

Dates to Remember

#### January

- 4 Duwamish Head "Boat Parking"
- 5 Duwamish Head
  Race and Party
  8 TTPYC Membership

## February

12 Social

#### March

12 Social
22-24 Crab Feed at
Blake Island

## **April**

4 Spring Race 1

11 Spring Race 2

12-14 Port Orchard

Cruise

- 18 Spring Race 3
- 20 Pursuit Race
- 25 Spring Race 4

## May

2 Spring Race 53-5 Bell HarborCruise



# The Barnacle

## Commodore's Corner

Daniel Downhour

Happy New Year and Season Greetings to all!



I want to thank Carol Jones

for putting together our TTPYC Holiday Party at Anthony's Restaurant. There was a full turn out, and we all had a great and festive time.

Now that the days are getting longer and the holiday hustle and bustle is behind us, I am feeling the need to head down to the boat and make sure we are ready for the upcoming season.

The Duwamish Head Race is right around the corner.

TTPYC hosts this race and volunteers are needed. If you would like to help out, please contact Gordon Kells Murpy or Dean Conti

## Duwamish Head Race

: January 5, 2019 : Three Tree Point Yacht Club Registrar TTPYC, PO Box 98700, Des Moines 98198-0700 Gordon Kells-Murphy (253) 670 0742 <a href="mailto:sailsman@earthlink.net">sailsman@earthlink.net</a>

I hope everyone has a happy and safe new year.

Daniel Downhour

## Social Committee Carol Jones, Chair

We had a great turnout this year for our annual Christmas party at Anthony's restaurant. As usual the room had a very festive atmosphere with good conversation and beverages. A big thanks to the wait staff that provided us with good food and drinks.



A reminder, we will have a social at Angelo's restaurant in Burien on January 8<sup>th</sup>. Happy Hour will begin at 6, dinner and program to follow. Come and join us to toast the New Year. Tom Spohn will be sharing a video of their trip to the Galapagos Islands.

Racing News Gordon Kels-Murphy, Race Fleet Captain Dean Conti, Assistant Race Fleet Captain

## Race Fleet News



#### Duwamish Head Race

The Duwamish Head race is our signature racing event for the year. Our Duwamish Head Race is being held on January 5, 2018. We need volunteers to help with parking visiting boats on the Friday afternoon and evening before the race. We don't expect people to stay for the entire day, but whatever time you could offer would be very helpful and also a great way to show other crews what a great club we are. Visiting boats begin arriving about 1:00 in the afternoon and continue until about 8:00 Friday night. The majority arrive in the late afternoon and early evening. Many will need to raft, which is where the real help needs to come in. We need hands willing to guide guests to open slips and helping them tie off. Once our guests have been secured, we need members to help welcome them with a warm beverage and something to eat. Bluntly, we need people to offer some soups, chowders, and snacks in the party tent on the dock. The party tent is heated by the way. We also need help with the breakfast on Saturday morning.

We also need help with the starting sequence for the race. We need people to help with the starting and finishing sequences. Volunteers will be helping with the flag sequence that sets each class off for its day of racing. We will also need several people to help with the recording of finishing times and identifying sail numbers at the conclusion of the race. Fortunately, there is a considerable window of time between the starting and finishing activities so people do not have to commit to the entire day. Volunteers could commit for either the starts or the finish, and if they choose both. Volunteers should contact Gordon (253-670-0472), Chuck Hendrick (360-402-0312), or Steve Sisson (206-218-8138) for more information.



#### Race Schedule

Date	Race	Club
Thursday, April 04, 2019	TTPYC Spring #1	TTPY <i>C</i>
Thursday, April 11, 2019	TTPYC Spring #2	TTPY <i>C</i>
Thursday, April 18, 2019	TTPYC Spring #3	TTPY <i>C</i>
Saturday, April 20, 2019	"Pursuit Race"	TTPY <i>C</i>
Thursday, April 25, 2019	TTPYC Spring #4	TTPY <i>C</i>
Thursday, May 02, 2019	TTPYC Spring #5	TTPY <i>C</i>
Thursday, May 9, 2019	Late Spring Series #1	TTPY <i>C</i>
Thursday, May 16, 2019	Late Spring Series #2	TTPY <i>C</i>
Thursday, May 30, 2019	Late Spring Series #3	TTPY <i>C</i>
Thursday, June 06, 2019	Late Spring Series #4	TTPY <i>C</i>
Thursday, June 13, 2019	Late Spring Series #5	TTPY <i>C</i>
Thursday, June 20, 2019	TTPYC Summer Series #1	TTPYC
Thursday, June 27, 2019	TTPYC Summer Series #2	TTPYC
Thursday, July 11, 2019	TTPYC Summer Series #3	TTPY <i>C</i>
Thursday, July 18, 2019	TTPYC Summer Series #4	TTPYC
Thursday, July 25, 2019	TTPYC Summer Series #5	TTPYC
Thursday, August 01, 2019	TTPYC Late Summer Series #1	TTPY <i>C</i>
Thursday, August 08, 2019	TTPYC Late Summer Series #2	TTPY <i>C</i>
Saturday, August 24, 2019	Commodore's Trophy Race TTPYC	TTPY <i>C</i>
Thursday, August 29, 2019	TTPYC Late Summer Series #3	TTPY <i>C</i>
Thursday, September 05, 2019	TTPYC Late Summer Series #4	ТТРУС

Registration will be on Regatta Network:

https://www.regattanetwork.com/clubmqmt/applet\_registration\_form.php?regatta\_id=16420

## Cruising News Tom and Jean Spohn, Chairs

## 2019 Cruise Schedule

•	March 22-24	Blake Island Crab Feed	Hosts: McShanes
•	April 12-14	Port Orchard	Hosts: Careys
•	May 3-5	Bell Harbor, Cinco De Mayo	Hosts: Carol Jones

May 31-June 2 Arabella's, Gig Harbor Hosts: Spohns
August 30-9/2 Poulsbo Hosts: Sandy Haigh

September 13-15 Sleep 'n Creep, Docton Hosts: Downhours(Co-Host needed)

We have a great cruise schedule for next year. A few favorites like Blake Island and Gig Harbor and a few we have not visited for a while like Port Orchard and Poulsbo are in the mix. We appreciate the Hosts that have volunteered to make our cruises the very best. If you are interested in hosting, but are unsure about being the leader, how about contacting one of the hosts above and volunteering to help out. Be sure to mark your calendar now so you can attend all the cruises next season.

Membership News Scott Perry, Chair

## Member News



If you have news you want to share with members (think new grandchildren, addresses, boats, jobs, retirements, trips and/or great photos of a trip, etc.) Just let us know. Email your announcement to Kristie & Don, the Barnacle editors, K6352@aol.com Also remember to talk with new boaters on the dock. The best way to find new members is through conversations with our members

## MARKET PLACE

This is a section for the benefit of our members. If you have something boat related to sell or trade, just send the info on to Kristie at K6352@aol.com and we will place it in this new section each month. Remember... this is for members only!

News Flash from the Ship's Store

If you want to order custom embroidered clothing, you can order directly from a Burien store or bring your own item in to be embroidered. A TTPYC Store has been set up. Visit this website:

http://gramsgiftcloset.com/team-and-company-stores/three-tree-point-yacht-club-flaq.

Janet Sisson 206-724-4792



## Officers for Three Tree Point Yacht Club

2018-2019

Commodore Dan Downhour

Vice Commodore Doug Andrews

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Race Fleet Captain Gordon Kells-Murphy

Assistant Race Fleet Dean Conti

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Bud Musselman, and Scott Perry

Appointed Officers

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