to **Rose Ann** for participating and sharing her story with us.

The Men's Category consisted of First Place Winner Flag Member **Michael Copp** with a 10.2 lb. yellowfin tuna, caught off the vessel "C-Notes" owned by **Tom & Mary Christensen.**

Dave Krock recorded a 9.6 lb. dorado, caught off his vessel "Blue Pearl" and landed him in second place.
Then we had **Erik Karlsson** record a 9.0 lb. yellowfin tuna for third place, caught off the Vessel "C-Notes".

The CYC Juniors Category stole the show, with 15-year-old **Jesse Vernallis** recording a 16.2 lb. yellowtail, caught off the family vessel "Seafore".

Jesse not only won the Junior's Category, he also won the overall tournament with First Place. **Jesse** will have his name engraved on the Perpetual Trophy, currently held by CYC for the past 11 years.

Also, in the Juniors Category, we have **Dominic DeNardi** who placed 2nd and 3rd in his category, with a 10.6 lb. dorado and 7.6 lb. yellowfin tuna, caught off the family vessel "Big Iron IV".

Overall, CYC, had 6 vessels with 19 anglers onboard. Four of the anglers were from NYCSD, However, they did not record any weigh ins.

Reportedly, the seas were very calm all day, However, the fishing was reported to be very spotty, as two of the vessels failed to record any fish. As stated by one angler, "It was a challenging day."

Then on Sunday evening, we held the Annual CYC Fish Fry and Awards Dinner for the tournament the day before.

Again, Flag member **Andrea Dodson** pursued the CYC Junior Fundraiser as last year and raised $664.00 compared to last year at $641.00.

Andrea really devoted herself to the task and therefore, as last year, we considered the fundraiser a success, along with the tournament and the fish fry.

We would like to thank the boat owners and anglers along with our tournament sponsors, "Angler's Choice" and "San Diego Marine Exchange" for their support of the tournament.

It should further be noted that **Mel Whittemore** and **Don and Eileen Panek** also assisted in the morning set-up for the Fish Fry and **Jim and Gayle Welty** stayed around after dinner to help put the place back in order.

We would like to extend a very special thank you to all the above mentioned individuals for their efforts in making for a very enjoyable evening.

Waves and Words

By Chaplain Gary Boggs

There I was, rolling along with the summer season wishing it could just stay this way; long warm days and night time skies filled with stars and warm breezes, with plenty of time to complete all those projects I had lined up to do while the days were long. Suddenly, I blinked, and it was time for the annual Sharp Hospice Regatta. Oh, My Lord, June, July, and August had slipped away, "No it can't be" I said to myself. Ah, but it's true friends, by the time this reaches you, it will indeed be September and there will only be three official weeks left of "Summer!" Yes, time flies when you're having fun! I hope your summer has been enjoyable and memorable!

Speaking of the Sharp Regatta, I have to say this year's event was special in so many ways. Perhaps it was the loss of Penny's Father just about a month ago or the fact that CYC has been involved in such a worthy cause for such a long time, thirteen years now, I believe. Whatever the case may be, I became acutely aware of what a great event it is. With so many people from The Sharp Hospital Foundation giving of their time and energy my heart was touched Our Club also showed itself proud with all the volunteer hours devoted to the cause as well as our staff and all the extra work and planning that took place to make it all happen. Late Saturday afternoon as the huge party was in full swing with the band playing and people enjoying the wonderful surroundings at CYC I thought, things like this must be pleasing to the Lord! I don't know what the final fundraising figures turned out to be, but I know it's going to a much needed and worthy cause!

At the close of my articles every month I always turn to Scripture for words of encouragement and relevance to our lives that come from the loving heart of God's Word, so here you are: "But do not forget to share, for with such sacrifices God is well pleased." (Hebrews 13:16). Sharing and caring for others is what it's all about! God is pleased! As always; Be kind to one another, care for one another, and love one another. May you have fair winds and following seas! Chaplain …out!

Race Committee Report

By Race Committee Chair Glenn Welch

The four race Neil McGuinness is half over. With two races left to sail the standings are as follows:

CLASS 1		
1	Elusive	**River Paquin**
2	Island Surf	**Manny Granillo**
3	Impact	**James Bates**
CLASS 3		
1	Jabberwock	**Glenn Welch**
2	Sarayu	**Mike Lewis**
3	Isle Run	**Dave Flint**
4	Bonejour	**Steven Schelkun**
5	Shibui	Shawn Powell
6	Shamrock	**Richard Gevirtz**
7	Aurora	**Curtis Milioti**

Congratulations to **River Paquin, Rick Harris, Tommy Rudowicz, Crew Fritsch, and Tristan and Jim Richmond,** who won the prestigious Greg Walker Cup as part of the Sharp Hospice Regatta. Other CYC boats participating were MELOKIA, ISLE RUN and STILL NASTY.

Events coming up in September are:

Neil McGuinness 4/4	Sept 7
SBC Dolan	Sept 9
Kitty Muhl Ladies Day Race	Sept 15

Cruiser Navigation

By Dave Weimer

Our third blue water contest was held on Saturday, August 25 under overcast skies, and gentle breezes from the west.

The competition course (designed by your scribe) began at green channel buoy "17" near Shelter Island. The course led south out the channel to green channel buoy "05" for the first timed "Mark" and continued south west past green channel buoy "03" to the San Diego entrance buoy "SD 1" for the second timed "Mark."

The next two legs were unusual in their direction and length. From SD1, we executed a four nautical mile blind point run heading to the diamond marker on the Silver Strand. This was followed by a "U" turn and a long run back towards the Pt. Loma Lighthouse where the third timed "Mark" was called when the red channel buoy "06" aligned with the green channel buoy "03." The final legs were north into the channel, finishing at the red channel buoy "16" for a 14 nautical mile contest.

The morning haze combined with the dying flood current proved to be the downfall for most of our contestants. Both the haze and the actual current behavior could not be predicted beforehand, and the scores reflected these uncertainties. Out of ten contestants, nine scored over one percent error; Six skippers were bunched together with only ten or fifteen seconds error separating them from seventh place to second place. Quite a photo finish for the runners-up!

Most of us fell prey to the diminishing flood current, that began to slow early on, and fought the outgoing ebb current until the very end. Buoy "reading" confused a lot of us, as one buoy in the channel would show significant flood current, and the next buoy reflected almost a "slack" condition. Another learning experience for our Club's skippers as we collectively could not break into the top half of the pack. All of us are looking forward to next month to recover our pride.

Next month we'll be on the near shore ocean waters once again for our final blue water contest for the year. We are hoping to put our lesson's learned to good use with this contest on Saturday, September 29.
If you own and cruise a mid-sized power boat, consider learning about cruiser navigation contests by joining one of us on board for a "test" run. There is nothing to lose, and based on my personal experience, much to gain in both knowledge of your boat, confidence in your boat handling, and enjoyment in the camaraderie amongst our Skippers.

Please contact David Weimer at cdweimer@sbcglobal.net if you would like more information about our sport and allow us to help you become a part of our winning CYC team.

Operation Clean Sweep

By Secretary Harper Hatheway

Operation Clean Sweep was executed with spirit and fun on Saturday, August 25 on and around Glorietta Bay. The event is a cleanup of the entire San Diego Bay organized by the Port Tenants Association. Coronado Yacht Club headed the Glorietta Bay portion.

The effort was spearheaded by thirty Boy Scouts and adult leaders of Coronado Troop 801. Members of CYC covered the water and shore with dinghies, kayaks and paddleboards. Community volunteers also participated.

The usual litter was retrieved as well as more unusual items like plastic dinosaurs, a skate ramp and a pool noodle. Volunteers noted that the Bay was actually very clean to begin with but that the annual sweep was needed. Coronado community spirit was evident as volunteers chatted about their visit to Glorietta Bay and how they planned to participate next year.

CYC Fundraising Fun!

By Entertainment Chair Nancy Eckenroth

Parties are fun but parties that raise money for a good cause are even better. Two of them were very successful events both in the fun and fundraising sense. On August 11, the Coronado Classic Cornhole Tournament was held at the club to raise money for the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. Many of the contestants were CYC members and they report that the competition was heated, the tacos were hot and the trophies were tall. Get ready for next year.

The Sharp HospiceCare fundraising weekend called "Celebrating Life" closed out the month by using every inch of the property to host a VIP party Thursday and a full day lunch, regatta and BBQ Saturday. Many CYC'ers participated as boat hosts, sponsors and sailors and most of us trekked over to the Del Friday night for the auction and dinner as well. Look to **Dean's** column for the early details with more to trickle in later but I can tell you this, it was the biggest yet. The Del ballroom was packed. The turning basin and all available slips were full. There were more sailors, more boat guests and definitely more people partying on the CYC grounds after the race. Once again Lou, Jane, the kitchen, grounds and serving staff did the almost impossible and made it look easy. Congratulationes tibia ago!

"Books are the plane, and the train, and the journey. They are home." - Anna Quindlen
"Bacon is the Duct Tape of the Kitchen"

Coming up books, bacon and crab!

CYC's Book Club is off to a fine start. The first meeting was August 28 and The Nightingale by Kristin Hannah was discussed. Refreshments and cocktails were enjoyed as were the beginnings of new friendships. Next months meeting will be on Monday, September 24 at 6pm and we will be reading Make Your Bed by former Navy SEAL Admiral William McRaven who is currently Chancellor of the University of Texas. New members are encouraged and welcomed. Come every time or just when the book interests you.

Next up is **Penny Bogg's** Maryland Blue Crab **Crabfest**. It's a sold-out success for Sunday, September 16 and a good reminder to sign up early when events are announced. It's for sure going to be "everything it's cracked up to be," as Dean our punster would say.

Last up is an opportunity of a lifetime! **CYC's 1st Bacon Tasting Contest**! Show off your cooking and baking skills for a chance to win bragging rights and prizes. Concoct your favorite beverage, appetizer, entree or dessert that includes the ingredient (you got it!) BACON! Just bring 50 tastes (think mini-muffin size) and sign up by calling or at the front office. You can enter one or more categories. Want to just enjoy the fun? It is $5 to sample, contestants are free. Pictures will be taken! Winners will be announced! Bacon!

Live Bands

Friday	9/14, 7-10p	Uplift Band
Friday	9/28, 7-10p	Nitro Express

BRING HOME THE BACON

CYC'S FIRST BACON TASTING CONTEST

CONTEST RULES

- Contestants may sign up for one or more categories:
  - **BEVERAGE**
  - **APPETIZER**
  - **ENTREE**
  - **DESSERT**
- Must provide 50 tasting samples.
- Awards for "Fan Favorite" and "Judge's Favorite" in all categories

$5 per person to sample

Contestants: Free

GET YOUR BACON ON:

SATURDAY, SEPT 29
3 PM, CYC SIDE LAWN

CYC Weekend Menu & Bar will feature bacon-inspired specials!

All contestants and attendees must sign up with the Front Office!

From the Jr. Clubhouse

By Jr. Sailing Director Jill Powell

Fall sailing is starting the week of September 10th and will run until November 16th. We have classes five days a week and over 80 sailors enrolled this fall. Fall regattas kick off in September with two big sabot regattas: the SoCal (high school regatta) and the first Perry 420 regatta! CorYC race teams are ready and we are looking forward to a great fall.

New Sabots Update: The next Sabot will be here this week and the last two we have ordered will be here in a few weeks. I will be giving the deposit for the next five new boats this month.

CONGRATULATIONS…

…to **Bella Loiselle, Preston Miller, Max Olson and Tommy Ruduwicz** for their performance at the Sabot Nationals. As a coach I am proud of these kids' friendships and their ability to keep things in perspective. They all had bright, bright moments this summer. All four made Silver Fleet at Nationals with **Max and Preston** finishing 1st – 2nd overall at the Dutch Shoe. **Tommy** was our top finisher in Silver at Sabot Nationals and **Bella** not only made Silver Fleet in her first nationals, but she was our highest finisher on qualifying day.

…to **Ansgar Jordan** and his crew **Patrick** from Cal YC for placing 3rd out of 173 teams at the C420 North Americans in New Bedford, Mass. and 5th place out of 11 pre-qualified champions at the US Sailing Bemis Doublehanded Nationals in LaSalle Michigan.

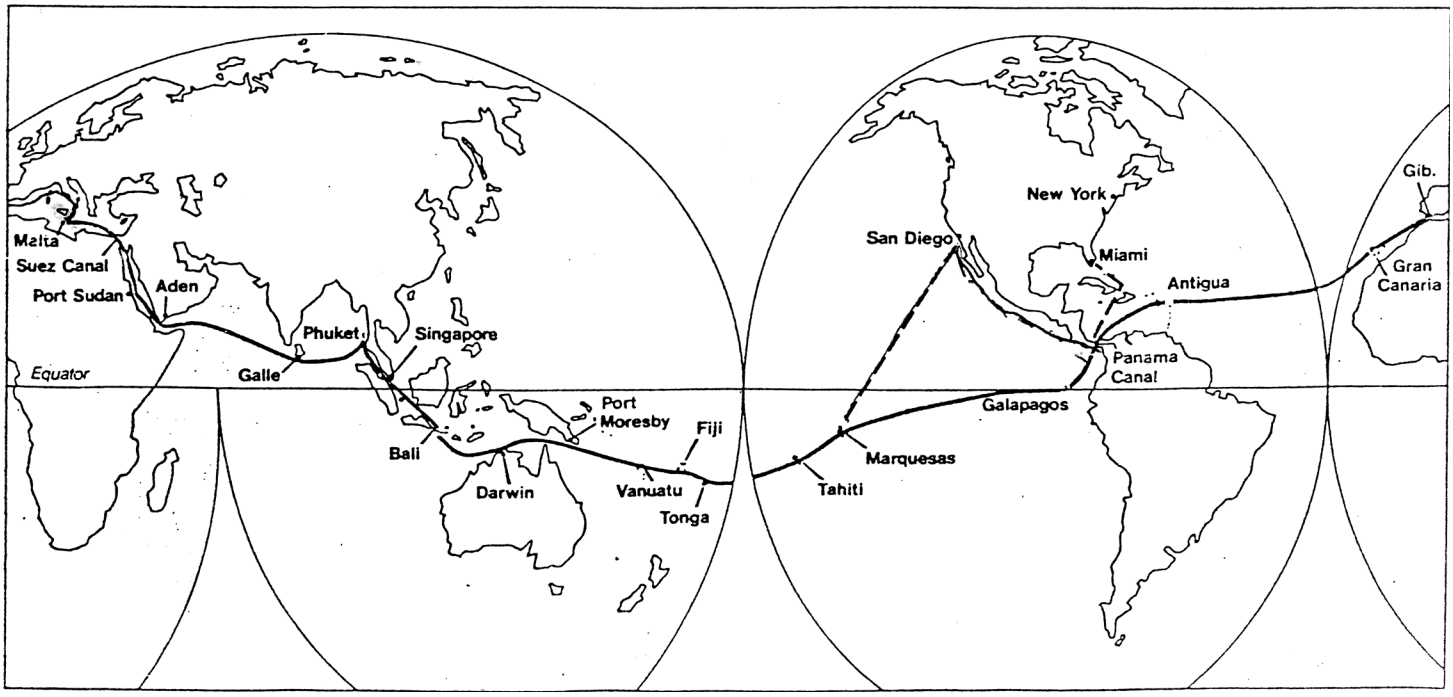
THANK YOU…

…to Kraig Kirsner for donating full containers of nuts, bolts and washers that we use in our standardized fastener system that helps improve safety and simplify our club boat repairs. Not to mention, it saves us hundreds of dollars.

…to **Bubbles Nordgren** for donating a Sabot to us.
… To all my coaches who made this summer such a great one. We had 19 coaches this summer, thank you.

September Regattas

Fall Gold Cup: 8th & 9th at NHYC (Sabots)
SoCal: 15th at NHYC (FJ)
Perry: 15th & 16th at CBYC (420)
Junior Invitational: 29th & 30th at MBYC (Sabots)



MEMORY LN

Circumnavigation on Scorpio II

Part I – The Voyage of Scorpio II (A 49' Sailboat)

By Staff Commodore Charles Allen and Senior Flag member Wes Harris

Thanks to Senior Flag member **Wes Harris**, I have this wonderful story of Scorpio II's around the world adventure in 1991-1993. I have divided into two parts. Part I – The Voyage of Scorpio II (A 49' Sailboat) and Part II – The Skipper, A Sailing Family, The Boat, Problems that Occurred because of Bad Weather, Failed Gear and an Unchartered Reef, etc. Circumnavigators were Wes, his son Tim, and Kevin Thebridge. **Wes'** wife **Charlotte** did 75% of the trip and went aboard to cook gourmet meals. 18 other friends provided the crew for various legs. For those not familiar with the term "circumnavigation", it means you start at one place in the world, circle the planet, and finish at the place you start. The trip started with a departure from Coronado in April 1991 for Nuka Hiva, Marquesas – a three-week transit where they joined the Europa '92 circumnavigators, a group of about 36 yachts who started their circumnavigation in Gibraltar. **Wes** sailed with them to the Suez Canal where they started an independent tour of the Med. The list of destinations is mind-blowing.

7 stops in French Polynesia, more than a month
4 stops in Tonga, almost a month
*8 stops in Fiji, almost a month
Vanuatu, 11 days
Northern Australia, 22 days
1 stop in Bali, 2 weeks
1 stop in Singapore, 10 days
*3 stops in Malaysia, 8 days
*2 stops in Thailand, 2 weeks
1 stop in Sri Lanka, 10 days
1 stop at Djibouti, 5 days
4 stops in Sudan, 9 days
2 stops in Egypt, 27 days

Scorpio II arrived in Suez on March 9, 1992, when they left Europa '92. They spent 11 months with the rally and did another 15 months independently to complete the circumnavigation of approximately 29,000 miles. Most of the voyage was fair sailing except for the sail up the Red Sea where most of the days the winds were 25-40 knots on the nose. With Europa '92 offering only Malta and Gibraltar in the Med, **Wes** opted for more expansive tour. His itinerary was:

*8 stops in Greek Agean Islands
*4 stops in Turkey about 10 days
*5 more stops in Western Greece about 2 weeks
6 stops in Italy, 2 weeks
*4 stops in Southern France, a month
9 stops in Spain, 2 months

The last leg was the Atlantic, the Caribbean, and North from Panama.

*4 stops in the Canary Islands, 2 weeks
3 stops St. Lucia, a month
5 stops South of St. Lucia ending in Grenada*
*5 stops Venezuela, a month
3 stops Dutch Islands, 4 days
4 stops Panama, 8 days transit canal
2 stops Costa Rica, a month
12 stops Mexico, mainland, a month
4 stops Mexico, Baja 2 weeks

*Desire to go again places. The word "stops" generally means different islands and/or locations that Scorpio II visited independently and stayed for at least one night.

Who's not to envy this experience! I see masterful planning on this 26-month voyage. **Wes** had many talents besides sailing that included being the proctor-in-admiralty (now called the Judge Advocate) for five CYC Commodores, including myself in 1987 (also in 1988-1990 and 1999). I enjoy reading about great adventures and often wish that it'd been my fate. As you have learned, I first took my joy in class racing, made a few Mexican ocean races, cruised the BVI and Antigua, swapped houses in Europe, sailed a little in Italy, Yugoslavia, and the Balearc Islands in the Med in the 80s wish was great but I guess we all dream differently then what actually happens.

I encourage members to submit sailing stories. Many of you have mentioned a vacation in the BVI and traversed the canals of Europe. Please send your stories to Memory Lane at the office to share with others.

2018 Lipton Cup

By Lipton Cup Chairman Steve Streifer

The 104th running of the annual Lipton Cup Regatta draws nigh.

In less than two months, CYC's young crew will compete against 11 other teams, from some of the most prestigious yacht clubs from across the United States, in a valiant attempt to wrest the Cup from her current custodian, the San Diego Yacht Club, host of the Regatta. There will be three days of exciting competition right here in San Diego Bay … you will be rewarded if you are able to get out on the water to watch some of it.

Our crew, under the leadership of Captain **Dave Hochart** and Coach **Robbie Haines**, will have three days of intensive, on-the-water training over the next 6 weeks, practicing in two of the J-105s that will be sailed in the round-robin competition at the end of October. Each practice will be followed by an intense "after-action" briefing, so that our crew will be at their best for the races. Our crew comprises some of the top, young sailing talent that has come up through **Jon Rogers'** Junior Program.

Our sponsor reception this past Saturday was a great success. While enjoying wines from the cellars of **Jeff Jakus,** CYC members mingled with the crew and noshed on hors d'oeuvres from the kitchen of Chef Benito. Thanks very much to Jeff for organizing this great event for the third year, and to the office and kitchen staff for making it happen!

Now, for the not-so-good news and my plea for help: Our fundraising this year is lagging sorely behind previous years. Remember, our participation in the Lipton Cup doesn't come from CYC coffers; it is funded by the Coronado Maritime Foundation (a not-for-profit organization) and is dependent solely on donations from generous CYC members. This year we have, so far, not received enough] contributions to cover our costs: entry fee, charter/ insurance for our practice boats, crew equipment, and so on. Please respond to the mailer in your September dues bill. Contributions can be made at the office, either through a dues checkoff slip, or through a check made payable to the Coronado Maritime Foundation. Our ability to compete in future Lipton Cup Regattas depends on this year's fundraising success … please help us continue this tradition!

That's all for now, folks, thank you for your support.

David Hochart
Skipper

Zach Maxam
Tactician

Pike Harris
Main Trim

Justin Bingham
Jib/Spinnaker Trim

Chuck Eaton
Pit/Strategy

Sterling Henken
Mast

Eric Bernsen
Bow

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FREE 3 Bound Yachting Magazines: Jan-Jun '48, Jan-Jun '52, Jan-Jun '58. Please call Margaret 619-466-5475

CATALINA 38 - We have purchased a new sailboat and don't want to be a two-boat family! Over the past six years we have made many upgrades, including: new lifelines, standing rigging, ProMariner charging system, furler (all in 2017), running rigging; new water pump, macerator, batteries, and more (2015). This is the vessel that was previously owned by Frank and Dudley Rockwell; it sails beautifully and the engine purrs like a kitten. Will consider all reasonable offers. Bruce and Cathy Liese -bliese@kumc.edu or 913-579-5039.

CYC Flag member looking for a partnership in a boat just for cruising and entertaining… If you are a CYC Flag member and are not using your boat as much as you like and would consider a partner/co-owner please contact me… 619-435-5200… Very reliable, clean, responsible and experienced!

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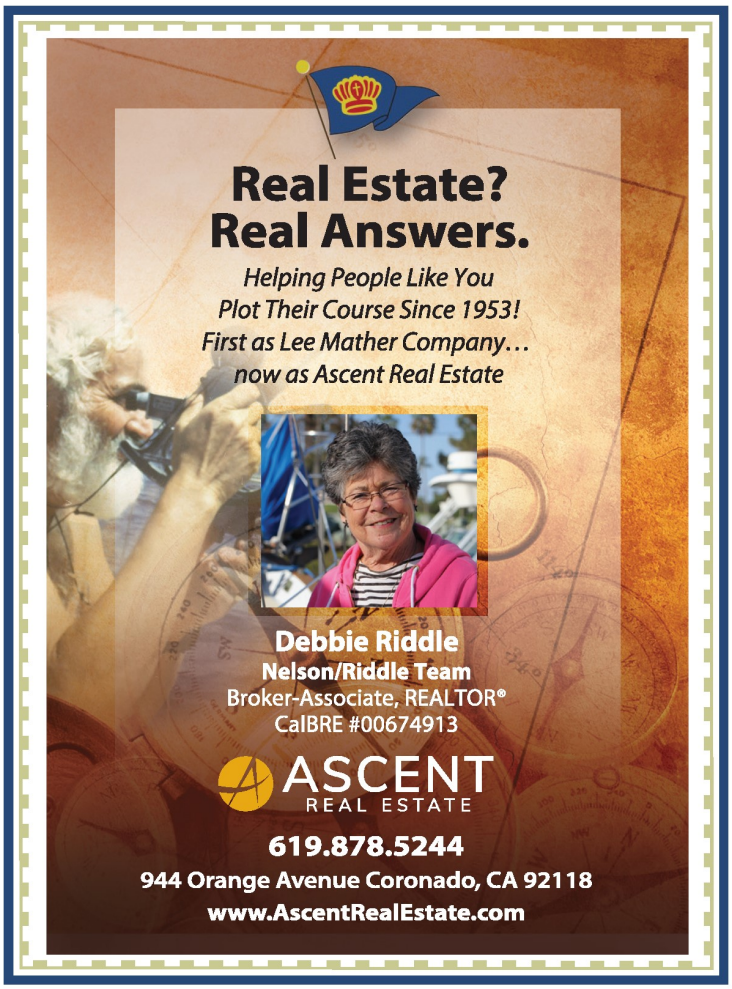

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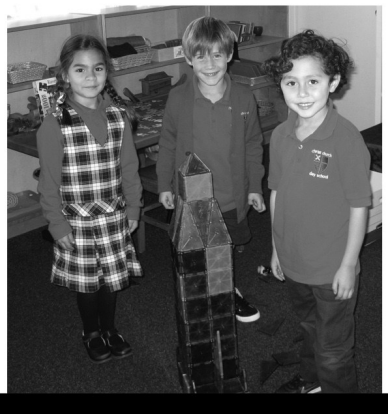

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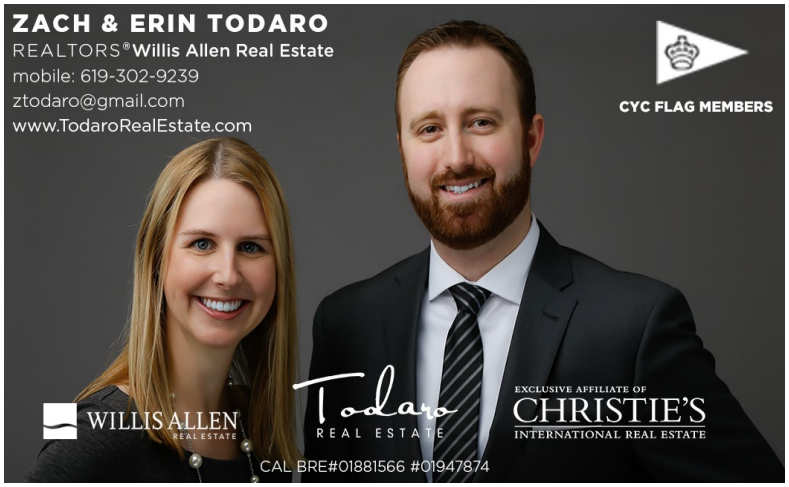

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 9A Weekend Menu 3P Lipton Cup Donor Appreciation Party
2 9A Weekend Menu	3 *Labor Day* 9A Weekend Menu 10A Bar Open	4 6P Private Event: Side Lawn	5 *Beer Can Race* 8:30A Private Event 5:30P Dinner	6 6P Membership Mtg.	7 *Neil McGuinness 3/4* 5:30P Dinner	8 9A Weekend Menu 9:30A Slip Cost Analysis Workshop 5P Private Event
					CYC Guest Dock Reserved	
9 9A Weekend Menu 4P Private Event	10 *MNF Starts* 6P Finance Mtg. 6:30P Paint Night Party	11 6P Private Event: Side Lawn	12 *Beer Can Race* 8:30A Private Event 5:30P Dinner	13 7P Board Mtg.	14 5:30P Dinner 7P Band in Bar: Uplift Band	15 *Kitty Muhl's Ladies Race* 9A Weekend Menu
CYC Guest Dock Reserved						
16 9A Weekend Menu 5P CrabFeast	17 5P MNF	18 *Off-Season Begins* 7P Trivia Night	19 *Beer Can Race* 8:30A Private Event 5:30P Dinner 5:30P MAW Mtg.	20 6P Private Event	21 5:30P Dinner	22 9A Weekend Menu 11A Private Event
23 9A Weekend Menu 2P Private Event	24 5P MNF	25 6P CMF Mtg.	26 *Last Beer Can Race* 8:30A Private Event	27 *Employee Appreciation Day Clubhouse Closed at Noon*	28 5:30P Dinner 7P Band in Bar: Nitro Express	29 *SDCA Blue Water 4/4* 9A Weekend Menu 3P CYC's Bacon Tasting Contest
	Dana West Yacht Club Raft-Up in CYC Turning Basin					
30 9A Weekend Menu						

October 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 5P MNF	2	3 8:30A Private Event 5:30P Dinner 6:30P Paint Night Party	4 6P Membership Mtg.	5 5:30P Dinner	6 *Small Boat Regatta* 9A Weekend Menu 5P Private Event
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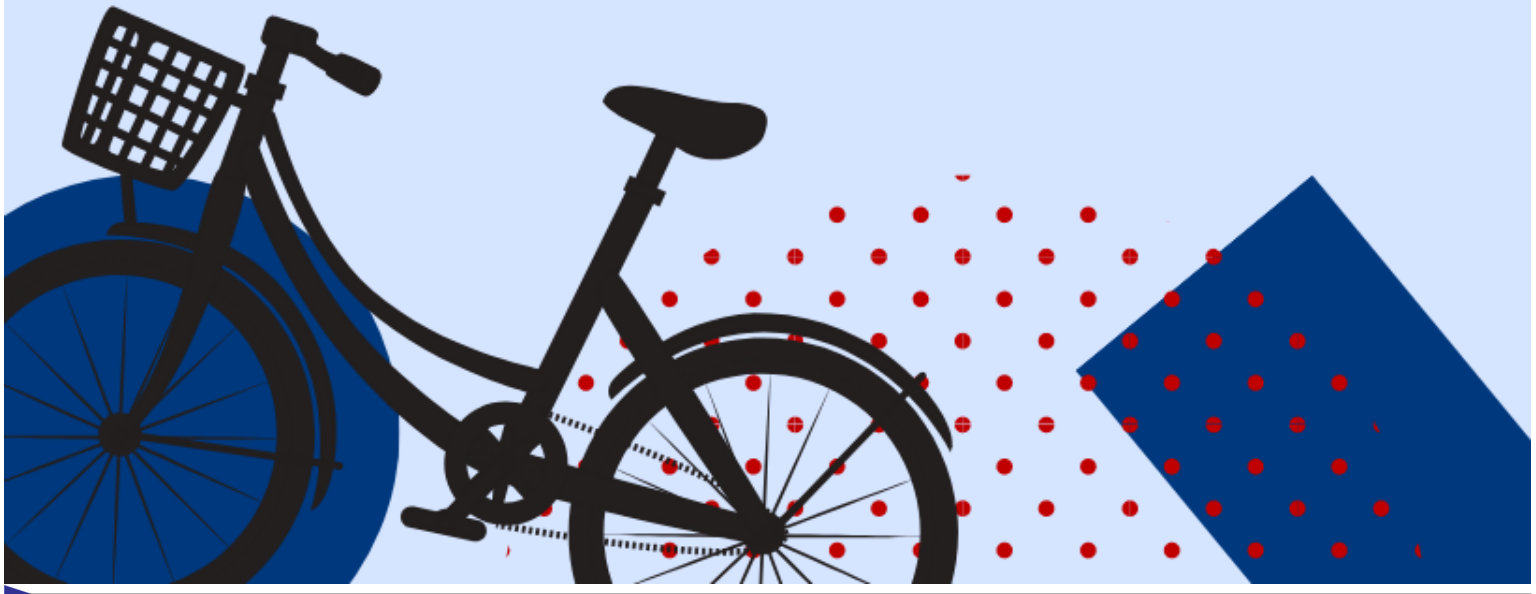
Paddleboards/kayaks/bicycles found not to be in compliance with the CYC decal and rack assignment audit will be removed on October 1 and placed in the CYC workshop until October 30, at which time they will be donated to a local charity.