



# THE SHEETS

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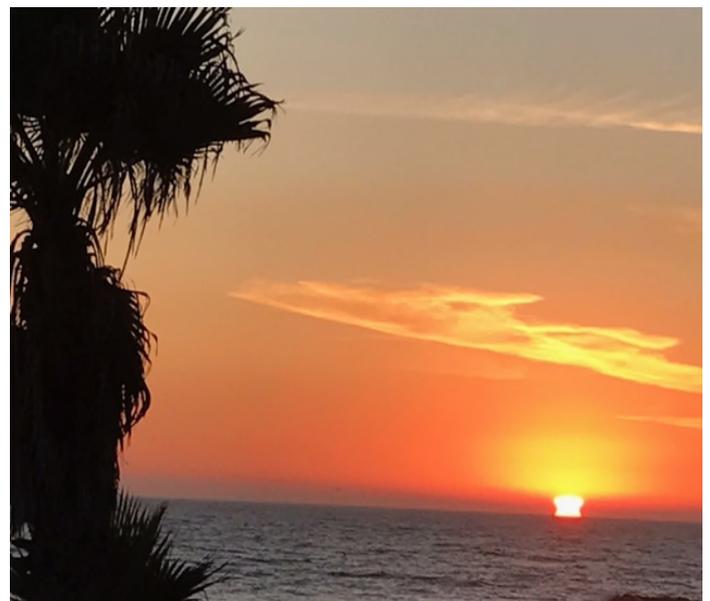
## Commodore's Comments by Juli King



Hello Yachtees,

Important Reminder! We hold our 2017 Bridge and Board nominations next month. This election will be held at our 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday Dinner on November 10<sup>th</sup>. If you are unable to attend, a ballot is attached to this Sheets article (pg. 7) and you can mail it in prior to that date.

Well, summer has ended and wow did we do it right. This list of club activities and events held over the summer is way too long to list, and of course Summer never ends in Southern California, so we celebrated this treasured reality with our Endless Summer Beach Luau at the Russell's. A huge thank you to Barb and Dean! They are two of the most generous people I personally have ever met. Yes they have the perfect venue, but more importantly, they turn their home into our home. The sign above their door reads "may all that enter as guests, leave as friends". Barb and Dean, you truly live that motto and you are a shining example of what we all aspire to become and for that, I say thank you!



Now it's time to start thinking of the fall season. Next up we have the pirate party on October 13<sup>th</sup>. Then we have the weekend trip to Avalon for the Jazz Festival October 20-22<sup>nd</sup> and don't forget NBYC is hosting their Halloween party on October 28<sup>th</sup>. Be sure to don your favorite costume and enter the costume contest because their prizes are incredible! October is going to be a fabulous month. Don't miss out!

Thank you,

*Juli King,*

Commodore



## Vice Commodore's Comments by Dean Russell

God was smiling upon us, providing a beautiful day for the beach party as we roasted the biggest pig ever. I want to thank the volunteers who came over early to help set up, and everyone who stayed to help clean up. The pig, of course, was the main event.



All of the pot luck side dishes were delicious. And everything was more enjoyable with the live entertainment. Since I minored in beer kegs while in college, it was fun to add one to our event. Jen Johns did a great job organizing the party. Although she could not attend, we had two previous Social Chairmen, Kate Ladd and Linda Dorn, lead the party decorating. Summer may be over, but we are fortunate to have favorable boating weather the rest of the year.

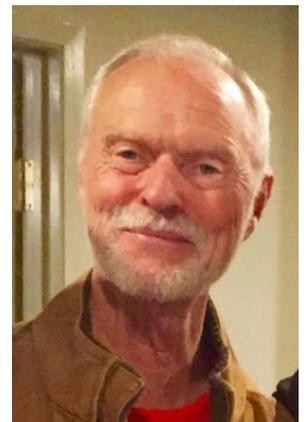


I read an article following up on a MOB (Man Overboard) incident during a race where the safely-at-sea rule was ignored and it took over an hour to rescue the crew member. The captain was criticized for not executing a quick stop maneuver as required. In this case,

the boat could not have executed the tack and jibe procedure without broaching due to the high winds. To do so would have jeopardized the boat and crew. The crew member that went overboard, he actually slipped between the lifelines, was criticized for not being tethered. I thought being tethered was the right thing to do until I learned that tether drownings have occurred. Circumstances, rather than the rules, should determine how to react to a MOB. Lesson learned: be alert and have a clear plan for the crew.

***Dean Russell,***

Vice Commodore



# Social by Jennifer Johns

Mahalo, mahalo, mahalo to Dean and Barbara Russell for hosting the SSYC September Luau and Pig Roast at their beautiful house, right on the beach. It was a picture-perfect day, sunny with the bluest sky. Warm enough for a few to brave the cold ocean waters and go for a swim. Everyone brought amazing appetizers and sides to compliment what has been called 'the best pig ever'. No luau would be complete without live music. Rick Rocco, a former SSYC member, kicked off the luau and Paul Eschelmann, Newport Beach Yacht Club's famed musician, closed it down. Needless to say, everyone had a fantastic time, except for the pig.



## What Next on the Calendar

Batten down the hatches, Pirates are about to take over SSYC! October's dinner meeting is a Pirate theme...Arggg. We hope to see you Friday, October 13, 2017. It is Friday the 13th, so you best be prepared for the scallywags...don't want to end up in Davy Jones' Locker!

Cheers,

*Jen Johns*

Social Director



## Cruising by Brian King

Ahoy SSYCers,

What a beautiful end to the summer season. Thanks to Mike Schmidt and his boat Dickie Boy, we got up close and personal with dozens of sport and fighter planes at the Huntington Beach Air Show.



Dickie Boy anchored next to hundreds of other boats just offshore in front of the Huntington Beach Pier. It was a little bumpy and the cocktails were flowing, so we had a few members and friends experience some mild sea sickness, but all in all, it was a great time on the water.



Now for the last Cruise of the season and you do not want to miss out on this one. We are heading to Jazz Fest for the weekend of October 20-22. Festivities will begin on Friday, but we will not have a formal get together until Saturday at 5:30 PM at the Blue Water Grill. We have a reservation and look forward to seeing you all there. Jazz concerts will be going on all weekend and you can buy tickets on [jazz-trax.com](http://jazz-trax.com). There are also many things to do, including some after hours live music, so feel free to join us even if you don't have an interest in the Jazz Concerts. If you don't have a boat or you are not crewing, no problem. A bunch of us are taking the Flyer or the Express over for a day trip or spending the night. Make sure you get hotel reservations ahead of time if you plan to spend the night. See you there!!

Thank you and see you all soon,

*Brian King,*

Cruise Director

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## Racing by John Marshall

### **FALL FINALE – SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18<sup>TH</sup>!**

The second annual Fall Finale race, sponsored by our Harbor Association, the Association of Orange Coast Yacht Clubs, is scheduled for Saturday, November 18<sup>th</sup>. Last year, the inaugural race event was hosted by Bahia Corinthian Yacht Club with 80 sailors attending the After-Race party.

This year, South Shore Yacht Club is the host club for the Fall Finale After-Race Party! We're planning a \$15.00 per person Mexican Buffet, along with a free raffle with raffle prizes offered by the AOCYC officers.

The Fall Finale Sailing Event celebrates yacht racing in Newport Harbor and Dana Point harbor with an ocean course off Newport Beach for PHRF and Cruising class boats and an inside-the-harbor course for three classes of Harbor 20s. Bahia Corinthian Yacht Club and South Shore Yacht Club will be responsible for Race Committee duties for the Fall Finale.

The Notice of Race is posted on the AOCYC web site at [www.aocyc.org](http://www.aocyc.org) and on the South Shore Yacht Club web site at [www.southshoreyc.com](http://www.southshoreyc.com). The entry fee is \$40 for the PHRF and Cruising Classes and \$35.00 for the Harbor 20 racers.

Early entries make for great events! Sign up today!



### **THE BORDER RUN 2018**

Believe it! We're already taking entries for the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of South Shore Yacht Club's signature Offshore Racing Event in 2018 – The Border Run! In fact, we already have 49 boats signed up for the 72nm San Diego Course and 43 boats entered in the 14nm Dana Point Course! That's a total of 92 boats already entered for The Border Run 2018. Erik Waelpu on "Sound Current" and Brian Boyle on "Tui" are among the early entries for the 2018 Border Run.

South Shore Yacht Club is the Organizing Authority for The Border Run and we're celebrating 10 years of The Border Run with lots of new ideas that are very appealing to racers. You can visit The Border Run web site at [www.theborderrun.org](http://www.theborderrun.org) to keep abreast of all the excitement building for the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of The Border Run. We'll see you all on the water!

**John**





**Fall  
Finale**  
AOCYC



**Saturday: November 18, 2017**



**PHRF • Cruising & Harbor 20**

Enter @ **[www.aocyc.org](http://www.aocyc.org)**

Host: South Shore Yacht Club

After Race Party @ SSYC

# SOUTH SHORE YACHT CLUB

## BALLOT FOR 2018 BRIDGE, OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

OFFICE	VOTE
1.     COMMODORE	<p style="text-align: right;">DEAN RUSSELL: _____</p> <p>Write in: _____</p>
2.     VICE COMMODORE	<p style="text-align: right;">MIKE SCHMIDT: _____</p> <p>Write in: _____</p>
3.     REAR COMMODORE	<p style="text-align: right;">CHRIS HARO: _____</p> <p>Write in: _____</p>
4.     STAFF COMMODORE	<p style="text-align: right;">JOHN MARSHALL: _____</p> <p>Write in: _____</p>
5.     SECRETARY	<p style="text-align: right;">MILLEDGE HART: _____</p> <p>Write in: _____</p>
6.     TREASURER	<p style="text-align: right;">DON ALBRECHT: _____</p> <p>Write in: _____</p>
7.     DIRECTORS	<p>LINDA BRIGANTE: _____</p> <p>KATHY ABBOTT: _____</p> <p>SCOTT PEARSON has been appointed and does not require a vote -1year term</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Write ins</p> <p style="text-align: center;">_____</p>

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ONLY REGULAR MEMBERS CAN VOTE. IF THE BALLOT IS MAILED, THEN IT MUST BE RECEIVED BY NOVEMBER 10, 2017. PLEASE INSERT YOUR:

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ AND MEMBER NO.: \_\_\_\_\_. Ballots will also be available and may be turned in at the General Meeting to be held at the November Second Friday Dinner on November 10, 2017.

## ▶ January 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	J. White Race
15	16	17	18	19	20	Comm's Ball
22	23	24	25	26	27	J. White Race
29	30	31				

## ▶ February 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	YRUSC Seminar
	Super Bowl	6	Board Meeting	8	9	2nd Friday Dinner
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	J. White Race
26	27					Fat Tuesday

## ▶ March 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6	Board Meeting	8	9	2nd Friday Dinner	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
						Avalon Cruise
Avalon Cruise	20	21	22	23	24	25
Duffy Day	27	28	29	30	31	

## ▶ April 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						Border Run Race
2	3	Board Meeting	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	2nd Friday Dinner	Ensenada TuneUp
16	17	18	19	20	21	Day Cruise
Easter						
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
						NZE
30						

## ▶ May 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	Board Meeting	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Mother's Day	15	16	17	18	19	Opening Day
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
						Channel Island Cruise
28	Memorial Day	30	31			
						Channel Island

## ▶ June 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	Board Meet-	Hibachi Race	8	2nd Friday Dinner	0
11	12	13	Hibachi Race	15	16	17
Father's Day	19	20	Hibachi Race	22	23	Duffy Day
25	26	27	Hibachi Race	29	30	

## ▶ July 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
2	3	4	Hibachi Race	6	7	8
Dana Point Cruise						
9	10	Board Meeting	Hibachi Race	13	2nd Friday Dinner	Crew of 2 Race
16	17	18	Hibachi Race	20	21	22
23	24	25	Hibachi Race	27	28	29
30	31					

## ▶ August 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
		Board Meeting	Hibachi Race			
6	7	8	Hibachi Race	10	2nd Friday Dinner	12
Sunday Race Series	14	15	Hibachi Race	17	18	19
20	21	22	Hibachi Race	24	25	26
					Two Harbors Cruise	
Two Harbors	28	29	Hibachi Race	31		

## ▶ September 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3	4	Board Meeting	6	7	8	9
	Labor Day					
10	11	12	13	14	15	Beach/Pig Party
Sunday Race Series	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	Duffy Day

## ▶ October 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	Board Meeting	4	5	6	7
Sunday Race Series	9	10	11	12	2nd Friday Dinner	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Jazz Fest					Jazz Fest Avalon	
22	23	24	25	26	27	Halloween Party
Jazz Fest						
29	30	31				

## ▶ November 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6	Board Meeting	8	9	2nd Friday Dinner	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
				Thanksgiving		
26	27	28	29	30		

## ▶ December 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3	4	Board Meeting	6	7	8	Boat Decorating Party
10	11	12	13	14	15	Boat Parade
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	Christmas					
31						

# Details 2017 Officers & Board Members

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