

Beaufort Yacht & Sailing Club
30 Yacht Club Drive
Beaufort, SC 29907
*Founded by Beaufortonians,
who love the wind and the sea.*



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We look forward to
seeing you at many of the
Club's great events!

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For Sale

Good deals on line: New England Ropes, 3/16 Kev/Dac.30/ft, 5/16 Kev/Dac 1.00/ft, 11MM V-100 vectran core .45/ft, 5/16 T-100 technora core 1.00/ft, and 3/8' .16/ft. GuyP@islc.net or 525 1527.

1998 MC Scow, ready to sail and race, new sail, extra sail, trailer, new cover, new bridle \$4600 Call Paul Keyserling 592-1790 or Frank Pontious at 252-4900

'02 19' Trophy CC, T-top, 150Merc, GPS, stereo, \$9500 Warren Richards 525-1605

Transitions Relocating Management, Decorating, and Design Consultation Pre-move consultation, residence staging, On-site moving day assistance, picture hanging/placement. Call Linda Fraser (770-9969) or Martha Weeks (441-1304)

For Rent Marsh Harbor Condo, 3br, 3ba, waterfront, \$995/month, unit 6d 838-2781

1/2 Off Special! Riding camp at Lands End Stables. Lessons, birthday parties, trail rides. Stall and turnout boarding Available. Horse and pony sales too. Erika Marshall 838-4176

Foster Care large and small animal pet sitting, lawn and yard work, power washing. Foster Marshall 592-2781

'94 Grady White 19', '94 Yamaha 150, trailer \$6500 Paul Michau 524-3177

Optimist and Hobie for sale Custom Pro-racer Opti, 2 sails, all bells and whistles, bags, covers, dolly, would like to trade for a used laser. Hobie 14 w/trailer, 2 sails, needs work, \$1800 Elise Marshall 838-4176

Bow Watch

November 2009

Beaufort Yacht & Sailing Club

Nov. 14th
BYSC Boat Show

December 13th
BYSC Christmas Party
at 4pm, Sunset
champagne toast at
5:15pm

Nov. 16 Social
Committee meetings
10am and 6pm

New Years Day
Friday, January 1
Junior Sailing Oyster
Roast 12 noon until..

Sunset Fridays will
Continue during the
Fall and winter. The
Clubhouse is
available most days,
including weekends,
for your enjoyment.



Results and details of the
Around Parris Race inside!

FROM THE COMMODORE



I am pleased to
serve as your new
commodore. It will
be impossible to
fill the shoes left
to me, but I will
try.

There has been no better time to be a member of BYSC. The club house is yours to enjoy; come and check it out. Join your friends for a sunset Friday or Monday night football. Go Sailing in one of our club sailboats. Moor your yacht at one of our moorings. Send your children to a top notch sailing school or summer camp. Take sailing lessons and participate in our club races. Come to our many and varied social events. When the weather is warmer take a dip in our pool. Why would you need to go anywhere else? Come and enjoy your club!

Ricky Akers, 2009-2010 Commodore

Around Parris Island Race, October 31, 2009

Fourteen sailors departed on an ebb tide and little wind. Soon they were carried toward the towering bridge. Their leader had unknowingly offended Poseidon by declaring that the fog would lift followed by a good wind. He had not poured wine on the ground nor offered sweetmeats the night before. Upon clearing the bridge the little fleet was becalmed. A ship as if propelled by magic appeared on the horizon. Polyphemus was onboard and as he went by hurled boulders and insults at the boats. He cursed them for hindering his progress on the river. After ages they finally reached the entrance to Archer's Creek. Scylla snatched six sailors and spit them out at the other end. By the time this unfortunate group entered Broad River the rest of the fleet was already well on their way to the spit. And so the first group rounded the mark a full two hours before the second. They had missed the tide and were being sucked backwards by Charybdis. Pure misery. They could just barely see the early fleet round and leave them behind. Hugging the shore on a beat this poor group tried desperately to ignore the Sirens who from the shore of the island attempted to distract them from their goal. Finally they saw the mark. As the first of this group rounded, the early fleet had already reach home. They ate and drank and wondered if they would ever see the others again. Lucky for the late group, they did not share a boat with their leader. Otherwise, they would have never seen home again. As it was, the last boat arrived home a full seven and one half hours after he had left, two and one half hours after the first boat. They ate and drank and passed out silver. The dirt was wet with wine. *Author Anonymous*

1st Rick Whitehurst, 2nd Gordon Sproul, 3rd Andy Kinghorn

Mark your calendars for the November 13 & 14 show of sport boat classes

These boats are being considered as a new racing fleet for BYSC. At the Nov 13 Friday night social several of the boats will be on display. Starting around 10am Saturday morning we will have a [J-22](#), [Viper 640](#), [Lightning](#), [Rhodes 19](#), and a [Harbor 20](#) available for viewing with experienced owners who can speak with you about their boats and their Class Associations. Weather permitting, you will be able to sail on the boats of interest to you. Pizza will be served at lunch Saturday. Light snacks will be enjoyed at the bar around 5pm, when you can join in a general discussion of what you've seen and have any final questions answered.



Social Committee Meeting on Monday, November 16th 10am and 6pm BYSC Clubhouse

Joan Dechovitz is heading up the 2010 Social Committee, and needs your ideas and help for the upcoming years events. If you cannot attend either meeting, please call Joan at 522-3797 or email iobjoan@charter.net

Clubhouse Furniture Sponsorship Opportunities

Your sponsorship gets your name on a plaque on the new tables and chairs. These sponsorships begin at \$50 (River Rats Table). Please contact Larry or Sue at 379-2370 or John Barber at 525-1316 for the River Rats table.

The BYSC Christmas Party is Sunday, December 13th, at 4pm, with a Sunset Champagne Toast at 5:15pm. The Club is providing ham and rolls; please bring a dish or holiday goodies to share, as well as a donation of canned or dried goods for the those in need.



The "Bring a book, Take a book" library in the Clubhouse is growing by leaps and bounds!

"Land was created to provide a place for boats to visit." -Brooks Atkinson