

NAVY JAX YACHT CLUB DOCKLINES



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Commodore's View from The Bridge

First off, I would like to thank everyone involved in the 2011 Change Of Watch. It went off without a hitch. Our MC Steve did his normal wonderful job, again thanks Steve.

If any of you have been lucky enough to attend other clubs Change of Watch you would see the NJYC Change of Watch is very special and very professional.



All of our members and special guest were very impressed and had a wonderful time.



Congratulations to 2010 Commodore Brian for doing a great job, and congratulations on being promoted to the ranks of Past Commodore.



I look forward to working with you and all the Past Commodores for advice and guidance. I would like to congratulate our award winners:

Norm Caudle, **Bell Award**,



Lynn Quick, **Marty Foster**, trust me it sure was hard to keep that surprise away for Lynn,



And last but not least...

Steve Duve, **Commodores award.**



Welcome to 2011, let me just say WE the 2011 **Board of Governors** have big plans for the year.



You the membership will see more raft ups, more cruises, more socials. If you have not been by the club lately, stop by and see all the new improvements in the club, I'm sure you will like them.

We are in the process of updating the NJYC Policy Notes and will have them completed before the **February 2nd** General meeting. We are also in the process of changing a couple things in the NJYC **Constitution** and we would like all the membership to be at the February General Meeting to vote on the changes we have in mind. No major changes. So be there early. Vice Commodore Bob Quick will be cooking up his special Chili and Corn Bread to warm our cold bodies...where else can you get a home cooked meal for three dollars.

Saturday the 5th will be our first Rope Yarn for the year, so come out at **10 am Saturday** and give us a hand cleaning and taking care of the club house and grounds. Also, if you have not renewed your membership we encourage you to do that as soon as possible so we can update our Roster and get the new Membership Cards in the mail.

Again we look forward to a great year. We will be starting it off with the USO Sweetheart Regatta on **February 12th**. Remember all precedes and donations go to the local Jacksonville USO to help them continue their great work here in the Jacksonville area. So come on down to the club and support your USO, and enjoy a great regatta.

Dave Bailly



Before The Mast

I want to start out by thanking everyone for supporting me while I was RC Power, I now take on the big task of Vice Commodore. One thing that I learned this past year is we have a good group of members to work with, but we need everyone to get involved in your club activities.

We are planning a lot of events this year that should get everyone involved in our club and with other clubs in our area. To start, our monthly clean-ups (Rope Yarn) can use everyone's support in sprucing up the club house and the grounds. I plan to post a board in the social room next to the **sliding glass doors** for everyone's access to see what we need done. This way, if you cannot make it to the clean-up and have some extra time during the week, you can stop by and help out by working on a chore that is listed. If you think of anything that needs corrected or we can improve on please contact me or add it to the list of things to be done.

R/C Power and R/C of Sailing have planned events everyone can enjoy whether you're a power boater or a sailor, the biggest thing is to support each other during each other's events.

As everyone knows the General Meeting is held the first Wednesday of the month. We need YOU there to voice your inputs to what is happening at your club, to hear what is going on in your club, such as planned events, get-together's and parties for the month, plus to vote on changes to things that could affect the Club's **Constitution** or things concerning the club. You need to be there to have a say.

I am looking for volunteers to provide the meal for upcoming General Meetings this year. I am cooking **Chili and Corn Bread with the fixings**. If you would like to do a dinner for us, please contact me and we will work out the month for you to do your thing.

I'm looking forward to having a good year as your Vice Commodore and working with all of you and having a safe enjoyable time moving things forward for all of us.

Bob Quick
Vice-Commodore

From Davey Jones' Locker

Hello everyone;

The Change of Watch is over and it is time to get down to business. We have a full schedule of Regattas and activities for the coming year. **PLEASE**, if you have not already done so, get those membership applications filled out and turned in. We do not want anyone left off the 2011 roster and we want to make sure that everyone gets all the information we have to put out. In the coming weeks the Board of Governors will be working on new policy notes, some minor changes to bring before the membership on the By Laws and Constitution and then each member will receive copies. Please make sure that your voice is heard. Come to the General Meetings to get the information first hand.

As is always the case, we are always looking for volunteers. We have several important positions open and we also need lots of volunteers to make sure that **ALL** of our events go off without a hitch. If you can make phone calls, help with registration, cook, serve or just mingle with our many guests during an event, **WE NEED YOU!**

See any member of the Board and let us know how you can help make our events what everyone on the river looks forward too.

See you at the club or on the water!

Lynn Quick
Treasurer

Secretary

The 2011 membership roster will be published on the NJYC website. Anyone not wishing to have their information published in the roster should contact the Secretary at gjohnstonjr@hotmail.com or (904) 272-1037.

George Johnston
Secretary

From The Jib

Nautical Friends,

I wanted to start out by thanking you all for allowing me the privilege of being your Rear Commodore Sail this year. I am definitely excited and eager to get started!

So, it's time to start prepping your sailboats for the upcoming sailing season. As Kenneth Graham wrote "There is NOTHING—absolute nothing—half so much as simply messing about in boats." But, if you feel overwhelmed with the "list of things to do on your sailboat" or simply need a helping hand, post your needs on the information board at the yacht club or send me an email or give me a call. We have a lot of talent within

our membership who can probably help make those necessary repairs a little easier and get you back on the water sailing!

Speaking of sailing, if your boat is ready to go, don't forget about the USO Regatta on February 12th hosted by our very own NJYC. This is a great opportunity to support our service men and women all over the world defending our freedom. All of the proceeds from the race go to our local USO. If you don't particularly want to race, we could surely use your help with race committee, registration, dock masters, sponsorship duties and a few others. **Let me know if you're able to help out by Monday the 7th please.**

If your "to do list" just didn't get done in time for the USO regatta don't fret. The First Coast Sailing Association starts its Spring Series Regattas on the 19th of February. Additionally, the FCSA and the Rudder Club of Jacksonville is sponsoring a Racing Rules Seminar on the 13th of February. Many of us have years of racing experience while some do not. All can benefit from reviewing the rules of racing. For more info on the Spring Series, Racing Rules Seminar and other local Regattas, visit www.sailjax.com or feel free to give me a call.

Racing or racing rules not your thing? How about cruising or raft ups? I have plenty of ideas to do just that but want to hear what YOUR ideas are. Let me know at the next general meeting or shoot me an email.

See you on the water!

Spencer Wait
R/C of Sailing

RC Power

Welcome to the 2011 NJYC boating season. As this is my second tour of duty as R/C power the shock has worn off. As of yet nothing set in stone, but I hope to bring back some oldies (poker runs, raft-ups) and some new things (pirates, pirate ships and overnights). If you have any ideas, trips, places to go, things to do, etc., give me a call or drop me an e-mail (I'm getting better at it). Hopefully, I'll have more info in the next Docklines.

Mike Carter
R/C Power



Frank, Lee, Bob and Dave enjoyed the *Restaurant Visitation Day*. (Photo courtesy of Frank Morris)

*It was a small group, but
NJYC WELCOMED IN 2011...*



A big “**Thank You**” goes out to Cheryl LeDoux for her time in providing us with the Change of Watch, Awards and New Year’s Eve Party photos and the so many OTHER photos that she takes time to take and ensures I have them for the Dockline.



...Notacol Wisdom...



Codfish—Popular dish on seafood restaurant menus where it appears under a variety of names, including haddock, scallops, bluefish, swordfish and lobster Newburg.

Collision—Unexpected contact between one boat and another. As

a rule, collisions that result in the creation of two smaller and less seaworthy vessels from the hull of one are thought to be the most serious. (From “A Sailor’s Dictionary” by Henry Beard & Roy McKie)

Dope-1. Any fluid applied to a dry fly to make it float.
2. Any individual who applies this substance to a wet fly.

Dry Flies-Fly-fishing lure designed to float on the surface of the water. There are hundreds of different kinds, and they are hard to tell apart, but they all fit into one of six basic categories: Mashed, Bent, Slimy, Hairless, Hookless, and Hopeless. (From “An Angler’s Dictionary” by Henry Beard & Roy McKie)

































Wyatt & Ruth Hart





February



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
 <p>BEST FISHING DAYS February 2-18, 2011</p>	<p>WANT TO BE ON THE 2011 MEMBERSHIP ROSTER TO RECEIVE THE DOCKLINE? IF SO, BE SURE TO TURN IN YOUR MEMBERSHIP DUES & MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION</p>	 <p>1 NATIONAL FREEDOM DAY</p>	<p>1700-BOG MTG 1930-NJYC GENERAL MEETING GROUND HOG DAY</p> 	<p>NEW MOON CAN'T ATTEND ROPE YARN SAT, FEB 5TH-STOP BY TODAY OR TOMORROW - SEE LIST OF THINGS NEEDING DONE!</p> <p>3</p>	<p>DO YOU NEED TO CHANGE OIL/FUEL FILTER IN YOUR BOAT THIS MONTH? MAYBE ALSO DO SOMETHING ON THE LIST FOR ROPE YARN TODAY.</p> <p>4</p>	<p>1000 - NJYC ROPE YARN</p> 
 <p>6 LAME DUCK DAY</p>	 <p>7 WAVE ALL YOUR FINGERS AT YOUR NEIGHBOR DAY</p>	 <p>8 KITE FLYING DAY</p>	 <p>9 CHECK YOUR FIRE EXTINGUISHERS THIS MONTH</p>	 <p>10 UMBRELLA DAY</p>	 <p>11 DON'T CRY OVER SPILT MILK DAY</p>	 <p>12 USO SWEET-HEART REGATTA LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY</p>
 <p>13 FCSA & RUDDER CLUB OF JAX "RACING RULES SEMINAR"</p>	<p>Valentine's Day</p> 	 <p>15 NATIONAL GUM DROP DAY</p>	 <p>16 DO A GROUCH A FAVOR DAY</p>	 <p>17 RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS DAY</p>	<p>SNOW MOON</p>  <p>NJYC DAYTONA 500 PARTY.....</p>	<p>FIRST COAST SAILING ASSOCIATION STARTS IT'S SPRING SERIES REGATTAS (SEE R/C OF SAILING)</p> <p>19</p>
 <p>20 FLYING SCOT ONE DESIGN</p> 	 <p>21 President's Day</p>	 <p>22 WASHINGTON'S B-DAY 1700 - BOG MEETING</p>	 <p>23 INTERNATIONAL DOG BISCUIT APPRECIATION DAY</p>	 <p>24 TORTILLA CHIP DAY</p> 	<p>PISTOL PATENT DAY (Colt Revolver - patented this day in 1836)</p>  <p>25</p>	 <p>26 NATIONAL PISTACHIO DAY</p>
 <p>27 NO BRAINER DAY</p> 	 <p>28 PUBLIC SLEEPING DAY</p> 	<p>Full Snow Moon - Since the heaviest snow usually falls during this month, native tribes of the north and east most often called February's full Moon the Full Snow Moon. Some tribes also referred to this Moon as the Full Hunger Moon, since harsh weather conditions in their areas made hunting very difficult.</p>			 <p>NATIONAL CHERRY & AMERICAN PIE MONTH</p>	 <p>FLYING CARP TOURNAMENT Go Fishing, Sailing and Boating</p>

February - Jacksonville, Main Street Bridge

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02/01/2011	Tue	02:49AM	LST -0.4 L	09:10AM	LST 1.9 H	03:32PM	LST -0.3 L	09:21PM	LST 1.6 H
02/02/2011	Wed	03:35AM	LST -0.4 L	09:51AM	LST 1.8 H	04:13PM	LST -0.4 L	10:03PM	LST 1.6 H
02/03/2011	Thu	04:17AM	LST -0.4 L	10:29AM	LST 1.8 H	04:51PM	LST -0.4 L	10:41PM	LST 1.6 H
02/04/2011	Fri	04:55AM	LST -0.4 L	11:03AM	LST 1.8 H	05:25PM	LST -0.3 L	11:18PM	LST 1.6 H
02/05/2011	Sat	05:32AM	LST -0.3 L	11:36AM	LST 1.7 H	05:57PM	LST -0.2 L	11:53PM	LST 1.7 H
02/06/2011	Sun	06:08AM	LST -0.1 L	12:09PM	LST 1.7 H	06:27PM	LST -0.1 L		
02/07/2011	Mon	12:28AM	LST 1.7 H	06:44AM	LST 0.1 L	12:42PM	LST 1.6 H	06:58PM	LST 0.0 L
02/08/2011	Tue	01:04AM	LST 1.7 H	07:23AM	LST 0.3 L	01:18PM	LST 1.6 H	07:32PM	LST 0.1 L
02/09/2011	Wed	01:42AM	LST 1.7 H	08:07AM	LST 0.4 L	01:57PM	LST 1.5 H	08:13PM	LST 0.2 L
02/10/2011	Thu	02:25AM	LST 1.6 H	08:59AM	LST 0.5 L	02:41PM	LST 1.5 H	09:02PM	LST 0.3 L
02/11/2011	Fri	03:15AM	LST 1.6 H	09:57AM	LST 0.6 L	03:33PM	LST 1.4 H	09:57PM	LST 0.3 L
02/12/2011	Sat	04:14AM	LST 1.6 H	10:58AM	LST 0.5 L	04:35PM	LST 1.4 H	10:58PM	LST 0.1 L
02/13/2011	Sun	05:21AM	LST 1.7 H	11:59AM	LST 0.4 L	05:43PM	LST 1.4 H		
02/14/2011	Mon	12:00AM	LST 0.0 L	06:26AM	LST 1.8 H	12:58PM	LST 0.2 L	06:46PM	LST 1.5 H
02/15/2011	Tue	01:01AM	LST -0.2 L	07:24AM	LST 1.8 H	01:52PM	LST -0.1 L	07:44PM	LST 1.6 H
02/16/2011	Wed	02:00AM	LST -0.5 L	08:17AM	LST 2.0 H	02:43PM	LST -0.4 L	08:38PM	LST 1.8 H
02/17/2011	Thu	02:55AM	LST -0.8 L	09:08AM	LST 2.0 H	03:31PM	LST -0.7 L	09:30PM	LST 1.8 H
02/18/2011	Fri	03:47AM	LST -0.9 L	09:57AM	LST 2.0 H	04:17PM	LST -0.9 L	10:22PM	LST 2.0 H
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02/28/2011	Mon	12:46AM	LST 0.0 L	07:13AM	LST 1.8 H	01:33PM	LST 0.1 L	07:27PM	LST 1.6 H

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02/10/2011	Thu	05:43AM	LST 0.7 H	12:45PM	LST 0.2 L	05:59PM	LST 0.6 H		
02/11/2011	Fri	12:48AM	LST 0.1 L	06:33AM	LST 0.7 H	01:43PM	LST 0.2 L	06:51PM	LST 0.6 H
02/12/2011	Sat	01:43AM	LST 0.1 L	07:32AM	LST 0.7 H	02:44PM	LST 0.2 L	07:53PM	LST 0.6 H
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