

HOUSE MATTERS

October 23 was another successful work party, we continue to have outstanding attendance by members, as well as keeping the club in good shape as we head into the winter season. The rain and wet weather has not allowed us to complete the staining of all docks this year, and my guess is that November will not be any different. A special thanks to members that have provided the lunches for these work parties. All the meals have been great. Our last scheduled work party is November 13, and we have members who have volunteered to provide lunch. I will have an updated list of members'

names and their work party credits through October ready for the November work party.

Ray Prynne 751-0672 (cell)

2010 WORK PARTY SCHEDULE

Last 2010 Work Party will be November 13th. 8am—12pm

MOORAGE MATTERS

If you are planning on selling your boathouse it needs to first be "offered to the Longview Yacht Club and to all members, and the asking price shall be stated in such offer." The notice will then be published in the next newsletter, and if neither the yacht club or a member of the yacht club purchases the boathouse within 15 days the owner/seller may offer the boathouse to the "general public." We will be updating the current open moorage spaces. We will be checking length of the boat overall, and the moorage space the boat is currently in. There may be some adjustments to length and/or space assigned. If there are changes to your current boat length or moorage space we will let you know.

Open moorage space E - 5 is still open for bid. It is listed as a 20' space and is located at the bottom of the ramp to the clubhouse and to the right. If you are interested please notify me.

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Spaghetti Feed Reservations and Pre-pay information:

Cost is \$10 per person if paid in advance and \$12 at the door. Checks should be sent to:

LYC

Vicki Erickson, Treasurer

PO Box 1730

Longview, WA 98632

Annual Spaghetti Feed & Auction is coming soon!

Our annual **Spaghetti Feed and Auction** is coming up on **Saturday, November 6**. Please mark your calendars for this fun event. The cost **We are limited to 90 attendees, so be sure to get your reservations in early** to be sure of getting a place. Details are on the flyer attached to the newsletter.

Reservations can be made by calling Mike Woods 360-423-1255 or Liz McAllister 360-607-5459 or email to twoods@teleport.com.

The Auction is a big part of this event. The keys to success are generous donations of auction items and participation by our members. Nautical stuff, gift food and drink, hosting of dinners or boat cruises, etc. all make great auction items. If you have an auction item to donate, please fill out a description slip which is attached to the Newsletter. The slip describes the item and helps the auctioneer.



Ladies Nights Out

From the First Lady . . .

Hasn't it been fun? We had our last two Ladies Nights this last month at Portland Yacht Club and at Tyee Yacht Club and had a blast at each.

We even learned a lot about our hearts, our club, and ourselves! We were lucky at the raffle and lucky in our travels to and from these functions.

But I think that we are the most lucky in belonging to our club. how it functions, and in the wonderful people populating it. We are so blessed in the fact that people are kind, caring, and helpful. I know that I'm thankful that I have had the opportunity to represent Longview Yacht Club at these functions and hope to attend many more in the years ahead. We've had some good laughs and times. Let's keep that in our hearts and minds as we head into the holiday season.

FOR SALE

**BOAT AND BOATHOUSE
BOAT 1995 3288 BAYLINER MOTOR YACHT TWIN DIESELS**

**BOATHOUSE
32' x 59' HOUSE'LOCATED AT SPACE J-4**

130,000 FOR THE PACKAGE

CONTACT KEN COURSER @ 423-5386

It Was a Howling Good Time



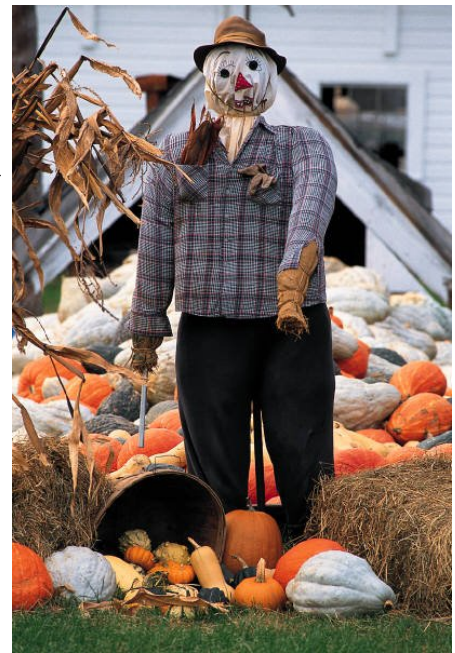
The weather was sunny and warm. The boat count was 97 and varied in size from 85' to 22' at the annual Halloween Cruise. Five of those boats were flying the LYC burgee. Big and small, everyone had a great time. Some people had a better time than others, isn't that right Mr. Tow, winner of a brand new 30" LCD color television. Laura and Jerry Norton received first place for best decorated boat.



The costumes were outrageous and the haunted walk was haunting. The pumpkin carving contest was very good this year.

The costume contest was exceptional, especially Elvira. Saturday evening, the docks were alive with short people in all kinds of dress. It is so much fun sitting by your boat passing goodies out to the little ones.

Put this cruise on next year's list for a wonderful time. You will not regret it. Ask Mr. Lucky Tow, he had a wonderful time.





2010 SOCIAL CALENDAR OF EVENTS



NOVEMBER

- 6..... Spaghetti Feed & Auction
- 8.....Club Meeting @ 6:30 pm
- 13..... Work Party
- 19-21.....St. Helens City Docks with MCYC
- 22..... Board Meeting @ 6:30 pm

DECEMBER

- 4..... Board Decorates Clubhouse
- 5.....Christmas Open House@2:00-5:00 pm
- 12..... Land Cruise to MCYC (*Christmas Ships*)
- 13..... Club Meeting @ 6:30 pm
- 27..... Old and New Board Meeting @6:30
- 30-31.....MCYC (*New Years Eve Party*)

JANUARY 2011

- 1.... Survivor Cruise to Coon Is. East (MCYC)
- 10..... Membership Meeting @ 6:30 pm
- 24..... Board Meeting @ 6:30 pm
- 29..... 2011 Commodore's Ball

Nail your colours to the mast!

Meaning: To display one's opinions and beliefs. Also used to mean to show one's intentions to hold on to those beliefs until the end.

Origin: In nautical battles colours (flags) were lowered as a mark of submission. Nailing your colours to the mast meant you weren't intending to submit. It is correct to use the English spelling, rather than the US, as the phrase originated in England. As written in 1845 by Sir Nicolas: "Half past 6, shot away the main and mizzen-masts: saw a man nail the French ensign to the stump of the mizen-mast."

We're on the Web
<http://lyc1932.org/>

Our mission: To encourage and promote recreational Yachting, sailing and boating, the science of seamanship and navigation, and to provide and maintain suitable facilities for the use and recreation of its members and to promote and encourage social relationships among its members.