

PYC Breeze

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Dalhousie Yacht Club founded 1937 & Incorporated 1945

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SUNSET DINING ROOM HOURS

Take Out **Curb Side Pick Up**

FRIDAYS + SATURDAYS

4:30 - 7:30 PM





DYC FINISHING UP 2020 IN STYLE LOADS OF CHRISTMAS SPIRIT HERE!

















NAUGHTY OR NICE ~ WE SURE HAD FUN!





..and THAT'S A WRAP!





Commodore's Report . . .

by Richard Nowina

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"Stay at home -as much as possible"

Hi everyone, I have just finished listening to our premier Doug Ford, announce the provincial lockdown and his pleading with us to take

COVID-19 more seriously than Ontario has.

What does this mean for DYC? In two words -less, and different. I am happy to report that DYC has been compliant to a large extent and to date no Covid-19 cases have been reported as a consequence of DYC activities. That does not entitle us to be complacent.

The Sunset Dining Room has already cancelled events. DYC's essential maintenance events will continue by incorporating the appropriate COVID-19 protocols. More news will follow, meanwhile:

I hope you all take care to protect yourselves, family & friends as best as possible. Enjoy the holidays and I look forward to seeing everyone post the lockdown.

Best wishes everyone,

Richard









WELCOME NEW MEMBERS to DYC!

What a great way to start 2021!

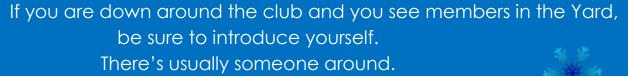
Full Boating Members

Steve Emrich + Christine Nagy

Kirby 25

Sean Furniss + Terri McCann

Ginja Ninja



Welcome Aboard!









Message from the Office..

By Patti Fagan

office@dalhousieyachtclub.com

The office is "always open to members" via email 905-934-8325 Ext 21

The clubhouse remains CLOSED during COVID LOCKDOWN

January Office phone hours ~ Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays 9 - 4 p.m.

Reminder - Membership payments are due in full by Mid-January

The club has two payment options available for all members;

E transfer deposits@dalhousieyachtclub.com or cheque

deliver to our club mailbox to the right of the main doors

or mail to: Dalhousie Yacht Club 74 Lighthouse Road, St. Catharines, L2N 7P5

All payments will receive via email, a detailed statement showing the payment received and applied to the member account.

May you find peace in the deep dark beauty of our winter. May you feel the love of family and friends. May you enjoy the gift of time; to rest, re-group and rejuvenate! Moving forward to a healthy spring with all members present!

No matter what the weather, "We cannot control the wind . . . we can only adjust our sails."

Warmest wishes to you and yours,

Patti



Treasurer's Report . . .

by Paul Demare <u>treasurer@dalhousieyachtclub.com</u>



As 2020 comes to an end, it marks a difficult time for DYC due to the pandemic. As members, we worry about our home, workplace and country, as the Covid crisis continues to influence our mental, physical and financial wellbeing. It affects our behaviour as club members, which reflects how we enjoy the club.





While there are a few members who have made the decision to leave, the overwhelming majority of members are happy to remain part of the club and support it wherever possible. This year membership invoices went out in December and members have been responding with prompt payment. Thank you all.

While we have strong support from our members, we are a small club and it's tough to continue to maintain our assets and infrastructure without members continuing to volunteer. We have made great progress over the past few years, but, we still have challenges to meet.



Once we get COVID-19 behind us, we will be an attractive club for potential members to join in our boating, dining and social events.

The club is strong with member energy as the travel lift, dock repairs, and clubhouse improvements attest. Best of all potential members are beginning to notice. We have a great future.



Stacey, Mark + Jake





Entering Covid Red Zone

Covid Lockdown changed

DYC event plans,

But,

dampening the spirits at DYC

was not in the plan!

Online take-out,

Curbside pick up

and livestream at home,

were great options!

Thank you, Edward + Emily!



Chocolate Brownie

\$60++ Per Couple

Thursday December 31st, 2020 Take-Out & Celebrate at Home 5:00 to 7:00 Curbside Pick-Up

SUNSET DINING ROOM TAKE OUT/CURBSIDE PICK UP

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Not a creature was stirring, not even a mouse.







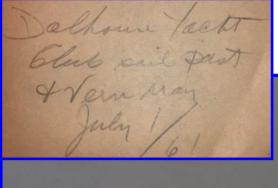
Very Local History Matters . . .

by Dan Sundy

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The pictures are courtesy of Jeff Mackie, from his father, Doug Mackie's, collection.

Sailpast 1 July 1961 ~ Commodore Vern May and wife Fanny. DEPA



In case you missed this one below on DYC Facebook, thanks Jeff, for posting.





Dock Chair's Report...

by Leigh Brown

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To all my friends of DYC

It's been a full year despite these challenging times, we continue to come together both remotely and in smaller than usual groups. I'm thankful for being able to keep in touch with all of you

groups. I'm thankful for being able to keep in touch with all of you online, over the phone and in text, cruising the 1000 islands over the summer (at anchor mostly) and putting our travel lift back together this past month.

In case you hadn't heard IT'S ALIVE, IT'S ALIIVVEEEEE!!!

I'm looking forward to keeping the momentum going, finishing up the new docks for the travel lift and spending more time in our newly renovated harbour. But for now, we can continue to get take out and join in on the virtual Trivia nights to help stay connected while staying ... apart.

Talk soon,

Leigh



Great Teamwork ~ Filling bellies with lunch donations for our members working in the cold.

Chili, lentil potato curry, macaroni salad, bean soup, buns, sandwiches, cookies + coffee were this days menu. COVID-19 considerations all in place.























Interested to Join the Travel Lift Yard Work Party?

Contact docks@dalhousieyachtclub.com

Weather + Worker Dependent



















The beauty of winter from the west side of the club.









SUNSET DINING ROOM



To help control the spread of Covid 19, our indoor dining room is presently closed.

Online orders, take out and curbside pick up are readily available.















Check out Menu + Order Online here https://dalhousie-yacht-club.square.site/s/order



Thank you,
Fox Foods,
Edward and Emily!

For working so hard to keep the Sunset Dining Room open

Opening the Sunset Dockside Patio this crazy COVID-19 year.



SUNSET DINING ROOM UPDATE

ORDER ONLINE FOR CURBSIDE PICK UP

OR

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Saturday January 16, 2021 6:00 p.m. – Dinner 7:00 p.m. - Trivia

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LMT CONNECTION ~ POSTPONED





One of the last evenings of DYC hosting an indoor event in 2020 before lockdown #2. All lit up and cozy inside.























A Reminder to all Members ~ if you haven't done so yet, please lock your ladder in the yard.

If you SEE SOMETHING unusual in the yard, while checking on your boat,

SAY SOMETHING. It's appreciated!

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Patti-jo Chambers



KEEP DYC HEALTHY!

6" APART or MASK UP

We'll get through this together.

Christmas with our GrandBoy, Jaxon.

Special times for certain!

Patti-jo

Many thanks goes out to those of you who have sent in or posted pictures.

Dan, Jeff, John, Leigh, Tracey

It is wonderful to have your additions in The Breeze.

Check your email for DYC CLUB updates.
February is Dock Application + History Month







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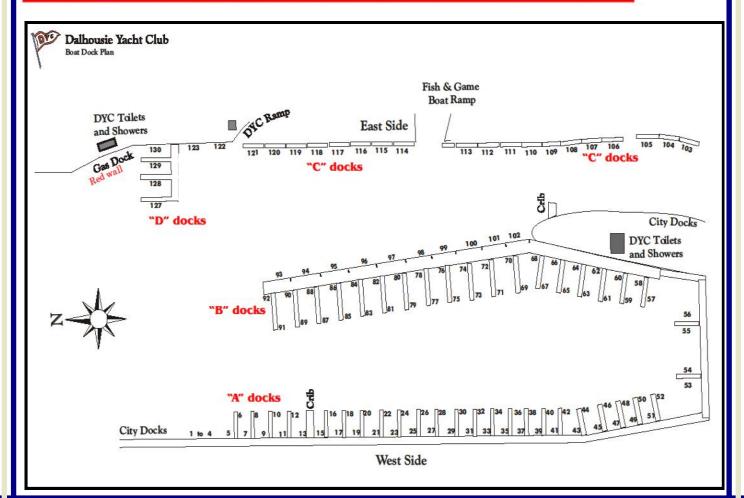
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January 2021



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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10	11	12	13	14	15	16 Name That Tune with LEE
17	18	19	20	21	22	23 cancelled
24	25	26	27	28	29	Save the Date
31						postponed

Watch for Whiskey Tasting Event in February

February 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14 HAPPY Valentine's DAY	15	16	17	18	19	20
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Time to sign up for your summer dock ~ watch for the email coming your way.