

Seagate Yacht Club
THE BURGEE
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PROGRESSIVE DINNER





JOSEF DAVYDOVITS, COMMODORE

We are a Yacht Club that is part of a larger family organization and part of Southern California Yachting Association (SCYA). This allows our members to get the exchange benefits offered and reach out and get to know other Yacht Clubs and their members.

We are a social Club that encourages members to reach out and mingle with our neighbors in our Huntington Harbour Community. We have numerous events throughout the year that are geared toward this goal. We want to get to better know our neighbors within the Sea Gate community.

Next month we will expand our role to a new endeavor, to add to our repertoire and give back to the community. SGYC in partnership with our yacht club friends in Newport Beach, American Legion Yacht Club, will provide a small charity event to the kids of Down Syndrome Association of Orange County (DSAOC). This will add a new and exciting chapter to our SGYC history which was formed 37 years ago under the leadership of Dewey Rudolph, to today when we become an important part of our larger community

The new charity event will be called SUDS, Sails Up for Down Syndrome. It will provide an opportunity to these children, along with their families to take part in a harbor cruise in our Harbour . This cruise will be aboard our Members boats, who will be onboard as well to interact with the families and children. A very special thanks to our member/captains that volunteered to provide this inaugural event. Thanks to Robin Clark, captain of Fintastic, Richard Kappes, captain of Lucky Change II and Dennis Huffman, captain of Bad Habit. All have agreed to participate on September 13, 2014 event.

Additional information on this organization is available at www.dsaoc.org. Please take some time to review the site. Let's get involved and maybe we can grow into a bigger annual event. Also review this touching video on <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ju-q4OnBtNU>

Thank you all for allowing me to serve as Commodore for this great organization.

Szervusz to all, Josef



GIL MORRIS, VICE COMMODORE

Ahoy fellow boaters and Yacht Club members. On behalf of our SeaGate Yacht Club I want to thank the event hosts Staff Commodore John Humphreys & Margaret and Staff Commodore Les Kelly & Cathy for a great Progressive Dinner in July. We started off at the lovely home of Patrick and Marta O'Rourke for appetizers, then went to the clubhouse for a excellent dinner and fun entertainment.

The next event in August was the fun Duffy Poker Run. Thanks to the event hosts of Jeff & Tina Haas and Lari Thomas it was a lot of fun playing poker in the Duffy's. The "dump dinner" was different and enjoyed by all. The night ended with the great party music by "Steel Parade" and was fabulous. Another great time had by all!!

Our next cruise is to Newport on September 19-21. Our event hosts are Staff Commodore Ray Nagele and Jan and the raft up Captain is Robin Clark and Jean. The event will be a raft up only this year, with the hosted cocktail party on Friday. On Saturday, there will be a Happy Hour and dinner at Woody's Wharf. Plenty of dock space for your dinghy and parking for those that drive. You can see the entire flyer on the SGYC web site <http://seagateyachtclub.com/>.

October 5, 2014 is the last Duffy cruise to HHYC Brunch for the year, hosted by Jr. Staff Commodore Jeff & Bonnie Specht. This has become a fun, short event enjoyed by all.

Please do not miss the annual meeting which will be held October 7, 2014. Food will be served and the officers for next year will be voted upon.



DR. MARK MONROE, REAR COMMODORE

This month's Rear Commodore article is devoted to two things: the Annual Seagate Yacht Club entry in the Christmas Boat Parade aboard Fintastic, the beautiful boat of Jean and Robin Clark, and Duffy the Poker Run on Saturday, August 30th.

On July 16th, Vice Commodore Gil and Chris Morris and Dan Torla were kind enough to join my wife and I for the initial planning session. This year's Boat Parade theme is Music in Paradise. Dan Torla was kind enough to volunteer as the chairman of this committee under my flag. Dan has much experience organizing projects such as these. Since then, Commodore Joseph Davydovits and Kim and Judie Hagin have joined the committee. If you would like to be a part of this special event, please come to our next planning meeting on Wednesday, September 17th at my home at 7 pm. RSVP is greatly appreciated. Contact information: call 714/724-0638 or e-mail romida777@yahoo.com

***SGYC NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT
PLEASE VOLUNTEER FOR
THE COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER
POSITION***

The position of SGYC Communications Officer requires a working knowledge of computers and some knowledge of desktop publishing. The Burgee is published every other month. We also submit articles from the Burgee to Harbor Light Magazine. The position does not require writing articles, but does involve some editing of ones that are submitted. I will be happy to share my layouts, routines, resources and contacts with the new Communications Officer in order to smooth the transition.

The club needs a new officer by January 2015. If you have any interest in assuming the position I would be happy to fill you in on the details. You can reach me at 714/377-8989 hm or 714/655-1488 cel.

Volunteers for this, and any other leadership position can also contact the Vice Commodore, Gil Morris, (714/377-3766) or Commodore Josef Davydovits (714/840-8333) to get details.

We look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely, Joel Lander, Communications Officer

Cruise to Paradise

Hosts: Lari Thomas and Jeff & Tina Haas



Rob and Cindy Allen and Jeff Haas got SGYC's Duffy Poker Cruise of nine Duffy skippers started with Jell-O shots from Nagele's dock, a map of playing card sites, instructions and two playing cards for the start of the poker hand. Playing cards sites were: Captain Gizmo – Jean & Tom Worden , Windsong 2 – Sandy & Commodore Cliff Meier, Davydovits Dock, Mrs. Commodore Kim , and Sea-Renity – Jeff & Tina Haas and Lari Thomas.

When everyone got to the Clubhouse, the other playing card was given out along with a heat minimizer of an ice cold "Dark 'n Stormy". Only three ingredients in a DNS – fill highball glass with ice, squeeze a lime slice over ice, add 2 oz. ginger beer, and 2(+) oz. of rum. Tasty!

Dinner was served by Teak Catering. They dumped chicken, shrimp, sausage, new potatoes, and corn on the tables. We also had fruit, chips, salsa, salad, and bread. The food was delicious, especially the corn.

Steel Parade Band entertained us with great music from the Caribbean. They were the highlight of the evening; many dancers were swaying to the music all evening. If interested, they will be releasing a CD in 2-3 months, steelparade@steelparade.com.

Cathy Little had the missing piece of the puzzle and won a basket full of wine and assorted goodies. Guest Malinda Dougherty won the 'how many seashells in bottle' game; she guessed 235, the exact amount. She won a great Erdinger beer basket. Guest Jane Brault won "where was Marcel" and won a blue topaz necklace from St. Martin. Marcel is an adorable green monkey that Tina & Jeff brought back from their recent trip to St. Martin, Marcel hung out on Sea-Renity with Tina and Lari during the cruise.

The worst poker hand was won by Gary Young and his guests from Knotta Lotta Yachta. They received a Rolling Rock beer bucket with a couple of beers and miscellaneous items befitting the booby prize. Second place went to Josef Davydovits and his guests from Energizer Ark. They received a coffee themed basket with coffee, cookies and many SGYC goodies. First place went to Francis Okino and his guests from Faebgo. They won with a Full House, which included 3 Aces, hard to beat that hand. They won grand prize of a big basket filled to the brim with a nice, large bottle of Vodka, various martini themed items and of course, many SGYC goodies.

Josef and Kim held the 50-50 for the evening and 3rd place of \$25 went to Jackie Sands; 2nd place of \$40 went to Commodore Bob Axel; and 1st place of \$60 went to Gary Bartlett.

Tina, Jeff, and Thomas' would like to thank Kim & Josef for all their input, guidance, and assistance. We also would like to thank Rob, Cindy, Jean, Tom, Kim, Sandy, and Cliff for sitting out in the hot sun handing out goodies and playing cards. We couldn't have done this event without your assistance. THANK YOU.



CORNEAL ABRASIONS AND FOREIGN BODIES IN THE EYE

By Mark Monroe, M.D.



Q: I wasn't wearing my sunglasses while at the beach and the wind blew sand into my eye. It hurt a lot and I couldn't open my eye without pain. I had to be taken to the Emergency Room where the doctor told me I had a Corneal Abrasion. What is a Corneal Abrasion?

A: A Corneal Abrasion is a scratch on the eye's cornea. The cornea is a clear cover over the iris and the pupil. The iris is the colored part of the eye. The pupil is the black dot in the middle of the eye. All of these have to function normally to allow vision to occur. Any foreign body in the eye, such as sand or finger or a caustic chemical, can cause painful corneal abrasion. The symptoms including pain, discomfort, inability to open the eyelids, and photosensitivity. Treatment includes flushing copiously with water, especially with buffered eye irrigation or eye wash, so as not to burn the eye. Most important thing is covering the eye with the eye patch and ophthalmic antibiotic ointment overnight. It is important to get at least 8 hours of sleep for the cornea to heal and develop a new layer of epithelial cells. You must be careful about depth perception with monocular eyesight as you need both eyes for full depth perception. You should follow up with your family or eye doctor as the best person to treat and advise you to this condition.

Cruise to Paradise



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L-R: Margaret & John Humphreys, Cathy Kelly, Patrick & Marta O'Rourke

The festivities began at the picturesque waterfront home of Patrick & Marta O'Rourke that was beautifully decorated for the occasion. As guests arrived by Duffy or by car they were greeted with a traditional lei greeting and flowers. Rob & Cindy Allen concocted a wonderful coconut rum tropical drink that had everyone coming back for more, while we enjoyed a continuous stream of delicious appetizers of coconut prawns, chicken skewers with crushed macadamia nuts,

and ahi poke on Belgian endive spears.

We then boarded our Duffys or cars and made our way to the clubhouse that had been transformed into a Hawaiian oasis. A traditional Polynesian trio played soothing tropical music while we enjoyed a great buffet dinner consisting of baby back ribs, grilled ono with sweet and sour sauce, Hawaiian vegetables, Asian slaw and pineapple rice. Then we had banana foster with vanilla ice cream and seasonal tropical fruits for dessert.

Our entertainment continued with three beautiful and colorful Polynesian dancers that performed with rapturous applause. The dancers made it look so easy with their swaying hips that they enticed several of our members to perform with them, which was truly hilarious and a lot of fun. A great time was had by all !!



Please join us on **September 13th** at 1:30 pm for our **First Annual Sails Up for Down Syndrome (SUDS) Event**. To be sponsored jointly by both the **American Legion Yacht Club & Sea Gate Yacht Club**.



We will be taking a cruise around the Huntington Harbour canals with some wonderful Captains and their family's who have volunteered their vessels for an afternoon of fun and memories

There will be snacks provided by the American Legion Yacht Club and we will be meeting at 1:30 pm :

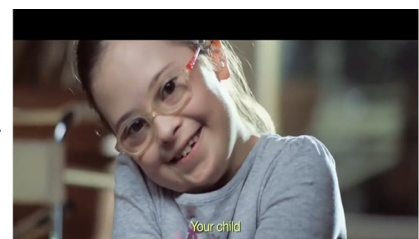
3592 Windspun Drive, Huntington Harbour for check-in & boarding of boats

The boating tour will last for approximately 3 to 4 hours.



*We look forward to seeing you all there and making this an Annual Event!
Please send your information via email to:*

captainhans@verizon.net



<i>Gary</i>	<i>Young</i>	<i>9/1</i>	<i>Sharon</i>	<i>Young</i>	<i>9/22</i>	<i>Marguerite</i>	<i>McEntee</i>	<i>10/11</i>
<i>Oscar</i>	<i>Brinket</i>	<i>9/3</i>	<i>Barbara</i>	<i>Hart</i>	<i>9/25</i>	<i>Wayne</i>	<i>Sawka</i>	<i>10/13</i>
<i>Christine</i>	<i>Bates</i>	<i>9/4</i>	<i>Patricia</i>	<i>Kirk</i>	<i>9/26</i>	<i>James</i>	<i>Shinn</i>	<i>10/14</i>
<i>Peggy</i>	<i>Allison</i>	<i>9/5</i>	<i>Ron</i>	<i>Nelson</i>	<i>9/26</i>	<i>Jan</i>	<i>McKnew</i>	<i>10/14</i>
<i>Thomasina</i>	<i>Parker</i>	<i>9/8</i>	<i>Lynne</i>	<i>Wilhelm</i>	<i>9/26</i>	<i>Bett</i>	<i>Walton</i>	<i>10/17</i>
<i>Linda</i>	<i>Scholl</i>	<i>9/9</i>	<i>Cindy</i>	<i>Surridge</i>	<i>9/29</i>	<i>Renell</i>	<i>Gochman</i>	<i>10/18</i>
<i>Joe</i>	<i>Smith</i>	<i>9/10</i>	<i>Robert</i>	<i>Axel</i>	<i>10/2</i>	<i>Linda</i>	<i>Shinn</i>	<i>10/19</i>
<i>Lari</i>	<i>Thomas</i>	<i>9/10</i>	<i>Cheryl</i>	<i>Arndt</i>	<i>10/2</i>	<i>Fran</i>	<i>Cyrus</i>	<i>10/21</i>
<i>Lisa</i>	<i>Zia</i>	<i>9/11</i>	<i>Deborah</i>	<i>Fairon</i>	<i>10/2</i>	<i>Mark</i>	<i>Daugherty</i>	<i>10/21</i>
<i>Larry</i>	<i>Carone</i>	<i>9/12</i>	<i>Donna</i>	<i>Degele</i>	<i>10/4</i>	<i>Ferry</i>	<i>Parcell</i>	<i>10/22</i>
<i>Craig</i>	<i>Koehler</i>	<i>9/12</i>	<i>Jean</i>	<i>Clark</i>	<i>10/4</i>	<i>Richard</i>	<i>Edwards</i>	<i>10/23</i>
<i>Barbara</i>	<i>Pazornik</i>	<i>9/14</i>	<i>Marsha</i>	<i>Hendler</i>	<i>10/5</i>	<i>Sandi</i>	<i>Noble</i>	<i>10/24</i>
<i>Kaye</i>	<i>Verry</i>	<i>9/14</i>	<i>Kim</i>	<i>Davydovits</i>	<i>10/5</i>	<i>Angie</i>	<i>Ferns</i>	<i>10/25</i>
<i>Kip</i>	<i>Cyprus</i>	<i>9/17</i>	<i>Dianne</i>	<i>Rector</i>	<i>10/6</i>	<i>Gordon</i>	<i>Hunt</i>	<i>10/26</i>
<i>Ray</i>	<i>Martin</i>	<i>9/18</i>	<i>Jerry</i>	<i>Cassidy</i>	<i>10/7</i>	<i>Robert</i>	<i>McCormick</i>	<i>10/26</i>
<i>Imelda</i>	<i>Armstrong</i>	<i>9/19</i>	<i>Sheree</i>	<i>Novak</i>	<i>10/9</i>	<i>John</i>	<i>Humphreys</i>	<i>10/31</i>
<i>Ronald</i>	<i>Ferandelli</i>	<i>9/21</i>						

<i>Ray & Jan Nagele</i>	<i>9/5</i>
<i>Patrick & Marta O'Rourke</i>	<i>9/8</i>
<i>Jeff & Sharon Smith</i>	<i>9/9</i>
<i>Jim & Bett Walton</i>	<i>9/9</i>
<i>Tom & Jean Worden</i>	<i>9/9</i>
<i>Rob & Cindy Allen</i>	<i>9/12</i>
<i>Roger & Lynne Wilhelm</i>	<i>9/16</i>
<i>Gary & Renell Gochman</i>	<i>9/24</i>
<i>Scott & Becky Mueller</i>	<i>10/1</i>
<i>Jim & Uta DeClerck</i>	<i>10/12</i>
<i>Ron & Kay Nelson</i>	<i>10/15</i>
<i>Ron & Mona Jones</i>	<i>10/17</i>
<i>Michael & Marguerite McEntee</i>	<i>10/19</i>
<i>Rich & Dianne Rector</i>	<i>10/21</i>
<i>Ted & Linda Cohen</i>	<i>10/25</i>
<i>Cliff & Sandy Meier</i>	<i>10/30</i>

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UPCOMING EVENTS

***Newport Cruise
Fri-Sunday, September 19-21***

***Annual Meeting
Tuesday, October 7***

***Rockabilly & BBQ ('50s)
Saturday, October 18***

***Commodore's Ball
Saturday, November 15***



2014 CREW



Josef Davydovits	Commodore
Gil Morris	Vice Commodore
Rear Commodore	Dr. Mark Monroe
Jeff Specht	Jr. Staff Commodore
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Bob McCormick	Roster
Tom Worden	Webmaster
Joel Lander	Communications

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