

JYC Courier

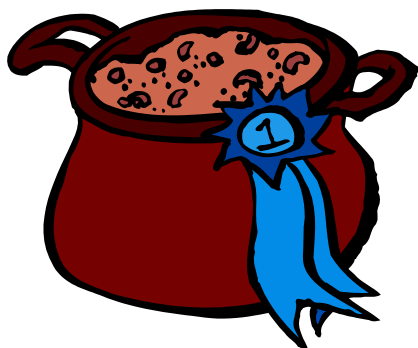
Potluck Supper Friday April 4th @ Wickford YC

Pot Luck Supper - 6pm Friday April 4th

Somewhat breaking with tradition we will be changing venues this year by having a collaborative event with and at the Wickford Yacht Club. Building on the success of our Family Day Chowder cook off, the theme of this event will be a Chili Cook Off. So, if you're up to it, whip up a batch of Chili - any kind, otherwise bring another pot luck dish to share. All will have a chance to vote for the winner and a prize will be awarded to the winner. If that's not enough incentive, Saddle Up the Chicken will once again be entertaining us with their special blend of Bluegrass music. Please join us at this special club mixer where we hope to make some new sailing friends with our across the bay neighbors.

Tickets—which include a beer/wine open bar—are \$5 until **Friday, March 28**; \$8 thereafter. We're expecting a crowd and seating is limited so sign up early at <http://tinyurl.com/pf19bhq>!

If you plan to make Chili please email Shiela, the WYC rep @ sheilamoira33@gmail.com. Those who don't bring chili, please divvy up the following (by last name): A - G brings salad, H - O brings an appetizer, P - Z brings desserts.



The Wickford Yacht Club is located at 165 Pleasant St, North Kingstown, RI.

2014 Calendar

3/1 - Annual Membership Due

4/4 – Pot Luck Supper

4/29 - Skipper's Meeting @ Firehouse 7pm;

5/4 – JYC Commissioning @ Community Center

5/13 – First race of the Spring PHRF Series

6/17 – First race of the Summer PHRF Series

7/12,13,14 – Block Island Cruise

7/26 – 8/5 Annual Cruise (tentative)

Memberships Due.

Several members have yet to renew their membership, please do so as soon as possible so we can send out the new membership lists. If you've misplaced your membership renewal form, contact Rosemary Burns at rosemary.burns@cox.net

Racing News

We are still looking for a race committee boat or 2 (to help spread the load over the 21 races in the season). Please let me know if you are willing to volunteer for this critical task, no race committee experience necessary. Additionally, I am looking for a co-chair to help me with running race committee this season. If anyone is interested in helping out with race committee, please send me a note.

See you at the Skipper's Meeting, 7:00 pm April 29th @ the Jamestown Firehouse.

JYC Fleet Captain
Cheryl Rienzo
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Junior PHRF Racing Program

In conjunction with the Jamestown Lawn Avenue School we are offering an After School Racing Program on Tuesday Evenings during the Spring Series. Interested middle school students will be paired up with willing Tuesday night skippers / boats to learn about big boat racing. This program will also include one day of race committee service for each student.

If you are looking for crew or have room to fit an extra, please let Samira know via email, jyccommodore@gmail.com. This is a great opportunity to pass on our love of sailing to the next generation.

Social Events Report

The Winter Dinner was a hit! We filled the dining rooms at Fluke and they catered to everyone's needs. All the food was delicious, especially, according to many reports, the Farrotto with Local Roasted Mushrooms, Brussels sprouts and Truffle Oil.



Officers

Commodore: Samira Hakki
Vice Commodore: Rob Bestoso
Rear Commodore: Mike Schnack
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