



VERO BEACH YACHT CLUB

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GET READY, GET SET, GO!!

These are not-to-miss special events. Mark your calendars!

October

- Cowboy Hoedown: October 10th
- Timothy J. Sanchez Art Show & Reception: October 14th
- Halloween Party: October 31st
- Celebrate the Arts, Riverside Park: October 31st

November

- Past Commodores' Party: November 7th
- En Plein Air: November 10th
- Salute to Veterans: November 11th
- Blessing of the Fleet: November 14th
- Teddy Bears Around The World: November 21st
- Thanksgiving Dinner: November 26th

December

- Christmas Parade on the Beach: December 5th
- Shipmates Christmas Luncheon: December 11th
- Christmas Party: December 19th
- New Years Eve Party: December 31st

Club Re-Opens Tuesdays

Be sure to join us for VBYC Bucks drawing Tuesday night and Special Dinner and Libation for \$20.00 both Tuesday and Wednesday nights. (Burgee menu also available) Happy Hour and Open Mike on Fridays!

LONGHORN COWBOY HOEDOWN

Saturday, October 10th
(click photo to visit website)



Music by **THUNDER ROAD**

Special Menu \$30.00++

Reserve Early!

VBYC ANNOUNCES AN EXCITING NEW ADDITION FOR WATERFRONT FUN

I am delighted to announce that your Board of Directors has approved a Tiki-style bar, along with additional seating, for the patio area. The Club has a prime location on the Indian River that until now has been under-utilized.



Glenn Rose

The Tiki Bar, scheduled for a November 1st opening, will allow us to enjoy our beautiful waterfront and stunning sunsets while sipping a libation, socializing and dining. This will be a two-part project of which the Tiki Bar is the first.

Our thanks go to Bob Scofield, our Dock Master and experienced restaurateur, for the planning and design of this project.

These capital improvements, and others such as the planned HVAC update, are funded by initiation fees. To make sure we are able to continue to implement Club enhancements over time, the BOD also voted a small increase in initiation fees effective January 1, 2016.

See you at the Tiki Bar!!

Glenn Rose, Commodore



In Remembrance

Pinckney (Bud) Brewer

August 22, 2015

George Stanley

September 10, 2015

We will miss them

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE AND BOD RAISE INITIATION FEES

Dear Members,

In a recent survey of initiation fees for local clubs, the Membership Committee discovered that VBYC has the lowest fees in the area for equivalent memberships, and that many clubs are now raising fees in response to improving economic conditions. Therefore, your Board of Directors has voted to restore Club membership initiation fees to previous levels: specifically \$4,000 per couple or \$2000 for a single. This fee increase will take place January 1, 2016.



Jim Miskel

Initiation fees go into a restricted capital account – funds in that account can only be used for capital expenditures, which as you know are increasingly expensive. Capital funds were used for the Burgee Room renovations last year, and will finance the upcoming improvements to the Clubs' air conditioning systems and the much anticipated waterfront enhancements. Funds in the capital account cannot be used to defray operating expenses. Operating expenses are funded by monthly dues and food/beverage revenues, of which the most important component is dues.

Timely Tip: If you have family or friends who might be considering joining the Club in the near future please alert them to the pending increases so that they can take advantage of current rates. And remember that sponsoring members receive \$150 in VBYC Bucks for each new member they bring into the Club. It's a "win-win" for everybody!

Jim Miskel
Chairman, Membership Committee

VBYC WELCOMES NEW MEMBERS

SEAN and JOYCE KASHAWLIC have recently



moved to Seagrove from Michigan. Joyce still works part time. She is an avid reader and is interested in community volunteering. Sean is interested in history and current events.

They will be hard to beat at Trivia! Sponsored by Gary Kinasewitz.

BILL and MARY O'NEAL have moved to



Vero from Hot Springs, Arkansas, where they lived on Lake Hamilton. They like fishing and are looking forward to purchasing a deck boat to enjoy the Indian River Lagoon.

Mary wants to be involved in VBYC's outreach programs. Sponsored by Bob Puglio.

ED and PAULA ROGERS are long time



residents of Vero. Paula is Broker Owner of Paula Rogers and Associates Realtors. Ed plays golf, and is President of the Cache Cay HOA, where

they have lived for twenty years. Sponsored by Paul Goode.

VBYC MEMBERS BID SUMMER ADIEU



VBYC LOVES DO WOP!

Thank you to Cheryl Casano for her creative decorations!



Visit us at
Celebrate the Arts
October 31st
Riverside Park

BOO! HAPPY HALLOWEEN!

Join The Fun

Come as Your Favorite Character

Meet Local Trick-or-Treaters and Help Hand Out

Treats 6:30-8:30



Dance to
Rick Collins Band
Saturday
October 31st

\$30++

SHIPMATES PRESENT....
Exclusively for VBYC Members

TIMOTHY J. SANCHEZ



ART SHOW AND RECEPTION

Wednesday October 14th at 4 pm
Meet the Artist in his beautiful seaside home

- Attend a private reception
- View over 200 paintings

Carpools leave the Club @ 4 pm
Sign up in Burgee Room
For more info contact Milley LaCanfora
Free

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Reservations Always Appreciated

Lunch: Wednesday through Friday 11:00 am to 1:30 pm. Brunch and Lunch: Sunday 10:00 am to 1:30 pm.

Dinner: Tuesday through Saturday 5:30 pm to 8:30 pm (Friday & Saturday: Jackets Optional)

Burgee Room ~ Lounge Hours ~ Wednesday through Friday 11:00 am, Saturday 4:00 pm & Sunday 10 am

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
 <p>Make sure to ask for a Free Libation during your Birthday Month</p>				1 10:00 Yoga 1:00 Mah Jongg Lunch Evening Dining Home Style Night	2 Lunch & Bridge HAPPY HOUR 4:30-6:30 Open Mic Night Nine and Dine Blue Gavel Dinner Evening Dining Full Dinner Menu	3 Evening Dining Full Dinner Menu Music & Dancing 6:30 to 9:30 Kent Taylor Brown
4 Breakfast Buffet And Lunch 10:00 – 1:30	5 Club Closed	6 10:00 Yoga PM Bridge VBYC Bucks Drawing 2 for \$40 Dinner Menu (1 for \$20)	7 Lunch 2 for \$40 Dinner Menu (1 for \$20)	8 10:00 Yoga 1:00 Mah Jongg Lunch Evening Dining Summer Salad & Saute Bar	9 Lunch & Bridge Shipmates' Meeting HAPPY HOUR 4:30-6:30 Open Mic Night Evening Dining Full Dinner Menu	10 Club Event Longhorn Cowboy Hoedown Featuring Thunder Road Special Menu
11 Breakfast Buffet And Lunch 10:00 – 1:30	12 Club Closed	13 10:00 Yoga PM Bridge VBYC Bucks Drawing 2 for \$40 Dinner Menu (1 for \$20)	14 Lunch 2 for \$40 Dinner Menu (1 for \$20)	15 10:00 Yoga 1:00 Mah Jongg Lunch Evening Dining Seafood Night	16 Lunch & Bridge HAPPY HOUR 4:30-6:30 Open Mic Night Nine and Dine Evening Dining Full Dinner Menu	17 Evening Dining Full Dinner menu Music & Dancing 6:30 to 9:30 Mark Green Duo
18 Breakfast Buffet And Lunch 10:00 – 1:30	19 Club Closed	20 10:00 Yoga PM Bridge VBYC Bucks Drawing 2 for \$40 Dinner Menu (1 for \$20)	21 Lunch 2 for \$40 Dinner Menu (1 for \$20)	22 10:00 Yoga 1:00 Mah Jongg Lunch Evening Dining Pasta & Trivia Challenge	23 Lunch & Bridge HAPPY HOUR 4:30-6:30 Open Mic Night Evening Dining Full Dinner Menu	24 Evening Dining Full Dinner Menu Music & Dancing 6:30 to 9:30 Bobby Owen Band
25 Breakfast Buffet And Lunch 10:00 – 1:30	26 Club Closed	27 10:00 Yoga PM Bridge VBYC Bucks Drawing 2 for \$40 Dinner Menu (1 for \$20)	28 Lunch VBYC Book Club 4:00 2 for \$40 Dinner Menu (1 for \$20)	29 10:00 Yoga 1:00 Mah Jongg Lunch Evening Dining BBQ Night	30 Lunch & Bridge HAPPY HOUR 4:30-6:30 Open Mic Night Evening Dining Full Dinner Menu	31 Club Event Halloween Party Rick Collins Band Special Menu

November Coming Events:

Saturday, November 7th: Past Commodores' Party

Tuesday, November 10th: En Plein Air- Paint Out

Wednesday, November 11th: Salute To Our Veterans

Saturday, November 14th: Blessing Of The Fleet

Saturday, November 21st: Teddy Bears Around The World

Thursday, November 26th: Thanksgiving (serving from 12 Noon through 7 PM)

Click on
band name
above
to visit
website